

MARCH 23, 2025

Saint Joseph Catholic Parish & School

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Welcome!



3RD SUNDAY OF LENT

Jesus said to them in reply, "Do you think that because these Galileans suffered in this way they were greater sinners than all other Galileans? By no means! But I tell you, if you do not repent, you will all perish as they did!" - Lk 13:2-3

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Mass Times:

Daily Mass: 7:00am
and 12:10pm

Weekend Mass:

Sat. 4:00pm Vigil
Sunday 7:30, 9:30,
11:30am & 5:00pm

Confession:

Mon-Fri 7:30 &
11:00am
Saturday 8:30am

Adoration:

Thur 1:00pm-7:00pm

*Save the
Date
April 6th*



Encounter Night of Hope
5:00pm Mass
Dinner (free!) In Meredith Hall
Adoration, Praise and Worship

LENT 2025

\$40 FOR LENT

The annual lenten campaign, \$40 for Lent is back. Each year, the Knights of Columbus Council 1214 asks for donations to the Larimer County Food Bank. Information available in the vestibules.

EASTER LILIES

Donate an Easter Lily in honor of your loved one. Suggested donation: \$15 per lily visit: bit.ly/2025Flowers

40 DAYS FOR LIFE

40 days for Life is March 5-April 13. The Knights of Columbus Council 1214 has designated Fridays at 4:00pm and Saturdays at 1:00pm to pray at the vigil outside Planned Parenthood on S. Shields Street. Please join us or sign up for a time at 40daysforlife.com/fortcollins.

FRIDAYS DURING LENT

- 5:30pm Soup Supper in Meredith Hall (March 7- March 28)
- 6:30pm Stations of the Cross & Confessions

Knights of Columbus Fish Frys April 4 & 11

- 5:00pm-7:00pm at Knights Hall
- Donations accepted for Pro-Life Charities

Almsgiving/Charity/Donation Ideas For Kids and Teens

- Spend time volunteering as a family
- Allow kids to be the one to place money in the basket during the offertory at Mass
- Introduce children to a charity and explain to them how and why to donate to it
- Have children identify a toy or clothing item they are willing to donate to Goodwill
- Create a jar to collect change to donate
- Donate food to a food bank- See \$40 for lent information in the Vestibules
- Donate a service (free homework tutoring, free professional assistance, etc)
- If you see someone without a smile, give them one of yours.
- Follow new charities on social media and engage with their posts

NOTEWORTHY

BRENDA KRAFT MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

We are proud to present the Brenda Kraft Memorial Scholarship! All graduating High School seniors are eligible to apply, provided their families attend either St. Joseph or Holy Family Parishes. Deadline is June 1st. Scan the QR CODE to apply!



NATURAL FAMILY PLANNING

A three part class series for the sympto-thermal method of Natural Family Planning through the Couple to Couple League will begin March 25th at 6:30pm (follow up class dates 4/29 and 5/27) in person at Our Lady of the Valley Parish in Windsor. This series is for couples in all stages of life - not just engaged couples! Whether you are wanting to avoid or achieve pregnancy, NFP is highly effective and all natural. If you are interested in a class for the postpartum or pre-menopause transitions this can be scheduled as well. Please contact Elizabeth Timpé at etimpé@fertilityu.com or [970.690.5927](tel:970.690.5927) for more information and to register.

WOMEN'S DAY OF FAITH 2025

Mark your calendars for the Women's Day of Faith, scheduled for April 26, 2025, at Our Lady of the Valley Catholic Church in Windsor. The speaker is Sonja Corbitt, and the theme is "Unleashed: How to receive everything the Holy Spirit wants to give you." For more information and tickets contact Annette Leazer, aleazer@gmail.com



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March 25

WHAT IS THE ANNUNCIATION?

The Annunciation of the Lord refers to the angel Gabriel's visit to young Mary to tell her that she would be the mother of Jesus.

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Mary's acceptance of her pregnancy made her the first to believe in Jesus and, thus, the first Christian.

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JUBILEE CORNER

JUBILEE 2025 YEAR OF HOPE- WEEKLY SPOT



Archbishop Samuel J. Aquila has released a new Pastoral Note, Standing with Mary at the Foot of the Cross, marking the beginning of Lent. Released along with the Note is a new icon, commissioned by the Archbishop, entitled Mary at the Foot of the Cross. This Note and icon mark the public launch of a 9-year novena, began last year by Archbishop, as the faithful prepare for the two-thousand-year anniversary of the crucifixion and Jesus' triumph over death. Read more by scanning the QR CODE.

LITURGY

LECTOR TRAINING

The mission of the Lector is to proclaim the Word of God. Lectors bring the living Word of God to the liturgical assembly: the people of God. The Lector does not simply read the text of Sacred Scripture but actually proclaims the Living Word of God. If you are interested in becoming a Lector, mark your calendars for both evenings on March 31 and April 7. Contact Lauren, ljones@stjosephfc.org

EMHC MEETING

There will be a meeting for the Extraordinary Eucharistic Ministers serving nursing homes, hospitals and the homebound on Friday, April 4, from 11:00am-11:45am in Meredith Hall. The purpose of this meeting is to get acquainted with each other, provide contact information, ask questions and have a good time together. If you think God may be calling you to this ministry, please join us for information on how to proceed or email Lauren, ljones@stjosephfc.org

PRAYER INTENTIONS

FOR THOSE WHO ARE SICK:

- Claire Reynolds
- Gustavo Cáceres
- Andrea Bernabey
- Luis A Flores
- Ren Jensen

FOR THOSE WHO HAVE DIED:

- Dan Horner
- Denny Coleman
- Andre Salas
- Jean Ann Baun
- Terry Buettgenbach

ADORATION INTENTION

ADORATION ON THURSDAY, MARCH 27

Today we pray for the Missionaries of Mercy. Lord, Pope Francis has sent certain priests throughout the Church to forgive sins and promote God's mercy. Help them to be holy and effective witnesses of your Divine Mercy.

MASS INTENTIONS

SATURDAY, MAR 22, BVM

8:00AM ~ † James McNeal

4:00PM ~ † Joseph & † Jeanne Brennan

SUNDAY, MAR 23, 3RD SUNDAY OF LENT

7:30AM ~ † Walt Sheahan

9:30AM ~ Ryan Gruver

11:30AM ~ Parishioners of St. Joseph

5:00PM ~ † Abram Burton Stratton Sr.

MONDAY, MAR 24

12:10PM ~ † John T. Sober & † Mary J Sober

TUESDAY, MAR 25, THE ANNUNCIATION (S)

12:10PM ~ † Mary & † Henry Scheopner

WEDNESDAY, MAR 26

12:10PM ~ † Eufracio Quintana

THURSDAY, MAR 27

12:10PM ~ † Harold & † Irene Parr

FRIDAY, MAR 28

12:10PM ~ A.J. Naber

SATURDAY, MAR 29

8:00AM ~ † Ken Larson

4:00PM ~ † Merle, † Shirley & † Ronald Lorenz

SUNDAY, MAR 30, 4TH SUNDAY OF LENT

7:30AM ~ † Larry Seese

9:30AM ~ † William Volesky

11:30AM ~ Judith Rhodes

5:00PM ~ Parishioners of St. Joseph

READINGS FOR THE WEEK OF MARCH 23

Monday: 2 Kgs 5:1-15b/Ps 42:2, 3; 43:3, 4/Lk 4:24-30
Tuesday: Is 7:10-14/Ps 40:7-11/Heb 10:4-10/Lk 1:26-38
Wednesday: Dt 4:1, 5-9/Ps 147:12-20/Mt 5:17-19
Thursday: Jer 7:23-28/Ps 95:1-9/Lk 11:14-23
Friday: Hos 14:2-10/Ps 81:6-17/Mk 12:28-34
Saturday: Hos 6:1-6/Ps 51:3-21/Lk 18:9-14
Sunday: Jos 5:9-12/Ps 34:2-9/2 Cor 5:17-21/Lk 15:1-32
Scrutiny: 1 Sm 16:1-13/Ps 23:1-6/Eph 5:8-14/
Jn 9:1-41 or 9:1, 6-9, 13-17, 34-38

Northern Colorado Catholic Churches Present:

Marriage Matters

Preparing for a Holy Marriage

A Two-Day Retreat for Engaged Couples
St. Joseph's Catholic Church, Fort Collins, CO

APRIL 4 - 5, 2025

Registration Link:

April 4th - 5:00PM - 9:30PM - Meredith Hall

April 5th - 8:00AM - 3:30PM - Knights Hall

Child care will not be provided



Scan the above QR code to register!
Registration closes March 26, 2025.
\$100 Per Couple Reservation Donation