

OCTOBER 4, 2026

Saint Joseph Catholic Parish & School

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Welcome



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Mass Times:

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

Weekend Mass:

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

Confession:

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

Adoration:

Thursday 1:00pm-7:00pm



27TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



"The stone that the builders rejected has become
the cornerstone." - Mt 21:42ab

Excerpts from the Lectionary for Mass ©2001, 1998, 1970 CCD.

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OCTOBER 4TH
Today!



BLESSING OF THE ANIMALS

Sunday, October 4th
After the 11:30am Mass
101 N. Howes St.



PARISH

LECTOR TRAINING

Are you interested in proclaiming the Living Word of God during Mass? Join us for our fall training sessions. Training consists of: Pre-class reading: Lector's Guide booklet. In-Person Sessions:

Monday, October 5th 5:30pm-7:30pm &

Monday, October 12th 5:30pm-7:30pm

To sign up, please contact: Jeanette Coleman
jcoleman@stjosephfc.org If you have previous Lector experience, please let Jeanette know.

ADULT FAITH FORMATION CLASS

Virtue? What do I remember about Virtues?

Join us once again as we begin a new study on the Cardinal Virtues! Tuesday evenings in Meredith Hall
6:30 - 8:00pm

SACK LUNCHES FOR THE HOMELESS

The Sack Lunch Ministry will meet on the second Saturday, October 10th at 9:00am in Meredith Hall. We are need of peanut butter, jelly, sandwich baggies, chips, water and brown paper sacks. Please note: we will not be meeting on October 24th.

NO GREATER LOVE MARRIAGE RETREAT

Last Chance to Sign up!

Saturday, October 10, 2026 8:30am- 3:30pm at St. John the Evangelist in Loveland, CO.

With Jordan Landgon, CEO of Families of Character. Marriage Reset- A Time to Reconnect, Reconcile and Renew.

Mass and Confessions will be available. Register: saintjohns.us/marriageretreat Contact Deacon Denny Wallisch, denwallisch@comcast.net

NOTEWORTHY

SEPT 23 - NOV 1

40 DAYS FOR LIFE

PRAY OUTSIDE PLANNED PARENTHOOD
WITH THE KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS



FRIDAYS AT 4:00PM
SATURDAYS AT 1:00PM

WHERE HAVE ALL THE WINDOWS GONE?

Upon returning to the church, the space may feel very different, but please know our windows are in excellent hands. We are hopeful they will return by late spring.

In the meantime, we're excited to be working on a special project to share the history and beauty of these beloved windows while they are away. Thank you for walking this journey with us. God bless!

YOUNG AT HEART 55+



Join us! We meet on the second Saturday each month after the 4:00pm Mass.

5:00pm-8:00pm Food and Fun!

Location: Meredith Hall

COFFEE AND DONUTS

Do you love our Coffee and Donuts Ministry?

Then we need you! We are looking for volunteers to help after the 9:30am Mass.

Contact Sue, sshortridge@stjosephfc.org



ST. JP II VOCATIONS MONSTRANCE

On November 24, 2004, Saint Pope John Paul II blessed six special monstrances to be used throughout the Year of the Eucharist (2005-2006) as a means of praying for an increase in vocations to ordained ministry and consecrated life.

These six monstrances were designated for Eucharistic Adoration for Vocations on each major continent and geographical region of the world, symbolizing the profound connection between the Eucharist and priestly and religious vocations. The regions entrusted with these monstrances are North America, Latin America, Europe, Asia, Africa, and the Pacific (*excerpt from USCCB.org*).

We are blessed to welcome the North American Monstrance to St. Joseph Catholic Parish on Saturday, October 10th. Adoration for Vocations will be held from 8:30 a.m. to 10:30 a.m., providing an opportunity for the faithful to pray before the Blessed Sacrament for an increase in vocations to the priesthood, diaconate, and consecrated religious life.



THE WORKS HIGH SCHOOL GROUP &

CANS AROUND THE OVAL

Bring your canned goods to Mass and place them in bright boxes! All donations go directly to the Food Bank for Larimer County.

Now- Oct 14th



Donate here

Your donation will be made on behalf of The Works



CONFRATERNITY OF
CHRISTIAN MOTHERS



WOMEN'S *Advent* RETREAT



"Women of the Bible"

Presented by Rev. Ryan O'Neill



DECEMBER 5, 2026

8:30 am - 1:00 pm

Check in 8 am

St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Catholic Church



\$35

EARLY BIRD PRICE
THRU OCT 31

\$45

REGISTRATION DEADLINE
NOV 23



REGISTER
TODAY!



MASS



BREAKFAST

WHAT TO ENJOY



PRESENTATION



ADORATION



CONFRATERNITY
ENROLLMENT



**St. John Paul II
HIGH SCHOOL**

GOLF TOURNAMENT

TO SUPPORT ST. JOHN PAUL II CATHOLIC HIGH SCHOOL IN LOVELAND.

 TOURNAMENT DETAILS  October 10th  Tee Off: 9:00 AM  Mariana Butte Golf Course 701 Clubhouse Dr. Loveland, CO 80537	 SPONSORSHIP OPPORTUNITIES  PLATINUM SPONSOR \$2,500  GOLD SPONSOR \$1,500  SILVER SPONSOR \$1,000  DRINK SPONSOR \$500  HOLE SPONSOR \$250
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 **PLAY IN THE TOURNAMENT**
\$800 per team
(\$200 per individual)

 **QUESTIONS & REGISTRATION**
For sponsorships, participation,
or any other questions:

 **Megan Leyba**
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JPII HIGH SCHOOL

Northern Colorado's only Catholic high school, St. John Paul II High School, has moved into a newly renovated building in Loveland! Join them for a Community Information Night on October 12th from 6:00–7:30 p.m. to tour the new campus and discover what makes a Catholic, classical education a wonderful fit for any high school student. Come learn how JPIIHS combines faith, reason, virtue, and rigorous academics to form students who pursue truth, goodness, and beauty. Visit jp2hs.com for details!

ADORATION INTENTION

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 8

Today we pray for the Secular Order of Carmelites. Father, through the intercession of St. Therese of the Child Jesus, grant to our local Carmelites an ever-deepening spirituality. May they become powerful witnesses in a secular world.

PRAYER INTENTIONS

FOR THOSE WHO ARE SICK:

- Nicholas Rael
- Vanita Hawkins
- Colt Starr
- Dennis Gallegos

FOR THOSE WHO HAVE DIED:

- Carroll Smith
- Rachel Castaneda
- Alex Bochnowski
- Lorraine Hunke

MASS INTENTIONS

SATURDAY, OCT. 3, BVM

8:00AM~ † Joyce Murphy

4:00PM ~ The Klein, Lee and Fitzgerald Families

SUNDAY, OCT. 4, 27TH SUNDAY ORD.

7:30AM ~ † Dennis Bylina

9:30AM (Incense) ~ † Kathy Martinolich

11:30AM~ † Joseph & † Barbara Herman

5:00PM ~ Parishioners of St. Joseph

MONDAY, OCT. 5, ST. FAUSTINA (OM)

7:00AM~ † Art McKay

12:10PM~ Thomas Kloberdanz

TUESDAY, OCT 6, ST. BRUNO (OM)

7:00AM~ † Lisa Schofield

12:10PM~ Tessa & Jake Harvey

WEDNESDAY, OCT. 7, OUR LADY OF THE ROSARY (M)

7:00AM~ † Merle Fenicle

12:10PM~ Ben and Lauren Hokamp

THURSDAY, OCT. 8

7:00AM~ Jacob Pfaffinger

12:10PM~ † Jan Jenkins

FRIDAY, OCT. 9, ST. DENIS (OM)

7:00AM~ † Richard Hirn

12:10PM~ Kristin Martin

SATURDAY, OCT. 10, BVM

8:00AM~ † The Deceased Residents of the Silver Hair and Good Shepherd Senior Board and Care Homes

4:00PM ~ Parishioners of St. Joseph

SUNDAY, OCT. 11, 28TH SUNDAY ORD.

7:30AM ~ † J.F. Stephens

9:30AM (Incense) ~ Sandra Sanchez

11:30AM~ † Laura Graves

5:00PM ~ Jeremy & Cecilia White

READINGS FOR THE WEEK OF OCT 4

Monday: Gal 1:6-12/Ps 111:1-10/Lk 10:25-37

Tuesday: Gal 1:13-24/Ps 139:1-15/Lk 10:38-42

Wednesday: Gal 2:1-14/Ps 117:1-2/Lk 11:1-4

Thursday: Gal 3:1-5/Lk 1:69-75/Lk 11:5-13

Friday: Gal 3:7-14/Ps 111:1-6/Lk 11:15-26

Saturday: Gal 3:22-29/Ps 105:2-7/Lk 11:27-28

Sunday: Is 25:6-10a/Ps 23:1-6/Phil 4:12-20/Mt 22:1-14



The Bible Timeline

The Story of Salvation

JOIN US

Adult Faith Formation Dates - Time - Location

Sunday Mornings
9:00am-10:30am

October 18, 2026-
April 24, 2027 (24 sessions)

Location:
Knight's Hall
121 N. Meldrum St

For More Information

Contact:
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In the newly refilmed Bible Timeline: The Story of Salvation, author Jeff Cavins, alongside many other trusted Catholic presenters, will show you how fourteen of the Bible's narrative books tell the biblical story, from Genesis to Revelation.



The new version of The Bible Timeline offers fresh, practical tools to help you read and understand the Bible and introduces you to its powerful narrative in a way that will transform your life.

“ I never would have read the Bible if it weren't for this, and now I simply adore Scripture. It has given me such insight into the Catholic Faith and helps me to understand its true beauty. ”

-Kyley D.



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