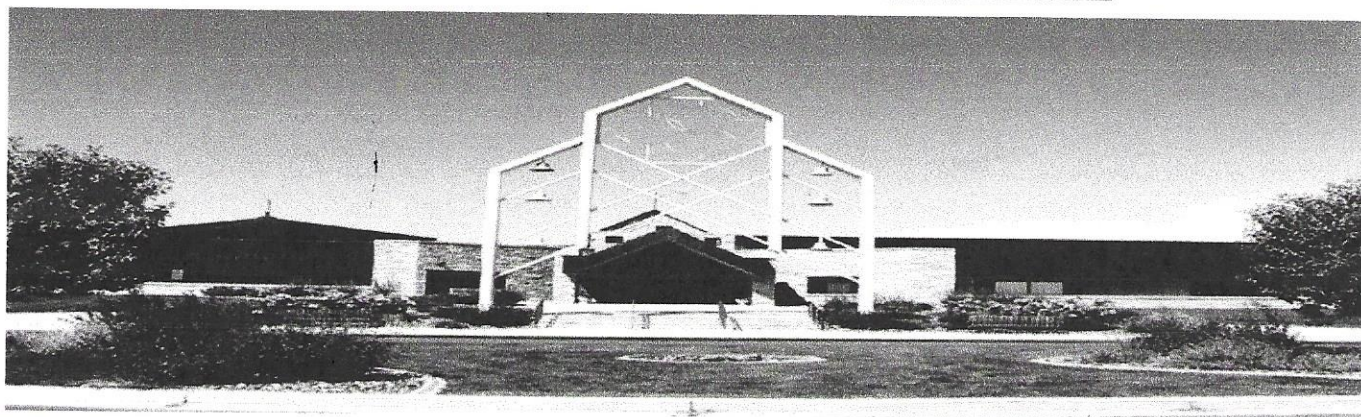


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***Fr. Selvanathan***

### **Schedule**

**Saturday:** 4:00 p.m. **Sunday Masses:** 7:30 a.m., 10:00 a.m., 6:00 p.m. **Monday-Saturday:** 8:00 a.m.

**Holy Days:** Anticipated Mass, 6:00 p.m. | Holy Day Masses, 8:00 a.m. & 6:00 p.m.

**Reconciliation:** Saturday: 2:00 p.m. — 3:30 p.m. or by appointment

**Adoration:** To be announced

**Office Hours:**

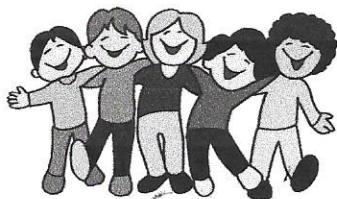
**M-F, 9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.**

**St. Ann, Palisade**

**Sunday Mass: 9:15 a.m.**

**Holy Days: TBD**

**10:30 a.m. Mass each Tuesday of each month**



## **Faith Formation- Catechism- CCD- Religious Education or Youth Group !!**

**Whatever you know it by.**

**We are now taking registrations  
for the 2021-2022 religious education classes.**

**Registration forms are now available in the  
Narthex, the Parish office or on-line.**

**For more information contact Melynda Brown at 242-6121 or  
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**Office Hours**

9:00-5:00 M-F

*To register as a parishioner at IHM, please stop by the Parish Office.*



Mass  
Schedule

**Weekend Mass Schedule**

We would like to welcome you all back to  
Immaculate Heart of Mary Parish!

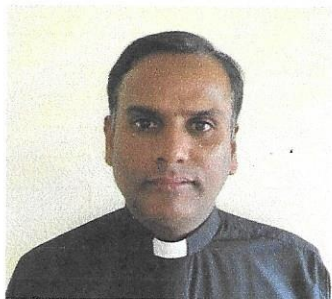
4:00 pm on Saturday, 7:30 & 10:00 am and 6:00 pm Sunday

We are continuing to following directives from Mesa County Health Department  
and the Catholic Diocese of Pueblo.

**Are you a Registered Parishioner?**

If you currently do not receive our yearly Easter & Christmas Letter it is probably because you are not registered with us. Please stop by the office to fill out a registration form or register on our website so that you can be kept informed with our parish.  
This allows us to reach out to all of our catholic members.





## SEVENTEENTH SUNDAY OF THE YEAR

(2Kings:4:42-44; Eph: 4:1-6; Jn: 6:1-15)

**"JESUS FEEDS THE FIVE THOUSAND"**

Dear friends in Jesus Christ,

Today's first reading tells us that Prophet Elisha asked his servant to feed 100 men with 20 barley loaves. The servant was reluctant and doubtful of feeding them. But then Elisha insisted that the Lord God had assured him that even after feeding all of them, there would be food left over. And so, it happened as the Prophet told. The Hand of God was instrumental in this miracle.

In the second reading, St. Paul pleads with the Ephesian community to lead a life worthy of their call. They have to remain in unity and peace. Paul explains to them that they are called to be part of one body (of Christ) and sharing in one Spirit (Holy Spirit) and one God (the Father of all) who is the ultimate source of everything. This Trinitarian unity of purpose should be seen in the life of every Christian.

**"Jesus took the Loaves gave thanks and distributed them"**

Today's Gospel focuses our attention on the day Jesus worked a great miracle by feeding five thousand people with five loaves and two fish. That day a large crowd followed Jesus and listened to His life-giving words to the extent that they forgot their own hunger. Jesus was concerned about them and when He asked the disciples to find food for them, Philip told Jesus that it would require a large sum of money to feed them even if food could be bought. Jesus was not discouraged by this reply. He immediately made use of the available resources: five loaves and two fish which a little boy had brought along. He instructed the disciples to make the crowd sit on the grass. Then He gave thanks to God the Father and blessed the food then gave it to the disciples to distribute it to the hungry people. To everyone's amazement all of them ate their fill - more than 5000 of them. Later on they even collected twelve baskets full of left over pieces.

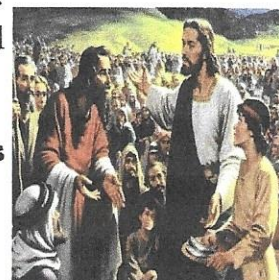
This miracle is a pre-figuration of the Eucharistic meal - the heavenly banquet where Jesus feeds not just 5000 people but everyone who believes in Him.

**The miracle of multiplication of loaves is possible even today.**

1. When we are ready to share the little we have with others.
2. When we humbly realize our limitations and ask God's grace and blessings.

**"Earth provides enough to satisfy every man's needs every man's greed" - M.K. Gandhi.**

Yours in Christ, Fr. Selva



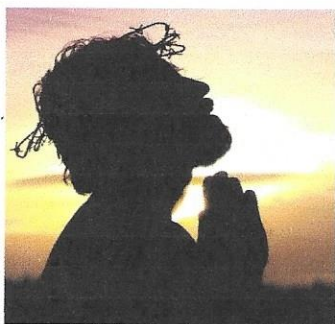


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Are you looking for a way to serve God in your parish community?

Consider joining the Lector Ministry or the Eucharistic Ministry! Extraordinary Eucharistic Minister training is on Thursday July 29 at 6pm. Please prayerfully consider these ministries; we hope to see you there!



**Please Pray For:**

Chris Love, Steve Pomeroy, Bob Ferencsik,  
Tim Allons, Taylor Donaldson, Mayela Vallejo,  
Joseph Hayes, Marty Olesky, David Kuklish,  
Tom Graves, Ashley Johnson, Dan Carlson, Jay Bohn,  
Sue Burns, Joan Burns, families of all the recently  
deceased & our Parish Staff

**Busqueda**

A young adult bilingual retreat called Busqueda with Fr. Carl is planned for the weekend of August 6-8<sup>th</sup> at Beaver Creek Christian Camp in South Fork, CO. This retreat is for young adults 18 to their 30's in the Diocese of Pueblo. All are welcome to attend. To register go to the QR codes below!

Spanish:



English:



**Tour Guide of the Mass**

**Your Guide for Remembering What in the World Happens During Mass After Being Unable to Attend Because of a Global Pandemic!**

Last week I told y'all a smidge about the Eucharistic prayer, namely the first element thereof: Thanksgiving. Today I want to give you a heads up on ALL elements of the Eucharistic prayer. That way, as we continue through this totally cool, awesome, important, center and summit of our celebration, you will already know all the main points that we'll cover. Remember, the Church has a habit of complicating things... but it's *always for a reason!* And it *always connects back to itself!* To be fair, humans totally can't be that complicated without making a mess or a contradiction somewhere, so if we can have 365/6 days of Masses that all change but stay the same...God must be doing something. Moving On!

Bullet points! Element number

1. Thanksgiving. Even more than the prayer that we talked about last week, the Preface expresses mucho gratitude. We'll get into more detail later.
2. Acclamation. Odd description, but basically we are cheering and singing (acclaiming!) the glory of God with all the heavenly powers.
3. Epiclesis. Well *that's* a million dollar word. Dictionary:

ep·i·cle·sis

variants: or **epiklesis** \ , epə'klēsəs \

plural **epicleses** or **epikleses** \ -ē, sēz \

A liturgical invocation of the Holy Spirit for the purpose of consecrating the Eucharistic elements  
Wow...that's...really big. I can't even begin to cover that in one bullet point. I'm not even going to try, let's keep going.

4. Institution narrative and consecration. This is as big as the last one, and they go very hand-in-hand. This is where the Sacrifice is carried out, **THIS IS WHERE IT HAPPENS.** The bread and wine become the Eucharist, the Body and Blood of Christ. Again, *way* too much to cover in a bullet.

And...unfortunately, even my bullet points of the Eucharistic Prayer take up too much space to cover in one bus ride. So, we'll finish up these next week, and then we'll delve into the preface. See y'all then! SM



**Minister Schedule for July 31/Aug.1, 2021**

**Due to COVID-19 we are not asking anyone to volunteer that is not comfortable coming in to Mass. All who are on this schedule have chosen to be serving.**

**8:00 am July 31 (I) Judy Losasso by Charles Olesky**

**Presider: Fr. Selvanathan**

**4:00 pm July 31 (†) Shirley McCabe by Catholic Daughters**

**Presider: Fr. Chrysogonus Nwele**

**Servers: Z. Garrison**

**Lectors: K. Church**

**Eucharistic: B. Kline**

**Hospitality: R. Bertrand, A. Davis & S. Mills**

**7:30am, Aug. 1 (†) Miriam Chenoweth by Elizabeth & Joshua**

**Presider: Fr. Selvanathan**

**Servers: M. Pierce**

**Lectors: J. Bennett & G. Bennett**

**Eucharistic:**

**Hospitality: L. Duncan**

**9:15 am Aug.1, St. Ann's Palisade**

**Presider: Fr. Chrysogonus Nwele**

**10:00am, Aug. 1 (†) Richard & Lana Tovrea by Gladys & Walt Brandstoettner**

**Presider: Fr. Selvanathan**

**Servers:**

**Lectors: B. Murphy & J. Simmons**

**Eucharistic: M. Evans & J. Peugh**

**Hospitality:**

**6:00pm, Aug. 1 (†) Rosseta Carwin by Charles Olesky**

**Presider: Fr. Chrysogonus Nwele**

**Servers:**

**Lector:**

**Eucharistic:**

**Hospitality: C. Morelli**

**Readings for the Week of July 25, 2021**

**Sunday: 2 KGS 4:42-44 EPH 4:1-6 JN 6:1-15**

**Monday: EX 32:15-24, 30-34 MT 13:31-35**

**Tuesday: EX 33:7-11, 34:5b-9, 28 MT 13:36-43**

**Wednesday: EX 34:29-35 MT 13:44-46**

**Thursday: EX 40:16-21, 34-38 JN 11:19-27**

**Friday: LV 23:1, 4-11, 15-16, 27, 34b-37 MT 13:54-58**

**Saturday: LV 25:1, 8-17 MT 14:1-12**

**Calendar of Events Week of July 25, 2021**

**Sunday, July 25**  
7:30 am Mass  
9:15 am St. Ann's  
10:00 am Mass  
6:00 pm Mass

**Monday, July 26**  
8:00 am Mass

**Tuesday, July 27**  
8:00 am Mass

**Wednesday, July 28**  
8:00 am Mass  
10:00 am Joseph Hayes Funeral

**Thursday, July 29**  
8:00 am Morning Mass  
6:00 pm Eucharist Minister Training

**Friday, July 30**  
8:00 am Morning Mass

**Saturday, July 31**  
8:00 am  
2:00-3:30 Confession  
4:00 pm Mass

**Mass Intentions**

**Sunday July 25, 2021**

7:30 am - (†) **James Shults** by Deb Shults

10:00 am - (†) **Warren Bystedt** by Nancy Johnson

6:00 pm - (†) **Fr. James Plough** by Elizabeth & Joshua

**Monday July 26, 2021**

8:00 am- (I) **Isabel Happal** by Family

**Tuesday July 27, 2021**

8:00 am - (†) **Jack Rau** by Kristin Rau

**Wednesday July 28, 2021**

8:00 am - (†) **Walter Olesky** by Charles Olesky

**Thursday July 29, 2021**

8:00 am - (†) **Emilia DeGiorgio** by Kathleen Hollingsworth

**Friday July 30, 2021**

8:00 am (†) **Ernest Deaver** by Frances Deaver

**Saturday July 31, 2021**

8:00 am - (I) **Judy Losasso** by Charles Olesky

4:00 pm- (†) **Shirley McCabe** by Catholic Daughters of America

**Prayer Opportunities:**

**Morning Prayer:** Monday-Friday 7:30am in the Sanctuary  
**Morning Mass:** Monday-Saturday 8:00am in the Sanctuary



## RAISING DISCIPLES TO INSPIRE RELATIONSHIPS WITH JESUS



Since things are opening up, we are looking forward to the time we no longer will have to worry about limitations on attending mass or gatherings in our Parish. We now want to reactivate ministries that were lost over the past year. Therefore, we are posting job opportunities for a **Youth Minister, Business Manager and Pastoral Assistant**. If you or anyone you know is interested please come to the office to fill out a job application. Please bear in mind the result of these positions will be **Missionary Discipleship**.  
Thank you, Father Chrysogonus.

## ST. MARY'S YOUTH GROUP 2021 YOUTH RETREAT

AUGUST 21-22, 2021

St. Mary's youth group invites you to the 2021 Youth Retreat, August 21-22, 2021 at St. Mary Catholic Church in Montrose.

We'll be accompanied by....

Father Mark Bettinger, Father Matthew Wertin, and the school of evangelization Our Lady Mother of the Church!!!

The retreat will be free of cost!!

We highly encourage you to register online, we will also have registration the day of for anyone that was not able to register online!!!

This will be an overnight Retreat, and all meals will be provided!!!

### WE HIGHLY ENCOURAGE YOU TO BRING...

- Sleeping bag
- hygiene products
- Pillow
- extra clothes

SCAN THE QR CODE TO  
REGISTER!!!



### SIGN IN AND SIGN UP/ ARRIVAL/ENDING TIMES

- Sign in and sign up/arrival 8:00am Saturday August, 21
- Ends Sunday August, 22 with Mass at 1:00pm



### Get Tax Credit with Every Donation

Thank you to everyone that has helped us financially to allow us to keep our doors open. As for tax purposes every donation given to us is tax deductible only if we know who donates. If you donate via cash and would like tax credit at the end of the year it is highly **IMPORTANT** that you put your name on it. If you are a registered parishioner it will be easier for us to track your donations. If you have any questions or concerns please contact Lorena Trujillo in the office.

### IHM Charitable Giving

#### Catholic Outreach Donations

February:	\$692
March:	\$782
April:	\$760
May:	\$1,027

#### Emergency Aid - Assistance to the Poor Donations

February:	\$300
March:	\$250
April:	\$250
May:	\$1,250

#### Holy Family School Subsidy

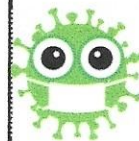
February:	\$4,833
March:	\$4,833
April:	\$4,833
May:	\$5,585

#### DMF 2020

Paid: \$143,191.75 (89.5%)  
Shortfall: \$16,747.25 (10.5%)

Thank you for all your support!

### Updated Information of Coronavirus at IHM



IHM will be following the latest COVID-19 directives from Mesa County Health Department and the Catholic Diocese of Pueblo. We have the "Free to Choose" policy if you want to wear a face mask or not. We do ask that you please practice personal hygiene and be respectful of your fellow parishioners, as some are still a higher risk.  
Thank You, IHM Staff.



### Knights of Columbus Breakfast third Sunday

It's a great place to meet new friends and have a great breakfast before returning home. Children under 7 eat free! Breakfast consists of pancakes, scrambled eggs, choice of bacon or sausage, biscuits, and gravy, Coffee, tea, or lemonade. Adults \$7 Children 8-11 \$5 Proceeds from the breakfast support local charities. If you are interested in having fun while helping others contact a Knight, they will be glad to answer any questions you have about becoming a Knight.

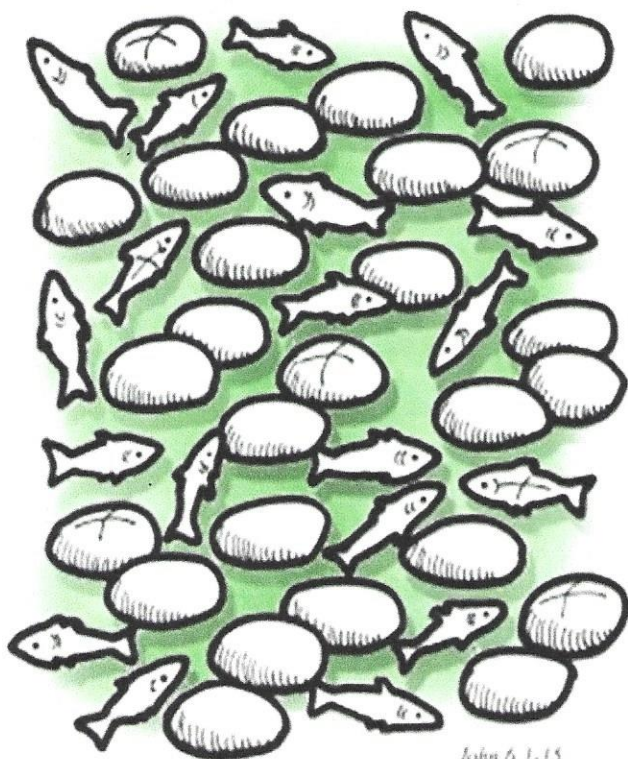


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Kids Corner

17th Sunday of Ordinary Time

17th Sunday in Ordinary Time  
July 25th, 2021



John 6:1-15

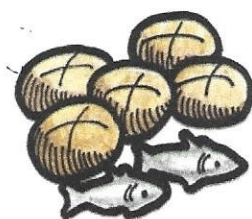
When five thousand people came to hear Jesus,  
He turned one boy's  
bread and fish into enough for everyone.  
How much did He have to start with?  
Color and count the loaves and fishes with  
crosses on them to find out!

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# Loaves and Fishes Word-Find



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ILSATWELVE  
SITHOUSAND  
HPWANTEDED



See if you can find all  
the words in CAPITALS.  
Use the leftover letters  
to fill in the blanks  
at the end.



When Jesus saw that a large CROWD was coming to him, he said to PHILIP, "Where can we BUY enough food for them to eat?" He said this to TEST him, because he knew what he was going to do. Philip answered him, "Two hundred days' wages worth of BREAD would not be enough for each of them to have a LITTLE." ANDREW said to him, "There is a boy here who has five BARLEY loaves and two FISH; but what good are these for so MANY?" Jesus said, "Tell the people to sit down." Now there was much GRASS in that place. So the men SAT down, about five THOUSAND in number. Then JESUS took the loaves, gave THANKS, and distributed them to those who were seated, and also as much of the fish as they WANTED. When they had EATEN their FILL, he said to his disciples, "GATHER the PIECES left over, so that nothing will be wasted." So they collected them, and filled TWELVE BASKETS with fragments of the loaves, left by those who had eaten.



Jesus \_\_\_\_\_ the bread and fish.

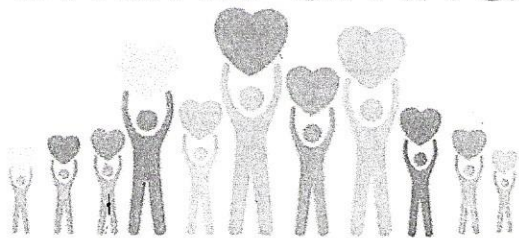
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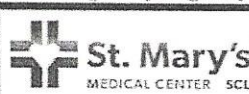
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