



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



**June 5<sup>th</sup> – Corpus Christi**





# 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

(June 5<sup>th</sup> & 6<sup>th</sup>)

IC—Deer Lodge 5:00 p.m.

Lector: x

EM: x

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Lector: x

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St. Theodore 11:15 a.m.

Lector: x

EM: x

## NEXT WEEKEND

(June 12<sup>th</sup> & 13<sup>th</sup>)

IC—Deer Lodge 5:00 p.m.

Lector: x

EM: x

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11:15 a.m.

Lector: x

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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 June 6<sup>th</sup>, Fr. Joe's Day Off

Tue. June 8<sup>th</sup>, 9:00 am, No Money Counting

Wed. June 9<sup>th</sup>, Fr. Joe at Warm Springs

Fri. June 11<sup>th</sup>, Fr. Joe at MSP

Sat. & Sun. June 12<sup>th</sup>—13<sup>th</sup>, Fr. Joe at MSP and doing weekend services once again

## Mass Intentions FOR THE WEEK



### **The week of June 5<sup>th</sup> through June 11<sup>th</sup>**

**Sat. 5:00 pm** Suzanne Collison Goetz rb Mary Rose Lombardi

**Sun. 09:00 am** Pro Populo (For the People)

**Mon. No Mass**

**Tue. 8:00 am** Nicholas Fleming rb Jim & Theresa Cameron

**Wed. 8:00 am** Richard Hollenback rb John & Carole Hollenback

**Thu. 8:00 am** Sally Reimer rb Chris Dubay

**Fri. 8:00 am** Beth Good rb Kathy Isaacson

### **St. Theodore Mass Intentions:**

Memorials for Deceased Family Members of Thomas & Flanigan Families RB Anne Marie Thomas

Memorials for Deceased Family Members of Sue Hiltz & Bob Miller RB Sue Hiltz

## Make a Holy Moment



### **Beverly Giannonatti**

Memorial:

From Brad Goeres

Every year on the anniversary of Beverly's death, her brother Brad sends us a very generous gift as a memorial.



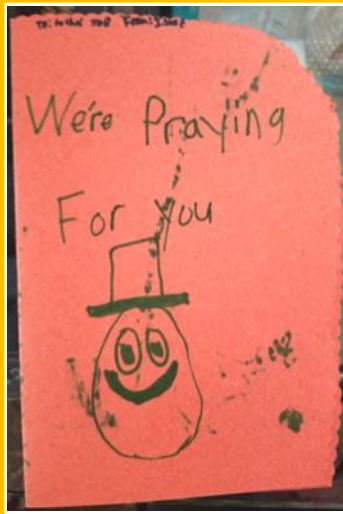
Bishop Vetter has rescinded his Sunday Mass Obligation dispensation which means we are back to attending Sunday Mass in person in a church. Watching Mass on TV or streaming it should not be considered meeting the obligation unless you have a severe illness that makes it impossible for you to attend normally. The Holy Water

fountains will once again be filled so everyone can re-learn the habit of dipping and doing the sign of the cross to remember their baptismal promises.

## MONTANA CATHOLIC CONFERENCE

Bishop Vetter has also released a letter encouraging people to let their congressman and senators know about our concerns with President Biden seeking to overturn the Hyde amendment. A copy will be included with the printed bulletin and an electronic version will be sent via Flocknote. Over 2.4 million babies have been saved by limiting the funding of abortions since it was enacted. An easy way to get your voice heard is to sign up at the Montana Catholic Conference website: [montanacc.org](http://montanacc.org). The website will keep you informed of any pending legislation and make it very easy to fire off a letter to our Washington and State delegates. You can customize your plea or just accept the standard letter that was created. These letters work like a voting system of sorts, letting our Congressman and Senators know the pulse of the people back home.

With the trauma in Fr. Joe's life, we haven't been able to get the money counting done for 3 weeks now. Most of the donations are still coming in as checks, so they are perfect candidates for moving to Online Giving. We get 2/3 of our monthly donations now via Online Giving, so we get the money deposited into the bank right away and the donations are posted to our system at the same time. Fr. Joe can sign you up if you don't want to get onto the Internet, all you will need to do is have a blank check handy and give him a call. He can also change or cancel any donations in just a few minutes. Please consider signing up to help make the money counters jobs a little easier. Thank You.



One again thank you for all your prayers. They are keeping me afloat. Nathan will be coming over on Friday with help to pick up his belongings: furniture and clothing. He will also go through Nicholas stuff to see if there is anything that he or his friends may want. He will stay with friends in Helena since he can't bring himself to stay in the condo alone. He will head back to Washington on Sunday. He has some job opportunities lined up and since he is such

a reliable worker, he will have no problem getting a job. Little Caesar's in Helena will miss him since he was their most reliable employee and knew how to do all the various tasks that needed to be done. He had been there longer than all the other employees combined. It was a shame that his employer's took advantage of him, paying him just over minimum wage while new employees were making more than him per hour. His mom has a house she will let him rent for a good price and a bunch of cousins nearby, so hopefully that will help him adjust. As for Fr. Joe, the loss is weighing heavy on his heart. We have 3 pastors in town that have all lost sons, so he is seeing if they may want to start a survivors group for themselves and others in the community that are dealing with this kind of loss. So if you are interested in attending something like that, let him know. Health wise, he is going in for another infusion on Thursday to hopefully give him some relief from his RA pains. He really appreciates the people that are stepping up to help with the chores around the parish. The artwork is from Alivia Thomas in Elliston. Fr. Joe just had to share.

Options  
clinic



Last call to return your baby bottles. Fr. Joe needs to get them back to the Options Clinic in Helena.

Jim Powell was helping Fr. Joe mark all the sprinkler heads on the property so the company that was going to do the aeration would not break them. We have over 80 sprinkler heads on the property and many of them all but disappear when they are not spraying. So Jim got a little wet as he weaved his way around the mark all the heads. With the temperature in the 70's though, he dried out quickly.



The special collection for the month of June is Peter's Pence. The funds collected go to support the special projects of Pope Francis. We will have special envelopes in the back of the church as well as the ability to donate through Online-Giving. Help Pope Francis to meet those needs the Holy Spirit has placed on his heart.



This showed up at the dock of the Good Samaritan Thrift Store in Helena. It is a "Extreme Unction" or "Last Rights" wall mounting. The compartment below the Virgin Mary holding Jesus in her arms contains everything a Priest would need except the

Blessed Sacrament. This is one of the fancier kits, most were just a crucifix with a couple of candles. If you want to see it up close, it is in Fr. Joe's office





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We have had a number of vendors that didn't commit to continuing with having an ad space in the bulletin. Most spaces cost around \$100/yr. If you have a business or know of someone that may be interested in having an ad with us, have them call Fr. Joe to make arrangements. The ad spaces help to pay for the copier annual maintenance contract. Each bulletin costs approximately \$0.20 to print each week for a weekly total of \$20.



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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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**OFFERTORY COLLECTION**

2<sup>nd</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> weeks of May 1/1/21 - YTD

\$ 4,475	Immaculate Conception	\$ 27,421
\$ 885	St. Theodore	\$ 7,749
<b>Online Giving for May:</b>		<b>\$ 6,985 \$ 36,965</b>