

St. Richard Parish Announcements

for January 21, 2024



Diocese of Helena High School Ski Retreat

High school students from across the Diocese came to pray and play at Whitefish Mountain Resort this weekend and are attending 10 am Mass today with a social hour afterwards. Feel free to join them and get to know fellow diocesan parishioners.





Winter Assistance

We have a number of senior parishioners who need assistance with snow shoveling and keeping their homes safe during this winter weather. Please consider volunteering for this act of service if your schedule allows. Contact the parish office for more details. Thank you!

Greetings from Carroll College! We are pleased again to offer a prospective student from St. Richard parish a Carroll College scholarship of \$1,000., named in memory of the deceased priests of the Diocese of Helena and the Diocese of Great Falls-Billings.



Carroll requires that the recipient be a student planning to attend Carroll for the first time in the fall of 2024.

ADVENTURERS WANTED.

The recipient is chosen by St. Richard parish. Prospective students can view this scholarship on Carroll's website at https://www.carroll.edu/scholarships-aid/scholarships-new-students.

Application deadline is March 15, 2024.

Annual Catholic Appeal

Our St. Richard Parish goal is to raise \$43,600 this year Broad Participation Brings Success

Through the Annual Catholic Appeal, Catholics of the Diocese of Helena pool their financial resources and together help the men, women, children and families of our communities, our diocese and our world. Next week, many who have not yet made a gift to ACA 2022 will receive a third request from Bishop Vetter asking for participation. Please help in this important work of our Church. May



Current progress: \$31,430.00 donated so far 93 households/families 68% - of our goal

God bless you for your generosity.

Encountering Love

Give Online on our website or by scanning the code below.



FUNDING THE MINISTRY OF THE DIOCESE OF HELENA







St. Matt's Blue & Gold Auction

February 3, 2024 Enjoy a night out in denim and diamonds!

Tickets are \$100 each Table of 8 - \$750 Table of 10 - \$950

Tickets are available online (scan code), the school office, or call 406.752.6303.



Marian Consecration Opportunity

Total Consecration to Jesus through Mary is "the surest easiest, shortest, and the most perfect means" to becoming a saint!
—St Louis DeMontfort

This consecration is based on spiritual reading. For 33 days, participants will reflect daily on a short (3min) transformative passage leading us to the heart of our Blessed Mother. This is a perfect activity for a Lenten renewal as families or individuals.

The 33 Day retreat will begin on **February 20, 2024** and will culminate in an act of personal consecration on **March 25th**, the **Feast of the Annunciation**.

There will be optional meetings on Saturday mornings at 10am to reflect on the readings from the week and prepare for the consecration. All parishioners are welcome to attend.

Please join us in making this consecration

Books will be available at a reduced price of \$10 each. Contact the parish office by January 28th to reserve your copy of *33 Days to Morning Glory*.

Questions? Call Jean or Gary George (937) 241-1988/1989

