

St. Mary Magdalen Catholic Church

Pastor: Fr. Robert Rodgers
Deacon: Mike Martinson

Daily Mass Schedule, Mass Intentions & Readings for the Week

Monday, June 21, 2021	Gn 12:1-9
St. Aloysius Gonzaga	Mt 7:1-5
No Mass	
Tuesday, June 22, 2021	Gn 13:2, 5-18
Sts. John Fisher and Thomas More	Mt 7:6, 12-14
Mass: 5:30 p.m.	
Intention: Young people in our parish	
Wednesday, June 23, 2021	Gn 15:1-12, 17-18
Mass: 7:00 a.m.	Mt 7:15-20
Intention: Sick and suffering in our parish	
Confession: 5:30-6:30 p.m.	
Thursday, June 24, 2021	Is 49:1-6
The Nativity of St. John the Baptist	Acts 13:22-26
Mass: 7:00 a.m.	Lk 1:57-66, 80
Intention: Casey McKee	
Friday, June 25, 2021	Gn 17:1, 9-10, 15-22
Mass: 7:00 a.m.	Mt 8:1-4
Intention: Thanksgiving for many blessings for Arps Family	
Holy Hour: 5:00 p.m.	
Saturday, June 26, 2021	Gn 18:1-15
Mass: 5:30 p.m.	Mt 8:5-17
Intention: Homebound and Isolated	
Confession: 4-5 p.m.	
Sunday, June 27, 2021	Wis 1:13-15; 2:23-24
Mass: 8:30 a.m.	Ps 30:2, 4-6, 11-13
Intention: Darrell Mull +	2 Cor 8:7, 9, 13-15
Spanish Mass: 10:30 a.m.	Mk 5:21-43,
Intention: Pro Populo	

Deceased +



SUNDAY, JUNE 20, 2021

12TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

He woke up, rebuked the wind, and said to the sea, "Quiet! Be still!"
The wind ceased and there was great calm. Then he asked them,
"Why are you terrified? Do you not yet have faith?" - Mk 4:39-40

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**Give Thanks to the Lord, his love
is everlasting. Ps 107**

Weekend Lay Ministry Schedule:

	June 26 5:30 p.m.	June 27 8:30 a.m.
Lectors:	Shawn Ala	Trish Harder
Altar	Isabel Accurso	Ellianna Baumstarck
Servers:	Sarah Tommerup Todd Tommerup	Fowler Cochran Kaitlyn Harstad
Musicians:	Cecile/Lisa	Dave/Judy
Hospitality	Phil and Lisa	Scott and Fran
Ministers:	Beamer	Heessel

Coffee and Rols: Knights of Columbus

CONTACT INFORMATION

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OTHER IMPORTANT INFORMATION

Parish/School Office – 347-6441 CCW – 347-6318
Food for the Needy – 347-6123 Music Ministry – 388-0930
Prayer Line – 347-4389/frankbo@rtconnect.net
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Bulletin Announcements – stmarym@rtconnect.net
Bulletin Information Deadline: Wednesday at Noon

From Fr. Robert. . .

This Tuesday we celebrate the feast of Saints John Fisher and Thomas More. St. John Fisher was a bishop and St. Thomas More was a layman. Both were martyred in the 16th century in England for treason because they refused to take the Oath of Supremacy, which would have acknowledged King Henry VIII as head of the church of England - undermining the authority of the pope. They also refused to recognize his self-granted annulment from his first wife, Catherine of Aragon, since the pope wouldn't grant the annulment. St. Thomas More was very loyal to the king. He was Lord Chancellor of England (similar to our Chief Justice of the Supreme Court). When Henry began separating himself from the authority of the pope, St. Thomas's conscience couldn't allow him to cooperate, though. He resigned his government position and tried to back out quietly, but his high rank and authority didn't allow him to go unnoticed. The king insisted that he sign the oath, and Thomas refused. His last words before being beheaded were, "I am the king's good servant, but God's first." St. Thomas More is a shining example of a man who was both patriotic and faithful. He loved his country and spent his life serving it. However, his fidelity was first and foremost to God and His Church. He humbly did not want to slander or defame the king, but when put to the ultimate test - even at the risk of his own life - he would not violate his faith-based values. We could certainly learn from the way he balanced patriotism and faith. It is important for us to be good citizens and to respect our leaders, but we cannot compromise our faith-based values when government leaders and society move in the opposite direction, even if we are in the minority (as St. Thomas More was). We must be willing to publicly live and promote the values we believe, which are ultimately oriented towards the good of our society and of its citizens and towards our ultimate goal of salvation. St. Thomas More's willingness to sacrifice everything - career, family, even his life - for the love of God should challenge us to not just go with the flow of cultural trends and allow our values and morals to be trampled upon, but to rather rely on the virtues of courage and faith which God gives us to bring about the true goodness and peace in our country that following God brings. St. Thomas More's life is portrayed in the 1966 movie, "A man for all seasons", which is well worth watching.

Este martes celebramos la fiesta de los santos John Fisher y Thomas More. St. John Fisher era obispo y St. Thomas More era laico. Ambos fueron martirizados en el siglo XVI en Inglaterra por traición porque se negaron a prestar el Juramento

de Supremacía, que habría reconocido al rey Enrique VIII como jefe de la iglesia de Inglaterra, socavando la autoridad del Papa. También se negaron a reconocer la anulación concedida por él mismo a su primera esposa, Catalina de Aragón, ya que el Papa no le concedió la anulación. Santo Tomás Moro fue muy leal al rey. Fue Lord Canciller de Inglaterra (similar a nuestro Presidente del Tribunal Supremo). Sin embargo, cuando Enrique comenzó a separarse de la autoridad del Papa, la conciencia de Santo Tomás no le permitió cooperar. Renunció a su cargo en el gobierno y trató de retroceder silenciosamente, pero su alto rango y autoridad no le permitieron pasar desapercibido. El rey insistió en que firmara el juramento y Tomás se negó. Sus últimas palabras antes de ser decapitado fueron: "Soy el buen siervo del rey, pero el primero de Dios". Santo Tomás Moro es un brillante ejemplo de un hombre patriota y fiel. Amaba a su país y se pasó la vida sirviéndole. Sin embargo, su fidelidad fue ante todo a Dios y a su Iglesia. Humildemente no quería calumniar ni difamar al rey, pero cuando se le sometiera a la prueba final, incluso a riesgo de su propia vida, no violaría sus valores basados en la fe. Ciertamente podríamos aprender de la forma en que equilibró el patriotismo y la fe. Es importante para nosotros ser buenos ciudadanos y respetar a nuestros líderes, pero no podemos comprometer nuestros valores basados en la fe cuando los líderes gubernamentales y la sociedad se mueven en la dirección opuesta, incluso si estamos en la minoría (como lo fue Santo Tomás Moro). Debemos estar dispuestos a vivir y promover públicamente los valores en los que creemos, que en última instancia están orientados hacia el bien de nuestra sociedad y de sus ciudadanos y hacia nuestro objetivo final de salvación. La voluntad de Santo Tomás Moro de sacrificar todo - carrera, familia, incluso su vida - por el amor de Dios debería desafiarnos a no solo seguir el flujo de las tendencias culturales y permitir que nuestros valores y morales sean pisoteados, sino más bien confiar en las virtudes del coraje y fe que Dios nos da para lograr la verdadera bondad y paz en nuestro país que al seguir a Dios le trae a la vida de St. Thomas More y que se retrata en la película de 1966, "Un hombre para todas las estaciones", que vale la pena ver.

Bishop Steven Beigler's dispensation from the obligation to celebrate Mass on Sundays and Holy Days ends June 30, 2021. We will no longer live stream Mass after June 27. Feel free to call Fr. Robert with any questions.

We need your help delivering Meals on Wheels. We still have 6 routes to fill for the month.



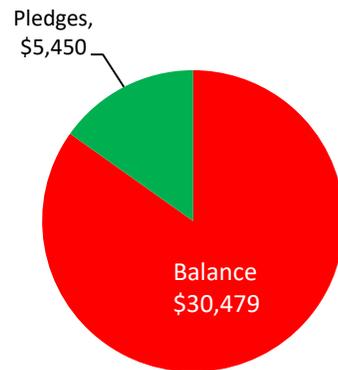
Please prayerfully consider helping with this ministry.

Do you have an old recliner, rocking chair or area rug that is still in good shape that you would like to donate to the parish library? Call the office at 347-6441.



I die the King's good servant, but God's first. --St. Thomas Moore

2021 Living and Giving Thank you to all who made a gift to the Diocese of Cheyenne 2021 annual appeal, ***Living and Giving in Christ: Unity in Diocesan Ministries!*** Your gifts communicate care for our sisters and brothers in Christ and build up the Church. Thank you to those who offered the gift of prayer. Your prayers unite with your sisters and brothers in Christ to bring about positive change throughout the world.



Toddler bed/crib and stroller in really good condition available. Call the office if you are interested at 347-6441

**Blessings
Fr. Robert on
your 7th
Anniversary
of Ordination.**



**Coffee and Rolls dates available:
July 18, August 8, August 15,
August 29 and October 31.
Call the office if you would like to help.**

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As we celebrate the Nativity of John the Baptist this week, we remember his words: "He will baptize you with the Holy Spirit and fire" (Mt 3:11). Jesus came to baptize us in the Holy Spirit, and the power and grace that comes from baptism in the Holy Spirit changes lives. Explore the meaning of this sacrament in this episode of The Wild Goose!
<https://watch.formed.org/the-wild-goose-with-fr-dave-pivonka/season:1/videos/baptism-in-the-holy-spirit-fire>

St. Thomas More was one of the greatest humanists of his age but also a man devoted to the spiritual life. His lifetime of learning, charity, and service to the public good of England enabled him to stand a patient and holy witness—and one of the greatest of modern martyrs.
<https://watch.formed.org/videos/saint-thomas-more-the-age-of-the-author>

Being a disciple of Jesus has always been synonymous with being a Christian. From the Scriptures and from his own experience, Dr. Tim Gray explains how Christian discipleship calls us to follow in the footsteps of Christ as engaged participants in God's plan. In doing so, we bear witness to the Lord in our families, workplaces, and communities. <https://watch.formed.org/walk-the-walk-following-christ-as-his-disciple-by-tim-gray/videos/walk-the-walk-following-christ-as-his-disciple-by-tim-gray>

A Prayer for a Family

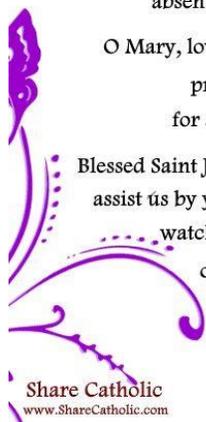
O dear Jesus, I humbly implore You to grant Your special graces to our family. May our home be the shrine of peace, purity, love, labor and faith.

Dear Jesus, to protect and bless all of us, absent and present, living and dead.

O Mary, loving Mother of Jesus, and our Mother pray to Jesus for our family, for all the families of the world.

Blessed Saint Joseph, holy guardian of Jesus and Mary, assist us by your prayers in all the necessities of life. watch over our home at the pillow of the sick and the dying.

Amen.



WCCW Convention update: Convention committee needs to provide anticipated attendance numbers to Little America. If you plan to attend, we respectfully request your response by contacting Rosemary Barrett 307-640-4311 or Jan McGuire 307-631-3507 by June 20, 2021. Registration forms and fees, however, are not due until August 16, 2021. Please call the contacts if you have any questions or concerns. With God's grace we pray for a spiritual, healing, and meaningful retreat and convention.

Thank you to the families who have come on board and signed up with ParishSOFT Giving. Your gifts and your participation are a blessing to us. This convenient giving option is available from our church website at www.worlandcatholic.com—just click on the basket to donate online. You can set up a one time payment or recurring payments for your convenience. When you participate, you can view your giving history and pledge progress any time just by logging in.

Are you registered with St. Mary Magdalen? Do you have changes to make to your address or phone number? Has there been an addition to your family? Please call the office at 347-6441, send an email to stmarym@rtconnect.net or complete and return the registration form that is available on our website so we can update our records.

"OUR RETURN TO THE LORD"

Last Weekend's Collection: \$2,633.60

Building Fund: \$19,436.78

We are grateful for your generosity and appreciate your loyalty to our parish. Thank you for embracing the biblical vision of stewardship and tithing.