



ST. JOSEPH PARISH

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PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Monday – Thursday

8:30 AM – 3:00 PM

Friday

8:30 – 12:00 NN

MASS TIMES

Saturday: 4:30 PM

Sunday

7:30 AM, 9:00 AM, 11:00 AM

Monday – Friday

8:00 AM

Live Streamed

Saturday @ 4:30 PM

Sunday @ 11:00 AM

CONFESSION

Saturday @ 3:30 PM

ADORATION

Wednesday 11:00 – 1:00 PM

FR. JOSEPH MATITU, SSS

Administrator Ex 102

DEACON ED RICCILLO

Baptism Classes / O.C.I.A.

Adult Faith Formation



October 11th, 2026



**28th
Sunday
in
Ordinary
Time**

The king's banquet reminds us that God's invitation is generous, but it also asks for a heart willing to be transformed. Many are invited, yet only those who allow grace to clothe their lives in humility, mercy, and conversion truly belong at the feast. This parable urges us to examine not only whether we show up, but whether we arrive ready for the life God desires to give.

La parábola del banquete nos recuerda que la invitación de Dios es generosa, pero también pide un corazón dispuesto a ser transformado. Muchos son llamados, pero solo quienes permiten que la gracia vista su vida de humildad, misericordia y conversión pertenecen verdaderamente al banquete. Este pasaje nos invita a examinar no solo si acudimos, sino si llegamos preparados para la vida que Dios desea darnos.



MISSION: Committed to following Christ in faith and love through the sacramental tradition of the Catholic Church.

VISION: 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.

OFFICE STAFF

Administrative Assistant: LIZ CHAPMAN Ex 100

Business Manager: ELAINE GARDNER Ex 108

Religious Education: CHRIS STEELE Ex 105

Music Ministry Director: MARCOS LeBLANC Ex 104

Hall Rental: JUDY MARTINEZ 719-289-2615

PARISH GROUP CONTACTS

Knights of Columbus

John Spearing – 719-321-2799

Council of Catholic Women

Rose Guerrero-719-240-6111

Men of Joseph

Marcos LeBlanc Ex. 104



AMD FUND
September 13th- **Pledged \$62,155.00**
Target: **87,894.00**

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL
Distribution:
November 12, 1:00–2:00 PM
Food Drop Off:
October 24th & 25th at all Masses.

Saint Mary Help of Christians
Slovenian Heritage Museum
Grand Opening
October 17, 12.00-5:00pm Free
Inside the old St. Mary's School

**YOU ARE INVITED TO A TALK
ON EUCHARIST AS COMMUNION**
By Father Joseph Matitu, SSS
October 18th, at 2:45pm
St. Mary, Help of Christians Church

Knights of Columbus Breakfast
Oct. 11th, 7:30am-10:30am
Charles Murray Hall
Menu: Eggs, sausage, hash browns,
green chile, coffee, juice, peaches
Price-Adults \$12.00
Children 7-10yrs \$8.00
Come share a meal and support our
local Knights of Columbus

Honoring those who Serve.
Thanking those who protect.
Saturday October 24th @4:30pm
St. Joseph Church will celebrate the
Mass in honor of all our
First Responder men and women
who unselfishly give to protect us
and our loved ones.
Please join us as we come together
in gratitude and prayer for these
people who serve with courage,
dedication and sacrifice.
We see you. Thank you.
We pray for you.



October: The Month of the Holy Rosary

My dear brothers and sisters,

Every October, the Church invites us to return to one of her most tender devotions — the Holy Rosary. For me, this month has never been just a tradition on the calendar. It is a doorway into some of the deepest memories of my life, memories that shaped my vocation, my faith, and my heart.

I remember being a young boy, just before six o'clock in the evening, when my mother would call the three of us — her children — to gather and pray the Rosary. The sun would be setting, the day slowing down, and there we were, kneeling together, learning what it meant to trust God. In our community, the block rosary every Saturday evening brought neighbors out of their homes, united in one voice, one rhythm, one hope. It was simple, but it formed us. It made us close. It made us family.

In school, the Rosary became part of my daily rhythm, a quiet strength that helped me persevere in my studies. Later, in the religious organization I first belonged to, the Rosary was again at the center — a prayer that anchored me, guided me, and slowly shaped my vocation. And of course, in the seminary, every evening, the Rosary returned like an old friend. Rosary, Rosary, Rosary — it became the steady heartbeat of my spiritual life.

This month, I invite you to rediscover the Rosary not as repetition, but as relationship. Every Hail Mary is a step with Mary. Every mystery is a window into Christ's life. Every decade is a quiet surrender of your own story into God's hands. The Rosary is not a prayer you rush through. It is a prayer that carries you.

Pray it as a family. Pray it in your car. Pray it during your walk. Pray it when you feel lost, or grateful, or overwhelmed. Let the Rosary become the thread that holds your day together, the anchor that steadies your heart, the gentle path that leads you back to Jesus.

October is the Month of the Rosary — but the grace it brings lasts far beyond these thirty-one days. May Our Lady of the Rosary draw each of us closer to her Son, and may this beautiful devotion strengthen our parish, our families, and our faith.

Mary, Mother of the Church, pray for us.

Fr. Joseph

Important Dates

Oct. 8th ---Youth Group 6:00pm

Oct. 11th -Religious Ed 10:00-10:50am
High School Conf. 1:00-2:00pm

Oct. 30th --Baptism Class 6:00pm

Lady Fingers:

Once again we will come together to make our famous lady fingers, on **Oct. 12th, 13th and 14th**, for the upcoming CCW craft show on **October 17th & 18th** and our Spaghetti Dinner on **November 1st**.

If you have some extra time during the week of October 12th-15th we could use your help to make the above events successful. We will start at **8:00 am** each day.

Meatballs:

The meatballs will be done on Saturday **October 31st**, If you can help make meatballs for the Spaghetti dinner, please join us this day.

We will start at **8:00am** in the hall.

Spaghetti Dinner:

If you would like to help us at this year's Spaghetti Dinner. Sign-up sheets will be in the Narthex for the next few weekends.

Thank you all:

Thank you in advance to everyone who continues to help make our events so successful. It could not be done without your kindness.

Please Pray for the repose of the souls:

Jason Daffin.....Service last week
Edward GarciaFuneral 10-9-26
Mary Baca.....Funeral 10-15-26

Collections Etc.®

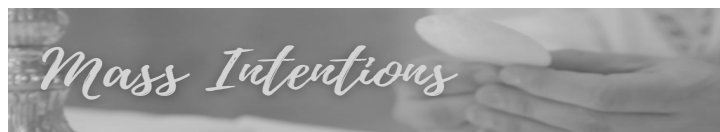
October 3rd.

ENVELOPES	\$6,843.00
LOOSE CURRENCY	\$1,158.00
LOOSE CHECK	\$3,776.00
HOLY DAY	\$ 00.00

TOTAL:\$11,776.00

**** Approximately \$8,530.00 per week needed for expenses.**

ST. JOSEPH ONLINE TITHING
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October 17th - Saturday - 4:30 PM

+Caroline & Gilbert Garcia
+Frank Palacio
+Eva Cordova
+Dorothy Mauro
+Elisia Pineda
+Nanci Welte
+Bonnie R. Sajbel
Thanksgiving to St. Joseph (SI)

October 18th - Sunday - 7:30 AM

+Jason & Dominic Godinez
+Orlando Rivera, Esther, Manuel
+John Klomp
+Maurice Guerrero
+Bill Bustillos
+Ed & Josephine Janoski
+Tina Romero
+Meg Centa

Sunday - 9:00 AM

+Tony Montoya
+Eric Autobee

Sunday - 11:00 AM

+Nicholas Henry
+Gary Consalvi
+Joanne St. George
+Anthony Gutierrez
+Mike & Josephine Lisac
+Sam & Connie Gurrero
+Janet Ornelas
+Diana Chavez
+Art Urbina
+Don Sedillo
+Jason Daffin

Monday, Oct. 19th - 8:00 AM

+Maria Gutierrez
+Maybelle Cansino

Tuesday, Oct. 20th - 8:00 AM

People of the Parish

Wednesday, Oct. 21st -8:00 AM

Peace in our World

Thursday, Oct. 22nd -8:00 AM

For the Priests and Deacons of the Diocese

Friday, Oct. 23rd - 8:00 AM

People who are alone in the world

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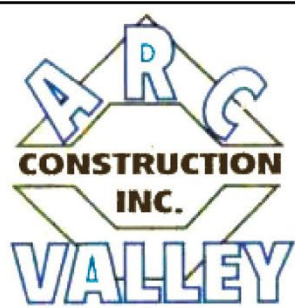
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Southern Colorado Clinic
Urgent Care Santa Fe – County Location

2403 Santa Fe Dr # 7 • Pueblo, CO 81006
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URGENT CARE HOURS: 8 am to 5 pm Mon–Fri • CLOSED Sat–Sun

Family Practice Edward Medina PA.....8 am–5 pm • Mon, Tues, Thurs, Fri
Family Practice Karen Springfield NP.....8 am–5 pm • Wed

Avoid the ER and the wait! Visit Urgent Care for medical conditions such as:

- Covid-19 Tests
- Influenza/Flu
- Fever
- Vomiting/Diarrhea
- Cough/Cold
- Sore Throat
- Ear Infection/Ache
- Simple Lacerations
- Minor Burns
- Insect Bites
- Musculoskeletal Injuries/
Splinting (X-Rays at Parker
or Ivywood locations)
- Other Common Injuries

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