Saint Paul the Apostle

Catholic Church

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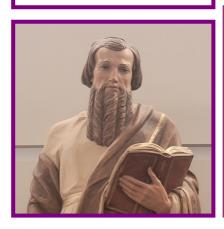
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March 3, 2024 Third Sunday of Lent

Below:
Bishop Stephen Berg
welcomed &
received St. Paul's
Catechumens and
Elects on February
18 at the Sacred
Heart Cathedral.





Mass Intentions March 3, 2024

Saturday, March 2nd

+ Jay Allen by Ron & Kathy McCulloch 4pm Mass

+ Robert Smith by the Miles Family

Sunday, March 3rd

7:30 AM Mass + Jason Bilberry by the Bereavement Ministry

Catolina Vasquez happy birthday by Juanita

Kitchen

Vickie Duran for her health and well-being by 10:30 AM Mass

David Duran

June Manley happy birthday by Joan Fiorenzi

Wednesday, March 6th

9:00 AM Mass + Pete Fiorenzi by Joan Fiorenzi

Thursday, March 7th

9:00 AM Mass Special Intention by Ron& Kathy McCulloch

Friday, March 8th

9:00 AM Mass + John Velasquez by Knights Bingo

Saturday, March 9th

4:00 PM Mass In Remembrance of the Derting Family

by Carrol

Sunday, March 10th

7:30 AM No Intentions

+ Dorothy DeNiro by Gil & Tine Orr 10:30 AM Mass

+ Mary Lou Ajila by Barb Martinez

Please Pray for Our RCIA Candidates

John Boone sponsored by Rita Boone

Trent Prigmore sponsored by Paul Gallegos

Robert Tracy sponsored by Amy Gallegos

Steve Coy sponsored by Stephanie Coy

William Starther sponsored by Violet Peltier

Albert Orona sponsored by Fr. Edmundo Valera

Reyna Flores sponsored by Yvonne Montoya & Tony Flores

<u>Steven Pfeiffer</u> sponsored by Dcn. Patrick Bryne

Vickie Hillenbrant sponsored by Dcn. Patrick Bryne

Christine Serna sponsored by Rita Ohrdorf

Michelle Minjarez by Dcn. Blue Medina & Joel McDonald

Stephanie Prigmore

Rosary

Come join the Knights of Columbus in praying the Rosary for Life BEFORE the weekend Masses

Bingo

The Knights have Bingo @12:30 every Friday & St. Paul's has Bingo every Wednesday @12:30 pm. Bingo is also held the first Sunday every month at 5 pm .All are located at the Bingo Casino 4109 Club Manor Drive, Pueblo, CO 81008.

Lenten Penance Services

Holy Family: Wed. March 13 th @ 6:00 PM

St. Joseph: Wed. March 20@ 6:00PM and Friday March

22 nd @ noon

St. Francis Xavier: Thursday March 21 st @ 4:00 PM

St. Michael Canon City: Sunday March 24 th @ 6:00 PM

CRS Catholic Rice Bowl

Through CRS Catholic Rice Bowl collections you help reach more than 250 million people with lifesaving support. Rice bowls will be available after all masses in the Narthex. Please fill them up during Lent and return them on Holy Thursday. Thank you!

LEGION OF MARY.... MARY UNDOER OF KNOTS PRESIDIUM

The Legion of Mary meets every Tuesday at 5:30 in classroom C. If you know any Catholic living in Pueblo West who is homebound and wants to receive Holy Communion, please contact Carla Begel at 904-655-7501.

If you wish more information about the LOM contact Carla or Robert Begel at 904-866-5065

Announcements

Ministry Schedule

All lectors, eucharistic ministers, and ushers please sign up on the March schedules posted in the Narthex. Thank you for your dedication to this ministry. If you are unable to serve, please call the office 719-647-1500 ASAP.

Thank you!

Sacraments

Please call the office if you are interested in becoming Catholic or in need of any sacraments. 719-647-1500 We are in need of Lectors and Eucharistic Ministers PLEASE contact the office if interested.

40 Days For Life

Pueblo will be hosting a 40 Days For Life from February 14 through March 24. Once again, we will be praying across the street from the C.A.R.E Abortion Clinic at 1930 E. Orman Avenue from 7 am to 7 pm daily. Join this worldwide mobilization to pray and fast for an end to abortion. You may sign up to pray at 40daysforlife.com/Pueblo or call Carol Danielson 719-557-2971 for assistance joining this group of 1,000,000+ volunteers! See the flyer in the Narthex.

Easter Lilly Donations

We will be collecting for Memorial Easter Lillys. If you would like to donate money for a plant in honor of a loved one, please come to the office through the Lenten season.

Women's Retreat

Fathers John Lager and Doug Grandon invite all women to the 21st annual Women's Journey retreat held at the YMCA of the Rockies in Estes Park the weekend of Mar 8-10, 2024. The theme is "For by God's Grace you have been saved through Faith". Register at www.coloradocatholicretreats.org by Mar 3rd. Call or text Patti Hayes at 720-608-1607 for questions and contact Karen Smoody at 303-588-0461 or smoothie56@gmail.com for carpool requests.

Fish Fry Speaker

Greetings Brothers and Sisters. Our Friday Fish Frys are going extremely well. We are raising lots of money for our parish and the projects that Father wants to do. In that spirit, during the Fish Fry after Stations of the Cross, on 8 March, Brother Knight, Brandon Nelson will give a short presentation of Knights of Columbus Insurance benefits. Blessed Father Michael McGivney created the Knights of Columbus in 1882 to care for the families of deceased breadwinners at St. Mary's church. We continue that tradition to this day. May God Bless you and your families. Vivat Jesus Bob Begel

COR Announcements

We are planning to restart the Cor presentations for men in the current culture. If you are interested/concerned about what the current culture says is the role of men as contrasts with what the Catholic church says we must be, please respond to Bob Begel, 904-866-5065 to let us plan a time and date that is convenient for most. Thank you.

The third session of Cor ad Cor (Heart to Heart) for couples will be held on Tuesday, March 9 at 11:00 AM at St. Paul the Apostle. We will be convening in classroom A across from the kitchen. We will be discussing the Church's' teaching on marriage and family. Hope to see you there. May God Bless you and your family **Bob Begel**



Folks: "Nice hat Bishop!" Bishop: "Gee... thanks!"

Readings for the week of March 3

Ex 20:1-17 or 20:1-3, 7-8, 12-17/Ps 19:8, 9, 10, 11 (Jn 6:68c)/1 Cor 1:22-25/Jn 2:13-25 *Scrutiny:* Ex 17:3-7/Ps 95:1-2, 6-7, 8-9 (8)/Rom Sunday:

5:1-2, 5-8/Jn 4:5-42 or 4:5-15, 19b-26, 39a, 40-42

Monday: 2 Kgs 5:1-15ab/Ps 42:2, 3; 43:3,4/Lk 4:24-30 Tuesday: Dn 3:25, 34-43/Ps 25:4-5ab, 6 and 7bc, 8-9/Mt 18:21-35 Wednesday: Dt 4:1, 5-9/Ps 147:12-13, 15-16, 19-20/Mt 5:17-19

Thursday: Jer 7:23-28/Ps 95:1-2, 6-7, 8-9/Lk 11:14-23

Friday: Hos 14:2-10/Ps 81:6c-8a, 8bc-9, 10-11ab, 14 and 17/Mk 12:28-34

Hos 6:1-6/Ps 51:3-4, 18-19, 20-21ab/Lk 18:9-14 Saturday:

2 Chr 36:14-16, 19-23/Ps 137:1-2, 3, 4-5, 6 (6ab)/Eph 2:4-10/Jn 3:14-21 *Scrutiny:* 1 Sm 16:1b, 6-7, 10-13a/Ps 23:1-3a, 3b-4, 5, 6 (1)/Eph 5:8-14/Jn 9:1-41 or 9:1, 6-9, 13-17, 34-38 ©LPi **Next Sunday:**

St. Paul Shred Event

Anything you filed in 1900-1999 is old, SHRED IT!

Saint Paul's on site "Shred It" Day is April 6, 2024 from 10:00AM-12:00PM.

More Information to come.

Stations of the Cross & Fish Fry

Stations of the Cross will be held on Fridays during Lent at 4pm.

After Stations the Knights of Columbus host a Lenten Fish Fry. The cost is \$10 for adults and \$5 for

those under 12. Hope to see you all there.



Please remember our Sick and **Homebound**

Connie Billinger **Carol Kuhns** Patricia Cordova Cheryl Salay **Cortese Family** Frank Palacio Janet Cruz John O'Day Olga Dick Jack Mattingly Linda Wilson Char Finch Robert Hayman Linda Welte James Derr Lloyd Jacquez **Mary Lontine** Claudia Schopf Isiah Maez **Any Huth Cameron Martin** Alejandra **Dorothy Orr Escheveste Kirsten Pachek** Gordon Messer Kai Pedersen Mercedes Trujillo Gina Hedguist Shirley Palacio Candice Taravella **Christine Dickson** Claude Hayward Tony Torres Jr. Sophia Doran **Judy Howard** Joe Ortega Martha Archuleta **Don Carlson** Charles Steve Olsen Marmolejo Kathy Krueger **Gene Richards** Angela Vigil Joe Adame Mary Jo **Lindsey Bravo** McDermott

Renee Hadad Cichon

James Hiner Carol Edgeworth Norman Kuhns