



Welcome

TO THE CATHOLIC
COMMUNITY OF
NORTHWEST WYOMING
DIOCESE OF CHEYENNE



St. Anthony of Padua - Cody
Our Lady of the Valley - Clark

St. Theresa of the Child Jesus - Meeteetse

St. Francis of Assisi - Yellowstone National Park To see the bulletin in color, go to website

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Mass Schedule:

Cody: Monday 8:30 a.m.
Tuesday thru Friday . . 8:30 a.m & 12:15 p.m.
Saturday 8:30 a.m. & 5:00 p.m.
Sunday 9:00 a.m.
Holy Days 8:30 a.m. & 5:30 p.m.
Meeteetse: Sunday 8:30 a.m.
Clark: Sunday 11:00 a.m.
Latin Mass-Powell: Sunday 12:00 Noon

Sacrament of Reconciliation:

Cody: Wed. 6:30-7:30 p.m. & Saturday 3:00-4:p.m.
Meeteetse: Sundays @ 8a.m.
Clark Fridays @ 4 p.m.

Baptism: Class Required. Please call Office: 587-3388

Marriage: 6 Months Preparation. 587-3388

Altar Servers	Deacon Rick	587-2567
Angels of Mercy	Thelma Bischoff	272-0399
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Cath United for Life	Fred Schneider	587-2733
Children's Liturgy	Tom Caudle	587-2567
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Eucharistic Adoration	Joyce Dickerman	587-3388
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Finance Council Chair	Tim O'Leary	272-9014
Gift Shop	Arlene Leonetti	587-2485

Mission Statement:

We, the people of the Roman Catholic parishes of St. Anthony of Padua, Our Lady of the Valley, St. Theresa of the Child Jesus, and St. Francis of Assisi, always in union with our Bishop and the Magisterium of the Catholic Church, as disciples of Christ, realize that everything is a gift of God.

We serve the people of God through Sacramental and Liturgical celebrations and on-going faith formation. As grateful disciples, we cultivate, nurture and develop our gifts, expressed in spiritual and social events, enabling us to personally live the Gospel of Jesus as Catholic individuals and families in our communities.

FIRST SUNDAY OF ADVENT

December 2, 2018

1st Reading: Jer. 33:14-16
2nd Reading: 1 Thes.3:12-4:2
Gospel: Luke 21:25-28, 34-36



FOCUS: Look to the Heavens

Though the followers of Jesus were told at his ascension not to stare uselessly up at the sky, faithful disciples will keep focused-with their hearts-on the power of heaven for guidance and comfort.

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**MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK
Sunday - Dec. 2- Dec.9, 2018**

St. Anthony - Cody 9:00 am Parishioners of St. Anthony, Our Lady of the Valley & St. Theresa

St. Theresa - Meeteetse 8:30 Mike & Stacie
Brault by Betty Jensen

Our Lady of the Valley - Clark 11am
Intention of Celebrant

Latin Mass in Powell Intention of the Donor

Spanish Mass in Cody 5pm Intention of Celebrant
Mon. 12/03 8:30am † Vicki Tuss by Leo

and Delores Platteter

Tues. 12/04 8:30 am † Joe Boydston by Roger and Mary Anne Koontz

LTCC 9:30 am Diane Gilbert
12:15 pm Intention of Donor

Wed. 12/05 8:30 am † Melvin Torczon by Roger and Mary Anne Koontz

12:15pm Living & Deceased Members of Knox/ McClellan Families

Thurs. 12/06 8:30 am † Norm Miller by Family
12:15pm † Vicki Tuss by Roger & Mary Anne Koontz

Fri. 12/07 8:30 am Dennis & Janice Beaudrie

Our Lady of Valley 5pm † Van Largent by Roger and Mary Anne Koontz

St. Anthony 5:30pm † Phil DuVal by Roger and Mary Anne Koontz

Sat. 12/08 8:30 am Intention of Donor

St. Theresa 8:30am † Chris Downs by Roger & Mary Anne Koontz

5:00 pm † Jesus Veronica by Morales Family

Sun. 12/09 **St. Anthony** Parishioners of St. Anthony, OLV & St. Theresa

St. Theresa - Meeteetse 8:30am

Intention of Celebrant

Our Lady of the Valley Clark 11:00 am

AJ Welch by Special Intention

Latin Mass in Powell - Noon- † John Wilson by Roger & Mary Anne Koontz

Ministers for.....Sat., Dec. 8th @ 5pm

Altar Servers: Grosz & Thomasson Families

Lector: Barbara Grant

Distribute the Sacred Species: Hugh & Melissa Fraser, Anita Fletcher, Greg Gaspers, Kathy Kamm

Children's Liturgy: Meagan Thomasson

Sunday, Dec. 9th @ 9:00am

Altar Servers: Boysen & Morales Families

Lector: James Klessens

Distribute the Sacred Species: Jackie Keating, Eileen Kelly, Vi LaFave, George Morris, Peg Pond Paul

“Of all devotions, that of adoring Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament is the greatest after the sacraments, the one dearest to God and the one most helpful to us.” *Alphonsus Liguori*



Available Hours for Eucharistic Adoration Mon. @ 11am; Tues. @ 10am, noon, 3pm, 5 & 6pm; Wed. @ 3pm; Fri. @ 10am & 4pm.

Please call Joyce @ 307-587-3388 to accept an Hour or to volunteer to sub.

**WEEK AT A GLANCE @ ST. ANTHONY
Dec. 2-9, 2018**

Mon. - Friday: Exposition and Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament following Mass
9:00 - 7:00 pm
Lunes a Viernes Exposicion de Sagrado Sacramento
9:00 a 7:00pm despues de Misa
Mon. 12/03 6:00pm Special Events Adult Choir
7:00 pm Adult Choir Practice practica del Coro
Wed. 12/05 4pm CCD/Doctrina K-5
5:30 Youth Choir Practice
6:30 Reconciliation/Confesiones
Mary's Moms
CCD/Doctrina 6-12
7pm Eucharistic Adoration Meeteetse
Thurs. 12/06 9:30am Mary's Moms
5:30pm Cenacles of Life
Fri. 12/07 1pm Spiritual Motherhood Sodality

IMMACULATE CONCEPTION is a Holy Day of Obligation.

Masses are as follows:

Friday Dec. 7

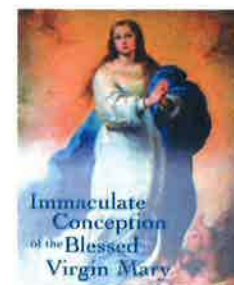
5pm in Clark

(preceded by a Holy Hour)

5:30pm in Cody

Saturday Dec. 8 8:30am in Cody

8:30am in Meeteetse



LAST WEEK'S OFFERING TO THE LORD

Envelope & Plate - Cody \$ 4,896.17

Thanksgiving \$ 803.00

THANK YOU FOR YOUR GENEROSITY

LIVING & GIVING IN CHRIST: UNITY THROUGH DIOCESAN MINISTRIES: As of Nov. 20th, St.

Anthony's is at 94% of our goal with \$71,088.00; St. Theresa's has met their goal with \$3,299.00; Our Lady of the Valley has also met their goal with \$4,265.00. **We want to express our gratitude for your generous giving!!**

**** SAVE THE DATE*SAVE THE DATE****

In addition this year, the Youth Choir will be performing on Christmas Eve Mass at 5 p.m with Christmas Carol Service at 4:30pm. Are you interested in singing with us in the Adult or Youth Choir on these special events? We will be happy to hear from you. Please contact Patricia Wormington at 307 213 0229 for more information about the programs

PARISH PENANCE SERVICE

To help you prepare for Christmas, the surrounding Catholic



churches are offering multiple opportunities for Reconciliation! Several area priests will be available here as well as Father Clark, Father Brian & Father Heston. All Penance Service times are 7pm.

Monday, Dec. 17th-----Cody

Tuesday, Dec. 18th-----Powell

Wednesday, Dec. 19th-----Worland

Thursday, Dec. 20th-----Greybull

Friday, Dec. 21st-----Lovell

St. Anthony's will host a Procession, Play, Mass & Fiesta on the Feast Day of Our Lady of Guadalupe, Dec. 12th at 6:30pm. For Potluck following Mass: last names A-G: main dish; H-O: side dish; P-Z: dessert.

Questions call Laura @ 899-4576



The Rorate Caeli Mass is a traditional Advent devotion wherein the Mass of the Blessed Virgin Mary for Advent is offered **just before dawn**. Please plan to come to this beautiful, candlelight Liturgy on Dec. 15th at 7am. Continental breakfast to follow in Brady Hall.

"BEING CATHOLIC"

Join us for a Lively and engaging Class and Discussion on our Faith. We will observe our faith from different angles and different horizons and observe how everything is interconnected. Our discussions are called "Being Catholic" and they cover what we believe, what we do and what we think. We do think differently! This discussion is open to everyone. We especially invite anyone new to the faith or inquiring about the faith to come, listen and ask questions. On Thurs, Dec. 6th we will discuss *The Mystery of the Church*. The discussion will be led by Deacon Rick at 6:30pm in the St. Ignatius of Loyola Room in the Center. "See you there!"



ADVENT REFLECTION

I sit here with my list, Lord, and I know I need help finding a balance. I am so looking forward to Christmas Day, with the family here, the company, the wonderful celebration. But, Lord, there is SO much to do! When will it all get done? How will I maintain any semblance of inner peace in this "peaceful" season? I think, Lord, that I need some balance in my life. I feel so torn between wanting to cook and fill my house with wonderful welcoming smells, and wanting to finish decorating the house. I have shopping to do, the house to clean and cards to write and mail. When? How? Help me, guide me, Lord. Help me to set priorities around doing those things that will bring me closer to you. Maybe my house really is clean enough, or maybe I can ask my family for help. Can the cards wait until a quiet afternoon after Christmas? Can my house decorations be simpler? Is there more than a little ego involved when I want so desperately to have my house "magazine perfect" for the holidays? Help me rediscover the joy of simplicity, Lord. Help me to remember what I am celebrating. Help me to find it in my heart to call out, "Come, Lord Jesus." (Courtesy of Creighton University)

ADULT EDUCATION

Join Deacon Joe as he leads a class studying Bishop Barron's, *The Mass*. The 3rd of 6 classes will be Dec. 5th, 1:30-3pm OR 6:30-8pm in the Center. Cost is \$24. All are welcome...even if you missed the first class!

St. Anthony Singles (SAS) will meet after Sat. Mass, 12/01, at Wendy's; Grannies after Mass on 12/02; Olive Glenn for lunch on 12/04; Farmer's Market @ 4 on 12/06; Free lunch at Senior Center @ 11:30 on 12/07; Heart Mt. Camp 10-4 on Sat., then dinner @ Wendy's after Mass. Hope to see you there!

The next **PRAYER SHAWL MINISTRY** meeting will be Wed., Dec. 12th after morning Mass in the Center's Library. Please call Dorothy @ 213-5195.

The next **WOMEN'S SPIRITUALITY GROUP** will be Wed., Dec. 5th after morning Mass. We are reading one of Fr. Rick Malloy's books, "Being on Fire." Please join us!



ST. ANTHONY'S 9TH FINE ART & CRAFT SHOW is scheduled for February 16th. New vendors are always welcome! Call Peg @ 899-5211 for a registration form.