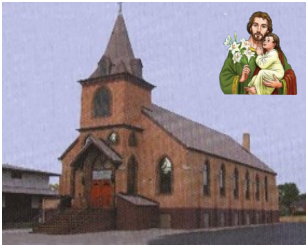


Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time: June 30—July 6, 2024



**St. Joseph's Catholic Church**  
710 N Custer Avenue  
Hardin, MT 59034  
**Father Callistus Igwenagu**  
406-665-1432

**Mass Schedule**  
**St. Joseph's Church – Hardin**  
Sunday Mass – 9:00 a.m.  
Saturday Mass – 5:45 p.m.  
Daily Mass – 8:00 a.m.  
Tuesday—Friday  
**St. Mary's Mission – Custer**  
Sunday Mass – 11:00 a.m.

Website: [stjosephparishhardin.org](http://stjosephparishhardin.org)  
Email: [stjosephparishhardin@gmail.com](mailto:stjosephparishhardin@gmail.com)  
Facebook: St Joseph Catholic Parish—Hardin

**Pastoral Staff Volunteers**  
Parish Bookkeeper: Colleen Schaak  
Parish Secretary: Deb Johnson/Celeste Geier  
Bulletin: Patty Kepp  
Website Editor: Julie O'Dell  
Director of Religious Education: Celeste Geier

**Mass Intentions**

Sun., June 30: For the People  
Mon., July 1: No Mass  
Tues., July 2: †For Janet Vandersloot  
by Bob & Pearl Vandersloot  
Wed., July 3: †For Connie Medhus  
by Lowell Medhus  
Thurs., July 4: For the People  
Fri., July 5: †For Jack Ortmeyer  
by Jim & Sue Seykora  
Sat., July 6: \_\_\_\_\_



**Offertory Collections:**  
Sat., June 22: \$ 248.00  
Sun., June 23: \$ 960.00  
**Month of May, 2024**  
Income: \$ 6,319.00  
Expenses: \$ 9,591.12  
\$ (3,272.12)

**Mass Servers**

	Commentator	Lector	Eucharistic Ministers
Sat, June 29	Julie O'Dell	Celeste Geier	Celeste Geier & Larry Johnson
Sun., June 30	Angela Ramirez	Candy Wells	Visencia Ramirez & Sue Seykora
Sat., July 6	Celeste Geier	Patty Kepp	Patty Kepp & Julie O'Dell
Sun., July 7	Sue Seykora	Visencia Ramirez	Angela Ramirez & Candy Wells
Sat., July 13	Richelle Link	Larry Johnson	Celeste Geier & Patty Kepp
Sun., July 14	Visencia Ramirez	Sue Seykora	Angela Ramirez & Candy Wells

**Reconciliation:** Saturday from 5:00-5:30 pm  
**For Holy Communion and Anointing of the Sick,** please contact Father Cally  
**Contact Numbers:**  
Father Cally, 406-665-1432: all questions  
Patty Kepp, 406-665-5257: bulletin

**Calendar**  
**Sun., June 30:** "Growing in Faith" program immediately after 9:00 Mass. All are invited!  
**Wed., July 3:** Mass and Adoration, 5:30 pm  
**Thurs., July 4:** Independence Day Mass, 9:00am  
**Tues., July 9:** Finance Council, 4:00 pm

*God is good all the time:  
all the time God is good!*



*To all born in  
June*



**PLEASE STEP UP!**  
**Commentators - Lectors**  
**Eucharistic Ministers**

*Volunteers are also needed  
to lead the Rosary before Masses.*

For Further information contact  
Fr Cally (406)665-1432 or  
Patty Kepp (406)665-5257



# Montana Catholics For Life

## For Babies For Mothers For Families

**"The Church's obligation to participate in shaping the moral character of society is a requirement of our faith. It is a basic part of the mission we have received from Jesus Christ, who offers a vision of life revealed to us in Sacred Scripture and Tradition."**  
*—Forming Consciences for Faithful Citizenship: A Call to Political Responsibility, United States Conference of Catholic Bishops, 2023.*

Signature gatherers for the petition to place Constitutional Initiative 128 (CI-128) on Montana's November ballot have now submitted their petition forms to county election administrators. Within four weeks of receiving statewide petition forms, election administrators must check the names of all petition signers to verify they are registered voters in their county. Petition signatures will be compared with voter registration signatures and then verified signature sheets will be submitted to the Secretary of State, no later than July 19. If there are sufficient verified signatures filed, the Secretary of State will certify that the petition has qualified for the ballot.

As we await the final signature count and verification, our Montana's Catholic bishops urge us to continue praying for the defeat of CI-128, the protection of all human life, and the conversion of heart to which God calls all of us. Whatever the outcome of this initiative process, the Church will remain vigilant in boldly proclaiming the truth about human life and working to build a culture that upholds the infinite dignity of every person.

Join our Bishops as we stand for every child's right to life, the dignity of each mother, and the sanctity of the family.

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Father Cally's 25th Priestly Anniversary is Sunday, August 18th. There will be a Holy Mass and reception. Everyone is invited!



OCIA is the **Order of Christian Initiation of Adults**. The class begins in September and concludes with Easter Vigil celebration on April 19, 2025. This is a process of learning about the Catholic Faith. The class is offered to anyone who wants to learn more about catholic faith, desires to be a catholic, wants to be baptized as an adult, or wishes to complete the sacraments of initiation (Confirmation and First Eucharist). If you are interested please contact Fr. Cally (406) 665-1432 or the Director of Religious Education, Celeste Geier (406) 679-1679.



**From Montana's Bishops**  
Joint Letter & Video  
Stand for Life in Montana

