



# St. Ann

## CATHOLIC CHURCH

*Welcome!*

*December 3, 2023*

Fr. Craig Hanley, Pastor  
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Deacon Bernard McCarthy,  
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Shai LaFleur, Youth Minister  
Rosie Stimatz-Richards, Elementary R. E.  
Director  
Mike McGlynn, Custodian/Main. Eng.

### **Mass Schedule**

#### **Weekend Mass**

Saturday | Vigil 4:30 pm  
Sunday | 8:00 a.m. and 11:00 a.m.

#### **Weekday Mass**

Monday-Friday | 8:30 a.m.

### **Sacrament of Reconciliation**

**Saturday**  
3:00 – 4:00 p.m.

### **Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament**

**Tuesday**  
after the 8:30 a.m. Mass

### **Sacramental Information**

Please call the Parish Office  
at 406-723-4303

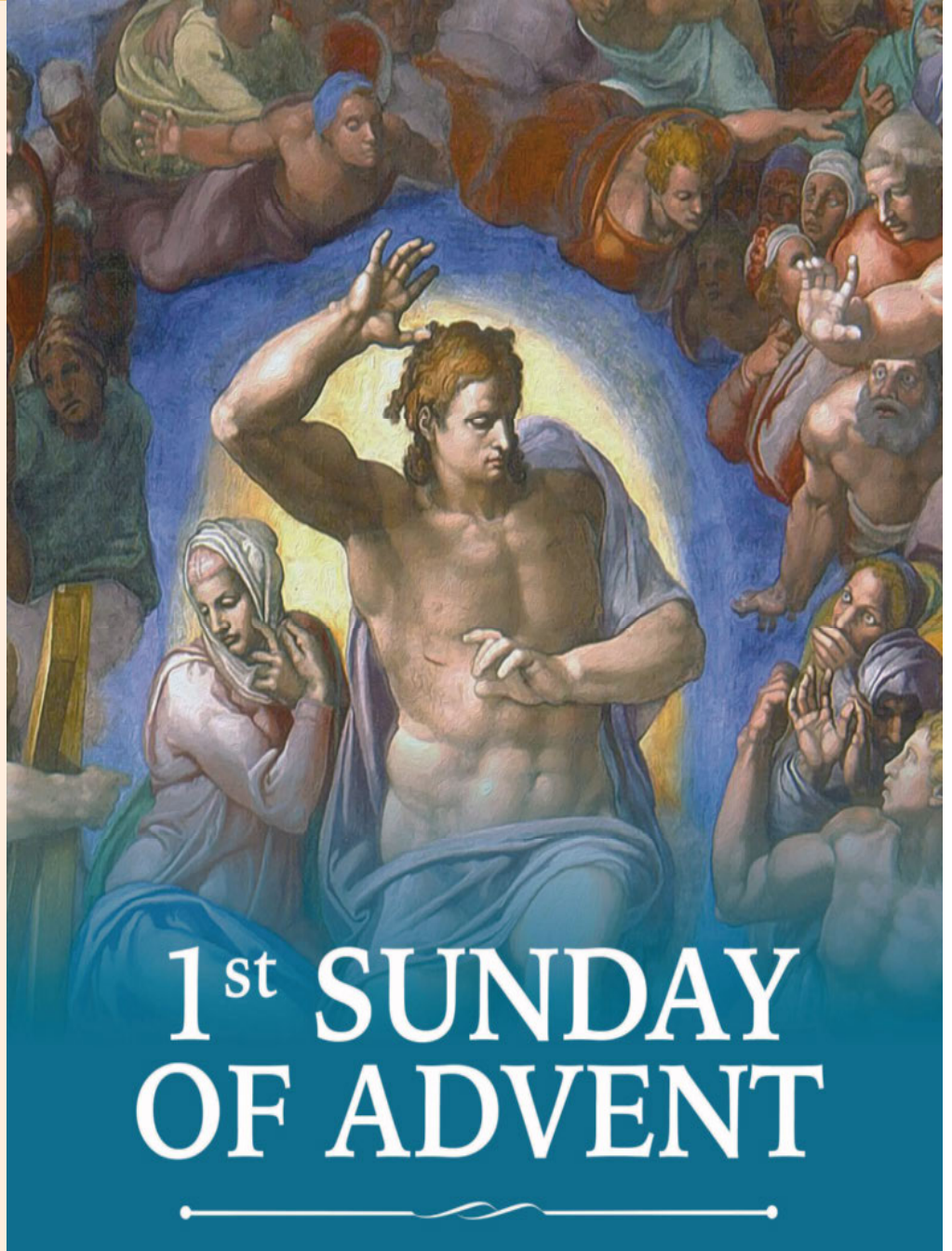
**Marriage Preparation:**  
6 months notice required

### **Parish Office**

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#### **Office Hours:**

Monday - Thursday  
9:00 am - 12:00 pm  
1:00 pm - 4:00 pm



# 1<sup>st</sup> SUNDAY OF ADVENT

St. Ann Parish is a welcoming Catholic Community dedicated to strengthening our Catholic faith and ministering to our members.

St. Ann Parish provides sacraments, pastoral care, religious education, community service, and promotes social responsibility.

# WEEKLY PRAYER

READINGS FOR THE WEEK OF  
December 3, 2023

**SUNDAY:** Is 63:16b-17, 19b; 64:2-7/Ps 80:2-3, 15-16, 18-19 (4)/I Cor 1:3-9/Mk 13:33-37

**MONDAY:** Is 2:1-5/Ps 122:1-2, 3-4b, 4cd-5, 6-7, 8-9/Mt 8:5-11

**TUESDAY:** Is 11:1-10/Ps 72:1-2, 7-8, 12-13, 17/Lk 10:21-24

**WEDNESDAY:** Is 25:6-10a/Ps 23:1-3a, 3b-4, 5, 6/Mt 15:29-37

**THURSDAY:** Is 26:1-6/Ps 118:1 and 8-9, 19-21, 25-27a/Mt 7:21, 24-27

**FRIDAY:** Gn 3:9-15, 20/Ps 98:1, 2-3ab, 3cd-4/Eph 1:3-6, 11-12/Lk 1:26-38

**SATURDAY:** Is 30:19-21, 23-26/Ps 147:1-2, 3-4, 5-6/Mt 9:35—10:1, 5a, 6-8

**NEXT SUNDAY:** Is 40:1-5, 9-11/Ps 85:9-10, 11-12, 13-14 (8)/2 Pt 3:8-14/Mk 1:1-8



## MASS INTENTIONS



**Monday, December 4:** Diane Birer Rb Joan Janhunnen

**Tuesday, December 5:** Guy Ossello Rb Chuck & Marilyn Goforth

**Wednesday, December 6:** Marlene Bublich Rb Dr. Dan Farren

**Thursday, December 7:** Erma Markovich Rb Her Girls

**Friday, December 8:** Scott Clark Rb Bill & Marilyn Boyle

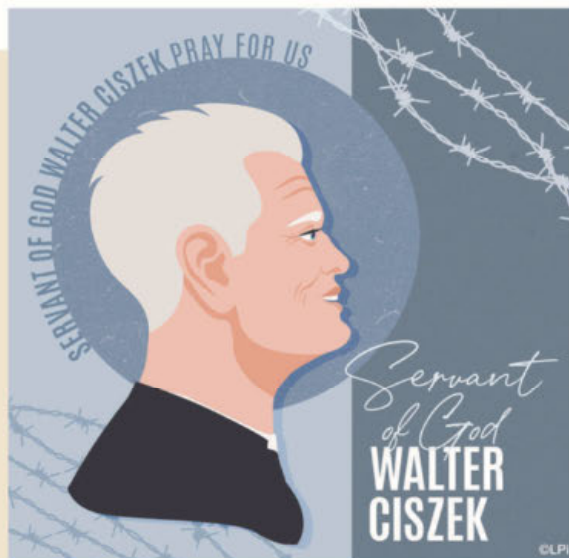
**Saturday, December 9:**

**4:30 p.m.** Father Bob Hall Rb Joe & Sally Michaud

**Sunday, December 10:**

**8:00 a.m.** Mrs. Lorraine & Mr. Bernard Lazzari Rb Theu Cao

**11:00 a.m.** Living & Deceased Members of St. Ann Parish



## Saint of the week

Servant of God Walter Cizek was a Jesuit priest and theologian who spent 23 years as a prisoner of war during the World War II and the Cold War. His endurance of suffering for his beliefs and his writings reminds us of the importance of religious freedom and the power of faith.

## Prayer

We adore You, Most Holy Trinity, and we thank You for the exemplary life of Your Servant, Father Walter Cizek. We pray that his strong faith in Your loving providence, his great love for You, and his kindness to all people be recognized by the Church. If it be Your will, may he be given to us as a saintly model of these virtues so that we too may be better motivated to dedicate our lives to Your greater honor and glory. We commend our petition through the prayers of the holy Mother of God. For to You, Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, is due all glory, honor, and worship, now and forever.  
Amen.

## COLLECTION FOR NOVEMBER 18-19, 2023

Envelopes:	\$ 4,816.00
Loose:	\$ 5,596.00
Direct Deposit:	\$ 1,005.00
<b>TOTAL:</b>	<b>\$11,417.00</b>
(Amount needed to make budget: \$8,180.00)	

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St. Ann

CATHOLIC CHURCH

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# Parish Events & Announcements

## Mining City Christmas & Holiday Giving Program



### ADOPT A FAMILY!

The need for donations and adoptions has never been greater. At least 1 in 5 Butte children live in poverty and at least 40% of the children live in low-income households. The program served 1,000 children and over 200 senior citizens last year.

To adopt a family, please call our dedicated Mining City Christmas Line at 406.533.6842 to find out how.

Action Inc. also accepts cash donations to help purchase warm clothing for families not adopted and Toys for Tots provides toys. To donate, visit our website at [www.butteassistanceprograms.org](http://www.butteassistanceprograms.org) and click "Donate" or mail a donation to 25 W. Silver Street in Butte..

## 27:17 IRONMEN

Proverbs: 27:17 Iron Sharpens Iron -  
And One **MAN** Sharpens **ANOTHER**

### Catholic Men's Seminar Series

Meeting second Saturday of each month

Date: **December 9, 2023**

8:00 a.m.-9:00 a.m.

Optional fellowship to follow

St. Ann's Social Center

2100 Farragut—Butte

Topic: **"Holiness Silence"**

Presenter: **Deacon Stephen Barry**

**Open to all men at no charge.**

For more information:

Brandon DeShaw 490-1415

Jim Bellandi 560-2857

*You are invited to reawaken and  
deepen your faith  
by attending an upcoming Catholic  
Journey Experience.*



Women's Journey Weekend—January 25-28, 2024  
Contact: [Linda.Liz.Palagi@gmail.com](mailto:Linda.Liz.Palagi@gmail.com) or 406-593-2441

Men's Journey Weekend—February 1-4, 2024  
Contact: [Sean.Claffey@tnc.org](mailto:Sean.Claffey@tnc.org) or 406-596-1484

## EVERYDAY STEWARDSHIP - RECOGNIZE GOD IN YOUR ORDINARY MOMENTS

EVERYDAY STEWARDSHIP

### In the Unexpected

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"What could happen next?" How many times have you asked yourself that question in the past year? Though we most often use that expression when things don't seem to be going our way, this year it has been an expression of the constant changes to our world which the COVID-19 pandemic has wrought. But we might use the same expression to explain our feelings of being overwhelmed by blessings and good things, when the stars seem to align just right.

No matter what, we can say with certainty that tomorrow will not go exactly as we envisioned. Our lives are influenced by so many factors and the world around us is increasingly complex. Rather than be surprised by the unexpected, maybe we should expect the unexpected.

Living in this manner causes us to cherish more deeply the gifts we have been given. It helps us to live in the present and become mindful of those around us. Our relationships deepen. Our sense of responsibility builds. Our stewardship way of life finds new meaning and purpose.

This Advent will not be the same experience as last Advent. It remains to be seen what the coming days and weeks have in store for each of us. However, no matter what happens, Jesus Christ is there to welcome us to the unexpected. He will celebrate with us in joy and he will even feel our pain. You can count on the unexpected, but you can also count on Him to be there with you. He is now and forever, Emmanuel, "God with us." He is the expected in all things unexpected.

— Tracy Earl Welliver, MTS

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Mary Jule Walsh  
Rose Sullivan  
Rose Sullivan  
Janet Janhunen

Rb Denise Kagie  
Rb Ann Shamley  
Rb Ron & Mary Gallardo  
Rb Patricia & Steve Myers



*December Memorials*

Adam, Earl & Lovie	Rb Greg & Brenda Ebner
Bates, Wayne, DeWayne & Robin	Rb Theresa
Boyle, Casey	Rb Mom & Dad
Clark, Scott	Rb Mom & Jerry Bruhjell
Crowley, A.E.	Rb John & Annette Giop
Clague, Claudia	Rb The children of Claudia
Darragh, Shirley & Dunk	Rb The Family
Darragh, Fr. Jack	Rb Jerry & Debbie Williams
Drynan, Sheila	Rb Jim, Chrissie & Mary Drynan
Deceased Members of the Drynan Family	Rb Jim, Chrissie & Mary Drynan
Deceased Members of the Garvey/Murphy Families	Rb Jim, Chrissie & Mary Drynan
Deceased Members of the Crowley & Fraser Families	Rb John & Annette Giop
Deceased Members of the Petroni & Giop Families	Rb John & Annette Giop
Dolan, Denny Sr.	Rb Judy & Family
Fischer, Rolene & Lois	Rb The Family
Giop, Sylvia, John and Fraser, William & Patricia	Rb John & Annette Giop
Gleason, Stella & Camey Lynn	Rb Jim & Family
Janhunen, Gus & Jim	Rb Janet
Joy, Catherine	Rb The Family
Joy & Armentaro Families	Rb Michelle & Family
Kadillak, George & Marie, The Christy & Gallant Families	Rb The Kadillak Children
Kambich, Bill & Cecelia Kambich	Rb The Family
Konen & Smith Families	Rb Jim & Betty Konen
Lash, Edward	Rb The Lash Family
Leary, Jim	Rb Sharon & Family
Leary, Catherine & Mickey	Rb Sharon & Family
Lemelin, Gene & Toots	Rb Sharon & Family
Living & Deceased Members of the Alvarez & Park Families	Rb Margarita Park
Living & Deceased Members of the Dennehy Family	Rb John Mike & Jean
Living & Deceased Members of the Ellingwood Family	Rb John Mike & Jean
Living & Deceased Members of the Herzog and Niklas Families	Rb Maureen Herzog
Living & Deceased Members of the Kindt & Piskolich Families	Rb Betty Piskolich
Living & Deceased Members of the SCL's & Clergy, Diocese of Helena	
Maloney, Bernard & Mary and Francis Tomasi	Rb William Maloney
Meehan, Scown & Gleason Families	Rb Pat Gleason
Mondloch, Josh	Rb Grandma, Mom, Joe & Family
Nevin, Ernest J.	Rb Carol & David Nevin
Orizotti, John	Rb Mary Carol
Patrick, Betty	Rb The Family
Peoples, Cathy	Rb Don Peoples
Peoples, Mairissa	Rb Don Peoples
Rashleigh, Joe	Rb Michele & Family
Rashleigh & O'Neill Families	Rb Michele & Family
Ritter, Jack	Rb Janie & Family
Shamley, Thelma & Harold and Patty Mayott	Rb Ann Shamley
Stenson, Jack & Francis & Deceased Members of the Stenson Family	Rb John & Diane Stenson
Stenson, Ryan	Rb Grandma & Grandpa
Stefanich, Martin, Jule & Carol	Rb Judy
Stetzner, Bill & Florence	Rb Tom Stetzner
Sullivan, Dave & Pat	Rb The Sullivan Kids
Sustarsic, Ludie & Alice	Rb The Family,
Tierney, Lee Ann "Nan"	Rb Mom & Dad & Family of Nan
Turk, Fred & Elsie and Deceased Members of the Turk Family	Rb John & Diane Stenson
Uggetti, Betty & Chuck	Rb The Family
Woy, Frank	Rb The Woy Family
Young, Jack	Rb John & Annette Giop



## *Yearly Memorials*

An abstract painting featuring a central cross shape, rendered in warm, textured brushstrokes of yellow, orange, and red. The background is a mix of these colors, creating a sense of depth and light.

## NEXT WEEKEND IS LEADERSHIP WEEKEND

*A Message from Father Craig*

Please prayerfully consider your contribution to **Because He First Loved Us.**

Next weekend, I invite you to participate in Leadership Weekend by placing your pledge commitment card into the collection basket with the weekly offering.

I want to thank you in advance for your generosity to the **Because He First Loved Us** campaign. I am excited to see the transformation this campaign will have on St. Ann and the Diocese of Helena,



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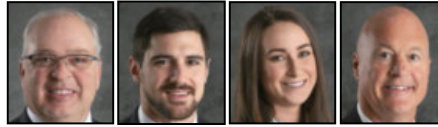
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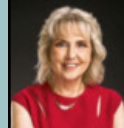


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