

**PARISH INFORMATION**  
**INFORMACIÓN PARROQUIAL**

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**Office Hours/Horas de Oficina**

Monday - Friday/Lunes -Viernes  
9:00 am -12:00 pm & 1:00 -5:00 pm

**Masses/Misas**

Monday - Friday/Lunes - Viernes  
7:00 a.m. daily Mass/Misa diaria

Misa en Español

Martes, Miércoles y Jueves 6 p.m.  
en la iglesia

1st Friday: 7:00 p.m. bilingual fol-  
lowed by Confession and Over-  
night Adoration.

1st Saturday: 7:00 a.m. bilingual  
following Benediction.

Anticipated Sunday Mass  
Misa Dominical anticipada  
Saturday/Sábado 4:30 p.m.

Sunday Mass  
Misa Dominical  
7:30 a.m. & 9:30 a.m. (English)  
11:30 a.m. (Español)

**Adoration/Adoración**

Mon. & Fri. 7:45 a.m.—2:30 p.m.  
T-W-Th. 7:45 a.m.—5:50 p.m.  
Closing with Benediction

Lunes y Viernes 7:45 am—2:30 pm  
Martes a Jueves 7:45 am—5:50 pm  
Terminando con Bendición

**Confession/Confesión**

Monday through Friday  
Lunes a Viernes  
7:45 a.m.

Tuesday through Thursday  
Martes a Jueves  
5:00—5:45 p.m.

Saturday/Sábado  
3:00 p.m. - 4:15 p.m.

**Medjugorje Prayer Group**  
Tues. 7:00 p.m. St. Francis Chapel

**Rosary for the Sick**  
Wed., 5:15 p.m. Church

**Grupo de Oración en Español**  
Sábados, 6 p.m. el salón parroquial

**St. Joseph Catholic Church**  
**Iglesia Católica de San José**  
**230 N. 3rd Street**  
**Grand Junction, CO 81501**

***“We are Missionary Disciples of Jesus”***

***“Somos discípulos misioneros de Jesús”***



**April 9, 2023**

**Easter Sunday**

**Mass Intentions**

**Saturday, April 8<sup>th</sup>**

**4:30PM-**

†Marilyn Pipkin

**Sunday, April 9<sup>th</sup>**

**7:30AM-**

†Karen Ridgeway

**9:30AM-**

†Thomas Patrick Miller

**11:30AM-**

†Nemecio Gutierrez y Fidela Rojas

†José Guadalupe Rojas

†José Cruz y Maria Ruiz

†Salvador Mendoza

**Monday, April 10<sup>th</sup>**

Floro Amboy Bingco—Birthday/Personal Inten-  
tion

**Tuesday, April 11<sup>th</sup>**

†Erma Lopez

**Wednesday, April 12<sup>th</sup>**

Pro Populo

**6:00 PM-** †Maura Lerma

**Thursday, April 13<sup>th</sup>**

In thanksgiving for Monica Sieg & Dr. James  
Stone

**Friday, April 14<sup>th</sup>**

†Fedler & Fox deceased ancestors

**Please note:** Our bulletin is published out of  
town. In order to list the proper Mass  
intentions on the bulletin,  
they need to be submitted two weeks prior to  
the date of the Mass. Please also check the  
parish website for current listing of intentions.  
Mass intentions apply even if not men-  
tioned.

**Daily Mass Readings**

**Sun., 4/9/23**

**First Reading:** Acts 10: 34a, 37-43

**Responsorial Psalm:** Psalms 118: 1-2, 16-  
17, 22-23

**Second Reading:** Colossians 3: 1-4 or First  
Corinthians 5: 6b-8

**Alleluia:** First Corinthians 5: 7b-8a

**Gospel:** John 20: 1-9 or Matthew 28: 1-10 or  
Luke 24: 13-35

**Mon., 4/10/23**

**First Reading:** Acts 2: 14, 22-33

**Responsorial Psalm:** Psalms 16: 1-2a and 5,  
7-8, 9-10, 11

**Alleluia:** Psalms 118: 24

**Gospel:** Matthew 28: 8-15

**Tues., 4/11/23**

**First Reading:** Acts 2: 36-41

**Responsorial Psalm:** Psalms 33: 4-5, 18-19,  
20 and 22

**Alleluia:** Psalms 118: 24

**Gospel:** John 20: 11-18

**Wed., 4/12/23**

**First Reading:** Acts 3: 1-10

**Responsorial Psalm:** Psalms 105: 1-2, 3-4,  
6-7, 8-9

**Alleluia:** Psalms 118: 24

**Gospel:** Luke 24: 13-35

**Thurs., 4/13/23**

**First Reading:** Acts 3: 11-26

**Responsorial Psalm:** Psalms 8: 2ab and 5, 6  
-7, 8-9

**Alleluia:** Psalms 118: 24

**Gospel:** Luke 24: 35-48

**Fri., 4/14/23**

**First Reading:** Acts 4: 1-12

**Responsorial Psalm:** Psalms 118: 1-2 and 4,  
22-24, 25-27a

**Alleluia:** Psalms 118: 24

**Gospel:** John 21: 1-14

**Sat., 4/15/23**

**First Reading:** Acts 4: 13-21

**Responsorial Psalm:** Psalms 118: 1 and 14-  
15ab, 16-18, 19-21

**Alleluia:** Psalms 118: 24

**Gospel:** Mark 16: 9-15

## Holy Communion



The Communion Rite begins with the Lord's Prayer. Jesus taught this prayer to His disciples when they asked how to pray. The Celebrant breaks the consecrated bread as the people sing 'Lamb of God.' The people approach the altar and, bowing with reverence, receive Holy Communion—the body and blood of Christ.



## Blessing of St. Francis

May the Lord bless you. May the Lord keep you. May He show His face to you and have mercy.

## Spiritual GOALS

That all Catholics be Practicing Catholics by..

- Regular Mass attendance – at least on Sundays and the 5 Holy Days of Obligation
- Frequent Confession – at least once a year
- Daily Prayers – at least once a day



*Let us pray to the Lord...*

## Physical GOALS

—Pay off Parish Hall Loan:

\$161,732.33

—Pay off Old Diocesan Ministry

Fund

—Pave Parking Lot



*Let us pray to the Lord...*

## Brand New Sycamore

Who should come to *Sycamore*?

Those who love their Catholic faith and want to share that love with others...

Those who want to learn more about the one, true church founded by Jesus Christ...

Those who need a sacrament/sacraments for the first time...

Those who want to do as Jesus commanded and make disciples of all the nations!

There is a new *Sycamore* group on Sundays from 1:00 – 2:30 p.m. in the Community Room of the parish office building.

Come and see what a difference *Sycamore* can make in your life!

Contact Teresa Gill for more information.

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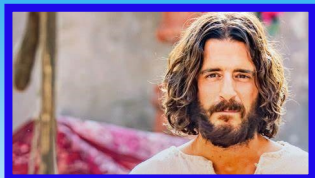
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*The Eucharist “makes present the one sacrifice of Christ, the Savior.” (CCC #1330)*

*“Jesus awaits us in this sacrament of love.” (St. John Paul II, Dominicae cenae #3)*



### Meet Jesus and let Him change you



**Come to the ‘new’ ‘The Chosen’ watch party**

**Wednesdays 5:15 – 6:30 pm**

**Our Lady of Guadalupe Room of the Parish Hall**

### Video and interesting discussions

Come! Celebrate **Divine Mercy Sunday** on April 16th, the Sunday after Easter. Plan on joining us for a holy hour of prayer and adoration during the 'Hour of Mercy' beginning at 3:00pm in the church. This will be followed by a video in the St. Therese room with discussion and refreshments. Come celebrate God's greatest gift, His infinite and unfathomable mercy! Also, remember to begin the **Divine Mercy Novena** on Good Friday, April 7th. Join with millions around the world who will be praying for God's Mercy to be poured out upon the world during the nine days leading up to Divine Mercy Sunday.



Holy Family Catholic School

Principal: Jake Aubert

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### **Finance Council/Consejo**

#### **Financiero**

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Harry Hampton

David Hjelstrom

Geneva Duran

### **Pastoral Council/Consejo**

#### **Pastoral**

Toni Moran

Sharel Fedler

Sherry Brandon

Dale Thome

The Knights of Columbus and the Ladies' Auxiliary meet in the Parish Hall every second Thursday of each month at 6:30 pm.



You are welcome to join them!



### MARRIAGE PREPARATION CLASSES

The Parishes within the Grand Valley will be providing a Marriage Prep Retreat for all engaged (and soon to be engaged) couples. This will be held two consecutive Saturdays May 6 and May 13, 2023 from 9am to 5pm at Sacred Heart Church in Fruita, 1210 17 1/2 Road. This is part of the Diocesan marriage preparation requirements and is a great opportunity to deepen your love relationship. The class has terrific content about life skills, conflict resolution, and growing. Registration is required. Contact Carmen Fuller at (970)-243-0209- or [carmen@atjosephgj.org](mailto:carmen@atjosephgj.org).



*May the joy of the Risen Christ  
be with you always!*

*Happy Easter!*



### Daily Mass...Why?

They're there to talk to the One...  
They're there to get that face time.  
To be with Him, love Him and to literally join with Him through the Eucharist.



**Catholic Daughters** Our next meeting is on 4/16/23 at 2:30 p.m. at Sacred Heart in Fruita.



SAVE THE DATE: Mother, Daughter, Granddaughter luncheon coming up on April 29, 2023 at Sacred Heart Church in Fruita. Watch for more information and ticket sales.

### BINGO resumes in April



**BINGO** will resume the regular schedule (the 2nd and 4th Fridays of each month at 6:00 pm) in the parish hall on April 14 and April 28 after Easter.

### Parish Pictorial Directory

Make sure to go to the parish website or the parish Facebook to sign up for your appointment for having a photo taken for the parish pictorial directory the week of April 17. Limited spots still available.



Catholic Rice Bowls will be available from Feb. 22 through April 9, 2023.

Thank you for your generosity.



Catholic Rice Bowls estarán disponibles del 2/22/23 al 4/9/23. Gracias por su generosidad.



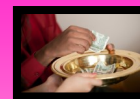
### K of C Sunday Breakfast– April 16

The Knights of Columbus Council #1062 will hold their Sunday Breakfast in the Parish Hall from 8:00 AM to 11:30 AM on Sunday, 4/16/23. Cost is \$10 and \$8 for Seniors.

El Consejo de los Caballeros de Colón #1062 celebrará su desayuno dominical en el Salón Parroquial de 8:00 a.m. hasta las 11:30 a.m. el domingo, 4/16/23. El costo es de \$10 y \$8 para las personas mayores.



### Second Collection



There will be a second collection taken up at all the Masses the weekend of 4/29/23—4/30/23 for the **Catholic Home Missions**. Thank you for your generosity.

Habrà una segunda colecta en todas las misas el fin de semana del 4/29/23—4/30/23 para **Catholic Home Missions**. Gracias por su generosidad.



**Knights of Columbus are having “40 cans of food for Lent”** food drive. The food may be any variation of 40 cans, 40 items, or 40 lbs of food. Also, if you feel the 40 food items is difficult but would still like to participate, any amount of donation is greatly appreciated. Please drop your donation off in the Narthex in the wheelbarrows or the donation box. Or drop it by during the Knights events such as our Sunday breakfasts, our Friday fish dinners, or give to any Knight. Event ends **April 16th**.

Los Caballeros de Colón están llevando a cabo nuestra campaña de alimentos "40 latas de comida para Cuaresma". La comida puede ser de cualquier variación de 40 latas, 40 artículos o 40 libras de comida. Además, si siente que los 40 alimentos son difíciles, pero aun así le gustaría participar, cualquier cantidad de donación es muy apreciada. Por favor, deje su donación en el Narthex en las carretillas o la caja de donación. O déjelo pasar durante uno de nuestros eventos de los Caballeros, como nuestros desayunos de los domingos, nuestras cenas de pescado los viernes, o encuentre cualquier Caballero para recibir su donación de alimentos. El evento termina **el 16 de abril**.

### Children's Liturgy of the Word

Did you know you can begin your child's religious education as early as three years old? We offer a pre-school version of catechesis for kiddos ages 3 -6 years old during the 9:30 Mass each Sunday. Children will go into the Narthex with our teachers and learn about the day's Gospel on a level they can understand. They will re-enter Mass just prior to the Liturgy of the Eucharist with a take-home version of what they learned. The Children's Liturgy is a great way to get your child started on a life-long journey of growing closer to Jesus!



**N.B. Older siblings or parents are welcome to accompany the younger children.**

**Coffee & Donut Schedule 2023**      **Parish Hall**      **8:30 & 10:30 a.m.**

April 23<sup>rd</sup>, 2023

May 7<sup>th</sup>, 2023 & May 21<sup>st</sup>, 2023



The Tuesday morning *Lenten Book Group* organized by Sheila Vieira was a great success. A large group of parishioners met to read and discuss Fr. Ron Rolheiser's book, *'The Passion and the Cross'*.