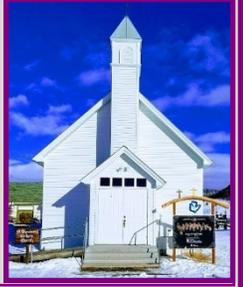




Immaculate Conception Catholic Church & St. Theodore Mission



Mar. 24th - 3rd Sunday of Lent



MASS SCHEDULE MINISTRY SCHEDULE

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.

THIS WEEKEND

(March 23rd & 24th)

IC—Deer Lodge 5:00 p.m.
 Lector: Mizner, T.
 EM Body: Isaacson, K.
 Blood 1: xxxxx
 EM Blood 2: Thompson, K.
 Server 1: x
 Server 2: x

IC—Deer Lodge 9:00 a.m.
 Lector: Christnacht, T.
 EM Body: Phillips, K.
 EM Blood 1: Schalk, L.
 EM Blood 2: McMahon, J.
 Server 1: x
 Server 2: x

St. Theodore—Avon 11:15 a.m.
 Lector: x
 EM: x
 Server: x

NEXT WEEKEND

(March 30th & 31st)

IC—Deer Lodge 5:00 p.m.
 Lector: Kraemer, R.
 EM Body: Hogan, L.
 Blood 1: O'Hara, J.
 EM Blood 2: Hunter, L.
 Server 1: x
 Server 2: x

IC—Deer Lodge 9:00 a.m.
 Lector: Cutler, A.
 EM Body: Fogarty, S.
 EM Blood 1: Bilodeau, C.
 EM Blood 2: Doyle, D.
 Server 1: x
 Server 2: x

St. Theodore—Avon 11:15 a.m.
 Lector: x
 EM: x
 Server: x

Upcoming Events: (Mark your Calendars)

Mon. Mar. 25th, 7:00 pm, Solemnity of the Annunciation, Fr. Jack Murray Celebrant
 Mon, Mar. 25th, Fr. Joe in Utah
 Tue. Mar. 26^h, No Mass, Fr. Joe in Utah
 Wed. Mar. 27th, Fr. Joe at Warm Springs
 Fri. Mar. 29th, 11:00 am, Wally Atkinson Funeral
 Fri. Mar. 29th, Fr. Joe at Montana State Prison
 Fri. Mar. 29th, 6:00 pm, Stations of the Cross
 Fri. Mar. 29th, 6:30 pm, Confessions

Mass Intentions

FOR THE WEEK

The week of Mar. 23rd through Mar. 29th

Sat. 5:00 pm O.J. Carpenter rb Jane McMahon
Sun. 9:00 am Pro Populo (for the People)
Sun. 11:15 am Avon Memorials
Mon. 7:00 pm Solemnity of the Annunciation, Fr. Jack Murray Celebrating
Tue. No Mass
Wed. 8:00 am Bernice Verlanic rb Family
Thu. 8:00 am Patricia Stanton rb Karen Phillips
Fri. 11:00 am Wally Atkinson Funeral

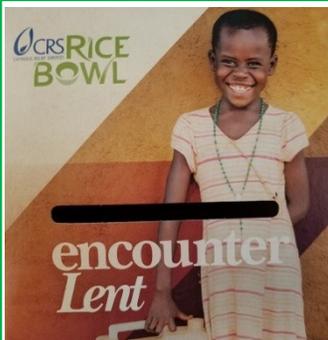
Avon Memorials:

Danny Antila rb Laurie Hunter
 Memorials for the Thomas Family, the Hiltz Family and the Antila Family RB Sue Hiltz

Be Brave Be Bold
Be Catholic



The women's Journey weekend is March 21st– 24th at St. Ann's in Butte. Please be sure to keep all the participants and helpers in your prayers that they may have a spirit filled weekend.



The 2019 Catholic Relief Services (CRS) Rice Bowls are available for pick up in the back of the Church. We have plenty, so you can grab more than one and place them in different locations around the house where lose change may collect. Maybe even take one to work. Each year Lent is set aside as a time that we

remember how blessed we truly are and seek to share those blessings with others around the world that are struggling. We also have special CRS envelopes in the back of the church for you to use for donations.

The Chrism Mass will be Thursday, April 11th at 5:00 pm at the Cathedral in Helena. Archbishop Sample from Portland will be the primary celebrant and most of the priests from around the Diocese should also be present. All are invited to attend. There is a special dinner afterwards at 7:00 pm, and if you wish to attend, there is a sign-up sheet in the back of the church. It is a great opportunity to mingle with people from all around the Diocese as they enjoy the dinner while they wait for the Holy Oils to be readied for distribution to all the parishes in the Diocese.





We are almost 3/4 of the way to our goal of \$100,000.

We had a very generous donation of \$25,000 from the Bruno A. Fichna Trust to our Convent Remodeling project. This brings us much closer to our goal and will allow us to

finish most of the remaining work. We will still need the rest of the matching grant to pay the final contractor bills and to do all the finishing touches like blinds, drapes and other fixtures. Thanks to all who support this project.



The windows in the chapel have been given new frames to spice them up. They used particle board shelving material. Who knew it could look so good. The plumber has measured the walls for all the new heat registers and will start installing the bathroom fixtures. The electrician is supposed to show up on Friday to work on the lighting again and hopes to get it done very soon. It is a slow process, but things are moving forward.



The Knights of Columbus' annual St. Patrick's day dinner had good food and good fun. The corned beef was melt in your mouth tender with tasty scones to accompany the meal. Kudos to our faithful cook Jim Cameron and crew. The Irish dancers added something new this year with an audience participation section at the end of their set. They were able to successfully teach some basic steps to brave volunteers.



The schedule for the Deer Lodge Ministerial Association's Spiritual Life Week is set and copies are available in the back of the church. The theme this year is "Building Strong Relationships". It will consist of 6 separate events starting on Sunday, April 7th with a Community Choir Concert at 3:00 pm at

the Rialto theater. Subsequent events will be held at the various churches in Deer Lodge throughout the week culminating in a dinner at 6:00 pm on Friday at the Saint Mary's Center. Grab a copy of the schedule and mark your calendars so you won't miss any of the sessions.



When will the mountain of snow disappear? Fill out one of the slips of paper in the back of the church with your best guess for the date and time that the snow and ice is completely gone and Fr. Joe will treat you to a dinner out. Don't forget to put your name on the slip of paper.

St. Jean Vianney's whole, incorrupt heart is coming to Montana!

It will be in Belgrade at St. John Vianney Church from 12 noon till 9 pm on Tuesday, March 26th. Get some friends together and have a quick pilgrimage to Belgrade.



Catholic Relief Services has sent out a special request for help with relief efforts for Cyclone Idai that killed over 1,000 people and left many more without food, shelter or water in Africa. During this time of lent we have a perfect opportunity to help others around the world that are in need of help. Consider going online to make a donation.

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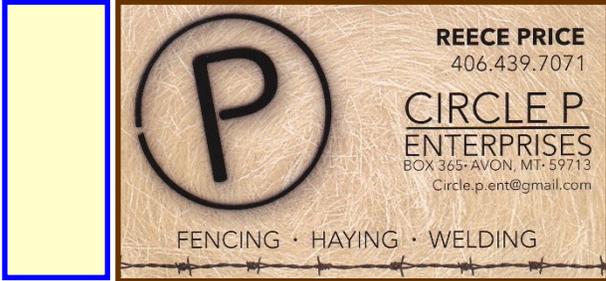


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SACRAMENTAL INFORMATION

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.

OFFERTORY COLLECTION

Mar. 16th & 17th, 23rd & 24th 7/1/18 - YTD

\$ xxxx Immaculate Conception \$ 76,624
\$ xxx St. Theodore \$ 18,273

Online Giving for Mar.: \$ 5,060 YTD: \$ 17,985