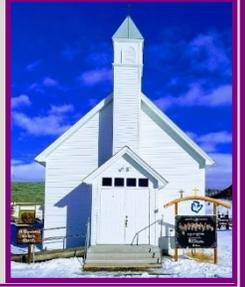




Immaculate Conception Catholic Church & St. Theodore Mission



Mar. 31st - 4th Sunday of Lent

'Father, I have sinned against heaven and against you; I no longer deserve to be called your son.' But his father ordered his servants, 'Quickly bring the finest robe and put it on him; put a ring on his finger and sandals on his feet. Take the fattened calf and slaughter it. Then let us celebrate with a feast, because this son of mine was dead, and has come to life again; he was lost, and has been found.'



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 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

NEXT WEEKEND

(April 6th & 7th)

IC—Deer Lodge 5:00 p.m.

Lector: Phillips, R.
EM Body: Phillips, K.
Blood 1: Isaacson, K.
EM Blood 2: Fogarty, S.
Server 1: x
Server 2: x

IC—Deer Lodge 9:00 a.m.

Lector: Smith, B.
EM Body: Schalk, L.
EM Blood 1: Doyle, M.
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, Apr. 1st, Fr. Joe off

Tue. Apr. 2nd, 9:00 am, Money Counting at Rectory

Tue. Apr. 2nd, 10:00 am, YMAC meeting in the St. Mary's Center

Wed. Apr. 3rd, Fr. Joe at Warm Springs

Fri. Apr. 5th, Fr. Joe at Montana State Prison

Mass Intentions

FOR THE WEEK

The week of March 30th through April 5th

Sat. 5:00 pm Cheryl Roesler rb Michael Roesler

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

Sun. 11:15 am Avon Memorials

Mon. No Mass

Tue. 8:00 am Patricia Stanton rb Karen Phillips

Wed. 8:00 am Kay Porter rb Peggy Mannix

Thu. 8:00 am Laughlin Family rb Mary Pat Brown

Fri. 8:00 am Bev Giannanatti rb Beh Baumeister & Nita O'Donnell

Avon Memorials:

In Memory of Shirley Wales RB Bruce & Pauline Benson

In Memory of Danny Antila RB Sue Hiltz

Special Intention RB Sue Hiltz



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

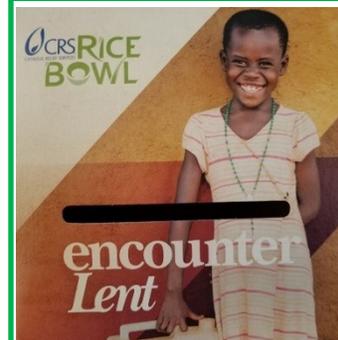
the Rialto theater. Subsequent events will be held at the various churches in Deer Lodge throughout the week culminating in a dinner at 6:00 pm on Friday at the Saint Mary's Center. Grab a copy of the schedule and mark your calendars so you won't miss any of the sessions.



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.



The Knights of Columbus 5th Sunday Rosary will be this Sunday at 6:00 pm.



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 loose 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.



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.



We need some volunteers to help with the April 12th Spiritual Life Week Dinner that will be held that Friday in the Saint Mary's Center at 6:00 pm. We expect about 100 people to show up, so we will need setup people to come early, servers for the line, dishwashers and a cleanup team. If you are willing to help, let Rick Kraemer know at 560-1065.



Let there be light! The electrician is finishing up installing most of the lights in the old convent, We will have to wait until the new front door is installed and the hallway is textured and painted before he can finish up with the remaining lights. All the lights are LED, so they will use minimal power and should like for many years.

The track-lights and sconces are all on dimmers, so we will be able to control the brightness in each of the rooms. The hall lights are on a 4-way switch so they can be turned on from any of the entrances to the area. We still have a few of the track lights to install and will need a "light pointing" session to aim all the lights in the directions that we want.



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.

Be Brave

Be Bold

Be Catholic



The kitchenette cabinets are installed and Rich Sewell has volunteered to make a countertop for us. It will have a mini-refrigerator on the left, a microwave, a Keurig coffee machine and a regular coffee maker for the morning gang to have a cup after Mass.

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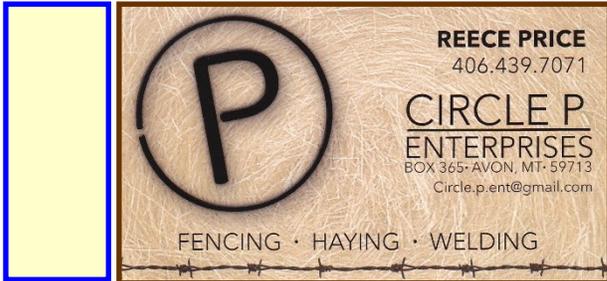


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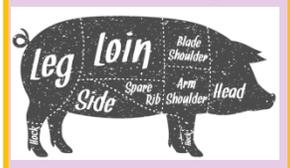
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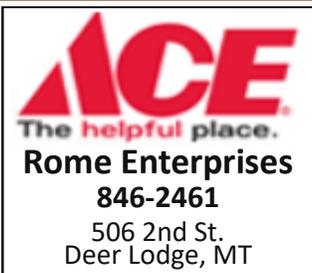
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SACRAMENTAL INFORMATION

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.

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