



Cathedral of the Sacred Heart

Mission Statement: Baptized into the Body of Christ and inspired by the Word of God; we the Parish of the Cathedral of the Sacred Heart are called to ongoing growth in our identity as Eucharistic people and our mission of spreading God's Reign of Love by our words and actions

The Ascension **OF THE LORD**

But they went forth and preached everywhere, while the Lord worked with them and confirmed the word through accompanying signs. - Mk 16: 20

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Seventh Sunday of Easter May 13, 2018

Eucharistic Liturgies

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Saturday (Anticipatory Mass): 4:00pm

Sunday: 8:00am, 10:15am and 12:00 Noon

Holy Days of Obligation: 12:00 Noon and 5:30pm

Reconciliation (Confession): 2:30-3:30pm every Saturday

Holy Hour: First Friday of every month at 11:00am

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(closed from 12-1pm for lunch)

Anointing of the Sick: Call the Parish Office in the event of illness or anticipated hospitalization.

Hospital Visitation: Due to Federal Regulations, our hospitals can no longer supply names or other information about patients. Therefore, patients and family members must notify the parish if pastoral visits are requested. Both Parkview Medical Center and St. Mary Corwin Hospital have priest chaplains and other pastoral staff personnel.

Baptism: Preparation sessions for Parents and Godparents are held four times a year. Please contact the Parish Office concerning preparation sessions and celebration dates for the sacrament of baptism.

Marriage: Engaged couples are invited to call the parish office to make arrangements at least nine months in advance. Persons wishing to have their marriages blessed (validated) should call the office for further details.

Letters of Recommendation are issued to persons who are registered and active members of our Parish.

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Mass Intentions of the Week

Monday, May 14, Saint Matthias, Apostle

12:00 Noon: Communion Service

Tuesday, May 15, Easter Weekday, Saint Isidore

12:00 Noon: +Stephanie Garcia
by Stan Sanchez & Family

Wednesday, May 16, Easter Weekday

12:00 Noon: +Priscilla Smith
by Tony & Donna Verderaime
+ Esther Pena by Mary & Jay Tonne

Thursday, May 17, Easter Weekday

10:00am: Fr. Bacino's Funeral

12:00 Noon: No Mass

Friday, May 18, Easter Weekday, saint John I, Pope and Martyr

12:00 Noon: + Lou & Camilla Medina by Rael Fam.

Saturday, May 19, Easter Weekday (Vigil: Pentecost Sunday)

4:00pm: + Molly Llewellyn by Ken & Carol
Joy & Kevin Kubie on their anniversary
By Kevin & Joy
+Nellie Greenhalgh by Keith & Margie

Sunday, May 20, Pentecost Sunday

8:00am: Cathedral Parishioners

10:15am: +Alfonso & Consuelo Trujillo
by Bernadette & Families

12:00 N: +Jesse Collins
by Loretta & Andy Hernandez

Today, Sunday, May 13 (Happy Mother's Day)

◆ *Digging Deeper* 9-10am

Monday, May 14

◆ *LOM* at 9:00am

Tuesday, May 15

◆ *Digging Deeper* 6:30-7:30pm

Wednesday, May 16

◆ *Cantor practices* 5:30/bells at 6:15pm

◆ *Bible Study* 6:30-7:30

◆ *Women's Bible Study "David"* at 6:00pm

Friday, May 18

◆ *Contemplative Prayer* 11:45am -1:30 pm

◆ *Sexton/ Shumaker rehearsal* @ 4pm

Saturday, May 19

◆ *Sexton/ Shumaker Wedding* at 1pm

◆ *Reconciliation* 2:30-3:30pm

Sunday, May 20

◆ *Coffee & Donuts after the 8& 10:15am Masses*

◆ *Digging Deeper* 9-10am

◆ *Adult Confirmation* 2pm

A Mother's Love

" Our Gift to God" for May 5/6:

Envelopes:	\$ 9,304.00
Loose:	\$ 1,701.00
Total:	\$ 11,005.00
Church Building Repair:	\$ 801.00
Flowers:	\$ 20.00

Help needed to clean the Church every Friday after the 12N Mass. Your help is always appreciated!!

Cooperative Care is in need of cereal, fruit snacks, Mac & Cheese, crackers and canned fruit for the month of May. You can place your donated items in the basket in the pavilion. Thank you for your generosity .

Congratulations to the \$ 100.00 Raffle Winners for the first week of the drawing:

Steve Hiza, Josie Hance, Chloe Masson, Joni & Mike, & Jonathon Jacobs!! Second week winners: Rita Sims, Frank & Joyce Michelli, David Garcia, Linda Andersen, & George Trujillo

Congratulations to our winner of the \$250.00– Rose Fatt

FLOWERS FOR MOM! Remember your mom or loved one on Mother's Day and throughout the month of May and help out the DMF in meeting the assessment. Thank you for all you do for the Cathedral.

Ideas for celebrating Mother's Day from Catholic Moms: Eat (Brunch, BBQ, picnic, Ice Cream) Family Movie Night; create a mini spa day at home for Mom. For more ideas and info go to <http://catholicmom.com/2018/05/07/what-to-do-for-mothers-day>

JUST 5 Mission Fundraiser –Rose Petal Rosaries!! One of our parishioners, Marie, lovingly & prayerfully makes beautiful rosaries for rose petals! These handmade works of art have been blessed and will available after all Masses the weekend of May 19-20th . They will be available for a \$50.00 donation to help fund our Middle School mission trip to San Luis which is occurring this June.

Look into doing a Pilgrimage this summer? How about Medjugorie June 5-13, 2018 for more information call Barbara Moulds at 719-852-2807 for more information. If a summer pilgrimage doesn't work how about an autumn one, with Msgr. Jim & Sister Andrea for a once in a life time pilgrimage to Spain & France October 1-9, 2018. For more information call Sister Andrea at 719-564-5633.

We ask your prayers for parish families & friends. Ernest, Allen, Lilia, Nora, Louie, Lenny, Gina, Gary, Antoinette, Mary, Bernadette, Melissa, Mary, Melody, Cathy, Greg Sr, Greg V. III, Jerry, Mark, Sylvia, Abraham, Ethyl, Odelia, Richard, Jennie, Celestino, Angelica, Eloy, Anita, Joy C, Betty, Emily, Kenia, John, Solidad, Maria, Irene, Jennifer, Rachel, Alex, Cordy, Adella, Whitney, Faith, Armando, Lynda, Natalie, Tony, Eloisa, Stephen, Henry, Ricky, Xavier, Kathy Bolte, Mike, Amaria, Barbara, Dave, Patricia, Deana, Mary K., Toni, Joel Rivera, Olivia, Dave, Deana, Rosie, Edith, Joel, Carol, Ken, Michael, Murph, Chris, Ariana, and Joshua and family, Sharon, Viola, Jose, Virginia, and all those we have in our hearts.

Lifelong Faith Formation News

“I will not leave you orphaned....” is the promise Jesus makes to His disciples throughout the ages! ‘The 7-fold Gift and the 12 Fruits of the Holy Spirit’ in our lives is evidence that the Word of God keeps His Word! Alleluia!! From the day that the Holy Spirit strengthened the faith of the first disciples on “Pentecost” until the day God’s plan will be fulfilled, She strengthens the faithful for mission; and not just any mission, but for the responsibility of continuing the mission and ministry of Jesus in the world! That is what it means to be a Christ-bearer’ or Christian. For us as Catholic Christians, Confirmation may be considered our personal Pentecost when those Gifts are tailor-made to complete the part of God’s plan entrusted to each of us by name. This Pentecost, God will be giving and the Confirmation candidates will be receiving the Gift of the Holy Spirit. Our candidates are: Michelle Cancino, Josh Cooley, Pamela Garcia, Brianda Galvan-Garcia, Juan Lerma, Anthony and Valerie Rivera, Rachel Sais, and Annette Sanchez.

Calling all parents, parish volunteers and staff who work with children and youth....news about our Safe Environment training....The Diocese has selected CMG Connect to replace Shield the Vulnerable training and Circle of Grace to Replace Good Touch, Bad Touch. All Diocesan staff and volunteers are required to complete the new training available at <https://pueblo.cmgconnect.org> Please go to the site and complete your training soon. Also being offered is a live training session related to the Circle of Grace program. It is being offered at St. Pius X Parish Hall on May 17. Two sessions are being offered. Folks were asked to rsvp to jdeyoung@dioceseofpueblo.org by May 11th. If you didn’t get signed up, information from this session will be made available in the near future. Stay tuned.

Adult Formation Information

Our Wednesday evening Bible studies are coming to a close. Our women’s study of David’s life in Samuel will end this Wednesday, May 16. Thanks you Lorretta McMahon and Joan McDonald for facilitating these sessions for us! Fr. Jim’s last session is scheduled for the end of May. Our Digging Deeper teams will be taking a few weeks off and then opening up their in-service experiences to the larger community. We will be advertising our efforts in a few weeks. The Light Within – contemplative prayer group will continue to meet over the summer.

Faith Formation happens all the time and in many ways; in gathered setting with other adults in the parish, to small faith sharing groups in home, discussions, personal study and use on online resources. Check out the videos at the links provided. <https://www.wordonfire.org> and <http://ascensionpresents.com> Or check out the social media options (Facebook, Twitter, Instagram etc.)

A Poem for Mothers from our Rector

This is an ancient Mother’s Day poem. A Little Parable for Mothers.

The young mother set her foot on the path of life. “Is the way long?” she asked. And her Guide said:” “Yes. And the way is hard. And you will be old before you reach the end of it. But the end will be better than the beginning.” But the young mother was happy, and she would not believe that anything could be better than these years. So she played with her children, and gathered flowers for them along the way, and bathed with them in the clear streams. Life was good and the young mother cried: “Nothing will ever be lovelier than this.”

Then night came and storm and the path was dark and the children shook with fear and cold and the mother drew them close and covered them with her mantle, and the children said: “Mother, we are not afraid for you are near, and no harm can come.” And the mother said: “This is better than the brightness of day, for I have taught my children courage.”

And the morning came, and there was a hill, and the children climbed and grew weary, and mother was weary, but at all times she said to the children: “A little patience, and we are there.” And they climbed and they reached the top, and the children said: “We could not have done it without you, Mother.” And the mother, when she lay down that night, she looked at the stars and said: “This is a better day than yesterday, for my children have learned fortitude. Yesterday, I gave them courage, today, I gave them strength.”

On the next day strange clouds came over the earth, clouds of war and hate and evil, and the children stumbled, and the mother said: “Look up. Lift your eyes to the light.” And the children looked and saw above the clouds an Everlasting Glory, and it guided them and brought them beyond the darkness. And the mother said: “This is the best day of all for I have shown my children God.”

The days went on, and weeks and months and years, and the mother grew old and she was little and bent. But her children were tall and strong, and walked with courage. And when the way was hard, they helped their mother; and when the way was rough, they lifted her, for she was light as a feather now; and at last they came to a hill, and beyond the hill they could see a shining road and golden gates flung wide.

And the mother said: “I have reached the end of my journey. And now I know that the end is better than the beginning, for my children can walk alone, and their children after them.” And the children said: “You will always walk with us, Mother, even when you have gone through the gates.”

And they stood and watched her as she went on alone, and the gates closed after her. And the children said: “We cannot see her, but she is with us still. A Mother like ours is more than a memory. She is a living Presence.”

For all our moms. Happy Mother’s Day.