

FEBRUARY 22, 2026

*Saint Joseph Catholic
Parish & School*

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Welcome

SAINT JOSEPH
CATHOLIC PARISH & SCHOOL

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Mass Times:

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

Weekend Mass:

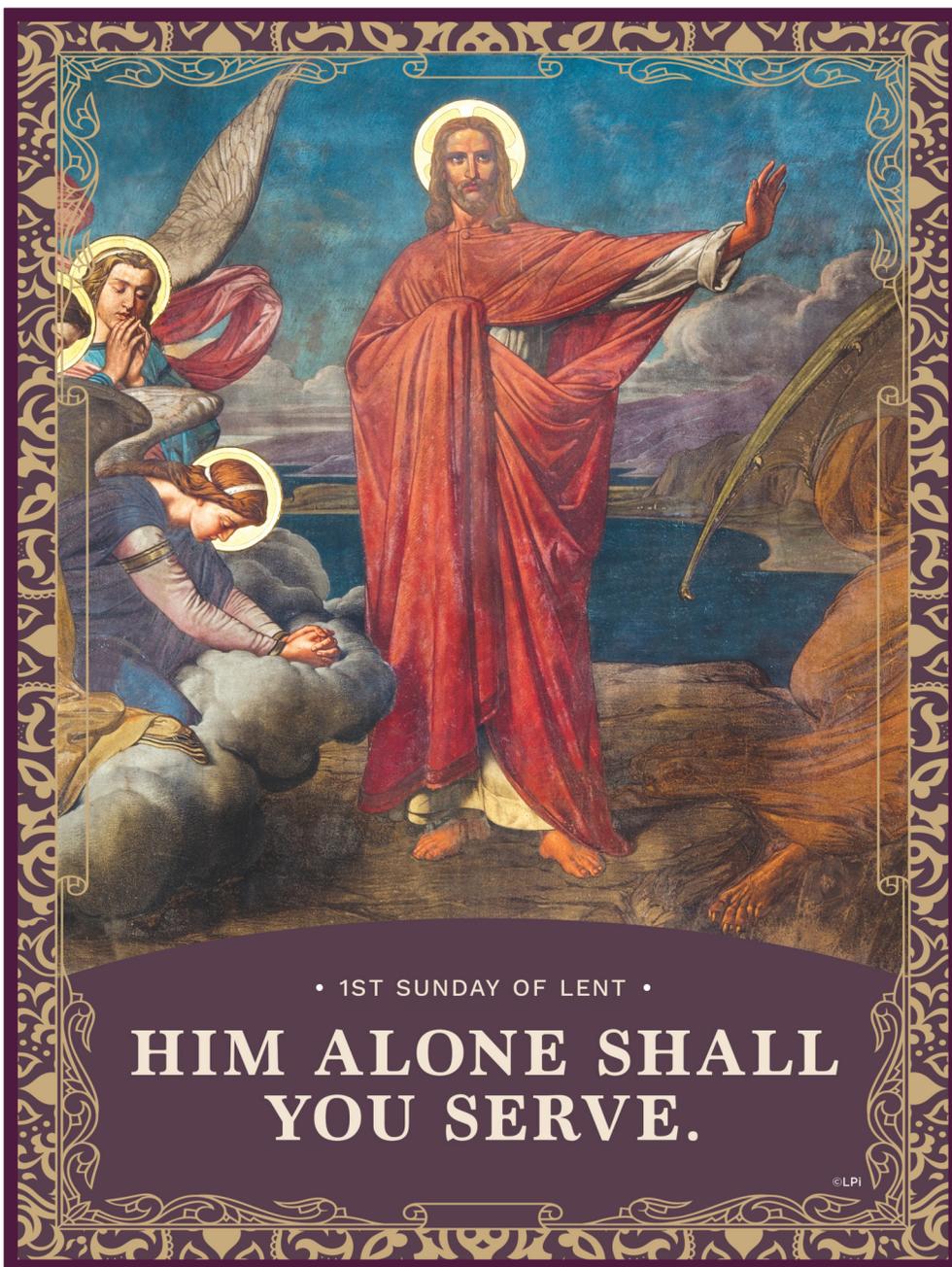
Sat. 4:00pm Vigil
Sunday 7:30, 9:30,
11:30am & 5:00pm

Confession:

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

Adoration:

Thur 1:00pm-7:00pm



• 1ST SUNDAY OF LENT •

**HIM ALONE SHALL
YOU SERVE.**

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Planned Giving is a powerful opportunity to ensure your most sacred values and commitments are part of your lifetime legacy. Your planned gift represents your hope for the future mission of our parish & school. To learn more about leaving our parish & school in your will, please contact our partners at The Catholic Foundation.

Contact: Deacon Steve Stemper, 303-468-9885 www.thecatholicfoundation.com

The
CATHOLIC
FOUNDATION

COMMUNITY

NEXT ARCHBISHOP OF DENVER ANNOUNCED

Pope Leo XIV has accepted the resignation of Archbishop Samuel J. Aquila of Denver and appointed Bishop James Golka, Bishop of the Colorado Springs Diocese, as successor. Archbishop-designate Golka will be installed as the sixth Archbishop of Denver on the Solemnity of the Annunciation, March 25. This sacred liturgy will mark a new chapter in the life of our archdiocese as we welcome our new shepherd. For more information on what happens next, please scan the QR CODE.



23rd Annual

The *Women's* JOURNEY

Our mission is to grow in our Christian spirituality and faith with the support and connection of other women. This women's Lenten retreat is presented by a team of committed lay women and two dynamic Catholic priests. We start Friday evening and conclude Sunday at noon.

March 13 - 15, 2026

YMCA of the Rockies,
Estes Park, Colorado

scan the code to register or go to coloradocatholicretreats.org



LENT

CELEBRATE THE FEAST OF ST. JOSEPH

Join us as we celebrate the feast day of our parish patron, St. Joseph, on Thursday, March 19th at 5:30pm. We will begin with Mass at 5:30pm — this will be the only Mass for the day. After Mass, all are invited to continue the celebration with a parish dinner in Knights Hall. Come honor St. Joseph and share in fellowship with our parish community!

FASTING DURING LENT

As we enter Lent, the Church invites us to deepen our relationship with Christ through prayer, fasting, and almsgiving. Ash Wednesday and Good Friday are obligatory days of fasting and abstinence for all Catholics. Fasting—one full meal and two smaller meals not equal to a full meal—is required for adults ages 18 to 59. Abstinence from meat is required for all Catholics ages 14 and older on Ash Wednesday, Good Friday, and all Fridays during Lent. [uscbb.org] Those with medical conditions, as well as pregnant or nursing mothers, are exempt and encouraged to practice alternative forms of penance.

40 DAYS FOR LIFE

Praying outside Planned Parenthood can feel overwhelming when you're on your own. This Lent, join the Knights of Columbus instead. Come pray with us on Fridays at 4:00pm and Saturdays at 1:00pm from February 18 through March 29. Together, we can share Christ's love with mothers & fathers in need, offer life-affirming resources, and trust in the power of prayer to help save one innocent life at a time.



\$40 FOR LENT

Each Lent, the Knights of Columbus Council 1214 collects monetary donations for the Food Bank of Larimer County. If you are interested in contributing to this campaign, please see the poster in the main vestibule for more details.



Easter Lilies

BUY AN EASTER LILY IN HONOR OF YOUR LOVED ONE.

bit.ly/2026Flowers

Use the link above, stop by or call our Parish Office to order your lilies today.
(970) 482-4148

Welcome Home!

We invite all young adults (18+) to register as parishioners. If you are still registered under your parents, or if you have recently moved here, now is the time to register. If you have moved recently, please also take a moment to update your address with us—several end-of-year statements have been returned due to outdated information.

STJOSEPHFC.ORG/PARISH-REGISTRATION

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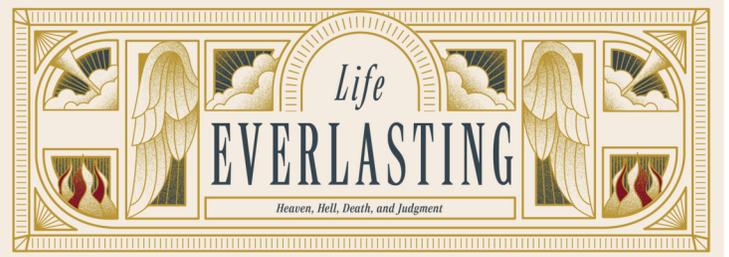
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UPCOMING



In *Life Everlasting: Heaven, Hell, Death, and Judgment*, Catholic scholars Dr. Edward Sri and Dr. Jeffrey Morrow guide you through the Church's teachings on the last things—the great realities that await every human soul.

In five focused sessions, they draw from Scripture, the Catechism, and the wisdom of the Church to show how death, judgment, heaven, and hell are not abstract ideas meant to inspire fear, but profound truths that illuminate how we are called to live here and now. Through engaging video presentations and the companion study book, you and your group will reflect deeply on what it means to live each day in light of eternity. The sessions offer clear teaching, reflection questions, and opportunities for discussion, making it simple for leaders to foster meaningful conversation and prayerful discernment. *Life Everlasting* will help participants see how God's plan for our eternal destiny gives purpose to our struggles, clarity to our decisions, and hope for the future. By the end of this study, you will walk away with a renewed vision of your daily life, strengthened by the promise of eternal life with God.

Dates – Time – Location

Sunday mornings, March 1, 2026 - March 29, 2026

Time: 9:00 a.m. -10:30 a.m.

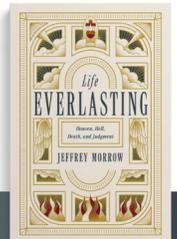
Location: Cavanagh Room (Parish Center) or
Science Room at St. Joseph's School (TBD)

Cost of Study Guide/Registration: \$16.00 or
donation of your choice

For More Information

Contact Ed or Karen Stephens

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ASCENSION

Visit AscensionPress.com/LifeEverlasting for more details.

STEWARDSHIP

OFFERTORY REPORT

AS OF January 31, 2026	MONTH OF JANUARY	YTD JULY-JAN
PARISHSOFT GIVING	\$ 43,519,	\$ 356,868
COLLECTION & MAIL	\$ 51,813	\$ 545,813
MAINTENANCE FUND	\$ 2,409	\$ 20,377
CURRENT YEAR TOTAL	\$ 97,741	\$ 923,058
CURRENT BUDGET	\$ 127,500	\$ 892,500
BUDGET VARIANCE +/-	\$ (29,759)	\$ 30,558

Thank You for Your Financial Sacrifice!

We are deeply grateful for the generosity of our parish family. Your gifts directly support the mission and ministries of our parish, allowing us to serve our community and proclaim the Gospel.

For those who may be considering beginning or continuing their support, please know that any amount makes a meaningful difference, and signing up is simple and secure at bit.ly/giveSTJ. Thank you for sharing your blessings so generously.

SAVE THE DATE

LENTEN MISSION- 3 NIGHT SERIES
NEW LIFE



March 23: Faith
March 24: Hope
March 25: Healing
6:30pm-8:00pm in the Church
Guest Speaker: Deacon Vernon Dobelmann
Where: St. Joseph Catholic Parish



ADORATION INTENTION

ADORATION THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 26

Today we pray for an increase in devotion to the Holy Eucharist. Lord Jesus, you are so humble as to be with us in the tiny, consecrated host! Draw many more people to Eucharistic Adoration where they can receive your grace and your peace.

PRAYER INTENTIONS

FOR THOSE WHO ARE SICK:

- Sarah Tishibola
- Kim Morsett
- Marilyn Kotich
- Carol Suchy
- Dennis Doherty

FOR THOSE WHO HAVE DIED:

- Felicia Darco
- Bruce Trameri
- Glen Geilenkirchen
- Amy Howe
- Scott Oakman

MASS INTENTIONS

SATURDAY, FEB. 21, ST. PETER DAMIAN (OM)

8:00AM ~ Edward and Gloria Pasi
4:00PM~ † Monique Tallman

SUNDAY, FEB. 22; 1ST SUNDAY OF LENT

7:30AM ~ † Adolf & †Sylvia Hansen
9:30AM ~ Parishioners of St. Joseph
11:30AM ~ † Joseph & †Barbara Herman
5:00PM~ Joe Banfield

MONDAY, FEB. 23, ST. POLYCARP (OM)

7:00AM ~ † Stella Koran
12:10PM ~ †Robert Salerno

TUESDAY, FEB. 24

7:00AM ~ † Leo & †Vera Styer
12:10PM ~ † Evelyn & †Anthony Brockler

WEDNESDAY, FEB. 25

7:00AM ~ CELEBRANT'S INTENTIONS
12:10PM ~ CELEBRANT'S INTENTIONS

THURSDAY, FEB. 26

7:00AM ~ † Ron Styer
12:10PM ~ † Robert Salerno

FRIDAY, FEB. 27, ST. GREGORY (OM)

7:00AM ~ † For the Souls in Purgatory
12:10PM ~ † Brenda Kraft

SATURDAY, FEB. 28

8:00AM ~ † George John Kodidek
4:00PM~ † David Barela

SUNDAY, MARCH 1; 2ND SUNDAY OF LENT

7:30AM ~ † Vila Beam
9:30AM ~ † Harry Osterhoudt
11:30AM ~ Parishioners of St. Joseph
5:00PM~ † Deceased Members of the †Antonio & †Lucy Rosales Family

READINGS FOR THE WEEK OF FEB. 22ND

Monday: Lv 19:1-18/Ps 19:8-15/Mt 25:31-46
Tuesday: Is 55:10-11/Ps 34:4-19/Mt 6:7-15
Wednesday: Jon 3:1-10/Ps 51:3-19/Lk 11:29-32
Thursday: Est C:12-25/Ps 138:1-8/Mt 7:7-12
Friday: Ez 18:21-28/Ps 130:1-8/Mt 5:20-26
Saturday: Dt 26:16-19/Ps 119:1-8/Mt 5:43-48
Sunday:Gn 12:1-4/Ps33:4-22/2 Tm 1:8-10/
Mt 17:1-9

Fridays During Lent

stjosephfc.org/Lent



SOUP SUPPER

FEBRUARY 27
MARCH 6 & 13
5:30PM-6:30PM
MEREDITH HALL

**Confessions &
Stations of the Cross
6:30pm**

FRIDAY FISH FRY

MARCH 20 & 27
5:00PM-7:00PM
KNIGHT'S HALL

