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*Our Mission: May Christ's grace renew us to exercise His gifts. (see Rom 12:4-6)*

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#### Holy Mass

Saturday Vigil .....5:00 p.m.  
Sunday.....7:00 a.m., 9:00 a.m.  
Domingo (en Español).....12:00 p.m.  
Mon., Wed., Thu., Fri.....12:00 p.m.  
Tue.....5:30 p.m.  
Saturday.....8:00 a.m.

#### Sacrament of Reconciliation:

Saturday..... 3:30 p.m.  
and 30 minutes before scheduled Masses

#### First Friday—Eucharistic Exposition



### SACRED HEART

Physical Address: 621 Logan St., Peetz, CO

#### Eucharistic Celebrations:

1st, 3rd, and 5th Sunday .....8:00 a.m.  
2nd and 4th Sunday.....10:00 a.m.

#### Sacrament of Reconciliation:

1st, 3rd, and 5th Sunday .....7:30 a.m.



### SAINT CATHERINE OF SIENA

Physical Address: 111 S. 5th St., Iliff, CO

#### Eucharistic Celebrations:

1st, 3rd, and 5th Sunday.....10:00 a.m.  
2nd and 4th Sunday .....8:00 a.m.

#### Sacrament of Reconciliation:

2nd and 4th Sunday .....7:30 a.m.

# March 16, 2025 Second Sunday of Lent

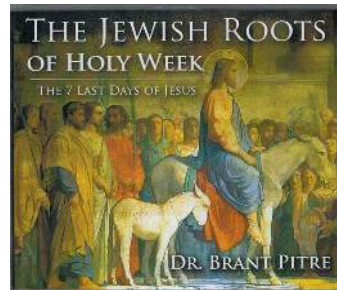
## In Preparation for Holy Week

(which starts on Sunday, April 13)

In Advent 2024 we offered a brief faith study program at St. Anthony's on the topic of Advent led by Dr. Brant Pitre in order to prepare to better celebrate that holy season. For me it was time well-spent. I believe the same can be said for others who attended these classes.

Since Lent too is a time of preparation, I searched for a Lenten study series on Dr. Pitre's website. To my surprise I couldn't find one. However, what I DID find did pique my interest, and hopefully it will do the same for you.

It's entitled "The Jewish Roots of Holy Week: The 7 Last Days of Jesus."



What caught my attention is the outline for this brief study:

1. **Palm Sunday:** Why did Jesus ride into Jerusalem on a donkey?
- 2-3. **Holy Monday-Tuesday:** Why did Jesus curse the fig tree on holy Monday?
4. **Spy Wednesday:** What is the hidden meaning to Judas' betrayal of Jesus? And why is this day called "Spy Wednesday"?
5. **Holy Thursday:** How exactly did the disciples prepare the Passover for Jesus?
6. **Good Friday:** What is the meaning of the blood and water that flowed from Jesus' side?
7. **Holy Saturday:** Why did Jesus rest in the tomb? Where did Jesus' soul go on Holy Saturday?
8. **Easter Sunday:** Why did Jesus rise on the "first day of the week"?

While the stories behind some of these days are pretty familiar to us, can we say the same for all 8 days? Do all of us have the answers to the questions that are posed above? I know I certainly don't! Since that's the case and I want to learn more about this most holy week of the year, I am truly looking forward to this brief course. I hope you are as well.

The classes will meet on two Tuesdays, March 25 and April 1, starting at 6:30 PM in St. Anthony's cafeteria. Both classes will last approximately 75 minutes, each consisting of a 50-minute video, with time for discussion.

There will be no signup sheet for this class since we do not need to purchase workbooks. Handouts for the class will be provided.

There will be a follow-up class on Tuesday of Easter Week, April 22, "The Jewish Roots of Jesus Death and Resurrection," one class. More information about that yet to come. May we all spend a very holy Holy Week.

*-Fr. Michael*

## WEEKLY SCHEDULE

### Sunday, March 16

#### SECOND SUNDAY OF LENT

Gn 15:5-12, 17-18 / Phil 3:17—4:1 / Lk 9-28b-36

Vocation Intention - Spirituality Year Seminarians

7:00 a.m. St. Anthony Mass +Anita Kiolbasa

9:00 a.m. St. Anthony Mass +Larry Howard

12:00 p.m. St. Anthony Sp Mass +Samuel Marquez Cruz

### Monday, March 17

Dn 9:4b-10 / Lk 6:36-38

Vocational Intention - 1st & 2nd Year Philosophy Seminarians

12:00p.m. St. Anthony Mass Jaxon Rodine

### Tuesday, March 18

Is 1:10, 16-20 / Mt 23:1-12

Vocational Intention - 1st & 2nd Year Theology Seminarian Pts

5:00 p.m. Liturgy of the Hours—Associates of the Sisters

of St. Francis-All welcome (lift door - Parish Center)

5:30 p.m. St. Anthony Mass +Leona Haberkorn

7:00 p.m. Bingo - Knights of Columbus Hall

### Wednesday, March 19

ST. JOSEPH, SPOUSE OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY

2 Sm 7:4-5a, 12-14a, 16 / Rom 4:13, 16-18, 22 /

Mt 1:16, 18-21, 24a

Vocational Intention - 3rd & 4th Year Theology Seminarians

9:00 a.m. Legion of Mary (lift door - Parish Center)

12:00 p.m. St. Anthony Mass Thanksgiving to St. Joseph

### Thursday, March 20

Jer 17:5-10 / Lk 16:19-31

Vocation Intention - Vocations Ministry

12:00 p.m. St. Anthony Mass +Mel Fritzler

### Friday, March 21

Gn 37:3-4, 12-13a, 17b-28a / Mt 21:33-43, 45-46

Vocation Intention - Pastoral Year Seminarians

12:00 p.m. St. Anthony Mass +Don Mildenberger

7:00 p.m. Stations of the Cross-Spanish Ministry

### Saturday, March 22

Mi 7:14-15, 18-20 / Lk 15:1-3, 11-32

Vocation Intention - 1st & 2nd Year College Seminarians

8:00 a.m. St. Anthony Mass +Morris Koehler

5:00 p.m. St. Anthony Mass +Lois McMahon

### Sunday, March 23

#### THIRD SUNDAY OF LENT

Ex 3:1-8a, 13-15 / 1 Cor 10:1-6, 10-12 / Lk 13:1-9

Vocation Intention - Spirituality Year Seminarians

7:00 a.m. St. Anthony Mass +Aaron, +Clarence, & +Helen Mari

9:00 a.m. St. Anthony Mass +Robert Quint

12:00 p.m. St. Anthony Sp Mass Parishioners of all 3 parishes



If you or someone you know is struggling & would like to talk to a counselor, St. Raphael Counseling is there to help. They are in Denver, at (720)377-1359, and can schedule a free consultation.

**Baptism:** Baptism forms are available online at our website: [saintanthonyssterling.org](http://saintanthonyssterling.org). Please complete all forms, including the godparent forms, and return them to the parish office.

**Sacrament of Marriage:** Notify the Parish office eight months in advance of proposed marriage date to allow for adequate preparation.

**Anointing of the Sick:** Please notify the Parish office if someone is ill, homebound, or in need of the sacrament.

**Quinceañera Ministry:** Please call Caroline Lopez 970-522-9438 for any questions or interest in celebration. Notify at least one year in advance of proposed date for adequate preparation.

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Names will remain on the list a minimum of two weeks.



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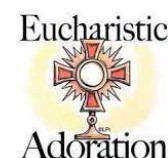
March 9 offertory: \$5,453.00

March 9 maintenance: \$170.00

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Young at Heart will meet **Monday, March 17 at 6:00 pm** in the Knights of Columbus Hall. Join us for good food and fun. Bring what you would like to share to eat.



**Eucharistic Adoration** EUCHARISTIC ADORATION  
THURSDAY, MARCH 20  
12:30pm – 4:30pm  
ST. ANTHONY'S CHURCH



#### Stations of the Cross schedule:

Mar 21-7:00pm Spanish Ministry

Mar 28-7:00pm Fr. Enrique's Rel. Ed. Class

Apr 4-7:00pm Catholic Daughters

Apr 11-7:00pm Kaus Family

April 18(Good Friday)-3:00pm Fr. Michael



**\*Please note change of closing time to 6:30pm\***  
Each Friday through April 11 from 5 to 6:30pm, in the parish center cafeteria. Please call Mike (970)520-0362 or Carol (970)520-7841 for takeout orders.



Catholic Daughters is collecting baby wipes all during Lent. The wipes will be donated to A Caring Pregnancy Resource Center, Marisol House, & Under The Umbrella. If you would like to contribute please leave your donation at the back of St. Anthony's Church. Thank you in advance for your generosity.  
Catholic Daughters Court Saint Teresa



The following information is a summary of expenses and income received for St. Anthony's. These figures were compiled using information from November 1, 2024, through February 1, 2025.

Expenses: \$13,381.12

Income received: \$11,912.73

Difference: **-\$1,468.39**

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March 9 offertory: \$419.00

**Sunday, March 23 8:00 am**

Ex 3:1-8a, 13-15 / 1 Cor 10:1-6, 10-12 / Lk 13:1-9

**COFFEE & ROLLS AFTER MASS**

*Mass Intentions for the*

*Rest of the Soul of Rudy Hernandez*

**Sacristans: Gerks & Strombergers**

**Lector: Sarah**

**Servers: Aniston, Faye, & Jenna**

**EMHC: Jeri, Sonny, & Tim**

**Gift Bearers: Dave & Jeri Breidenbach**

**Coffee and Rolls 4th Sunday of the month after Mass**

St. Catherine Finance Council: Tim Anderson, Randy Gerk, & Tom Huss

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March 9 offertory: \$1405.00

**Sunday, March 23 10:00 am**

Ex 3:1-8a, 13-15 / 1 Cor 10:1-6, 10-12 / Lk 13:1-9

**POTLUCK DINNER AFTER MASS**

*Mass Intentions for the*

*Rest of the Soul of Diane Vallier*

**Sacristan: Kristy**

**Lector: Melinda Beyer**

**Servers: Henry Sinnett, Eli & Tyler Wanberg**

**Gift Bearers: Jeff Long Family**

**Coffee & Donuts 1st Sunday of the month after Mass**

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