



Our Lady of Guadalupe/ St. Patrick Parish

May 19, 2019

Father Henry Wertin, Pastor

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**Welcome to our Parish!
Worship Schedule**

Sunday----- 8:30 a.m. Mass
 10:30 a.m. Mass
 5:00 p.m. Misa en Español

Monday----- - 7:00 a.m. Mass

Tuesday----- 12:00 p.m. Noon Mass

Wednesday----- 7:00 a.m. Mass

Thursday----- 4:30 p.m. Mass

Friday----- 7:00 a.m. (Candlelight Mass)
 7:30 a.m. -- 4:30 p.m. Adoration
 4:30 p.m. Benediction

Saturday----- 4:00 p.m. Mass

Nursing Home Mass: 1st Fri. of the month 2:00 p.m.
Evergreen Garden Mass: 3rd Fri. of the month 2:00 p.m.

Depending on circumstances, from time to time, instead of Mass, there will be *Holy Communion Outside Mass*.

Healing Prayer Tues 6:00 p.m.
Blue Army Rosary Thurs 5:00 p.m.
Holy Hour for Vocations Fri 7:30 a.m.
Divine Mercy Devotion Sun 3:00 p.m.

**We are helping each other follow
JESUS CHRIST on the Road to Heaven!**

Faith Formation and Sacramental Preparation: Call the Office or visit our website for dates and other information about any of the following:

If you or a loved one would like to receive the **Anointing of the Sick**, or if you are Homebound and would like **Communion** brought to you, or if any Homebound person would like Father to hear their **Confession**, please call the office.

Infant Baptism Class: Classes are offered for parents of children under the age of 7. Godparents must be confirmed, active members of the Church, and should attend the class along with the parents. Please pre-register by contacting the Parish Office. Next Baptism class will be **May 19, at 1:00 p.m.**

Sacrament of Marriage: Engaged couples should contact the Priest at least six months before the wedding to prepare.

Kids/Teen Formation: K-12 grade classes are held on Sundays **after the 10:30 Mass** in the Parish Hall. Registration is ongoing. These classes are for ALL children and teens, whether preparing for a Sacrament or not!

Adult Formation: Everyone is invited to join us each **Monday at 5:30 PM** in the Parish Hall. These gatherings are for anyone who wants to learn more about Jesus and the Church.

Pastor's Note: Anyone desiring to prepare to receive any Sacrament should make a resolution to live the Faith by:

- 1. Consistent Mass attendance on Sundays & Holy Days;**
- 2. Regular Confession;**
- 3. Daily Prayer.**

If the person is in a union that is not Marriage in the Church, this situation needs to be reconciled prior to the reception of the Sacrament(s). Please call the Parish Office to speak to Fr. Wertin about the next step.

Parish Finance Council Members: Pat Luttrell, Barbara Leininger, Jim Wallace, Toni Madrid, Mike Fazio, William Schmidt, Claudia Conley

Parish Office
202 Lincoln La Junta, CO 81050
Office Hours: Monday – Friday
9:00 - 4:00
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Mass Intentions

Saturday May 18, 4:00 p.m. Mass

For the health of Margaret Hanagan by Mercy Ferguson

In thanksgiving for Ernie Martinez & Family

† Franky Salazar & Philip Manuel Ralph by Stephanie

† Bonifacio & Luz Vásquez by Family

Sunday May 19, 8:30 a.m. Mass

† Miquel & Hortencia Carrillo by Theresa Carrillo

Sunday May 19, 10:30 a.m. Mass

† John Creech by Leonard and Mary Ann Miles

† Delia García by Charles García & Family

† Nancy Hartless by Sharon Krall

† Michael James Aragon Jr. by Family



Sunday May 19, 5:00 p.m. Spanish Mass

Para todo el pueblo de Dios confiado a la atención del párroco

Monday May 20, 7:00 A.M. Communion Service

Pro populo

Tuesday May 21, 12 p.m. (Noon) Communion Service

Pro populo

Wednesday May 22, 7:00 a.m. Communion Service

Thursday May 23, 4:30 p.m. Communion Service

Friday May 24, 7:00 a.m. Communion Service

Congratulations to all those who have received Sacraments this spring. Six young people were **Baptized, Confirmed,** and received their **First Holy Communion** at Easter.

Forty young people received their **First Holy Communion** and **First Reconciliation**, and thirteen young people were **Confirmed**.

Blessings to each of you!!



Please pray for the sick:

Florence B, Moriah B, Pat B, Frank B, Patti C, J.C., Lupe C, Mary A, Dee D, Yvette D, Wendi D, Danny D, Anthony D, Carlos D, Crystal D, Robert D, Urijah D, Delia G, Maria G, Kenneth M. Randy N, Carlos L, Danny M, Aubree G, Teryn G, Kalia G, Margaret H, Charlie H, Lori J, Gloria V L, Frances L, Gloria L, Betty M, Juanita L, Jon McC, Jessica M, Malea M, Mary M, Bob & Linda M, E A. & Maggie M, Melissa M, Pauline M, Rosie M, M.M., Gilbert V, Salvador N, Frances N, Charlene N, Leroy O, Loretta P, Kayla R, David R, Ruben R, Alicia R, Jenny & Joe R, Joey R, Angel S, (Toby, Antonio), Ben T, Julia T, Judy T, Kenny V, Simon V, Manuel V, Stella M, Patricia M, Jimmy W. Jessica C, Victor G, Emily G, Rosann M, Those fighting cancer and other illnesses. Residents of AVRMC Nursing Care Center, Maple Villa, Evergreen Garden & Casa Del Sol

**CARING FOR THE SICK IS
ONE OF THE CORPORAL WORKS OF MERCY.
REMEMBER ALL THE SICK AND SUFFERING
IN YOUR PRAYERS**



The Healing Sacrament of Confession

Sunday - 8:00 a.m. - 8:20 a.m.

Sunday - 10:00 a.m. - 10:20 a.m.

Sunday - 4:30 - 4:50 p.m.

Monday - 6:30 a.m. - 6:50 a.m.

Tuesday - 11:30 a.m. - 11:50 a.m.

Wednesday - 6:30 a.m. - 6:50 a.m.

Thursday - 4:00 p.m. - 4:20 p.m.

Friday - 6:30 a.m. - 6:50 a.m.

Friday - 4:00 p.m. - 4:20 p.m.

Saturday - 3:00 p.m. - 3:45 p.m.

**Reconcile yourself to God and the Church.
Confessions are available after every Mass.**

Join us for the **Memorial Weekend Softball Tournament May 24, 25 & 26 at Veteran's Field, La Junta, in celebration of our 100th Bazaar.**

Burritos and drinks available! For tourney info, or to register, contact: Monica 719-821-7402. Interested in helping in any way? Contact Pam, 719-469-7860





Our Lady of Good Help,

First Approved American Apparition of Mary

In October, 1859, a young Belgian immigrant woman, Adele Brise, received three visits from the Virgin Mary in Champion, Wisconsin. During each of the three apparitions, a lady in shining white clothes appeared to Adele. The third time she identified herself as "the Queen of Heaven who prays for the conversion of sinners." She went on to tell the 28 year-old woman, "I wish you to do the same." The Virgin Mary then gave her a mission for evangelization and catechesis: "Gather the children in this wild country, and teach them what they should know for salvation. Go and fear nothing. I will help you." Adele, who lived with her family on a small homestead in northern part of the state, followed Mary's request and taught the faith to the children of settlers and immigrants. Our Lady of Good Help is the patroness of teachers and tutors.

Following a two-year formal inquiry, on December 8, 2010 (the Solemnity of the Immaculate Conception), Bishop David Ricken of the Diocese of Green Bay issued a decree approving these apparitions as worthy of belief (although not obligatory) by the Christian faithful.

Because Mary said "Yes" to God, she became the Mother of our Savior!

Because Adele said "Yes" to God, the Catholic faith was taught and souls were saved!

Because Bishop Ricken said "Yes" to God and became a priest, (ordained here in La Junta in 1980), the vision of Our Lady of Good Help became the first approved American apparition of Mary!

What is God calling you to do?

Say "Yes" to God for an amazing journey!



Sunday, May 19 will be **Discipleship Day** for the whole family. Please bring a covered dish. This will be a very important day with information about upcoming summer events and registration for next year's classes. We will honor the First Communion and Confirmation students.

Everyone is invited to join us as we celebrate a great Faith Formation school year!

How to Properly Receive Holy Communion



Approach the altar with reverence, and give a bow. Stand with your left hand under the right (or vice versa if you are left-handed and **form a throne for King Jesus**). Allow the Priest or Communion Minister to place the consecrated Host on the palm of your hand, while they say "Body of Christ". You respond aloud, "Amen". Another way is to receive on the tongue. Extend your tongue, **making a table for the Lord**. If someone can't receive with both hands as described above, if using a cane or carrying a child, then the Host should be received on the tongue. **A note about the Cup:** Receiving Communion under both types is not required, but if you choose to receive the Precious Blood, first bow. The Priest or Communion Minister hands you the Cup as they say "Blood of Christ". You respond aloud, "Amen". Return to your seat and spend some time in prayers of gratitude. **On your way to and from Communion, it is never proper to greet others. This is your one-on-one time with Jesus! Allow Him to nourish you with His presence!**

Only those who are Catholics in good standing are to receive Communion. If you haven't been attending Mass regularly or if you are in doubt about your standing, **there's a very simple and beautiful solution!** Go to Confession! Fr. Wertin is in the Confessional 30 minutes before every Mass. **Jesus longs to meet you in the Confessional, forgive all your sins, and return you to good standing!**

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