



October 14th – October 21st

(*Living +Deceased)

Saturday 14th, 4:00pm

Jim Patterson +

by Judy Patterson

Sunday 15th, 8:00am

George Rivest +

by Pat & Tom Schulze

Tuesday 17th, 5:30pm

Ross Trujillo +

by his Family

Thursday 19th, 5:30pm

Poor Souls in Purgatory

by Bill & Annie Simmons

Friday 20th, 8:00am

Gloria Canchola +

by L.P. Canchola

Saturday 21st, 8:00am

Poor Souls in Purgatory

Saturday 21st, 4:00pm

Joyce Werthman +

by Mike & Janice Raley



*Shane Dodge *Nick Ayala *Nova Lee *Trudy Carroll
*Eileen Copper *Mela Delgado *Casey Quinn *Chance &
Casey Guerrieri *Dolores Valdez *Angie Rodgers *Janet
Fernandez *Barb Z *Sylvia W *Joan Gudall *Becky
Goehring *Jeni Kilpatrick *Jennifer Clark *Marge Herrera
*King Family *Marrs Family *Browning Nagel *Chrisanna
*Manuel Mecistas *Suzie Ramirez *Nicole Ayala *Angie
Rodgers *Patsy Causey *Mary Ann Harper *Anthony Ortiz
*Keilholz Family *Anita Masar *Anne Sterling *Joann Ortiz
*Lonnie Millanponce *Debbie Montoya *Massengale Family
*Adrian *Paula *Randy Harris *Rita Green *Carey Smith
*Jeanne Speers *John Stevenson *Gina Marino *Mary
Fleming *Liz DiMarino

Bulletin Prayer List Contact:

Joan DeSalvo (719) 371-8883 (call or text)



Parish Registration

St Benedict Parish extends a warm welcome to all who are joining us for prayer, worship, or instruction. If you are new to the area or returning home to the Church, we invite you to become a member of our parish by registering with our Parish Office.



Sacraments

Anointing of the Sick: Contact the Parish Office.

Baptism: Baptismal preparation classes are required for all parents and godparents. Please contact Joyce Archuletta for further information and requirements.

Marriage: Pre-marriage appointments are required of the engaged couple. Please contact Joyce Archuletta to schedule your first appointment 6 months prior to the wedding date.

Reconciliation:

Saturday 2:30-3:30pm in the church or by appointment.

Parish Office:

622 W. 2nd Street

Florence, CO 81226-1015

(719)784-4879 FAX: (719)784-2070

Office Hours:

Monday – Tuesday - Thursday – Friday

9:00am - 2:00pm

Closed: Wednesday

Website: www.stbenedictco.org

E-mail: stbenedicts_81226@yahoo.com

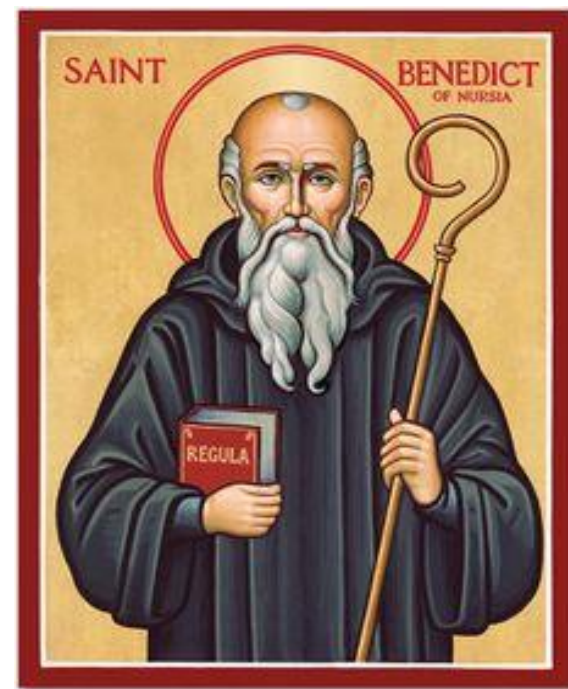
Facebook:

facebook.com/groups/saintbenedictcommunityco

FORMED:

Go to the parish Website for more information on how to register for this free app.

SAINT BENEDICT **CATHOLIC PARISH**



MASS SCHEDULE

Tuesday: 5:30pm

Thursday: 5:30pm

Friday: 8:00am

Saturday: 8:00am

Saturday: 4:00pm

Sunday: 8:00am

Eucharistic Adoration

Friday & Saturday 7:00-8:00am

2nd Friday of each month - 24-hour

Friday: 8:30am to Saturday: 7:30am

Liturgy of the Hours

Tuesday & Thursday: 5:00pm

Friday & Saturday: 7:30am

Divine Mercy Chaplet

Thursday: Recitation 6:00pm

October 15th, 2023

28th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Weekly Readings: Oct 15th – Oct 22nd

Sunday: Isaiah 25:6-10a~ Psalm 23:1-6~
Philippians 4:12-20~ Matthew 22:1-14

Monday: Romans 1:1-7~ Psalm 98:1-4~
Luke 11:29-32

Tuesday: Romans 1:16-25~ Psalm 19:2-5~
Luke 11:37-41

Wednesday: 2 Timothy 4:10-17b~ Psalm 145:10-18~
Luke 10:1-9

Thursday: Romans 3:21-30~ Psalm 130:1-6~
Luke 11:47-54

Friday: Romans 4:1-8~ Psalm 32:1-11~
Luke 12:1-7

Saturday: Romans 4:13-18~ Psalm 105:6-43~
Luke 12:8-12

Sunday: Isaiah 45:1-6~ Psalm 96:1-10~
1 Thessalonians 1:1-5b~
Matthew 22:15-21

Pastor: Fr. Stephen Injoalu

padreofgod@gmail.com

(719) 784-4879

After hours or emergency (719) 784-7192

Parish Staff:

Pastoral Associate & Discipleship

Formation Coordinator: Joyce

Archuletta (719) 250-2816

joyce_stb@yahoo.com

Office Secretary/Receptionist:

Kathy Muehlbauer

Building/Grounds: Tom Masar

Custodian: Rick Archuletta

What's Happening

Joy of Life Prayer Group:

Meets every Monday at 10:30am in the Villa Maria.
Contact: Joan DeSalvo (719) 371-8883.

Rosary Ministry:

Meets every 2nd Tuesday, 7:00pm in the Villa Maria.
Contact: Patsy Causey (719) 251-4501.

Ladies of Mary:

Meets every 2nd Thursday, rosary at 10:30am,
potluck 11:00, meeting at 11:30am.
Contact: Gina Wiseman 719-431-0311.

Knights of Columbus Council #1225

Meets every 1st Tuesday – Full Council meeting;
Rosary at 6:30pm, meeting at 7:00pm
Meets every 3rd Tuesday - Council Officers meeting
(all are welcome to attend); Rosary at 6:30pm,
meeting at 7:00pm.

Parish Potluck

Every third Saturday of the month immediately
following the 4:00pm Mass, in the Parish Hall.

Eternal Life Ministry

If you have recently lost a loved one and would like the
comfort of a visit from a listening fellow parishioner,
please contact Barb Lamoreux at 719-429-3739.

Council Meetings

Meets every 3rd Thursday of the Month
Finance Council - 1:30pm
Pastoral Council – 3:00pm

Coffee & Doughnuts Hospitality:

Every Sunday after the 8:00am Mass in the
Parish Hall Foyer.

Prayer Blankets

that have been blessed, are available in the narthex
of the church for anyone needing comfort.



This weekend is your last chance to purchase
tickets for St. Benedict's **Fall Festival** on
Saturday, October 21st at 5:00pm in the Parish Center.
Tickets are \$20.00 per person. Don't miss this
delightful evening filled with food, shopping, and a
photo booth to capture the moment! Don't forget to
bring your prize-winning pie to be auctioned off as well!

The last day to bring your donations will be **Monday,
October 16th**. Please bring all donations to the Parish
Office during business hours or call Shanda Telck 719-
429-4567 or Annie Simmons 719-429-2803 and we
would be happy to pick up your donations.



"White Mass"

Sacred Heart Cathedral
1101 N. Grand Ave in Pueblo
Sunday, October 29th at 11:30am.
celebrated by Bishop Stephen Berg

The Sangre de Cristo Medical Guild has once again
organized the celebration of the "White Mass" to honor
and pray for all Medical Professionals in the Pueblo
Diocese. Doctors, Nurses, EMT's, CNA's, and all
other medical workers will be the honored guests at this
annual celebration to pray in thanksgiving for the
generous talents shared by these members of our
community.



The Ladies of Mary would like to thank all those who
donated and purchased items at the Bake Sale!



Fr. Stephen is inviting **ALL** Parishioners to
please join us as they are able, in a Processional
Rosary, Monday, October 23rd at 5:00pm.

We will process from Pioneer Park and
conclude in the Church. Those who are unable to join
in the procession are welcome to stay in the Church
and pray the Rosary where we will conclude together.

Thank you all for your willingness to be a part of
this Rosary procession in honor of Our Mother Mary.

Bishop Berg invites all to celebrate the
groundbreaking of the

Capuchin Poor Clare Sisters new Monastery

October 15, 2023
at 1514 Laredo St., Pueblo, CO
1:00pm

All Souls Day

November 2nd



Our Service and procession ceremony will begin with
Mass at 5:30pm continuing with a candlelight closure
ceremony in the Parish Hall.

We are offering a special candle with the name of your
dearly departed placed on it (one candle per deceased
family). If you are interested in participating with a
candle **and** in the procession, please fill out a form
found in the basket on the table in the narthex and
return it to the same basket or to the Mass offertory
basket by **October 29th**.



Five Reason to Pray the Rosary

- ❖ **It's the second-most powerful prayer in the world.** The first, of course, is the Mass. St. Louis de Montfort taught: "When the Holy Rosary is said well, it gives Jesus and Mary more glory and is more meritorious than any other prayer." St. Pio preached: "Love the Madonna and pray the Rosary, for her Rosary is the weapon against the evils of the world today."
- ❖ **It's a meditation on the truths of the Gospel.** The Mysteries of the Rosary are amazing meditations on the lives of Jesus and Mary as found in Scripture. Through them you will become intimately acquainted with the truths of our faith.
- ❖ **It's easy to learn but a lifetime to master its riches.** While children can learn the prayers of the Rosary, the deepest mystics and greatest saints recommend the graces that can be gained through it. St. Francis de Sales says: "Let us run to Mary and, as her little children, cast ourselves into her arms with a perfect confidence."
- ❖ **It is a powerful prayer of intercession.** Pray for your every concern, great and small. St. Alphonsus Liguori assures us: "Mary is more prompt than all the saints in coming to our aid. She has a great desire to comfort us. The moment she is invoked, she welcomes our prayers and grants us her assistance."

- ❖ **It will call you to be a saint.** St. John Paul II wrote: "Although the repeated Hail Mary is addressed directly to Mary, it is to Jesus that the act of love is ultimately directed, with her and through her . . . The Rosary helps us to be conformed ever more closely to Christ until we attain true holiness."

(Taken from the United States Catholic Catechism for
Adults and Living Faith 2021)