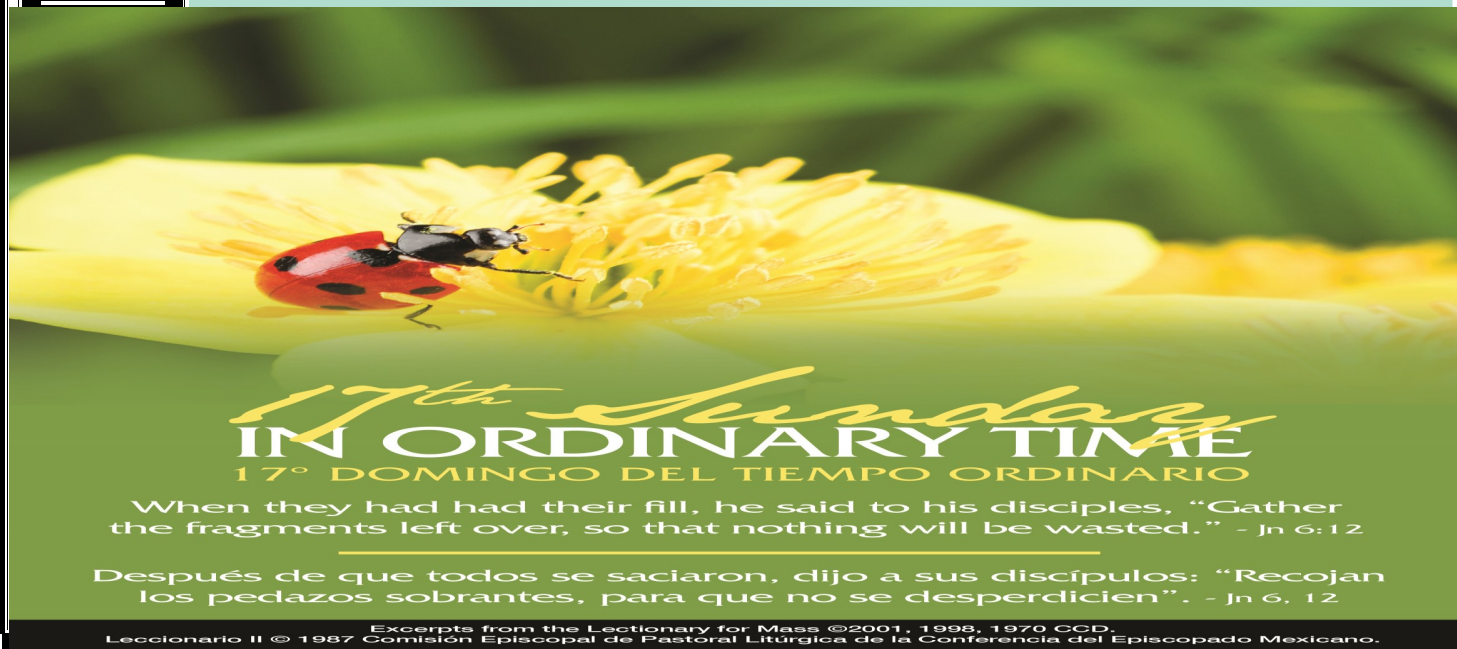


Cathedral of the Sacred Heart

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 Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary -Time July 29, 2018

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Eucharistic Liturgies

Weekdays: 12:00 Noon
Saturday (Anticipatory Mass): 4:00pm
Sunday: 8:00am, 10:15am and 12:00pm
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

Sunday, July 29, Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:00am: +Father Ben Bacino by Carla & Mary
+Casilda Rodriguez by Pueblo County
Planning and Development

10:15am: +Eileen Sheehan by Marlene & Tom Keithley

12:00 Noon: Cathedral Parishioners

Monday, July 30, Weekday, St. Peter Chrysologus, Bishop and Doctor of the Church

12:00 Noon: Communion Service

Tuesday, July 31, Saint Ignatius of Loyola, Priest

12:00 Noon: +Margaret Gagliano by LouAnn
For the health of Dolores Quintana by Vicki

Wednesday, August 1, Saint Alphonsus Liguori, Bishop and Doctor of the Church

12:00 Noon: +Claude Radford by Jim Callahan

Thursday, August 2, Weekday, Saint Eusebius of Vercelli, Bishop; Saint Peter Julian Eymard, Priest

12:00 Noon: +Marcella Koenigsfeld by Chuck & Patricia

First Friday, August 3, Weekday

12:00 Noon: Deceased members of the Benson Family
By E. J. Benson

First Saturday, August 4, Saint John Vianney, Priest (Vigil: Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time)

4:00pm: +Sammy Giarratano by Rosalie & Sandie
+Frank Lobato by David & MaryLee

Sunday, August 5, Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:00am: Cathedral Parishioners

10:15am: Msgr. James Koenigsfeld on his Birthday
by Dave & Barbara

12:00 Noon: +Augustine Garcia by Mary Kay Oreskovich

Sunday, July 29

◆ Digging Deeper 9am-10am

Monday, July 30

◆ LOM at 10:00am Cafeteria Conference Room

Tuesday, July 31

◆ Radical Amazement: 5:45-7pm in the Parish Office

First Friday, August 3

◆ Holy Hour 11:00 am

◆ Rehearsal for Goode/ Colalancia Wedding @ 4pm

First Saturday, August 4

◆ Wedding at 1pm for Goode/Colalancia

◆ Reconciliation 2:30-3:30 p

Sunday, August 5

◆ Digging Deeper 9-10am in the Parish Office

◆ 2nd Annual Parish Mass/ Picnic @6pm @Mineral
Palace Park

“ Our Gift to God” for July : 21/22

Envelopes: \$

Loose: \$

Total: \$

Cooperative Care is in need of canned meats month of July. You can place your donated items in the basket in the pavilion. Thank you for your generosity.

2nd Annual Parish Mass/Picnic —August 5, at 6pm at

Mineral Palace Park.— Come and join us in celebrating Msgr. Jim’s birthday, “future retirement”, prayer, food and social time with our parish families. It will be a potluck, as we did last year staff will provide the meat and a sign up sheet for sides, desserts, drinks, etc. has been posted. If your last name begins with letters A-L– you are assigned a side dish; M-Q –desserts and R-Z– drinks, chips, salsa, etc. Call the office for more information at 544-5175. Thank you in advance for all you do for the parish.

Just a friendly reminder regarding Mass Intentions: Mass Intentions are not always going to be available on the dates requested. A rule restricts the number of intentions allowed per Mass. I will do my best to get them as close to the requested date as possible. Also intentions will not always make it into the bulletin if submitted after the bulletin is sent to the publisher. Thank you in advance for your understanding.— Janeel

A Message from Bishop Berg: As efforts to support those affected by the wildfires continue, we will share opportunities to contribute via the Today’s Catholic e-blast and through the website at dioceseofpueblo.org when they become available.

Spring Fire Information– If you would like to donate to the La Veta Fire Protection District, please make checks payable to: **La Veta Fire Protection District P.O. Box 44 La Veta, CO 81055 or you can donate online through Paypal acct at LaVetaFire.org.** Also you can send donations to the :

American Red Cross– Pueblo Office

4104 Outlook Blvd #135D

Pueblo, Colorado 81008 or call 719-561-2614.

We ask your prayers for parish families & friends. BJ, 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, Solidar, Maria, Irene, Jennifer, Rachel, Alex, Rich, Barb, Cordy, Adella, Whitney, Faith, Armando, Lynda, Natalie, Tony, Eloisa, Stephen, Henry, Ricky, Xavier, Kathy B., Mike, Ivy, 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, Tina, Virginia, Rose M. and Tim M., Jess, Sara, Juanita, Laura & Brian Daugherty, Jesus C, Danielle, Amy & all those we have in our hearts.

*Please remember in your prayers **John Ulibarri & Jacinta Ramos** who recently passed and were buried from the Cathedral. Eternal Rest to them and Divine Consolation to the members of their families.*

*Congratulations to **Mr. & Mrs. Franklin** who recently were married at the Cathedral this past weekend.*

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Lifelong Faith Formation News

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Interested in deepening your relationship with Christ and his Church? Join us for Digging Deeper on Sundays from 9-10am in the Parish Office. New folks are always welcome!

A Day at the Museum Anyone? The Dead Sea Scrolls are on exhibit until September 3, 2018 at the Denver Museum of Nature and Science. Thank you to all who expressed interest in the trip to see the Dead Sea Scrolls. Marge will be in contact with you this week with details.

Building Strong Catholic Families— that is, families comprised of individuals committed to becoming intentional disciples of Jesus, is one of our goals here at the Cathedral. We would like to be more intentional supporting for families with young children, birth-5, please call Marge.

A Baptism Preparation Session for Parents and Godparents is scheduled for Saturday, August 18, 2018 . Please call Marge at 544-5175x17 for more information.

Feeding the hungry ... Since the closure of Salvation Army and the Wayside Gospel Mission the poorest among us only have access to one meal a day at the Soup Kitchen. In response, a small group of people have started a ministry of taking sack 'lunches' to about 70 people daily and they could use our help. So, on the Second Sunday of August (Aug. 12) you are invited to gather in the parish hall after the 8 and 10:15 morning Masses with a goal in mind: to gather supplies for a week of meals (70x7) and to put together 70 lunch sacks for the day. Please bring one or more of the following items with you: Peanut butter, jelly, individually wrapped granola or protein bars, individual size bags of chips/cookies, napkins, fruit, sandwich baggies or foil squares to wrap sandwiches, lunch bags. No bread please. The bread has already been pledged. We thank you in advance for helping with this work of mercy!

Donate Life. Every 10 minutes a name is added to the national organ transplant waiting list. At least one member of our parish family has a family member on this list. For information about how you can become a tissue or organ donor go to DonateLife.org. To find out how you can be a living donor for someone waiting for a kidney, go to <https://www.uhealth.org/services/transplant-services/living-donation/kidney/>. Please continue to pray for each other and listen for what God may call us to do.

Question of the Week. Theme: Responding to the tension of finding time for prayer and action. In today's Gospel, Jesus was touched by the masses of people. Reflect on the importance of care and what happens to people and things that do not receive the proper care. As a family (household), undertake a project of caring for something or someone not being cared for in response to being a disciple of Christ. Jesus offered the disciples rest. What do you do and where do you go when you feel overwhelmed? This week, find a quiet place, and invite Jesus to join you and rest.

There are moments in life that we often call a once-in-a-lifetime experience. Such was that kind of event that occurred last Sunday, July 15.

The event started out rather slowly. 5 of us had taken the opportunity to go as a church group on a raft trip down the Royal Gorge. Because I was 75, the company that we have always used said that they could not take me; liability issues made it impossible to raft a guy my age down the class 4/5 rapids of the Royal Gorge. So I switched to another company whose guides begrudgingly said: "Well, I guess you can go. You look relatively fit." OK, I made it.

As we were preparing to head out in the company bus to our put in place, word came that the morning group was slow in coming back, so we had to wait beyond our 1:30 start time. We left for the put in at 1:45. After listening to the safety rules: how to swim in rapids, how to keep from wrecking yourself on rocks, how to get back into the raft, etc. etc., we were finally on our way. Our guide, Emile, took a good 20 minutes getting us accustomed to his commands: "all forward, STOP, all back, STOP, back paddle, left, right, HANG ON," and other fun directives; using those commands we went through the first three Class three rapids, Primero, Segundo, Tercero, very creative names, but a lot of fun. Emile assured us that we were doing fine, except that he was noticing we were only giving 70%!! WHAT, I thought, I've been busting my elbow, and you say we've only done 70%?? "So, before we go into Sunshine Rapids, the big Class 4, I have to see you do 100%," he remanded us.

Apparently we did OK, for he then let us in on the secret of rafting: he was the steering of the raft, and we were the engine. "So," he said, "we had better look sharp, because it's hard to steer a craft that has a lousy engine firing on only 1 or 2 cylinders." The message was clear: SHAPE UP. And that's the way we went into Sunshine. About ten rafts were lined up waiting their turn. One of the rafts flipped at the beginning of the rapids and folks flew out like bugs on the end of a spring. It was quite a sight.

To help make things more interesting, it began to rain buckets. My glasses were so fogged up I was staring at the scene like Mr. Magoo. Then it was our turn to go. We entered the rapids at a spot interestingly called Hemorrhoid Junction, dropped into a hole I renamed "Hellhole" and..... sailed through that thing like it was a freeway. Emile was an excellent steering wheel, and we were apparently an excellent engine.

The next two rafts didn't fare so well. Again, folks flung left and right and the rafts ended up upside down. But you have never seen people work so fast to pick up the swimmers. Amazing!!!

Then came the once in a lifetime thrill. All that rain was accumulating above us, the Royal Gorge Bridge was straight above us by 1287 ft., and the both walls of the gorge started spouting out waterfalls. They were coming from both sides and shooting out into the river, fortunately, far enough away to deposit the rocks first. We were able to float under a clean one that gave us a real taste of what baptism must have felt like in the good old days.

OMgoodness, I could tell you so much more, but I have limited space. Just sayin': if this old codger can make it down the Royal Gorge, you can too. Of course, I was praying like crazy for freedom from death but also praying, "Thank you, God, for this wonderful moisture and this day." Really, a once in a lifetime experience!!!