

St. Richard Parish Announcements

for February 25, 2024



Fridays during Lent at 5:30 pm



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*Takeout begins at 5:00pm

St. Richard Pastoral Council

The council has put together a brief survey for parishioners in an effort to obtain feedback to help them serve the spiritual and communal needs of the parish community.

Paper copies of the survey are available in the parish office.

Thank you for taking the time to share your thoughts with us!

——Simon Alexander, Catherine Cetera, Nancy Cohn, Katie Donahue, Kevin Donahue, Debra Schweitzer, Lynette Smith

Ministry, Fellowship, and Gatherings Survey by St. Richard's Parish Council in an effort to better serve the needs of our parish community.



Scan the code with the camera on your phone to take the 2 minute survey. Thank you!

<u>Butter Braid Fundraiser</u> Our K-5th Religious Education class will be selling



Our K-5th Religious Education class will be selling Butter Braids after both masses on February 25th and March 3rd!

The Butter Braids will be here in time for Easter! One less tasty treat to worry about making for Easter and you get to support our wonderful RE program!

Contact Camille Warren for more information at 509.981.5253.

40 Days for Life

Spring Campaign runs from February 14th—March 23rd

St. Richard Parish is sponsoring the following vigil dates:

Monday, Feb. 26 - Fri, March 8 - Thurs, March 14 - Sat, March 16



40 DAYS FOR LIFE.

Contact: Gerry Nolan, (406) 890-3691, gnhermit@gmail.com for more information and to volunteer.

40daysforlife.com/whitefish



Community Kitchen Family Meals

The Community Kitchen organization utilizes the St. Richard Parish Pearce Center at the end of every month to provide a free meal for our community.

Wednesday, February 28 and Thursday, February 29

Meal service begins at 6:00 pm. All are welcome to attend.

St. Matthew's Annual Science Fair - JUDGES NEEDED

St. Matthew's School Science Fair will be held on **Friday, March 1st, from Noon - 3 pm** in the school gym. We are looking for judges who enjoy working with youth - no experience is necessary. A Lenten Lunch of fish and chips will be served at noon followed by a judge's orientation at 12:30pm. Project judging will begin at 1 pm and end at 3 pm. If you would like to participate, please call 406-752-6303 ext. 228 and leave a brief message or email tridens@stmattsaints.org. Thank you for supporting Catholic Education.

Dear brothers and sisters in Christ,

We would like to thank you all for your support during our son, Declan's fight with a cancerous brain tumor. The financial help, the meals, words of encouragement, but especially all of your prayers have meant so much to our family! The love we felt from all of you, gave us the strength to carry this cross. Declan underwent chemo and radiation. His post radiation MRI has shown that the tumor is almost completely gone and his blood work shows that no cancer is left. Praise be to Jesus Christ!

Love, James & Mary Finlay & family



FATHERS FORMING FAITHFUL CHILDREN AND STRONG FAMILIES

IN PATIENCE AND HUMILITY

Presented by

FATHER JOE PADDOCK

PASTOR, RESURRECTION PARISH, BOZEMAN DIOCESE OF HELENA

Thursday Evening ~ Saturday Morning

February 29-March 2, 2024

Swan Valley, MT

SUGGESTED OFFERING: *\$230.00

\$100 DEPOSIT REQUESTED BY FEB. 14, 2024

Based on one person/one cabin.

Two nights lodging \$140— Two meals— Conference stipend \$75 (*Nightly cabin cost of \$70 will be prorated for shared cabins)

The Sycamore Tree operates solely on your generosity. However, a scholarship may be available as needed.

For more information or to register, please call or email Michelle Jenkins at (406) 754-2429 or email@sycamoretreeretreat.org

Knights of Columbus

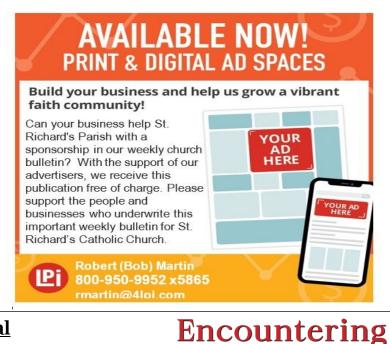
Congratulations to the Raffle winners for the month of February!

Beth Furlong and Randy Huibregtse

Thank you!

Thank you to all those who supported the Fat Tuesday Pancake Dinner last week! It was a smaller crowed due to some winter weather that evening, but the Youth enjoyed serving our parishioners Group and hosting a Lenten trivia game.





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. Please help in this important work of our Church. May God bless you for your generosity.



71% - of our goal

Love

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



Current progress: \$34.566.00 donated so far 91 households/families

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