



# St. John the Baptist Church

St. Mary Church – Clearmont  
St. Hubert Church – Kaycee

## Office and Rectory

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## St. John the Baptist Church

Saturday 5:00 PM  
Sunday 9:00 AM  
Daily Mass T - F 8:00 AM  
Holy Days  
    Anticipatory 6:00 PM  
    Day of... 7:00 AM

## St. Mary Church, Clearmont

2<sup>nd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> Sunday 12:30pm

## St. Hubert Church, Kaycee

1<sup>st</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday 2:00pm

**Confessions** Saturday 11:00am-11:30am  
Or by Appointment

**Sacrament of the Sick** – After first Sunday Masses  
or call the Parish Office

**Eucharistic Adoration** - Fridays from 8:30-9:30am

**Respect Life Holy Hour** – last Monday of each  
month

## Religious Education / Meeting

Monday, March 18 – 7pm Rosary in the church

Tuesday, March 19 – St. Joseph day – bring  
bread to Mass for the poor

Wednesday, March 20 – 3:45pm CCD  
6pm Penance Service

Thursday, March 21 – 6:30am Men of St.  
Joseph

Friday, March 22 – 6pm Stations of the Cross  
followed by a soup supper

Wednesday, March 27 – 8:30am Church  
cleaning

Sunday, March 31 – EASTER

Tuesday, April 9 – Noon CCW mtg.

## Parish Staff

|                                 |  |          |
|---------------------------------|--|----------|
| Pastor                          | <i>Fr. Jim Heiser</i>  | 684-7268 |
| Deacon                          | <i>Jay Garland</i>   |          |
| Parish Administrator            | <i>Mary Ann Cummins</i>  | 684-7268 |
| CCW Leader                      | <i>Mary Smith</i>  |          |
| Finance Council Chair           | <i>Steve Reimann</i>   |          |
| Maintenance Technician          | <i>Darin Gagliano</i>  |          |
| K of C Grand Knight             | <i>Danny Cosner</i>  |          |
| Parish Council Chair            | <i>Barbara Mueller</i>   |          |
| Religious Education             | <i>Carol Gagliano</i>  |          |
| Corporate Board of<br>Directors | <i>Bishop Steve Biegler, President</i><br><i>Very Rev. Carl Gallinger, Vice-P</i><br><i>Very Rev. Jim Heiser, Sec &amp; Treas</i><br><i>Phil Gonzales, Trustee</i><br><i>Julie Snyder, Trustee</i> |          |

**Baptisms** – Please call Fr. Heiser, 684-7268

**Marriage** – Planning and preparation 6 months in  
advance- Mentors Jim/Lori Johnson

**Prayer line Requests** –Jan Edgcomb –  
[jmpe@wyoming.com](mailto:jmpe@wyoming.com) or Honey Harriet, 620-1890

**Rosary Guild** – Thursdays at 8:30am to 10am.

**FIFTH SUNDAY IN LENT**  
**MARCH 17, 2024**

**Liturgical Ministers at Mass:**  
**SATURDAY, March 23, 5pm**

Lector: Blaine Horn  
EM: Volunteer  
EMHC: Volunteers  
Altar Server: Rick Andersen

**SUNDAY, March 24, 9am**

Lector: Judy Wigginton  
EM: Volunteer  
EMHC: Volunteer, Barb Mueller  
Altar Servers:

**COLLECTIONS FOR WEEK March 10, 2024**

|                |             |                  |
|----------------|-------------|------------------|
| St. John's     | \$ 3,534.00 | YTD\$ 139,004.45 |
| St. Mary's     | \$ 110.00   | YTD \$ 4,560.00  |
| St. Hubert's   | \$ 20.00    | YTD \$ 3,624.00  |
| Poor Donations | \$ 216.00   |                  |
| Online Giving  | \$          |                  |

**MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK:**

|     |      |     |                         |
|-----|------|-----|-------------------------|
| Fri | 3/15 | 8am | +Dolores Hasquet        |
| Sat | 3/16 | 5pm | +John Urruty            |
| Sun | 3/17 | 9am | Bonnie B Family         |
|     |      | 2pm | Pro Populo              |
| Mon | 3/18 |     | No Mass                 |
| Tue | 3/19 | 8am | +Phil Marton            |
| Wed | 3/20 | 8am | +Vickie Washut          |
| Thu | 3/21 |     | No Mass                 |
| Fri | 3/22 | 8am | +Jim Hasquet            |
| Sat | 3/23 | 5pm | A&A Ridgeway, blessings |
| Sun | 3/24 | 9am | +Kelly Camino           |
|     |      | 2pm | Pro Populo              |

**READINGS FOR THE WEEK:**

Mon-Daniel 13:1-9, 15-17, 19-30, 33-62; Gospel: John 8:1-11  
Tue-2 Samuel 7:4-5a, 12-14a, 16; Romans 4:13, 16-18, 22; Gospel: Matthew 1:16, 18-21, 24a  
Saint Joseph, Spouse of the Blessed Virgin Mary  
Wed-Daniel 3:14-20; 91-92, 95; Gospel: John 8:31-42  
Thu-Genesis 17:3-9; Gospel: John 8:51-59  
Fri-Jeremiah 20:10-13; Gospel: John 10:31-42  
Sat-Ezekiel 37:21-28; Gospel: John 11:45-56

***"PRAISED BE JESUS CHRIST!"***  
***"PRAISE HIM NOW & ALWAYS!"***

***TOP O' THE MORNING TO YA! HAPPY ST. PATRICK'S DAY ☺***

**WORLDWIDE MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER**

**EXPERIENCE:** The Marriage Encounter Experience has been rejuvenating marriages for more than 50 years worldwide. If you have never made an Experience, we invite you to consider the next one at the Historic Elk Mountain Hotel April 12-14. If you already have made an Experience and it has been a few or even many years ago, consider making an anniversary Experience. As we grow and change, (and age), our issues change. The application fee for the Experience is \$100, and there is an opportunity to make a donation at the end of the Experience to go toward the actual cost of room and meals. Learn more, by watching:

<https://www.facebook.com/watch/?v=635747607124827> OR visit [wwme.org/](http://wwme.org/) OR apply today by calling 307-215-9444.

**SOUP SUPPER** this Friday, March 22. Bring a delicious meatless soup or bread to share ☺  
*"Man cannot survive on bread alone, but on every word that comes from the mouth of God."*

**STATIONS OF THE CROSS** next 2 Fridays in Lent at 6pm.

**SEVEN SORROWS ROSARY** will be prayed every Friday (except Good Friday) during the Lenten season on Diocese of Cheyenne Facebook Live at 7pm. For information, email Carmella Chavez at [cchavez@dcwy.org](mailto:cchavez@dcwy.org)

**PRAYER, FASTING & ALMSGIVING** – Lenten basics, Lenten focus. THANKS for your almsgiving through foods for the Food Pantry each weekend! **230 lbs. last week!!**

**ST. JOSEPH'S TABLE** - In honor of the feast of St. Joseph on March 19, please bring bread or baked goods to Mass this weekend. The food will be gathered and distributed to people in need. This is a long- standing Catholic Church tradition.

**The CHRISM MASS** for the diocese will be held at St. Patrick Church in Casper on Thursday, March 21 at 5:30pm. Everyone is invited to attend. The holy oils for the year will be blessed and brought back to our parish.

**DAILY CATHOLIC WISDOM** – “We must not be surprised at our faults, because surprise springs from pride.” -St. Frances Cabrini quoted in the book, *Too Small a World*

It's that time of the year again when we prepare to offer hams to our patrons for Easter. If you would like to help provide a ham to a family or families, please make a donation by sending a check to Bread of Life Food Pantry, P.O. Box 909, Buffalo, WY 82834 or you may donate online at our website, [breadoflifebuffalo.org](http://breadoflifebuffalo.org), and click on the donate button. Please indicate in the memo that it is for Easter hams. Thank you to our wonderful donors for supporting this worthy cause.

“God’s love can  
unleash its power only  
when it is allowed to  
change us from within.  
We have to let it  
break through the  
hard crust of our  
indifference, our  
spiritual weariness,  
our blind conformity

to the spirit of this  
age.” -Pope St. Benedict XVI

**THE FISH FRY in Kaycee** last Friday netted \$1028 which will go toward stained-glass windows on the south side of the St. Hubert’s Church building!

**ROTARY SPONSORED BINGO** in our parish hall on Tuesday, March 19 at 5pm.

**COMMUNAL PENANCE SERVICE** on Wednesday, March 20 at 6pm in the church with Fr. Bryce of Gillette, Fr. Augustine and our pastor, Fr. Jim.

**NO MORNING MASS** on Thursday, March 21 as the Chrism Mass is in Casper that evening and the priests all have a meeting that day.

**LAST SOUP SUPPER** is Friday, March 22! Thank you to everyone who has made soup and brought bread to share! Thanks to all who have participated 😊

**GOOD FRIDAY STATIONS OF THE CROSS** will be held on March 29 at 6pm.

**PALM SUNDAY**, March 24 begins Holy Week. Masses are Saturday at 5pm and Sunday at 9am.

**HOLY THURSDAY MASS** is March 28 at 7pm.

**GOOD FRIDAY SERVICES** are March 29 at 12 noon.

**EASTER VIGIL MASS** is at 8pm on March 30.

**EASTER MASS** is at 9am on March 31.

\*\*\*We still need servers on Holy Thursday and Easter Vigil Masses. We also need volunteers for Lectors and Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist and of the Cup.

**We are having a weed pull day with Weed and Pest June 13 from 1-4:30**, starting at the Highway pull off west of the city water plant, archery entrance, Mentock trail access. Bring shovels, gloves, bags will be provided and

weighted and you will be paid \$1 a pound, great fundraising opportunity. This is the 6th annual pull program and runs all summer, with payments for weeds at \$1 per pound.

Thanks



**FINANCE COUNCIL** will meet on Tuesday, March 26 at 5pm.

**PARISH COUNCIL** will meet on Wednesday, March 27 at 5pm.

**THANK YOU** to Tony Fox for chauffeuring Fr. John around this past week! We appreciate you, Tony! **AND thank you** for playing the organ each Friday night during Stations of the Cross 😊

**NEXT WEEKEND** is Palm Sunday!



“A Sad Saint is a Bad Saint!”

—St. Teresa of Avila

"For Jesus, bringing God's salvation to all was the greatest happiness, the mission, the meaning of his existence (cf. Gal 6:38) or, as he says, his nourishment (cf. Gal 4:34). And in every word and action with which we unite ourselves to Him, in the beautiful adventure of giving love, light and joy multiply (cfr Is 9,2): not only around us, but also in us. To proclaim the Gospel, then, is not time wasted: it is to be happier by helping others; it is to free oneself by helping others to be free; it is to become better by helping others to be better!"

**Pope Francis**