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Mass Schedule

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Cody: Monday - Friday	8:30am			
Saturday	5pm Vigil			
Sunday	9am & 5pm			
Meeteetse: Saturday	8:30am			
Clark: Friday @ 5pm AND S	Sunday @ 11:30am			
Confessions in Cody: Wed. (@ 6:00pm & Sat. @ 3pr			

Clark: Fridays @ 4:30pm

Office hours: M-Th: 9am - 4pm; Fri: 9 - noon

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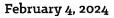


FIFTH SUNDAY IN **ORDINARY TIME**

FEB 4, 2024

First Reading Jb 7:1-4;6-7 Second Reading Gospel

1 Cor 9:16-19;22-23 Mk 1:29-39



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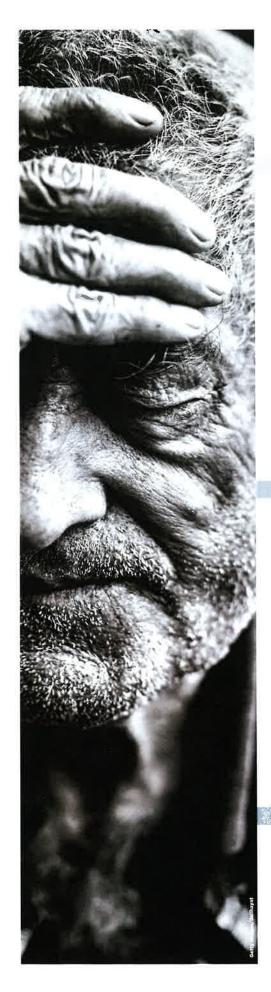
Why me? It could be a flat tire, a lost job or a serious illness. When inconvenient, unpleasant or even downright horrible things happen, it is understandable to wonder why God allows it. I know that is what goes through my head in extreme adversity. God can do all things, so why wouldn't he change "this thing" for me? In the Gospel, we see Jesus curing Simon Peter's mother-inlaw of her illness, but many of us don't have our prayers answered like that. Instead, we may relate more to Job in today's first reading when he says life is a "drudgery" and he "shall not see happiness again." The reality is that God's ways are not our ways, so we can't know why some people endure hardship while others receive miracles. But we can change how we respond to those hardships when they arrive. Just as this passage from Job is understood better within the context of the whole book, discrete events in our lives are part of something larger than ourselves. Praying with Scripture, including reading more of Job, can help us understand how God is molding, refining, and yes – always loving us.

GO EVANGELIZE

PRAYER, INVITATION, WITNESS, ACCOMPANIMENT

When we are tempted to feel like Job is a good time to embrace the ageold practice of "offering it [suffering] up." As a child, my parents explained
that offering it up meant I was telling God I would happily suffer in exchange for it helping someone else. What does this really mean? Everything
stems from our being united to Christ in our baptism and being participants
in his priestly, prophetic and royal office. We offer ourselves, our whole
being, including our worship, praise, joy, gratitude, bodies and even sufferings to God as sacrifice. So, to "offer it [suffering] up" is a powerful way of
taking a bad situation and allowing it to be used for something good; to
give our inconvenience, pain and grief to the Lord and ask him to unite it
to Christ's suffering for the good of others. It is a redemptive act, a form of
love-in-action. St. Paul is a great example of someone who suffered gladly, and in today's second reading he shares that "to the weak [he] became
weak, to win over the weak."

PRAY Offering up our sufferings and difficulties is a way to participate in the redemptive work of Christ. It is a simple way to pray and can keep our focus on God throughout the day. There isn't any one specific prayer for doing this. Instead, when something unpleasant or painful happens, take a moment to acknowledge it and give it to the Lord. It can be as simple as saying, "Lord, I am happy to endure this for the benefit of others." You may want to insert a specific intention or offer it for the souls in purgatory. It's not always easy especially when your suffering is great – but give it a try this week.



MASS INTENTIONS FOR WEEK OF FEBRUARY 4, 2024

Sunday, February 4, 2024 FIFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

9am: Norm Miller by Steve Miller

11:30am @ Clark: Parishioners of St. Anthony, St. Theresa & Our Lady of the Valley

5pm: Kennedy Craig by The Lanchburys

Monday, February 5 ST. AGATHA, VIRGIN AND MARTYR

8:30am: +Jess Fraser by Deacon Joe & Myrna Bush

Tuesday, February 6 ST. PAUL MIKI AND COMPANIONS, MARTYRS

8:30am: Deceased Members of LTCC Rosary Group by John & Donna Sears

Wednesday, February 7

8:30am: Parents & Deceased Siblings of Dennis Beaudrie

6pm: CONFESSION

Thursday, February 8 ST. JEROME EMILIANI; ST. JOSEPHINE BAKHITA, VIRGIN

8:30am: Holy Souls in Purgatory by Dan & Kathleen Golder

Friday, February 9

8:30am: Leo Platteter by Al & Theresa Zwicky

4pm @ OLV: +Baby Hosemann by Patricia Hosemann

Saturday, February 10 ST. SCHOLASTICA, VIRGIN

8:30am @ Meeteetse: +Jeanne Marshall by John & Donna Sears

3pm: CONFESSION

5pm: +Gary & Clarice Troxel by Tim & Annette Troxel

Sunday, February 11 SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

9am: +Patricia Chambers by Dan & Nancy Halstead

11:30am @ Clark: +Clarence Shuff, Jr. by Patricia Hosemann

5pm: Parishioners of St. Anthony, St. Theresa & Our Lady of the Valley

**A live-stream Mass is available every Sunday @ 11am by accessing: www.dcwy.org. Masses can be accessed at any time.

COLLECTION FOR JANUARY 28, 2024

Cody	\$3,988.30	Online	\$992.50	St. Theresa	\$ 156.00
Clark	\$ 545.00	Online	\$ 30.60	Family Fund	\$2,362.65
Building	\$ 80.00				

THANK YOU TO ALL WHO HAVE GENEROUSLY DONATED. Your generosity is very humbling. If you're interested in signing up for Online Giving, please give our bookkeeper, Jami Grosz, a call at 587-3388.

PLEASE remember to pray for our dear church family members that are living at Absaroka: Cliff & Alene Bryan, Cynthia Connor, Jack Cranfill, Bob & Jan Datteri, Harold & Joyce Franck, Nellie Grosz, Retha Miller, George & Pat Morris & Glen & Billie Rice. At Long Term Care Center: Bruna Aguilar, Nancy Fedell, Betty Jensen, Patricia Meier, Sharon Patton & Jeanne Tornow. Let us also pray for their families. Let us pray for those in the hospital, for those convalescing at home & in rehabilitation facilities, for those who are sick and for those who are mourning.

ANGELS OF MERCY



Are you in need of prayer? Angels of Mercy is a non-denominational prayer group of over 60 people who are willing to offer prayers for your intentions. Originally started by Jeanne Lenzner some 25 years ago, this group serves those needing prayers well.

If you would like to have prayers said on your behalf and/or be a prayer warrior, contact Donna Carpenter at 307-250-6258.



EUCHARISTIC ADORATION

Eucharistic Adoration is an invitation by Our Lord in the Blessed Sacrament to spend time in prayer and presence with Him, to adore Him, to make reparation to His Sacred Heart and to petition Him for our needs. Eucharistic Adoration is a time when one can come face-to-face with Jesus, the Lord of all creation. Jesus looks at us and we look at Him fully present in the Blessed Sacrament. Eucharistic Adoration is an opportunity for us to take time out of our busy lives to come and rest in the Lord.

Holy Hours in need of filling:

The following are Holy Hours in need of filling: Tuesday @ 9am, Thursday @ 11am, Friday @ 9am & 3pm.



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- 3. Register with your name and email address
- 4. Check that email account for a link to begin using FORMED

EUCHARISTIC MINISTER SCHEDULE

Saturday, February 10

Lector: Jody Moser/Gerard Baumstarck E.M.: Russ & Elizabeth Wenke

Sunday, February 11

9am Lector: Howard Brown/Brian Jackson E.M.: Peg Pond Paul/Vi LaFave

5pm Lector: Jona Vanata/Ed Reed E.M.: Laura Laughlin/Ed





Coffee and doughtnuts are on the second Sunday of each month in Brady Hall after the 9am Mass!! Please plan on coming down before heading out into the cold!!

*Are you new to the parish or just never got around to registering? There are registration forms available in the vestibule of the church and also in the office. Please register so we can get to know you!!!

**Also, we send out the bulletin and other announcements weekly to those for whom we have email addresses. This is beneficial as an electronic copy of the bulletin cuts down on our paper cost and waste. Please call the office with your email: 587-3388.



Knights of Columbus

~Council 4031~

St. Anthony of Padua

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Do you want to join the Knights of Columbus or would like more information? You must be at least 18 years old and a Catholic in good standing. Please contact the office at 307.587.3388 leave a message for Chris Lovera or Rich Dickerman, info@CodyKC.org Knights of Columbus Council 4031, P.O. Box 1492, Cody, WY 82414. Meeting times are on the second Thursday of each month at 6pm @ Brady Hall with dinner to follow. We would like to thank our parishioners. The members are the foundation of our church and you are all appreciated for your continuous generosity and financial support. With a strong foundation we can reach out to our community and share God's message.

Ushers needed for all Masses! If interested please contact Chris Lovera at 307-587-3388

Knight of the Month is Michael Polacek. And the Family of the Month is Hugh and Melissa Fraser.

The **Buffalo Bill Birthday Ball** is an annual fundraising event hosted by the Cody Knights of Columbus. Net proceeds from the Ball benefit local charities and service programs.

Event information

February 24, 2024 at the Cody Auditorium, doors open at 5pm, Prime Rib dinner @ 6pm, followed by live music and silent auction (must be 21 or older), tickets \$45/person or \$50/person if purchased at the door. Raffle winner of raffle wins a Henry Golden Boy .22 Magnum Rifle, \$10 for 1 ticket or \$25 for 3 tickets.

MEN'S GROUP

All men in the parish are invited to attend the Men's Group. This group gets together every Wednesday morning at 6am for about an hour or so, to discuss various topics relating to our Catholic faith. Come join them and enjoy an early morning cup of coffee!



LENTEN NEWS

As you are aware, Ash Wednesday is February 14th this year. (Hmmm, wonder what else is that day??) Not to despair, because we are kicking off this solemn season with great expectations for our spiritual renewal – which is overwhelmingly, and eternally, better than a box of chocolates!!

St. Anthony's is hosting an **Ash Wednesday Fish Fry** after the 5:30pm Mass. Ticket prices are \$14.00/adult, \$10/10-18 years of age, free under 10yrs.. Proceeds for the evening's dinner

will go towards paying down our Diocesan Living & Giving balance so please be generous. Take-out dinners will be available. Tickets will be sold after weekend Masses and may be purchased in the Office during hours, 8am-4pm M-Th, 8am-noon F.

We will have **Mass**, **Stations of the Cross & Soup Supper** every Friday during Lent. Mass begins at 5:30pm. We are still looking for people to provide a soup for approx. 20 people on several of the Fridays. If you can help, please let the Office know!

Schedule for Stations of the Cross in Cody:

Feb. 16: Father Heston & Mary's Moms Feb. 23: Deacons

March 1: Monday 1pm prayer group & Holy Land Pilgrims

March 8: Knights of Columbus March 15: Evang. Group March 22: Religious Education

March 19: Living Stations

Schedule for Stations of the Cross in Clark:

Feb. 15: O'Mara Family Feb. 22: George Family Feb. 29: Belfiores

March 7: Canny Family March 14: Peterson Family March 19: Gallaghers

March 28: All

The **Knights of Columbus** are, once again, cooking up yummy Lenten breakfasts on three Sunday mornings of Lent: February 18th, March 3rd & March 17th. Please be sure to make some extra time after the 9am Mass to join your fellow parishioners for a wonderful meal, company and conversation!!



The Parish Council of Saint Anthony of Padua invites you to participate in the new parish photo directory. It has been a long time since the parish had one and church membership has changed considerably. This photo directory is the same one the Knights of Columbus have been using for its directory with great success. It is safe and secure, with the ability to view from a desktop computer, a smart phone or tablet as well as print hard copies of the directory.

We will not be hiring a professional photographer for the photos, rather we would appreciate for you to add your own images to the photo directory. You will be allowed to add an image of yourself as a member of the parish, and then add a picture or two of your extended family.

You will be receiving an email, at a later date, from "Online Member Directory" with instructions on how to work with the Directory on your phone along with a temporary username and password for your initial use.

To explore the online Directory, go to Online Church Directory | Up-to-Date and Online - All the Time! (www.onlinechurchdirectory.com).

Please contact Ed Reed (eacreed@yahoo.com) or 899-2233 if you have any questions. If you are uncomfortable working with the site in uploading your photo(s), please send them to Ed or bring them to the parish office and we will do it for you. We will also have folks available in assisting after Masses at dates yet to be determined.

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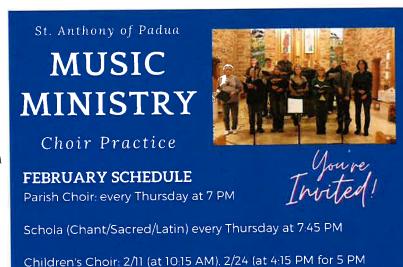
The photo directory will work best and to its fullest benefit if everybody would participate and submit a picture.

WOMEN'S PRAYER SHAWL & SPIRITUAL MINISTRY Join this ministry every Wednesday, 9:30-11am in the Parish Center. We created and teach how to make prayer shawls and we always have them blessed. Our group also selects book to enhance our faith. Please plan to join us.

ANTHONY'S PRESCHOOL

The \$50 Preschool raffle winners from January are:

Heidy Galeano, Shawn Fergusen, Elle Luthy & Terry Adaf. Marcus Bender was the lucky \$100 winner!!!



Hispanic Choir: 4th Sunday at 4 PM for 5 PM Mass

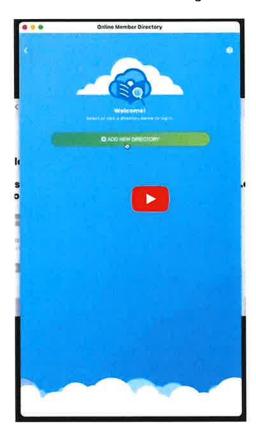
CONTACT: PATRICIA WORMINGTON FOR REGISTERING YOUR INTEREST 307 213 0229

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 - Your Password is: SAC2024
 - You can change both once logged in the first time. PLEASE do for security.





Remember that there are two tabs for pictures. One for individuals (members) and one for families/couples pictures. Please upload pictures to both. Singles may use the same picture or choose another for both tabs.

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Our next class will be on Thursday, February 8th from 6:00 pm until 7:30 pm in the Joan of Arc Room in the Parish

Classes will be led by Deacon Rick Moser.



If you want to advertise in the bulletin, please call the parish office at 587-3388.



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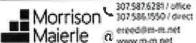
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