

St. Joseph's Catholic Church

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Pastoral Staff Volunteers

Parish Bookkeeper: Colleen Schaak **Parish Secretary: Deb Johnson** Bulletin: Patty Kepp **Religious Education: Celeste Geier & Bethany Fuchs** Alla

Mass Intentions

| Sun., Dec 5: | For the people | |
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| Mon., Dec 6: | | |
| Tues., Dec 7: | | |
| Wed., Dec 8: | Lindsey Miller for good health | |
| Thurs., Dec 9: | For Frank & Velma Dornberger | |
| Fri., Dec 10: | | |
| Sat., Dec 11: | | |

Offertory Collections Month of October, 2021 Nov 27: \$ 180.00 Income: \$ 6.906.00 Nov 28: \$ 742.00 Expense: \$ 8,266.70 \$ -1,360.70



CHRISTMAS TREES FOR SALE !! You can find them at the FAR WEST FLORAL & GIFTS (6th & Center) Laura Hochhalter is doing a tremendous job helping promote the sale of the trees. All sizes are available. Will even deliver if you wish. Call jim Seykora 665-5555.

The Knights of Columbus

have beautiful fresh cut

Mass Schedule St. Joseph's Church – Hardin Sunday Mass – 9:00 a.m. Saturday Mass – 5:45 p.m. Weekday Mass - 8:00 a.m. M-F St. Marv's Mission – Custer Sunday Mass – 11:00 a.m.

Reconciliation: Saturday from 4:45-5:30 pm For Holy Communion and Anointing of the Sick, please contact Father Kiran **Contact Numbers:** Father Kiran, 665-1432: all questions Patty Kepp, 665-5257: bulletin

Calendar

Sun., Dec 5: Christmas Choir Practice, 10:00am Wed., Dec 8: Religious Education Classes, 3:45 pm, Grades K-8

- Wed., Dec 8: Mass, 5:30 pm followed by Eucharistic Adoration and Rosary Sat., Dec 11: Catholic Daughters Christmas party, 6:45 pm, potluck and bingo
- Mon., Dec 13: Catholic Daughters monthly meeting, 5:30 pm Spiritual Enhancement, 6:00 pm business meeting, church basement
- Tues., Dec 14: Parish Council, 6:00 pm, church basement
- Sun., Dec 19: JCDA monthly meeting, 10:00 am, church basement
- Mon., Dec 20: Knights of Columbus monthly meeting, 6:00 pm, church basement

Mass Servers

| | Commentator | <u>Lector</u> |
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| Sat., Dec 4 | Bethany Fuchs | Richelle Link |
| Sun., Dec 5 | Sue Seykora | Candy Wells |
| Sat., Dec 11 | Richelle Link | Julie O'Dell |
| Sun., Dec 12 | Angela Ramirez | Sue Seykora |
| Sat., Dec 18 | Chris Fuchs | Larry Johnson |
| Sun., Dec 19 | Candy Wells | Christy Morse |
| Fri., Dec 24 8:00 pm | Patty Kepp | Larry Johnson |
| Sat., Dec 25 9:00 am | Julie O'Dell | Joan Bialon |
| Sat., Dec 25 5:45 pm | Patty Kepp | Deb Johnson |
| Sun., Dec 26 9:00 am | Angela Ramirez | Sue Seykora |

St. Joseph Parish 2021 Giving Tree Information

* This is the 24th year that we as a parish will be sponsoring "The Giving Tree" to aid families in Big Horn County during this Christmas season. The names on the tree have been confidentially submitted by various social service organizations in our community.

- * You may participate in this project by choosing an ornament tag from the tree and choosing an appropriate gift from the descriptions provided. The items listed as gift ideas are only suggestions. Feel free to choose from your heart, and don't feel obligated to buy everything listed on the tag.
- * Please be sure, however, that if you remove a tag from the tree that you return a gift or the "Tree Ornament Gift Tag". Otherwise that individual will not be acknowledged with a gift.
- * You may make a monetary donation by placing your check made to St. Joseph Parish with memo "Giving Tree" in the container near the tree in church. The shopping and wrapping will be done for you.
- * Contact Father Kiran if you know of someone who needs to be represented on the tree.

* Please return your wrapped or unwrapped gift to the tree by Wednesday, December 15th at 5:30 p.m.

* Any questions or to arrange for pick-up call Vera Ostahowski at 1 (406) 690-4858.

* Include gift receipts if possible and firmly affix the "Tree Ornament Gift Tag" showing codes and descriptions to the **outside** of the package.

Jhank you for opening your hearts with generosity and the giving Spirit of Christmas.



Fri., Dec 24: Mass at St. Mary's, Custer, 4:00 pm Fri., Dec 24: Christmas Eve, 8:00 pm Sat., Dec 25: Christmas Day, 9:00 am Sat., Dec 25: Sunday Vigil Mass, 5:45 pm Sun., Dec 26: Mass, 9:00 am

25th Anniversary of Ordination as Bishop Bishop Michael W Warfel

RSVP Barbara Haacke 406-604-1850 Mass, Sat., Dec 11, 5:00 pm, St. Patrick's Co-Cathedral, Billings Mass, Mon., Dec 13, 5:30 pm, Sacred Heart Church, Miles City Solemn Advent Vespers, Fri., Dec 17, 6:00 pm, St. Ann's Cathedral. Great Falls. Mass, Sun., Dec 19, noon, St. Ann's Cathedral Great Falls, Receptions immediately following all events

Christmas Choir Practice Sun., Dec 5 at 10:00 a.m. Questions: Vince 406.545.9595, 6 1 1 5 5 Lisa 406.629.0221

Marriage Troubles? If your marriage has become troubled and stressed, unloving or uncaring; if you have grown cold and distant; even if you are divorced or separated, or are thinking about it, Retrouvaille can help, as it has helped tens of thousands of others. Our next program begins February 25, 2022. For more information about an upcoming Retrouvaille Weekend program for couples, contact registration team: at 1-800-470-2230 or visit www.HelpOurMarriage.com Not counseling or group therapy. All contacts and names held in strictest confidence.

Enter to win an original painting by Joan Noyes

Entitled the "The Friendly Beasts". It is a beautiful painting of the Nativity Scene on that glorious night!

One chance for \$1.00 or Six chances for \$5.00

Drawing will be held at the JCDA meeting on December 19th.

Winner will be notified! Joan donated this painting as a fundraiser for the

Junior Catholic Daughters! Thank you for your participation.

If you are interested in purchasing a chance, please contact Candy Wells (406) 679-1803. Chances will be sold after Masses.



2022 ANNUAL RAFFLE A Benefit for the Ministries of The Diocese of Great Falls-Billings

Tickets are still available @ \$20 each. Final drawing—May 20, 2022 Contact Father Kiran, Knights of Columbus or Catholic Daughters if your interested in purchasing one.