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We, the Catholic Community of St. Joseph, are committed to following Christ in faith and love through the sacramental tradition of the Catholic Church.
The Church of St. Joseph.


The Church of St. Joseph Mission Statement

We, the Catholic Community of St. Joseph, brothers and sisters in Christ with our rich and diverse traditions, accept as our Mission: To know and practice our faith through the Gospel, to serve the needs of our parish community with time, talent and treasure, to teach by example and, thereby, strengthen and inspire the parish community.

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| Mass Times | Parish Office Hours |
| Saturday: 4:30pm Sunday: 7:30am, 9:00am, 11:00am | Monday-Thursday: 8:30am - 3:00pm Fridays 8:30am - 12:00pm |
| Mass Live Streamed Saturday: 4:30pm Sunday: 11:00am | Confessions Saturday 3:30 - 4:00pm |
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John Spearing- 719-321-2799

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Diana Alvarado- 719-251-9146

Men of Joseph
Marcos LeBlanc Ex. 104

Upcoming Dates

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| May 5th Men of Joseph 6:00pm Maria Lopez classroom | May 7th Adult Confirmation 6:30pm NO HS Youth Group |
| May 6th May Crowning Grotto Blessing 5:15pm Mass 5:30pm | May 29th Baptism Class 6:00pm |

Confirmation

Please pray for the young Catholics of St. Joseph as 22 of them will receive the sacrament of confirmation on Thursday May 7th at St. Francis Xavier!

Adult Bible Study Special for Lent

Come join in our study — “MARY, A Biblical Walk with the Blessed Mother.” Classes are Mondays at 6:30 pm or Tuesdays at 1:00 pm. For week of **May 4th & 5th**, classes, you may read:
John 2:1-11

Eucharistic Adoration

Exposition of the **BLESSED SACRAMENT** will be 11:00am - 1:00pm on Wednesdays. Come and pray before Jesus truly present in our midst. Prayer before the Blessed Sacrament is incredibly powerful. Simply taking some time to sit with Jesus can change one’s life.

KOC Elections Upcoming

Attention all Knights: Elections are around the corner. If you would like to nominate someone please contact your Grand Knight, John Spearing, at 719-321-2799. Elections start May 1 and run through June 14. Please get involved today!

Coffee & Donuts on Mother's Day

The St. Joseph KofC will be serving coffee and donuts outside the church on Sunday, May 10 after the 7:30am, 9am, and 11am masses to show our appreciation to the mothers of our parish!

Pueblo Advisory Council on Aging

Invites you to Legends and Leaders: 100 years of Living Well
Celebrate Pueblo County Older Adults!
To honor Pueblo County residents who are 98 + years of age.
May 15th. Event begins at 11:00am.
St Joseph, Father Charles J. Murray hall.
\$25.00 per seat; \$125.00 a table
Lunch catered by SRDA, silent auction, & Entertainment.
For more info: call 719-583-6120 or email Jennifer.novak @pueblounty.us to reserve your seat. Reservations must be received by May 1st. Cash or check accepted.

OCIA

Congratulations and welcome to the following adults who were welcomed into full initiation of the Catholic Faith, on Saturday April 4th at the Easter Vigil. Please keep the all in your prayers.

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| Sara Bernal | Dante Garcia |
| Kendra Garcia | Kelvin Hall |
| Christopher Long | Robert Lopez |
| James McQueen | Xzaiden Vigil |
| Kaylena Wodiuk | Kacey Jade Howrey |

Festival News

Here are dates for upcoming meetings for our Church festival. Start time is 5:30pm in Maria Lopez Classroom. **Festival is Aug. 1st & 2nd**

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| May 26th | June 30th | July 28th |
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Bishop Berg Update

Following the tradition of Canon Law, Bishop Berg has submitted his retirement letter to Pope Leo XIV as he turns 75. He’ll stay on to serve our diocese until a successor is named.
Bishop Berg asks for prayers for him and for Pope Leo during the search for his successor. He plans to stay right here in Pueblo after he retires, hoping to continue helping out in new and creative ways
Thank you Bishop Berg for all your years of service and leadership!

St. Joseph Council of Catholic Women

All Catholic women and their spouses are invited to attend our May Crowning honoring Our Blessed Virgin Mary on May 6th - Grotto blessing 5:15, Mass 5:30. Dinner to follow.
Speaker will be Fr. Michael Chrisman.
Dinner \$20.00, checks made to SJCCW
Please join us for this beautiful celebration!
To RSVP contact
Diana Alvarado 719-251-9146 by April 29th.

Next Burrito Sale on May 17th after all Masses.

We look forward to seeing you there!
Thank you, and God Bless
Diana Alvarado, President

St. Joseph Parish April 26th, 2026

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| Envelopes | \$ | 3,950.00 |
| Loose Currency | \$ | 1,239.00 |
| Loose Check | \$ | 3,102.00 |
| Holy Day | \$ | 5.00 |
| *TOTAL | \$ | 8,297.16 |

*approximately **\$8,530/week** needed to meet expenses

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St. Vincent de Paul

Next date will be May 14th from 1:00-2:00pm
Next food drop off May 30th & 31st at all the Masses.

AMD

April 20th: Pledged \$50,300.00 of **\$87,894.00**

Blessing of the Fields

Blessing of the fields this year will be on May 16th at 10:00am at St. Therese in Vineland. There is a sheet in the Narthex to sign if you would like to have your field blessed.

Knights of Columbus (St. Joseph)

Attention all St. Joseph KoC: We are in need of men to help with ushering for funerals. Our KoC men usher for funerals every other month.
If you are able please consider giving your time for this ministry. For more info please call Tony Stollsteimer at 719-543-6516.

Our Next Priest

Bishop Berg has made a decision and Fr. Joseph Matitu, SSS will be replacing Fr. Steve when he leaves for his sabbatical. Fr. Joseph is a member of the Congregation of the Blessed Sacrament. Several members of this congregation have been doing great work here in the Diocese of Pueblo. He is currently serving in Rocky Ford. Fr. Steve does not expect notification of his next assignment until sometime this fall. We look forward to meeting Fr. Joseph and his arrival.
Thank you for all your prayers.

Next Week’s Intentions

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| Saturday—May 9th 4:30 pm- +Caroline & Gilbert Garcia +Frank Palacio +Jack Spinuzzi +Nancy Krall +Priscilla Cid +Dorothy Mauro +Jim Mastrini +Eulogia Martinez +Joan Anderson | 9:00cont. +Angelina Alvarado & Sisters +Leno & Lorraine Nogare +Catherine Stollsteimer +Lolita Alvarado |
| Sunday –May10th 7:30am— +Jason & Dominic Godinez +Jim & Jacke Domenico +Cheryl Yaklich +Lucy Adams +Jody Robinson +Lynn Faris +Charlotte Gallegos +Frankie Molinaro III +Maurice Guerrero +Kathleen Cordova +Tina Romero +Bill Bustillos | Sunday — 11:00 +Mike Keintz +Helen Wolf +Anthony Gutierrez +Abran Guerra +Leandro & Manuelita Martinez +Dimas & Marie Flores +Richard “Rick” Duran +JoAnn Viraint +Don Sedillo |
| | Monday —May 11th 8:00am—People of the Parish |
| | Tuesday—May 12th 8:00am—St. Joseph |
| | Wednesday –May 13th 8:00am—People living in Poverty |
| | Thursday —May 14th 8:00am— St. Lucy |
| | Friday — May 15th 8:00am— Priest & Deacons |

Please pray for the repose of the souls of:
Don Sedillo.....Service last week



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