



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.

11TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

GROWTH

"To what shall we compare the kingdom of God? It is like a mustard seed ... once it is sown, it springs up and becomes the largest of plants." - Mk 4:30a, 31a, 32



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Eleventh Sunday in Ordinary Time June 17, 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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Office Hours : Monday –Friday 9am-4pm

(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

Sunday, June 17, Tenth Sunday in Ordinary Time (Father's Day)

8:00am: +Johnny Emory by Sandy Martin
+John B. Quintana & +Delbert R. Quintana
By Family

10:15am: Cathedral Parishioners

12:00N: +Jorge Mora III by Jorge & Gloria Mora
+ Andy Valdez by Betty Estrada

Monday, June 18, Weekday

12:00 Noon: Communion Service

Tuesday, June 19, Weekday, Saint Romuald, Abbot

12:00 Noon: The Skelton & Romero Families
by Sherry & Julian.

Wednesday, June 20, Weekday

12:00 Noon: +Delbert R. Quintana by Julie and Boys

Thursday, June 21, St. Aloysius Gonzaga, Religious

12:00 Noon: +Mary Ida Vigil by Ernie Archuleta

Friday, June 22, Weekday, Saint Paulinus of Nola, Bishop; Saint John Fisher, Bishop, and Thomas More, Martyrs

12:00 Noon: +Jean Hiza by David & Mary Lee Lobato

Saturday, June 23, Weekday (Vigil: The Nativity of Saint John the Baptist)

4:00pm: For Deceased members of the Rivera &
Rodriguez Families by George & Kathryn

+Jessie Collins by Judy & Ernie Madrid

Sunday, June 24, The Nativity of St. John the Baptist

8:00am: +Johnny Emory by Sandy Martin

10:15am: +Anne Andrade & +Lee Andrade
By Larry & Phyllis Rodriguez

12:00N: Cathedral Parishioners

Sunday, June 17 (Father's Day)

◆ Digging Deeper 9am-10am

Monday, June 18

◆ LOM at 9:00am

God our Father, We give you thanks and praise for fathers young and old.

We pray for young fathers, newly embracing their vocation; May they find courage and perseverance to balance work, family and faith in joy and sacrifice.

We pray for our own Fathers around the world whose children are lost or suffering; May they know that the God of compassion walks with them in their sorrow.

We pray for men who are not fathers but still mentor and guide us with fatherly love and advice.

We remember fathers, grandfather, and great grandfathers who are no longer with us but who live forever in our memory and nourish us with their love. Amen.

"Our Gift to God" for June 9/10

Envelopes: \$ 4,243.75

Loose: \$ 1,379.00

Total: \$ 5,622.75

Church Prop. Ins: \$ 598.00

Tie for Dads: DMF will be doing our "Tie for Dads" to honor their fathers (living or deceased) on Father's Day. This is a special way to honor our fathers and also help us reach our DMF goal.

Anyone interested in taking home the traveling statue of the "Blessed Mother" please call Barb Francis at 225-8226.

Help wanted- on Friday's after Mass to help clean the church; any little bit of time given is much appreciated! Thank you.

Thank you to all those who helped with the bake goods for the CCCW Bake Sale this past weekend!! We appreciate all you do!

Cooperative Care is in need of cereal and canned fruit for the month of June. 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 sixth week of the drawing: Phillip Cullen, David Robb, The Kubies, Vince Albo, & Celestino Martinez.

Congratulations to the \$100.00 for the final week of the drawing: Bob Manguso, Josie Hance, Kamryn Jacobs, Irene Garcia, & Anita Gomez. Congratulations to the winner of the \$500.00 final drawing: Jim Sisneros.

Upcoming Summer Events throughout the Diocese:

- **June 17– St. Anthony Festival Celebration at St. Michael Parish in Canon City, from 9:00am-2:00pm.**
- **June 23– 24; Avondale Sacred Heart Jamaica-Festival** 5:00pm-11:30pm on Saturday and starting with Mass at 10:45am Sunday until 11:00pm that evening.
- **Msgr. Jim's Rafting Adventure** for servers and those who are interested set for June 24, 2018. Please sign up on the sheet in the pavilion.
- **PRIEST SOFTBALL GAME in Colorado Friday July 13,** tickets only \$10. We have over 20 priests playing In Catholic Radio's first game at SkySox Security field. Plan a night out with family and/or friends. See details here www.priestsoftballgame.org. Buy tickets for a group and go together. FUN, FAMILIES & VOCATIONS!

Autumn Pilgrimage with Msgr. Jim & Sister Andrea. For a once in a life time pilgrimage to Spain, France & Portugal October 1-12, 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 B., 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, Sharon, Viola, Jose & Tina, Virginia, Rose M. and Tim M., Jess, Sara, Juanita, Laura & Brian Daugherty & all those we have in our hearts.

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Lifelong Faith Formation News

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Prepare to be even more amazed by our awesome God! Join in discussing the book, Radical Amazement: Contemplative lessons from Black Holes, Supernovas, and other Wonders of the Universe by Catholic author, the late Judy Cannato. The 6 week series begins June 26. 5:45-7pm in the Parish Office. The book is a series of reflections based on modern scientific discoveries which the author juxtaposes with components of the Christian message from Scripture, the mystics and other writers, followed by discussion questions and prayer. It promises to be a great summer read. Please order your own book (Kindle & Nook versions are available.) If you are interested in participating, please come.

Marge is on Vacation June 9-21. She will return all calls and emails upon her return. Thank you!! Have a great vacation Marge!!

A **citywide Catholic Vacation Bible School** will be held June 18-21 at Holy Family. With each encounter people discovered more about Jesus. This Catholic Vacation Bible School allows children to be surprised as they discover Jesus, too! Kids from any church (or no church!) are welcome! Teen and Adult Volunteers needed too! June 18-21, 12:30-3:30pm, Monday – Thursday, at Holy Family Parish 2827 Lakeview Ave. Kindergarten – 5th grade students: \$5/student. Forms are available through our parish office and in the Pavilion. Please return your forms & fee to Holy Family.

Summer Break-The Contemplative Prayer group that meets on Fridays will not meet over the summer. Join us on Tuesday evenings if you can. We will resume in September. We are looking at alternate dates and times, if you would like to cast your vote please call Marge.

Interested in deepening your relationship with Christ and his Church? Join us for Digging Deeper on Sundays. Back by special request Sundays, 9- 10am in the cafeteria.

The Saint of the Week. June 13 was the Feast of St. Anthony of Padua. In his short life of 36 years, he accomplished much to change the culture in Padua Italy. According to <http://lifelongcatechesis.osv.com>, from 1226-1331, “he worked to abolish debtors’ prisons, helped the poor, and worked ceaselessly and untiringly with heretics.” He is known for his teaching and preaching and is one of less than 40 Doctors of the Church. St. Antony is the patron of the poor, expectant mothers, sailors, & American Indians. He is a favorite saint of many who ask him ask God to help them find lost article.

Question and Activity of the Week . Is there a special need that you have at this time that may be helped by the intercession of a saint? Find examples of people in the news or saints you admire who are working with Jesus’ teachings to help build the Kingdom of God. What can you say or do to get yourself on your list?

Congratulations to George Franklin Richard Vigil IV who was baptized this last weekend at the Cathedral and to his family.



The eleventh Sunday of Ordinary Time is also Fathers’ Day this year. While Fathers’ Day is not a liturgical feast day, it certainly is a day in which we can add our prayer for our fathers and grandfathers to the church’s prayer for the day. Today’s responsorial psalm gives us a hint of the prayer of the church that we can recommend for our fathers.

“The just one shall bear fruit even in old age; vigorous and sturdy shall they be, declaring how just is the Lord, my rock, in whom there is no wrong.”

Dad was strong and vigorous right up to the end. He was diagnosed with terminal cancer a week after he had turned over the garden with a spade, spread manure over it all, rototilled it and planted the seeds for the spring and the summer crop. Nothing ever seemed to stop him as he kept working and doing all the chores around the place. Although he had given up the chickens and the hogs, he still had a few goats that he fed and watered. His garden, 24 ft. by 42 ft. was his pride and joy. After his diagnosis he never touched it again.

Since I was stationed in Gunnison the year that dad died, I was not home when he gave up working on the garden and the yard. I remember only one time that he was not his vigorous self. Dad was 76, playing softball; he was the perpetual pitcher for both sides. It was our family against a family from up the road a mile away. He was doing a great job pitching, but no longer could he move to catch a slow roller or a bunt. He depended on everyone in the infield to take care of all those incidentals.

He pitched for 4 innings, again for both sides; but as we watched, we saw that he was not catching the ball when it was thrown back to him. He seemed to have a worried look on his face, and he had a slight limp. We knew that he had some neuropathy in his feet, and this made him walk gingerly on rough ground. Believe me, our ball field was pretty rough ground especially in drought years. But he was sticking in there. Finally though, at the end of the 4th inning, dad walked off the field. He just couldn’t do it anymore.

I watched him as he walked down the road to the house. He never looked back; he never came back again; that was the last time that he played with us. I knew that he felt bad about it, but he knew that he just couldn’t do it anymore.

It’s sad when we see our parents, especially our dads, not able to do the things they used to do. We knew that his walk down the road toward home was the last time we would ever see him on the ball field.

The games such as ballgames are things that will come to an end for all of us. But the words of the psalm still stay true; the value of a man is not in what he does, but what he knows, loves, and cherishes at the end. “The just man shall bear fruit even in old age; vigorous and sturdy shall he be.”

Stay strong, dads!!