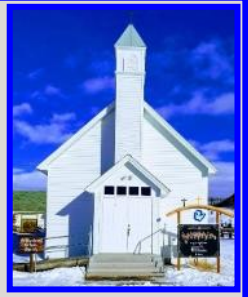




# Immaculate Conception Catholic Church & St. Theodore Mission



Nov. 8<sup>th</sup> – 32<sup>nd</sup> Sunday Ordinary Time



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The kingdom of heaven will be like ten virgins who took their lamps and went out to meet the bridegroom. Five of them were foolish and five were wise. The foolish ones, when taking their lamps, brought no oil with them, but the wise brought flasks of oil with their lamps.

# 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

(October 31<sup>st</sup> & November 1<sup>st</sup>)

## NEXT WEEKEND

(November 7<sup>th</sup> & 8<sup>th</sup>)

IC—Deer Lodge 8:00 p.m.  
 Lector: x  
 EM: x  
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 Lector: x  
 EM: x  
 St. Theodore—Avon 11:15 a.m.  
 Lector: x  
 EM: x

We will be looking for volunteers to be lectors from those attending each service. Eucharistic Ministers will not be needed during the covid-19 pandemic.

## Upcoming Events: (Mark your Calendars)

- Mon. Nov. 9<sup>th</sup>, Fr. Joe's Day Off
- Tue. Nov. 10<sup>th</sup>, 9:00 am, Money Counting @ Rectory
- Wed. Nov. 11<sup>th</sup>, Fr. Joe at Warm Springs (Suspended)
- Fri. Nov. 13<sup>th</sup>, Fr. Joe at MSP (Suspended)

## Mass Intentions FOR THE WEEK



### The week of Nov. 7<sup>th</sup> through Nov. 13<sup>th</sup>

- Sat. 5:00 pm Patty Meier Traverso rb Meier Family
- Sun. 11:00 am Pro Populo (For the People)
- Mon. No Mass
- Tue. 8:00 am Diane & Betty Lou Thompson rb Thomas & Anne Findlay
- Wed. 8:00 am H.E. (Frenchy) Rainville rb Janette Rainville
- Thu. 8:00 am David Wirth rb Morris & Marlin Wirth
- Fri. 8:00 am Jean Corette Hanley rb Doherty Children

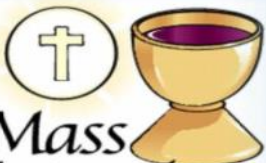
### St. Theodore Mass Intentions:

For the Deceased Family Members of Sue Hiltz & Bob Miller RB Sue Hiltz

Peace, Comfort & Healing for Millie Johnson

## Make a Holy Moment

We have a few extra intention on the books, so we are good for now. Since we only count money every other week, it is really easy to run out with 5 Masses per week being offered for someone's intentions. We appreciate it when you use the new Mass Intention envelopes because they help ensure we capture all the necessary information. Thank You!



## WITNESS TO hope

### ANNUAL CATHOLIC APPEAL

FUNDING THE MINISTRY OF THE DIOCESE OF HELENA

We made a little progress this past week with a few more pledges/donations turned in. If you have misplaced your donation envelope we have plenty at the back of the church. You can also donate online at diocesehelena.org. The Diocese is already at 45% of its goal of \$2 million dollars with an average donation of \$373. The Bishop has been recording 2 minute videos about the various programs supported by the ACA, including the seminarians. We now have 8 seminarians studying for our Diocese and at an average cost of \$50,000 for each seminarian, that is \$400,000 that will need to be raised each year. The challenge could become even great as we have additional young men willing to enter into discernment in the coming year. Please say some prayers for these young men and their vocations.

Church	Goal	So Far	Participation
St. Theodore	\$3,800	\$520 14%	3/24 12%
Immaculate Conception	\$28,700	\$12,310 43%	24/105 23%



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...Building the future in Faith.

Once again the FDOH is paying out its quarterly dividend that is a nice little boost to help pay all our various bills. Immaculate Conception received \$904 and St. Theodore received \$80. This is a good reminder how a gift to the Foundation can be gift that keeps on giving. The FDOH also has annuities and other programs that can provide tax savings for people as they enter their golden years. Jeanne at the FDOH would love to take your calls (406-389-7051) and answer any questions you may have about their programs. On a sad note, the Executive Director will be leaving and the Foundation will be looking for a new Executive Director in the coming weeks.

If you want to learn more about our seminarians, you can go to [www.diocesehelena.org/vocations/seminarians](http://www.diocesehelena.org/vocations/seminarians) to see photos as well as video interviews with our three new seminarians who are currently in their Spirituality Year. Let's be sure to pray for all these young men.

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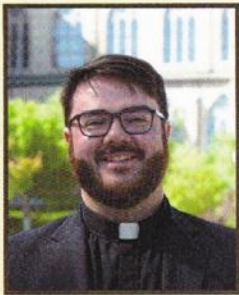
We have lots of extra copies of the Word Among Us for November and encourage people to take a copy and see if they would like to subscribe. We will be opening up registration for next year in December.



With the first full month of living in the new Rectory, we are starting to see some savings in our utility bills. The gas bill for October for the Church and Old Rectory was \$294. This October gas bill this year was \$61. That is a savings of \$233. The gas and electric bill for the "Old Convent" was \$172 last October and \$152 this year for a saving of \$20. Granted, these numbers are very dependent on the weather conditions, but in general, since we are using the main Church only on Saturdays and Sundays, we are saving the cost of gas for daily Masses and heating a much smaller and more efficient space in the Chapel. So it looks like we could be saving \$250/month or more, especially when the really cold weather comes and the cost of heating the old Rectory was over \$500/month. Unfortunately, it looks like garbage rates will go up \$6/month next year.

**JESUS IS CALLING MEN TO SERVE AS PRIESTS FOR THE DIOCESE OF HELENA.  
ARE YOU ONE OF THEM?**

— DIOCESE OF HELENA 2020-2021 SEMINARIANS —



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THEOLOGY III



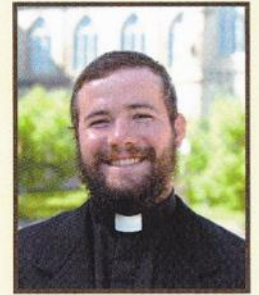
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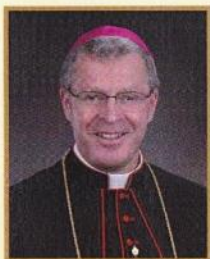
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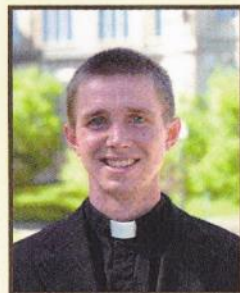
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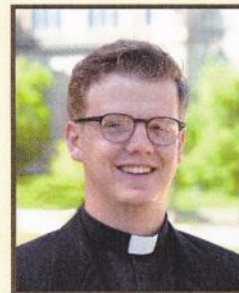
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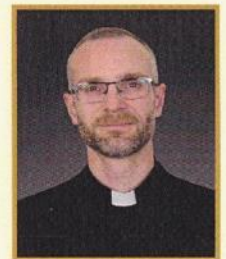
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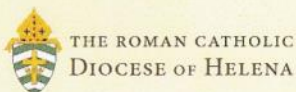
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SPIRITUALITY YEAR



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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**

**1<sup>st</sup> & 2<sup>nd</sup> Weekends in November 1/1/20 - YTD**

<b>\$ x,xxx</b>	<b>Immaculate Conception</b>	<b>\$ 50,921</b>
<b>\$ xxx</b>	<b>St. Theodore</b>	<b>\$ 15,240</b>
<b>Online Giving for Nov.:</b>		<b>\$ 2,160 YTD: \$ 75,867</b>