



ST. BENEDICT CATHOLIC CHURCH

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----- SUNDAY, AUGUST 15, 2021 -----

The SOLEMNITY of the ASSUMPTION of the BLESSED VIRGIN MARY

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Mass Schedule

Weekday Masses Tuesday-Friday 7:00am.

Saturday Morning

Confessions 7:30am-8:00am

Low Mass of the Extraordinary Form 8:00am

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament 8:45am

Confessions 8:45am-9:30am

Benediction 9:30am

Sunday Masses

Saturday Vigil at 5:00pm

Sunday at 8:00am and 10:30am

Sunday Mass is also accessible through Rumble, Parish website, ParishApp, Gab, and Parish email.

Confessions

Saturday 7:30-8:00am, 8:45am-9:30am, 4:00pm,
and 40 minutes before every Sunday Mass.

Anointing of the Sick

If you are ill and would like to receive the Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick, please call the Pastoral Center at (719) 495-1426 to inform our priest of this need.

Adoration

Saturday 8:45am-9:30am

Thursday 7:30am-7:00pm

Baptism

Baptismal classes are held on the third Sunday of the month, after the 8:00am Mass. To register, contact the Pastoral Center at (719) 495-1426.

Rosary recited 25 minutes prior to Mass on the first Sunday of each month, led by the Knights of Columbus.

Chaplet of Divine Mercy recited 25 minutes prior to Masses on the last Saturday and Sunday of the month.

Pastoral Center Hours

Monday through Friday 9:00am-3:00pm

FROM THE PASTOR'S DESK

TROOPS AND FLOWERS

We are very grateful to the parents of our Troops of St. George and Little Flowers programs who dedicated a day to painting the respective club houses in preparation for the kickoff of this year's activities. It is incredible to see the growth and enthusiasm in both parents and children.

HOMESCHOOLERS

Congratulations to our homeschool families who held their largest gathering yet at their First Friday Mass and breakfast on August 6. After Mass we had the blessing for the opening of the school year. May the Lord continue to bless these families!

BENEDICTION

Last Thursday evening we had the largest participation to date at benediction. Praise God! And I am sure that many families participated from home as well. Remember to set your alarm for 6:50pm on Thursday evenings to open your hearts in prayer to receive the Eucharistic Lord's blessing at the moment of benediction.

FOR THOSE NOT RECEIVING HOLY COMMUNION

When the faithful do not wish to receive Holy Communion and when there are children who come in the line for communion, there is the custom that has developed of crossing one's arms as a sign that they will not be receiving Holy Communion. Archbishop Chaput points out that *"parents and catechists should start teaching the mystery of the Eucharist at an early age. Children will soon begin to desire to receive Holy Communion. This earnest desire to receive our Lord sacramentally is traditionally called a 'spiritual communion.' Both children and adults can make a spiritual communion. They may come forward with their arms crossed and bow before the Eucharist. Being faithful to the truths of the sacramental celebration allows all of us, young and old, to enter more deeply into worship."*

BANDS@BEN'S: FRIDAY, AUGUST 27 @ 6:30PM



RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Kindergarten - Confirmation Registration is taking place after all Masses.

Registration forms can be found on our website at www.stbenedictfalcon.org or in the narthex.

Starting September 12, classes will be held on Sundays, 9:15am-10:15am. The cost is \$45/student with a maximum of \$100/family.

We are still in need of Catechists and Aides. If you are interested, please sign up in the narthex or contact Karen at kpinterpe@stbenedictfalcon.org.

DIVINE MERCY CORNER

Diary of St. Faustina, 877

(August 15, 1934) On the day of the Assumption of the Mother of God, I did not assist at Holy Mass. The woman doctor did not allow me; but I prayed fervently in my cell. After a short time, I saw the Mother of God, unspeakably beautiful. She said to me, "My daughter, what I demand from you is prayer, prayer, and once again prayer, for the world and especially for your country. For nine days receive Holy Communion in atonement and unite yourself closely to the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass. During these nine days you will stand before God as an offering; always and everywhere, at all times and places, day or night, whenever you wake up, pray in the spirit. In spirit, one can always remain in prayer." (325)

ST. BENEDICT PRAYER CHAIN

prayerchain@stbenedictfalcon.org

If you would like to be a prayer warrior, please contact us at the above email.

Mortgage Balance as of July 31, 2021:
\$374,481.06

Tithe for August 15, 2021

Sunday Tithe	\$ 2,416.41
Online Tithe	\$ 3,891.00
Total Tithe	\$ 6,307.41

To sign up for online giving, please go to our parish website at www.stbenedictfalcon.org and click on the WeShare Online Giving picture. Or on our Parish App, tap the "Giving" button and then "Give" with the basket icon and follow the instructions.

YOU'RE
INVITED

THURSDAY,
AUGUST 26
6:30 - 8:30 PM

Youth Ministry Kick-Off

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Join us for a 1/2 hour of
Eucharistic Adoration,
followed by our 1st youth
ministry meeting of the year!

Middle & high schoolers welcome.
CYM@StBenedictFalcon.org



THANK YOU FROM THE K OF C

The Knights of Columbus would like to thank the St. Benedict parishioners for their generosity in making this our best sale year. The sales included 76 boxes of peaches and 28 boxes of pears. This will enable us to donate 50% of our profits or \$388.35 to St. Benedict.

As a reminder, please pick up your fruit on Saturday, August 21, 10:00am-1:00pm at the Ministry Center. We do not have refrigeration space to store any unclaimed boxes of fruit.

LECTOR TRAINING

Would you like to be a lector for Mass? Are you already a lector for Mass? Come to the St. Benedict Lector Training on **August 18 at 7:00pm**. The training will teach you how to prepare for reading at Mass, the proper etiquette for the Sanctuary area, and will provide you with the tools necessary to effectively proclaim our Lord's word to his congregation. RSVP to the office.

RESPECT LIFE

August Respect Life Masses

This month, the Respect Life Masses will be celebrated at the following parishes:

Friday 8/20, 9AM, Our Lady of the Woods, Woodland Park
Friday 8/27, 9AM, St. Joseph, Salida

For more information or to get involved in Respect Life, send an email to RespectLife@stbenedictfalcon.org

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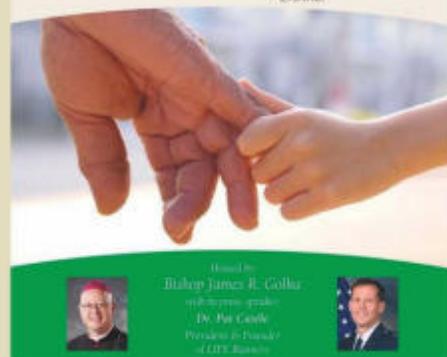
In the Gospels, we hear Jesus refer to his mother Mary as "Woman." This reference should draw our attention to both Genesis and Revelation. But who is this "Woman," and why is she so central to salvation history? This powerful film presents the Catholic teaching about Mary and her important role in the life of the Church today. On this Solemnity of the Assumption, let us ponder Mary's role in our own lives!

August 11, we celebrated St. Clare. On Formed.org watch *Clare and Francis*. With children watch *Saints and Heroes: Francis: Knight of Assisi*.

HOW DO I REGISTER FOR FORMED?

Registering for FORMED is easier than ever: Go to formed.org/signup; enter (parish zip code 80831), then select St. Benedict from the dropdown menu provided. Register with your name and email address; check that email account inbox for a link to begin using FORMED.

The Bishop's 2021
Respect Life
Dinner



Wednesday, October 6, 2021, 6 PM
Tickets: \$65/person, \$600 per table of 10

Tickets for this essential and informative gala go very fast, and very early! Secure yours today by visiting the Diocese website at www.diocs.org.

Contact Ashley at respectlife@stbenedictfalcon.org if you plan to attend and would like to sit with other St Benedict parishioners.

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