



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



**Feb. 22<sup>nd</sup> - 1<sup>st</sup> Sunday Lent**

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Then Jesus was led  
by the Spirit  
into the wilderness  
to be tempted  
by the devil.

Matthew 4:1 NIV

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## EVENT CALENDAR

### Upcoming Events: (Mark your Calendars)

Sun. Feb. 22<sup>nd</sup> 3:00 pm Rite of Election in Helena

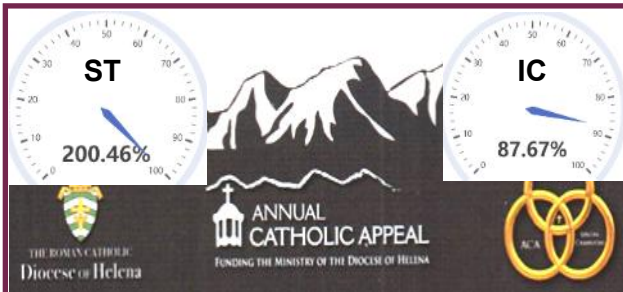
Mon. Feb. 23<sup>rd</sup> Fr. Joe's Day Off

Tue. Feb. 24<sup>th</sup> 9:00 am Money Counting @ Rectory

Tue. Feb. 24<sup>th</sup> 3:00 Pastoral Council Mtg (HF)

Wed. Feb. 25<sup>th</sup> 2:00 pm Mass @ MSP

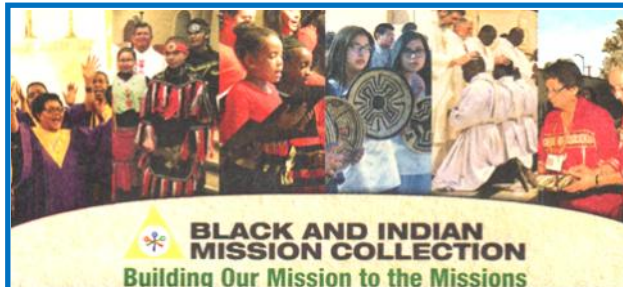
Fri. Feb. 27<sup>th</sup> Fr. Dillon's Day Off



Way to go St. Theodore! You made it to 200% of your goal with only 25% of the families participating. Immaculate Conception is at 87% with 27% of the families participating. Even if you can only give a small amount, we would like to see as many families as possible contributing to the ACA. Get your envelope today.



The Lenten Little Black Books are available in the back of the church for your Lenten devotional reading. There are limited number so please only take one if you will be using it.



The National Collection for Black and Indian Missions is starting on February 15<sup>th</sup>. We have Missions in Montana that benefit from this fundraising activity. Envelopes for making a donation are in the back of the churches. Or, you can donate through online giving.

## Mass Intentions

FOR THE WEEK



## Week of Feb. 21<sup>st</sup> - Feb. 27<sup>th</sup>

### Immaculate Conception Masses

**Sat. 5:00 pm** Richard Heisdorf rb Stephen Heisdorf

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

**Sun. 11:15 am** ST

**Mon. Noon** Mary Kenneally rb Rose Marie Bradshaw

**Tue. 8:00 am** Joe & Rose Heisdorf rb Stephen Heisdorf

**Wed. 8:00 am** Bernice Verlanic rb Fred Verlanic

**Thu. 8:00 am** John Thomson rb Derick & Jennifer Luoma

**Fri. Noon** John Thomson rb Duane & MaryAnne Brugman

### St. Peter & Holy Family Masses

Holy Family = HF St. Peter = SP

**Sun. 9:00 am (SP)** Jackie Ivankovich rb Bob & Bernie Sturm

**Sun. 11:00 am (HF)** Pro Populo

**Tue. Noon (HF)** John Thomson rb Fred & Mike Hayes

**Wed. 5:30 pm (HF)** Bob Matosich rb Ron & Cokkie Johnson

**Thu. 10:00 (HF)** Michael Laslovich Family rb Ann Wintergerst

**Don't let your  
mental health  
slow you down!**



**You are not alone. We're here for you.**

Your mental health affects your spirituality, vocations, relationships, and all parts of your life. Take care of it!

- ✓ Our therapists are Catholic and welcome faith as a part of your therapy, although it is not required.
- ✓ You can meet with a therapist in-person or online.
- ✓ Therapists specialize in many areas, including grief, trauma, anxiety, depression, and marriage/family.
- ✓ Therapy is completely confidential. We'll walk with you on your journey to achieve your goals.
- ✓ Your consultation is free. Insurance, Medicaid, Medicare, some EAP, and private pay (discounts are available) are accepted for additional sessions.



**To get started:**

Call us at (406)442-4130 or  
Message us at [cssmt.org](http://cssmt.org).



Our Catechesis of the Good Shepherd children got to practice celebrating "Fat Tuesday" or Mardi-Gras last Thursday. Looks like they had a great time as well as learning about our Faith.

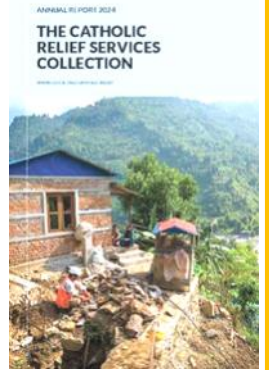


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Be sure to pick up your CRS Rice Bowl and start dropping in your extra change or even some paper money or a check to help those struggling to have food throughout the world.

As mentioned in last weeks bulletin, Almsgiving is an important and key part of our Lenten practices. In addition to the CRS Rice Bowl, CRS holds their annual CRS National Collection. Envelopes will be available in the back of the churches as well as on-line giving options on our parish website.



If you are interested in attending the Eucharistic Congress at Carroll College, March 20-23 in Helena, pick up one of the flyers in the back of the church for more details. Cardinal Timothy Dolan will be one of the key speakers with a number of other notable speakers and activities.



Please be sure to check your calendars and make sure you have your dates down. Please get a substitute



DOW	Date	Lector	EM Blood 1	EM Blood 2
Sat	2/21	Dumont, S.	Thompson, K.	Thompson, P.
Sun	2/22	Hansen, L.	Phillips, K.	Doyle, M.
Sat	2/28	Hogan, L.	Cook, P.	Cook, A.
Sun	3/1	Hunter, M.	Doyle, D.	Hunter, L.
DOW	Date	Lector	EM Blood	Avon
Sun	2/22	Senecal, W	Senecal, Wristine	
Sun	3/1	Beard, Alden	Hiltz, Sue	

Day	Last	First
21	Hansen	Mary
24	Fox	Mary
24	Lombardi	Lilly
26	Dumont	Susan
26	Fiske	Kevin
27	Nemeth	Thomas
28	Johnson	Sandy
28	Goeres	Bradley
1	Bignell	Carrie

## Feb. & Mar. 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

Mon & Fri @ Noon, Tue., Wed,  
Thu. @ 8:00 am in Spiritual  
Life Center Chapel Rosary 23  
minutes before daily Mass

Funeral Masses will generally be  
held at 11:00 a.m. and the 8:00 a.m.  
or Noon Mass that day will be can-  
celled.

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

## WEEKLY OFFERTORY COLLECTION

	Feb. 1 <sup>st</sup> & Feb. 8 <sup>th</sup>	Collection	Online	Tot YTD
Immaculate Conception		\$1,946	\$2,713	\$15,447
St. Theodore Mission		\$1,045	\$400	\$3,125

## 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.