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Mass Intentions

Sun., Mar 16: For the People
Mon., Mar 17: No Mass
Tues., Mar 18: For CES donors by the Diocese of Great Falls-Billings
Wed., Mar 19: †For Fr Sylvester Okechukwu by the Catholic Daughters
Thurs., Mar 20: †For Connie Medhus by Lowell Medhus
Fri., Mar 21: For CES donors by the Diocese of Great Falls-Billings
Sat., Mar 22: †For Jean Koebbe by the Catholic Daughters



Offertory Collections:
Ash Wed.: \$ 715.25
Sat., Mar 8: \$ 1,253.66
Sun., Mar 9: \$ 1,113.00
Annual Catholic Appeal to date: \$ 5,025.00
Month of January 2025 Income: \$ 6,003.00
Expenses: \$ 8,576.71
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Mass Servers

	Commentator	Lector	Extraordinary Ministers
Sat., Mar 15	Richelle Link	Julie O'Dell	Celeste Geier & Patty Kepp
Sun., Mar 16	Angela Ramirez	Genne Taganahan	Sue Seykora & Candy Wells
Sat., Mar 22	Julie O'Dell	Richelle Link	Celeste Geier & Patty Kepp
Sun., Mar 23	Visencia Ramirez	Sue Seykora	Angela Ramirez & Candy Wells
Sat., Mar 29	Celeste Geier	Patty Kepp	Julie O'Dell & Patty Kepp
Sun., Mar 30	Genne Taganahan	Liezel Ferido	Visencia Ramirez & Sue Seykora

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.

Reconciliation: Saturday from 5:00-5:30 pm
For Holy Communion and Anointing of the Sick, please contact Father Cally
Contact Numbers:
All questions—Father Cally, 406.665.1432
Bulletin—Patty Kepp, 406.665.5257

Weekly Calendar

Mon., Mar 17: Knights of Columbus monthly meeting, 6:00 pm church basement
Wed., Mar 19: Religious Education class 3:45pm
Wed., Mar 19: Lenten Retreat, Mass and Adoration 5:00—7:00 pm
Thurs., Mar 20: Lenten Retreat and Lenten Penance Service 5:00—7:00 pm
Fri., Mar 21: Stations of the Cross 5:30 pm
Sun., Mar 23: Feast of St. Joseph Celebration, breakfast after Mass. All are welcome.

Christian Men's Lenten Breakfast
Schedule begins at 6:30 a.m.
March 19th - Calvary Fellowship Church
March 26th - First Alliance Church
April 2nd - Open Bible Church
April 9th - E & R Church
April 16th - First Baptist Church
All Catholic men are encouraged to attend.

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

Second Sunday of Lent (Lect. 27 - Year C)

Master teacher that he is, Jesus knows to follow up a difficult lesson with something positive. Just before this Gospel, he told his disciples that he would be put to death on a cross and that they too must deny themselves, take up their crosses, and follow him. So now, a few days later, he brings his three closest disciples up the mountain to pray, to accompany him into the presence of God. On that mountain he is transfigured, transformed in appearance—not into the condemned One with nail marks in his hands and feet, but into the glorified One with dazzling garments in the company of God's chosen. The three then hear God's voice: "This is my chosen Son; listen to him" (Luke 9:35). He told you he would be put to death. Listen to him. He told you to carry your cross. Listen to him. He told you to follow him. Listen to him. Soon everyone would see him suffer and die, nailed to a cross high above Jerusalem. But only those with eyes of faith would later see him in his glorified body, continuing to reveal the kingdom with his presence. Today, with our true citizenship in heaven, as Paul would say, we are called to see with eyes of faith, so that we too may see that in carrying our crosses we will be transfigured in glory.

What cross are you carrying now that affects you the most? Can you see the glory within it?



Remember your donation to the Diocese of Great Falls-Billings for the 2025 Annual Catholic Appeal

Stations of the Cross		
Dates	Time	Led by
Fri., Mar 21	5:30 pm	Catholic Daughters
Fri., Mar 28	5:30 pm	Father Cally
Fri., Apr 4	5:30 pm	Parish Council
Fri., Apr 11	5:30 pm	Father Cally
Good Friday, April 18		
	12:00 noon	Catholic Daughters, Mary's Way of the Cross
Also, on Wednesday during Lent the Religious Education class will lead Stations of the Cross at 4:20 p.m. Everyone is welcome!		

The Little Black Book
Six-minute meditations on the Passion according to John are available on the table at the entrance of the Church. Please take one.

Cum Christo weekends
(to be held in Absarokee)
April 24-27 for Men
May 1-4 for Women, Fr Cally is the Spiritual Director for the Women's Weekend
Applications are available on the table at the entrance of the Church.



THREE PILLARS OF LENT

PRAYER

FASTING

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Feast of St. Joseph, March 19th
Lenten Retreat, March 19th & 20th 5:00—7:00 pm
Lenten Penance Service will be on the 2nd day of the Lenten Retreat, March 20th.
Feast of St. Joseph Celebration, Breakfast after Mass on Sunday, March 23rd
Youth Event, March 22nd & 23rd, Miles City



Scholarships Available
Elizabeth Brennan Memorial Scholarships
Knights of Columbus Scholarships for High School Seniors and College Students

Catholic Daughters Scholarship and Catholic Daughters Memorial Scholarship for graduating High School Seniors
Applications are available on the table at the entrance of the church.