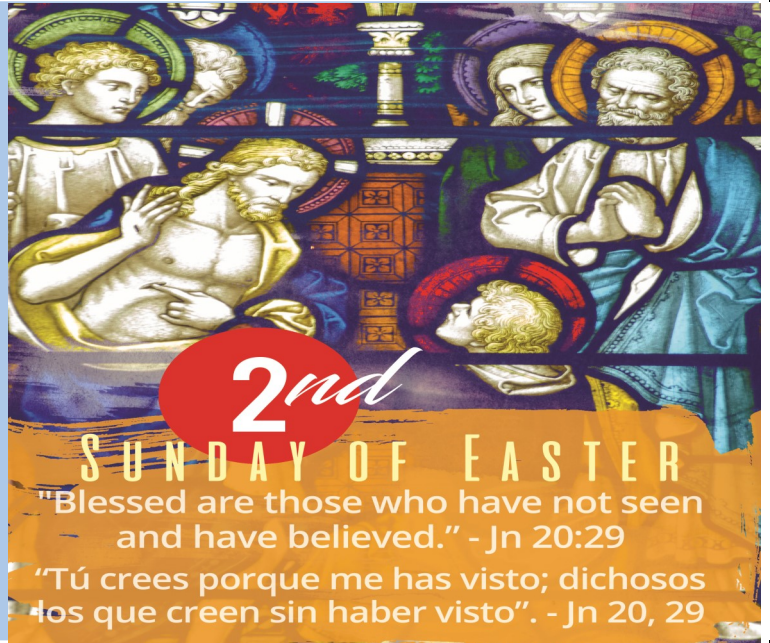




Cathedral of the Sacred Heart

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.



Second Sunday of Easter / Divine Mercy – April 19, 2020

Church Location: 11th Street & Grand Ave.
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Bishop of Pueblo:

Most Reverend Stephen Berg

Cathedral Rector:

Very Rev. Derrek Scott

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Deacon Dan Leetch

Deacon Ben Davis

Director of Music & Liturgy & Diocesan

Music Director:

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Communion Service Monday @12:00 Noon

Weekday Mass: T-F @ 12:00N

Saturday (Anticipatory Mass):4:00pm

Sunday: 8:30am & 11:30am

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

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

Holy Hour: Every Friday at 10:45-11:45am

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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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The Mass intentions that had to be rescheduled will be offered by Father Derrek throughout the week at from his home. Intentions will be posted on the website please check for those offerings at www.shcathedral.net.

FYI during the COVID 19 Virus all our Masses and other spiritual activities have been cancelled until further notice. The office will be opened from 9am –4pm. If you are needing to drop off paperwork or other items please call the office and someone will be there to assist you. The website and the voice mail will be updated Friday afternoon or if we receive new information before Friday. Please be patient and remember we are all one family and we all need to pray for each other.

Tithes and DMF donations can be mailed to the office. The mail is checked on a daily basis, however please don't leave them in the door or in the mailbox as we have a lot of traffic in this area and we don't want it to get lost. We are in the process of getting the online giving option up and working as quickly as possible. Keep an eye out for more details. Thank you for your continued support.

“Our Gift to God”- April 11-12:

Envelopes:	\$ 2,813.00
Easter:	\$ 1,476.00
Building Fund:	\$ 161.00
Outreach/Foodbank:	\$ 171.00
Property Insurance:	\$ 156.00

“Schedule for time the Cathedral is opened for private prayer :

Monday-Friday it is opened at the following times:

8-9 am -with morning prayer at 8:30

12-1pm– The Angelus and silent prayer

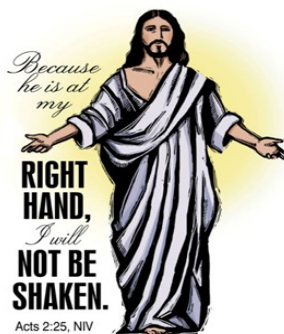
5-6pm– with evening prayer at 5:30.

Saturday –2:30-3:30 pm –Reconciliation and silent prayer .

Sunday– 9:45-10:45 am –silent prayer and at 11:30 am join in Mass as it is livestreamed on the Pueblo Diocese Facebook page.

Annual Raffle is on its way! The first drawing will be held on May 6th.

Calling all parents of graduates of high school or college please call Janeel at the office with the name of your student and which school they attend.



Spiritual Communion.

My Jesus, I believe that You are present in the Most Holy Sacrament. I love You above all things, and I desire to receive You into my soul. Since I cannot at this moment receive You sacramentally, come at least spiritually into my heart. I embrace You as if You were already there and unite myself wholly to You. Never permit me to be separated from You.

Thank you to Scott Richards and the Pueblo Community College for the outstanding job they have been doing to reach our community spiritually through the live streaming Masses and for an amazing Easter Vigil and Easter Sunday Mass.

A huge “Thank you” to Bishop Berg, Father Derrek, Father Michael, Deacon Dan, Deacon Ben, Deb Rendon, Terri Cook, Marcos LeBlanc and all the lectors who made the Mass feel as if you were sitting in the pews and making it such a special Easter.

Highway clean up is still a go if anyone is interested please call the office at 719-544-5175 to sign up. It will be held on April 25th we will meet in the parking lot of the Cathedral at 8:00am, breakfast will be served to go after the clean up.

Marriage Moment 881:by Susan Vogt, “www.SusanVogt.net ” We have just celebrated Easter - a day of joy, transformation, bunnies and candy. Our Lenten sacrifices have hopefully put us into greater solidarity with all who suffer. Rejoice in your love and overcoming hardship together. "

Please pray for our 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, Angelica, Eloy, Anita, Joy C, Betty, Emily, Solidad, Maria, Irene, Jennifer, Rachel, Alex, Rich, Barb, Whitney, Faith, Lynda, Natalie, Tony, Eloisa, Stephen, Henry, Ricky, Xavier, Kathy, Mike, Ivy, Barbara, Dave, Patricia, Deana, Mary K., Toni, Joel, Olivia, Edith, Carol, Ken, Michael , Murph, Chris, Joshua, Sharon, Viola, Tina, Rose, Jess, Sara, Juanita, Laura & Brian, Jesus C, Danielle, Amy, Pete, Margie, Barbara, Betty, Elizabeth, Josie, Norene, Jim, Loretta, Laura, Nikki, Mark, Laurence, Omri and family, Dolores T., Eddie Medina & family, Larry, Cecil, Joey, Matthew, Mary, Madeline, Steve, Christine, Aja, Tommy, Doris, Sandra, Joseph, Ray& all those we have in our hearts and all those who have been and are affected by the COVID 19.

Lifelong Faith Formation

Contact Marge: marge_1111@yahoo.com

Office #: 544-5175x17 Or Text Marge at (719) 469-5531



Dear Parishioners, On this Divine Mercy Sunday, *I invite you to stretch your hearts, minds, and faith as you read this letter.*

Please imagine Jesus entering your house right now & speaking these words to you; “Peace be with You.” The Gospel of John, Ch. 20, proclaims that this is how Jesus greeted his first disciples after His crucifixion and resurrection from the dead. They were terrified that they would be persecuted; possibly – even probably- be crucified! They surely understood what it was to have faith and still be afraid – not only for themselves but for those they love. In their fear, Jesus gave them the gift of peace and would soon send them out to share the Good News; that He, the Son of God - risen from the dead- has conquered sin and death!

Jesus comes into our homes- today – to minister to us in our fear and anxiety. He truly comes with that same greeting of peace and with the power of the same Holy Spirit given to the disciples, to change our fear into deeper faith. He comes to empower us to find the little ways in harmony with our unique gifts to make God’s love manifest- true and felt - in the details of our lives. Everyone can be a part of this mission! We all have a circle of influence and yours is where you are RIGHT NOW, in these unusual circumstances.

Be a Light of Christ in your neighborhood and encourage your children and youth to be the Light as well. Every act of kindness and self-sacrifice has its origin in God’s own Love. The One who formed us has chosen us to be the delivery system of His infinite Love to others. Please keep practicing social distancing, smile, post positive messages, call those who may be lonely and anxious. If you think a neighbor may not know how to order online – offer to help. Please find little ways to show your appreciation for the everyday heroes who continue to make our lives manageable. Remember to pray for health care workers and first responders and their support teams whom we count on to care for and protect us. If you are able, share a bit of what you have with a neighbor who has been furloughed or help an agency who serves those in need with a donation.

Keep and grow the faith together. Be patient with one another and yourselves.

“Keep Sunday holy,” is a way to remember – all time, all life is holy and pure gift! Indeed, every sunrise, every meal, every drink of clean water, every breath, is a gift and worthy of our offering thanks and praise to the One who provides all. ***Let the celebration of the Mass be the centerpiece of our weekly lives. Mass will be livestreamed at 11:30am each Sunday until we can gather again in person.*** May good works flow from your hearts and hands as you intentionally offer yourself to be used by God as a consequence of your spiritual communion. Every Mass celebrated is a participation across time and space in the ONE SACRIFICE offered to the Father by Jesus. Not being able to gather may limit us – but it does NOT limit the grace, mercy, love and power of the Risen Christ –which is present HERE and NOW in our midst!

Our Sunday Visitor ACTIVITY OF THE WEEK.

Choose one of the following activities as a way to further reflect on the Sunday readings <http://www.usccb.org/bible/readings/041920.cf>

- Easter is not a one-time event. Rather it is an ongoing reality of our new life in Jesus. At bedtime, trace the Sign of the Cross on your child’s forehead. Pray the following prayer together: Dear Jesus, it gives us great comfort to know that you rose from the dead and that you are alive today. Come alive in our hearts and help us to be your faithful followers. Amen.
- The gift of new life that we have been given through the Resurrection of Jesus is celebrated in Baptism. Discuss the following questions: What are the promises we made at Baptism. What does Baptism require of us today? How can we continue to grow in faith?
- Plant a tree to help your family continue its celebration of Easter. Let it be a symbol of your family’s faith as both grow and mature.
- Reread today’s first reading from Act. Recall the example of the early Christian Community found in today’s first reading and talk about ways that your family can grow as a strong unit. Tell each member of your family what he or she does to help make this a strong, loving, happy family. Discuss: What do we share in this family? What draws us together and makes us one as a family?