



**Immaculate Conception
Catholic Church &
St. Theodore Mission**



Mar. 17th - 5th Sunday Lent

***A grain of wheat
must die if it is
to bear fruit***

John 12:24



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Helena

EVENT CALENDAR

Upcoming Events: (Mark your Calendars)

Mon. Mar. 18th, Fr. Joe's Day Off

Tue. Mar. 18th, 9:00 am, No Money Counting

Tue. Mar. 18th, 12:00 pm, Chrism Mass in Helena

Tue. Mar. 18th, 6:00 pm, Knights of Columbus St.

Patrick's Dinner @ SMC

Wed. Mar. 20th, 1:00 pm, Mass & Visits as MSP

Wed. Mar. 20th, 6:30 pm, Walking with Purpose

Thu. Mar. 21st, 1:00 pm, Confessions at MSH

Fri. Mar. 22nd, 4:30 pm, Confessions @ SLC

Fri. Mar. 22nd, 5:15 pm, Stations of the Cross @
SLC

Mass Intentions

FOR THE WEEK



Week of Mar. 16th to Mar. 22nd

Sat. 5:00 pm Marge Luoma rb Donna
McGuire

Sun. 9:00 am Pro Populo (For the People)

Mon. No Mass

Tue. 8:00 am Norrine Goddard rb Donna
McGuire

Wed. 8:00 am Howx

Thu. 8:00 am Joe & Rose Heisdorf rb Susan
Blair

Fri. 8:00 am Glenn & Dede Cook rb Susan
Blair



**Last Chance
to Register!**

EUCHARISTIC CONGRESS

March 22-24, 2024 | Helena, MT

Join us at Carroll College for this incredible all-ages event centered around the Eucharist. The weekend will feature engaging speakers, Mass, time for prayer and worship, and a Eucharistic procession through downtown Helena. Don't miss this wonderful opportunity to encounter the Lord and prepare for Holy Week at this diocese-wide, family event.

Find more information and register at:
diocesehelena.org/eucharisticcongress.



Holy Week Schedule:

Holy Thursday Mass	3/28	7:00 pm
Good Friday Services	3/29	3:00 pm
Easter Vigil	3/30	8:30 pm
Easter Day	3/31	9:00 am

Memorials:

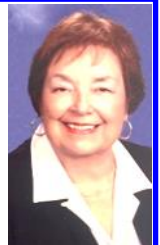
Bud Findlay

&

Megan Thompson

Requested by

Ann Findlay





There is one last chance to attend Stations of the Cross this coming Friday at 5:15 pm in the Spiritual Life Center. Confessions will be available beforehand at 4:30 pm. Stations for Kids at the same time.



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AND NATIVE AMERICAN
CATHOLIC CHARITIES**

Please consider supporting the Black & Indian Missions 2nd Collection this month. Envelopes are in the back of the church or you can use On-line giving to make a donation.



We had approximately 50 people at our two fish fries. The new friers worked great!



The Anaconda Catholic Community invites you to join them for an afternoon of prayer in celebration of Divine Mercy Sunday, April 7, 2024. 12:00 noon till 4:30 PM. Holy Family Church, 217 W. Pennsylvania Ave. Anaconda. Exposition, Confessions & Chaplet x 3.



We have received our first distribution of the recently completed Capital Campaign. The represents our share of the actual paid in amounts to date. **\$67,511** for Immaculate Conception and **\$12,268** for St. Theodore Mission.

FOUNDATION for the Diocese of Helena are available to us for Projects and Evangelization so we need to start thinking about ways to use them going forward. St. Theodore Mission is making plans for adding bathrooms, but Immaculate Conception needs to come up with some ways to invest this money in our spiritual future. If you have any ideas, be sure to let Fr. Joe know.

The Knights of Columbus will be having their annual St. Patrick's day dinner for members and spouses on Tuesday, March 19th @ the Saint Mary's Center. Festivities will start at 6:00 pm.



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ST. MARY'S CATHOLIC CHURCH

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Please be sure to check your calendars and make sure you have your dates down. Also, please get a substitute for your time slot if you will be gone.



DOW	Date	Lector	EM Blood 1	EM Blood 2
Sat	3/16	Thompson, K.	Thompson, P.	Hogan, L.
Sun	3/17	Dumont, S	Doyle, D.	Doyle, M.
Sat	3/23	Isaacson, K.	Cook, A.	Hunter, L.
Sun	3/24	Krach, R	Hollenback, C.	Hollenback, J.
Sat	3/30	Richards, M.	Powell, J.	Issacson, K.
Sun	3/31	Phillips, K.	Heydt, D.	McMahon, J.

Day	Last	First
16	Senecal	Margaret
17	Smith	Bill
22	Kelley	Nancy
22	Kelley	Nancy
23	McGuire	Donna
27	Raymond	William
27	Senecal	Jacob
28	Rennfield	Mike
28	Hansen	Jacob
29	Kraemer	Richard

March Birthdays



WEEKEND MASS TIMES

Immaculate Conception Deer Lodge

Confessions/Reconciliation
Saturday 3:30 till 4:30 p.m.
Saturday Vigil Mass 5:00 p.m.
Sunday Mass 9:00 a.m.

St. Theodore—Avon Sunday Mass 11:15 a.m.

WEEKDAY MASS TIMES

Tuesday through Friday
8:00 a.m.—Immaculate Conception
Rosary before daily Mass
@ 7:40 a.m.
(Monday—No Mass)

Funeral Masses will generally be held at 11:00 a.m. and the 8:00 a.m. Mass that day will be cancelled.

The Sacrament of Penance/Reconciliation may also be scheduled by appointment.

WEEKLY OFFERTORY COLLECTION

1st & 2nd Sundays of March
Immaculate Conception
St. Theodore Mission

Bi-Weekly Online YTD
\$ 2,391 \$17,559 \$22,568
\$ 974 \$1,817 \$5,215

SACRAMENTAL INFORMATION

Infant Baptism: Parents must be registered & active members of this parish or of another parish with family here in the parish (i.e., parents). Letter of permission from Pastor if parents are from outside the parish. Two Godparents who are registered and active members of their parish, one male and one female. Contact the Pastor before infant's due date to arrange date and time.

Holy Matrimony: Couples discerning this sacrament should contact the Pastor immediately after becoming engaged. NOTE: the diocese requires a minimum of 6 months advance notice regarding the intention to marry. Couples wishing to marry in the parish must be registered and active members of the parish, or individuals who have moved away whose parents are still active in the parish. Couples from other parishes must obtain a letter of permission to marry outside of their own parish.

Anointing of the Sick: Individuals who have been diagnosed as terminally or gravely ill or are preparing for invasive surgery should request this sacrament. Confession ordinarily proceeds receiving the sacrament of the sick, call the church office at 846-4114 to make arrangements.

Adult Confirmation, Adult Baptism (RCIA), and Adult Reception into Full Communion with the Church: If you, a family member, or a friend has not received the sacrament of confirmation, or are interested in being baptized into the Faith, or received into full communion with the Church, please contact the Pastor. Process will be discerned on an individual basis based on preparedness.