

# St. Mary Magdalen ◇ St. Francis



## OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST, KING OF THE UNIVERSE

### ST. MARY MAGDALEN

1099 Charles Avenue, Worland, WY

#### Mass Schedule

Sunday 9:00 a.m., 11:00 a.m. Spanish

Saturday: 5:00 p.m.

Pastor: Fr. Robert Rodgers

Deacon: Mike Martinson

Parish office hours are Monday-Friday, 8:00 a.m.- 1:00 p.m.

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#### OTHER IMPORTANT INFORMATION

Parish/School Office – 347-6441

Food for the Needy – 347-6123 Music Ministry – 388-0930

Prayer Line – 347-4389/[frankbo@rtconnect.net](mailto:frankbo@rtconnect.net)

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Bulletin Information Deadline: Wednesday at Noon

### ST. FRANCIS

801 Arapahoe/PO Box 272, Thermopolis, WY

#### Mass Schedule

Sunday: 4:00 p.m.

Thursday: 8:00 a.m.

Pastor: Fr. Robert Rodgers

Parish office hours in Worland but available by phone

Monday-Friday 8:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.

Rectory Phone – 307-864-2458

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Website – [www.stfrancisthermopolis.com](http://www.stfrancisthermopolis.com)

Formed.org – Enter 82401 as zip code to sign up

#### OTHER IMPORTANT INFORMATION

K of C - Maynard Bills 406-480-2867

CCW – Sandra Bills 406-489-2347

Funeral Receptions – Nancy Ready 307-921-9661

Bulletin Announcements – [stfrancis@dcwy.org](mailto:stfrancis@dcwy.org)

Bulletin Information Deadline: Wednesday at Noon

*The Lord is my shepherd; there is  
nothing I shall want. Ps 23*

From Fr. Robert. . .

Christ Jesus, Lord and Redeemer!

The liturgical year culminates today with the Solemnity of Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe. In this sense, "universe", means "all things". He is the "alpha and the omega", the source of all things and the goal towards which all things tend. On this great feast day, let us enthrone Jesus Christ as King of our hearts, giving Him dominion over everything in our lives: family, finances, school, sports, work, waking, sleeping. Then our lives will be properly ordered according to God's plan. As we prayed in the collect for Mass last Sunday, "for it is full and lasting happiness to serve with constancy the author of all that is good."

To sing or pray this beautiful hymn to Christ the King would be a fitting use of our prayer time today:

1. To Jesus Christ, our Sov'reign King,  
Who is the world's salvation,  
All praise and homage do we bring,  
And thanks and adoration.

Refrain: Christ Jesus Victor,  
Christ Jesus Ruler!  
Christ Jesus, Lord and Redeemer!

2. Thy reign extend, O King benign,  
To ev'ry land and nation,  
For in Thy kingdom, Lord divine,  
Alone we find salvation.

3. To Thee and to Thy Church, great King,  
We pledge our hearts' oblation,  
Until before Thy throne we sing,  
In endless jubilation.

El año litúrgico se concluye con la Solemnidad de Nuestro Señor Jesucristo, Rey del Universo. En esta gran fiesta, demos toda nuestra adoración, todas nuestras alabanzas, todo el corazón, toda la vida a Cristo Rey para que El nos otorgue sus bendiciones y riga sobre todo mal y tentación en nuestras vidas. Que la siguiente oración a Cristo Rey nos ayude a celebrar bien esta hermosa fiesta:

*¡Oh Jesús! Te reconozco por Rey Universal. Todo cuanto ha sido hecho Tú lo has creado. Ejerce sobre mí todos tus derechos. Renuevo las promesas de mi bautismo, renunciado a Satanás, a sus seducciones y a sus obras; y prometo vivir como buen cristiano. Muy especialmente me comprometo a procurar, según mis medios, el triunfo de los derechos de Dios y de tu Iglesia. Divino Corazón de Jesús, te ofrezco mis pobres obras para conseguir que todos los corazones reconozcan tu sagrada realeza, y para que así se establezca en todo el mundo el Reino de tu Paz.*

### WORKING ON THE MARGINS Campaign for Human Development

Thank you for your generous support last week for the collection for the Catholic Campaign for Human Development! As a parish, St. Mary Magdalen raised \$1,074.33 and St. Francis raised \$359 to support those on the margins who live in poverty in the United States. If you missed the collection, it's not too late to give! Visit [www.usccb.org/](http://www.usccb.org/)

### St. Mary Magdalen



*Solemnity of the  
Immaculate  
Conception  
December 8  
Mass: Noon  
Mass: 5:30*

*"For where your treasure is, there your heart will be also" (Matthew 6:21). Where is your treasure? Where is your heart? Disciples of Jesus embark on a lifelong journey of conversion, continuing along that path without counting the cost. We are a little over halfway through the Diocese of Cheyenne annual appeal. During this season of gratitude, if you haven't already done so, please consider making a financial offering to **Living and Giving in Christ** at: <https://cdewy.org/living-and-giving-in-christ>*

St. Mary Magdalen has reached 82% of our goal of \$37,885  
St. Francis has reached 54% of our goal of \$21,973

*"Then the king will say to those on his right, 'Come, you who are blessed by my Father.' Inherit the kingdom prepared for you from the foundation of the world." Mt 25:34*

**St. Francis**  
**Daily Mass Schedule, Mass Intentions & Readings for the Week**

Thursday, November 30, 2023

**St. Andrew**

Mass: 8:00 a.m.

Intention: Ann Brewer +

Rm 10:9-18

Mt 4:18-22

Sunday, December 3, 2023

Mass: 4:00 p.m.

Intention: Stephen Hoffman +

Confession: 2:30-3:30 p.m. or

By appointment Thursday

Deceased +

Is 63:16b-17, 19b; 64:2-7

Ps 80:2-3, 15-16, 18-19

1 Cor 1:3-9

Mk 13:33-37

**St. Francis**  
**Weekend Lay Ministry Schedule:**  
**December 3**  
**4:00 p.m.**

**Lector:** Ron Barkley

**Altar Servers:** Camden and Annabelle Weyer

**Eucharistic Ministers:** Connie Hart and Nancy Ready

**Musicians:** Adam Estenson and Lilly

**Rosary:** Knights of Columbus

**"OUR RETURN TO THE LORD"**

**St. Francis**

**Last Weekend's Collection: \$2,058**

**2023 Living and Giving in Christ Goal: \$21,973**

**Remaining Balance: \$10,083**

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

*Donations to Living and Giving in Christ can be made*

*at <https://stfrancisthermopolis.com/give>*

**If you would like to donate to the Christmas flowers please talk to Mary Hart.**



**St. Francis**

**Solemnity of the Immaculate Conception**

**December 7**

**Mass of Anticipation: 5:30 PM**

**December 8**

**Mass: 7:00 AM**

**Community Sunday Dinner**

**December 10 following Mass**

December's carry in dinner will have a German theme. Beef Stroganoff will be provided. Please bring salad, dessert or a German dish. All are welcome to come.

**Parish Photo Directory** – The Parish council voted to extend the deadline to submit family photos and pertinent information for our Parish photo directory until January 15, 2024, Submit your photos and information to [stfrancis@dcwy.org](mailto:stfrancis@dcwy.org)

**WE WILL BE DECORATING THE CHURCH FOR ADVENT ON SATURDAY, DECEMBER 2 AT 10:00 AM. IF YOU WOULD LIKE TO HELP, PLEASE JOIN US!**

**LAST WEEK'S HOMILY POINT**

Worland—Let us examine our relationship with God the Father: Is it a filial (father-son) relationship or a servile (master-slave) relationship?

Thermopolis —Jesus gets "serious" in Matthew 25. Punishment for failing to heed our Lord's commands to love God and neighbor results in such terrifying things as "outer darkness", "eternal fire" and "wailing and grinding of teeth." Jesus' loving heart is pleading with us, "Wake up!" Each moment is a gift... an opportunity to choose holiness or spoil the only life God has given us! The consequences are eternal.



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**St. Mary Magdalen  
Daily Mass Schedule, Mass Intentions &  
Readings for the Week**

<b><u>Monday, November 27, 2023</u></b>	Dn 1:1-6, 8-20 Lk 21:1-4
No Mass	
<b><u>Tuesday, November 28, 2023</u></b>	Dn 2:31-45 Lk 21:5-11
Mass: 5:00 p.m.	
Intention: Jesse Moore +	
<b><u>Wednesday, November 29, 2023</u></b>	Dn 5:1-6, 13-14, 16-17, 23-28 Lk 21:12-19
Mass: 8:00 a.m.	
Intention: Mark and Evelyn Nehl +	
<b><u>Friday, December 1, 2023</u></b>	Dn 7:2-14 Lk 21:29-33
Mass: 8:00 a.m.	
Intention: A.C. Vigil	
<b><u>Saturday, December 2, 2023</u></b>	Dn 7:15-27 Lk 21:34-36
Mass: 5:00 p.m.	
Intention: Stringari Family	
Confession: 3:00-4:30 p.m. or by appointment any day	
<b><u>Sunday, December 3, 2023</u></b>	Is 63:16b-17, 19b; 64:2-7 Ps 80:2-3, 15-16, 18-19 1 Cor 1:3-9 Mk 13:33-37
Mass: 9:00 a.m.	
Intention: Pro Populo	
Spanish Mass: 11:00 a.m.	
Intention: Ricardo DeNiz + Deceased +	

**St. Mary Magdalen  
Weekend Lay Ministry Schedule:**

	<b>Saturday December 2 5:00 p.m.</b>	<b>Sunday December 3 9:00 a.m.</b>
<b>Lectors:</b>	Jane Wostenberg	Trish Harder
<b>Altar Servers:</b>	Caden Clark Elijah Clark	Sarah Tommerup Todd Tommerup Hannah Tommerup
<b>Eucharistic Ministers:</b>	Gail Baer	Nancy Critz
<b>Thurifers:</b>		Shawn Ala
<b>Musicians:</b>	Connor/Lucy	Kristi/girls

**Coffee and Rolls: Francine Vigil**



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Catholic Charities of  
Wyoming, St. Joseph's  
Society, St. Joseph's  
Childrens Home, St. Paul's  
Newman Center and  
Wyoming Catholic

Ministries Foundation are rallying together in one consolidated end-of-year request to support key ministries. With one gift you can support any or all of these ministries. 100% of your donation goes directly to the ministries you select. Please prayerfully consider generously supporting the work of the Church throughout the Diocese of Cheyenne in addition to your normal parish support. Questions: visit [wycmf.org](http://wycmf.org) or call us at 307-631-4084.

# Advent



**Each week of Advent St. Mary Magdalen will take up a second collection for the following: 1) Worland Healthcare and Rehabilitation Center 2) Worland Community Diaper Bank 3) Worland Food Bank 4) Crisis Prevention and Response Center**

**Next week we will take up a collection for Worland Healthcare and Rehabilitation Center. Families are asked to bring the following unwrapped items: lotion, non-skid slippers, mid length socks, puzzles, large print books, large print word search books, nail polish, gloves, scarves, and lap blankets.**

## **Our Lady of Guadalupe Feast Day**

Tuesday, December 12

Mass: 5:30 PM with dinner to follow.  
The main dish will be provided. Please bring a salad or dessert.

## **"OUR RETURN TO THE LORD"**

**St. Mary Magdalen**

**Last Weekend's Collection: \$2,989.98**

**Building fund: \$15,485.14**

**2023 Living and Giving in Christ Goal: \$37,885**

**Remaining Balance: \$6,820**

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