**Community Cupboard** is looking for the following items for the month of September; breakfast items - oatmeal, cereal, pancake mix/syrup, granola bars, muffin mixes, etc. Thank you for your support and donations to our Tongue River Community.

**St. Edmunds Prayer Intentions:** Please pray for the sick in our community, for those serving in the military, and for the deceased members of our parish family.

To add an intention to our St. Edmunds prayer chain, please email them to stedmundsranchester@outlook.com or contact Susan Lanka at 751-5018 or lanka.susan@gmail.com.

**Upcoming Events & Reminders:**
- **Sept. 24th - Committee Formation Meetings after Mass**
- **Sept. 28th - Grant Photo Opp. @ 10:30 @ Church**
- **Oct. 3rd - Stitch & Prayer @ 6:00pm @ PH**
- **Oct. 8th - Coffee & Donuts, Faith Formation @ TRVCC**

**September Feast Days:**
- Month dedicated to Our Lady of Sorrows: Sept. 27th - St. Vincent De Paul
- Sept. 29th - Sts. Michael, Gabriel, & Raphael Archangels
- Sept. 30th - St. Jerome

**CCW:** Please turn in your $10 dues by check or cash to Cathy Wallace or Katelynn by October 8th. Thank you! Please check your email for the Fall Meeting Minutes, we have quite a few events coming up!

**Stitch & Prayer:** We will resume Stitch & Prayer meetings beginning Tuesday, Oct. 3rd at 6:00pm in the parish house. We will meet the first and third Tuesdays of each month. All are welcome to join us!

**Marriage Moments:** In Matthew 20:1-16, some laborers complain that the landowner is not paying them fairly. What’s fair in your marriage? Does one of you do harder work than the other? Get paid more? Talk about the value of the work each of you do. Should any adjustments be made?

**Parenting Pointers:** Next Monday (Sept. 25) is “Eat Dinner Together Day.” How many days a week should your family eat together? Some experts say try for at least 4 or 5.

**St. Edmond Ministries**

| Secretary: | Katelynn Doherty - 307-760-6113 |
| Parish Council President: | Dan Heser - 429-8035 |
| Finance Council President: | Cathy Fortier - 655-9683 |
| Music Ministry Director: | Rosana Henderson - 461-1436 |
| Liturgy Ministry Scheduling: | Bonnie Yalowizer - 307-751-9311 |
| Sacristan: | Carole Petty - 655-9728 |
| Homebound & Caring Outreach: | Prayer Shawl Ministry - 655-2255 |
| Prayer Chain Requests: | Susan Lanka - 751-5018 |
| Director of Faith Formation: | Monique Barron – 672-2848 |
| Parish Card Requests: | Katelynn Doherty - 307-760-6113 |
| CCW President: | Cathy Doherty - 307-760-6113 |
| Building Committee Head: | Carole Petty - 655-9728 |
| Ground Maintenance: | Tim Maze - 655-9289 |
| Church Cleaning Coordinator: | Cathy Wallace - 655-9723 |

**Collections:**
- **Sept. 17th**
  - $5,834 - Build. Fund
- **Total:** $6,406.00

**Ministry Schedule:**
- Oct. 1st, 2023
  - Sacristan: Carole P.
  - Lector: Bonnie Y.
  - Music: Monique/Hayden
  - Altar Server: Reagan R.
  - Gifts: Volunteer
  - Eucharistic Minister: Katelynn D.
  - Church Clean: Maria R.
Holy Name Faith Formation:
- Refer to HN Bulletin and Website for more information.
- Faith Formation Classes - Sept. 24th, 3:15 - 4:45. Everyone please meet in the parish hall. 3:15 - Parent & student meeting in Parish Hall. Come meet the Catechists before heading off to student classes.
- 1st Year Confirmation & 1st Communion Parents - Sept. 24th 3:15-4:15 - Forgiven Study at the Knights Hall
- COPs Club - Parent Meeting Sept. 28th. 5:30 at the Parish Center. Next Club meeting is on Oct. 26th, from 5:30-7:00 pm in the youth house. We will have food, fellowship, fun & prayer.
- Family Mass is Sunday, September 24th, at 5:00 pm.
- Family Adoration Oct. 1st 3:30-4:30 pm

Jr. High Youth Group:
- Sept. 24th Pizza & Bowling - Meet at cloud Peak Lanes 6:15-7:30pm

High School Youth Group:
- Sept. 24th Dinner & Small Groups @ YH

Adult Faith Formation Classes: Sign up at holynamesheridan.org under Adult Faith Formation
- Art of Living: Cardinal Virtues by Edward Sri Approx. 6 Sessions - $20 Daytime & Evening options TBD by interest.
- Psalms: The School of Prayer by Jeff Cavins 11 Sessions - $30 w/ digital access Wednesdays @ Noon beginning Sept. 6th
- Forgiven: 4 Sessions - Free, Monthly on following Sundays; 3:30-4:30 pm (9/24, 10/29, 11/19 & 12/17)
- Adult Confirmation Classes/RCIA & RCIC available. Contact HN for more info
- Healing Prayer Ministry - Pastoral Center on Wednesdays at 5:15 pm. Contact Leslie Lube 307-751-0251 for more info
- Care for Caregivers Ministry - Ten weekly workshops starting on Monday, September 11, 5:30 PM light dinner 6:30 PM workshop for caregivers and activities for loved ones.

St. Edmunds Faith Formation: We will meet at the TRVCC after coffee and donuts on Oct. 8th in the library. Please contact Katelynn or Kurt for more information. Please add the dates to your calendar! 2023 Class Dates: Oct. 8th, Nov. 12th, & Dec. 10th.

Photo Opportunity! On Thursday, September 28th at 10:30 at St. Edmonds, First Federal is presenting us with a $1000 check to our building project as part of their Community Commitment Program to non-profits. We are looking for some parishioners to join us that morning for a photo opportunity. Hope you can make it.

Worldwide Marriage Encounter Experience: All married couples are invited to attend the next Marriage Encounter Experience in Ucross at The Ranch, November 3-5. Application fee is $100. The Experience is a private time to reflect individually and with your spouse on the gift of a Sacramental marriage. To explore your personality style, to focus on activities that bring life and joy to our marriages and those that can create distance. This experience is an opportunity to learn communication techniques that allow participants to let down defenses and explore more deeply those subjects that are difficult to talk about. This experience is an opportunity to reconnect, to romance, and to fully realize the gifts inherent in a Sacramental lifestyle. To learn more, watch: https://www.facebook.com/watch/?v=635747607124827 OR visit the website: wwme.org Apply today by calling 307-215-9444.

Elizabeth Ministry invites all parents who have lost a child, including through miscarriage, stillbirth, abortion, or tragedy to a Mass of Remembrance on Friday, October 6th at 6 pm. Contact us at info.elizabethministry@gmail.com or 307-448-0084 if you are interested in more information!

Oct. Rosary: We will be gathering on the corner of the Sheridan County Courthouse on Saturday, October 7th, 2023 on the Feast of Our Lady of the Rosary at noon to pray the Rosary for the safety and welfare of America. Please join us. For information, contact Ed Miller, (307)672-6925.

We will be praying the Rosary before each Sunday Mass in October starting at 7:40am on Oct. 1st. Please sign up to lead a rosary.

Congratulations to Jesse and Jael Sanon on their Baptism into the Catholic Church today, Sept. 24th. Blessings and prayers to them and their families and welcome to our St. Edmund’s Family!