

SEPTEMBER 27, 2026

Saint Joseph Catholic Parish & School

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Welcome



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Mass Times:

Daily Mass: 12:10pm
Knight's Hall (KH)

Weekend Mass:

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

Confession:

Mon-Fri 11:00am (KH)
Saturday 8:30am (Gym)

**Adoration: Cancelled
October 1**



26TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

"Amen, I say to you, tax collectors and prostitutes are
entering the kingdom of God before you." - Mt 21:31

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



TODAY IS PRIESTHOOD SUNDAY!



NOTEWORTHY

STAINED GLASS WINDOW PROJECT

Important Update!

Thank you for your patience and understanding as work continues on our stained glass window restoration project. Since the project began on September 14, our restoration team has been carefully working to remove the windows with great success.

As often happens with projects of this nature, the timeline has shifted a bit. The team has let us know they will need additional time to safely remove the windows, with work now expected to continue for a third week. This means we will be celebrating another week of Masses in the Knight's Hall.

We know these temporary changes can be an adjustment, and we are truly grateful for your flexibility and good spirits. While construction projects rarely follow a perfectly straight path, every extra step helps ensure the work is done correctly and with the care our beautiful church deserves.

Thank you for journeying with us through this process. Your patience, support, and understanding mean so much, and we look forward to sharing more updates as progress continues. God bless you!



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



PARISH

WEDDING ANNOUNCEMENT

We joyfully congratulate Ryan Kessler and Megan Rink, who were united in the Sacrament of Holy Matrimony at Saint Joseph Parish on Friday, August 28, 2026. May God bless their marriage with abundant grace, lasting love, and faithfulness as they begin their new life together in Christ.



WOMEN'S GROUP

Beginning Sept 28th, we meet on the fourth Monday of each month from 6:00pm-8:00pm in Meredith Hall.

Email Janet: mommamahoney@gmail.com

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

THANK YOU FROM HOLY FAMILY

Holy Family Parish extends its heartfelt thanks to everyone who supported our 2026 Fiesta and participated in this year's raffle. Your generosity, enthusiasm, and willingness to spread the word helped make this event a tremendous success.

Thanks to the incredible support of our parish communities and friends, the raffle raised more than \$123,000. We are deeply grateful for your generosity and commitment to the mission of Holy Family Parish. We are also pleased to share that the raffle drawing has been completed, and all raffle winners have been notified. Thank you once again to everyone who participated and helped make this year's Fiesta such a memorable and successful celebration.

NO GREATER LOVE MARRIAGE RETREAT

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. Register: saintjohns.us/marriageretreat Contact

Deacon Denny Wallisch, denwallisch@comcast.net

Protect Children from Sex Trafficking

✓ YES ON 133

Paid for by Protect Kids Colorado-Issue Committee. Registered Agent Patricia McKernan.

Protect Girls' Sports!

✓ YES ON 134

Paid for by Protect Kids Colorado-Issue Committee. Registered Agent Patricia McKernan.

Protect Children from Irreversible Sex-Change Surgery!

✓ YES ON 135

Paid for by Protect Kids Colorado-Issue Committee. Registered Agent Patricia McKernan.

STAFF

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STEWARDSHIP

THANK YOU FOR YOUR FINANCIAL SACRIFICE!

OFFERTORY REPORT

AS OF
August 31, 2026

MONTH OF
AUGUST

YTD
JULY-AUG

PARISHSOFT GIVING	\$ 54,520	\$ 102,274
COLLECTION & MAIL	\$ 71,002	\$ 157,267
MAINTENANCE FUND	\$ 2,589	\$ 5,043
CURRENT YEAR TOTAL	\$ 128,111	\$ 264,584
CURRENT BUDGET	\$ 127,500	\$ 255,000
BUDGET VARIANCE +/-	\$ 611	\$ 9,584

We extend our heartfelt gratitude to all of our parishioners for your faithful financial sacrifice and stewardship. Through your generosity, commitment, and trust in God's providence, our parish remains financially healthy and blessed to be operating in the black. Your weekly offerings support the ministries, programs, worship, maintenance, and outreach efforts that make our parish a vibrant community of faith. Every gift, no matter the size, is a meaningful contribution to the mission of our Church. Because of your continued support, we are able to meet our financial obligations while continuing to serve our parish family and the wider community. Thank you for sharing your blessings and helping us grow in faith together. May God reward your generosity abundantly and continue to bless you and your families. "Each one must give as he has decided in his heart, not reluctantly or under compulsion, for God loves a cheerful giver." (2 Corinthians 9:7) Thank you for being such faithful stewards of God's gifts.

NO ADORATION OCT. 1

READINGS FOR THE WEEK OF SEPT 27

Monday: Jb 1:6-22/Ps 17:1-7/Lk 9:46-50
Tuesday: Dn 7:9-14 or Rv 12:7-12/Ps 138:1-5/Jn 1:47-51
Wednesday: Jb 9:1-16/Ps 88:10-15/Lk 9:57-62
Thursday: Jb 19:21-27/Ps 27:7-14/Lk 10:1-12
Friday: Jb 38:1-21; 40:3-5/Ps 139:1-14/Mt 18:1-5, 10
Saturday: Jb 42:1-17/Ps 119:66-130/Lk 10:17-24
Sunday: Is 5:1-7/Ps 80:9-20/Phil 4:6-9/Mt 21:33-43

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, SEPT. 26, STS. COSMAS & DAMIAN (OM)

8:00AM~ † Joseph Forzani

4:00PM ~ The Lamb Family

SUNDAY, SEPT. 27, 26TH SUNDAY ORD.

7:30AM ~ † Jerry Gallegos

9:30AM (Incense) ~ † Mary Scheopner

11:30AM~ Parishioners of St. Joseph

5:00PM ~ †Terry Buffington & †Aaron Trujillo

MONDAY, SEPT. 28

KH: 12:10PM~ Andy and Kate Mitchell

TUESDAY, SEPT. 29 ARCHANGELS (F)

KH: 12:10PM~ † Living and Deceased Members of the O'Hotto family

WEDNESDAY, SEPT. 30, ST. JEROME (M)

KH: 12:10PM~ Leslie Daniel

THURSDAY, OCT. 1, ST. THERESE (M)

KH: 12:10PM~ † Gloria and Rocco Stevi

FRIDAY, OCT. 2, GUARDIAN ANGELS (M)

KH: 12:10PM~ James Mitchell

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



TODAY IS PRIESTHOOD SUNDAY

Priesthood Sunday is a special day set aside to honor the priesthood and reflect upon the vital role priests play in the life of the Church. This nationwide celebration is coordinated and sponsored by the USA Council of Serra International. We invite you to pray for our priests, pray for vocations, and take a moment to thank our priests for their faithful service.

As part of this observance, the Serra Club encourages you to write a note, letter, or card to FB and Father Jason to offer encouragement, express your gratitude, and assure them of your prayers. Baskets for your cards will be available this weekend. Let us take this opportunity to support and uplift our priests!

