



# St. John the Baptist Church

St. Mary Church – Clearmont  
 St. Hubert Church – Kaycee

## Office and Rectory

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## St. John the Baptist Church

Saturday 5:00 PM  
 Sunday 9:00 AM  
 Daily Mass T - F 8:00 AM  
 Holy Days  
     Anticipatory 6:00 PM  
     Day of... 7:00 AM

## St. Mary Church, Clearmont

2<sup>nd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> Sunday 12:30pm

## St. Hubert Church, Kaycee

1<sup>st</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday 2:00pm

**Confessions** Saturday 11:00am  
 Saturday after 5pm Mass  
 By Appointment

## Parish Staff

Pastor	<i>Fr. Pete Johnson</i>	684-7268
Parish Administrator	<i>Mary Ann Cummins</i>	684-7268
CCW Leader	<i>Lori Zink</i>	620-5113
Finance Council Chair	<i>Steve Reimann</i>	684-7439
Janitor	<i>Mick Camino</i>	217-1575
K of C Grand Knight	<i>Jason Sutton</i>	217-0468
Organist	<i>Judi Semroska</i>	684-2171
Parish Council Chair	<i>Mike Ihnat</i>	684-7698
Religious Education	<i>Carol Gagliano</i>	684-7217
Trustees	<i>Jean Urruty</i>	684-7093
	<i>Phil Gonzales</i>	684-5920

## Religious Education / Meeting

Tuesday, November 13 – 6pm Rotary Bingo in parish hall  
Wednesday, November 14 – 3:45pm & 7pm CCD  
Thursday, November 15 – 5:30pm Past Grand Knights' Mass & dinner

**Baptisms** – Please call Fr. Pete

**Marriage** – Planning and preparation 6 months in advance

**Prayer line Requests** – Patty Myers, 684-9381 or Jan Edgcomb – [jmpe@wyoming.com](mailto:jmpe@wyoming.com)

**Rosary Guild** – Thursdays at 8:30am to 10am; call 307-660-4936 for meeting place

**Sacrament of the Sick** – After first Sunday Masses or call the Parish Office

**32ND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

**NOVEMBER 11, 2018**

**Altar Assisters:**

**SATURDAY, Nov. 17, 5pm**

Lector: Dennis Lawrence

EM: Mary Smith

CUP: Janelle Gonzales, Julie Seeman

Altar Servers: Volunteers

**SUNDAY, Nov. 18, 9am**

Lector: Rick Smithers

EM: Jennifer Schroefel

CUP: Volunteers

Altar Servers: Volunteers

**Homebound Ministry, Friday, November 16**

Kathy Smith

**COLLECTIONS FOR WEEK Nov. 4, 2018**

St. John's	\$	4,650.25	YTD \$	69,161.69
St. Mary's	\$	10.00	YTD \$	2,347.00
St. Hubert's	\$	25.00	YTD \$	1,227.00
Poor Donations	\$	437.00		
Online Donations	\$	20.00		

**MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK:**

Mon.	11.12	8:00 a.m.	No Mass
Tue.	11.13	8:00 a.m.	For souls undergoing purification
Wed.	11.14	8:00 a.m.	For souls undergoing purification
Thu.	11.15	8:00 a.m.	For souls undergoing purification
Fri.	11.16	8:00 a.m.	For souls undergoing purification
		8:30 a.m.	Adoration until 9:30 a.m.
Sat.	11.17	5:00 p.m.	For souls undergoing purification
Sun.	11.18	9:00 a.m.	For the parishes

**READINGS FOR THE WEEK:**

Mon-Titus 1:1-9; Gospel: Luke 17:1-6

***Saint Josaphat, Bishop & Martyr***

Tue-Titus 2:1-8, 11-14; Gospel: Luke 17:7-10

***Saint Frances Xavier Cabrini, Virgin***

Wed-Titus 3:1-7; Gospel: Luke 17:11-19

Thu-Philemon 7-20; Gospel: Luke 17:20-25

Fri-2 John 4-9; Gospel: Luke 17:26-37

Sat-3 John 5-8; Gospel: Luke 18:1-8

***Saint Elizabeth of Hungary, Religious***

**FR. PETE:**

A reflection on the widow's sacrifice from Divine Mercy in My Soul, the diary of Sister Maria Faustina of the Blessed Sacrament (died in 1938). She was a Polish Sister of our Lady of Mercy and was canonized in 2000.

*My daughter, I want to instruct you on how you are to rescue souls through sacrifice and prayer. You will save more souls through prayer and suffering than will a missionary through his teachings and sermons alone. I want to see you as a sacrifice of living love, which only then carries weight before Me. You must be annihilated, destroyed, living as if you were dead in the most secret depths of your being. You must be destroyed in that secret depth where the human eye has never penetrated; then will find in you a pleasing sacrifice, a holocaust full of sweetness and fragrance. And great will be your power for whomever you intercede. Outwardly, your sacrifice must look like this: silent, hidden, permeated with love, imbued with prayer. I demand, My daughter, that your sacrifice be pure and full of humility, that I may find pleasure in it. I will not spare My grace, that you may be able to fulfill what I demand of you.*

*I will now instruct you on what your holocaust shall consist of, in everyday life, so as to preserve you from illusions. You shall accept all sufferings with love. Do not be afflicted if your heart often experiences repugnance and dislike for sacrifice. All its power rests in the will, and so these contrary feelings, far from lowering the value of the sacrifice in My eyes, will enhance it. Know that your body and soul will often be in the midst of fire. Although you will not feel My presence on some occasions, I will always be with you. Do not fear; My grace will be with you.*

**The following notification was sent from the Chancellor's Office to all parishes requesting it be placed in the parish bulletin this weekend:**

*“Recently it has come to Bishop Steven’s attention that a woman, Jennie Spin, has been presenting herself to parishioners in various parts of the state as Sister Jennie Spin, a Third Order Religious, wearing a full habit.*

*Religious who are working in the diocese are to have a written agreement between bishop and their religious superior detailing the works the religious is undertaking and various aspects associated with it. There is no such agreement. Therefore, she cannot be allowed to minister within the Diocese of Cheyenne. Please allow this to serve as an alert to all parishes and missions within the diocese.”*

If you have any questions or concerns please contact the Chancellor, Patti Loehrer, at 307-638-1530, extension 105. She will be happy to help you.

**Please note that all Masses in November are for souls undergoing purification, especially those who have no one in this world to pray for them.** The bonds of love and charity that we are graced to forge in this life do not cease with the mystery we call “death.” I will resume a normal Mass schedule in December.

**A thank you to all who took the time to exercise their right to vote on**

**November 6!** It seemed as though our parking lot was never empty. This is one of the most precious freedoms we have and short of some emergency there is no excuse not to exercise it. Our ability to change our government peacefully is one of the things that makes us the envy of the world.

**THANK YOU** to everyone who helped with the election worker meals in both the parish hall and Bomber Mountain ☺

**Winter is here! Consider taking some time to assess your readiness should you lose power for two or three days.**

Do you have an alternative heat source? How would you prevent your pipes from freezing? Do you have a way of cooking that does not rely on electricity? Have you had your car winterized and do you have an emergency kit should you get stranded on the road? Do you have an adequate supply of candles and

batteries? Do you have an emergency supply of food and water that would get you through at least a week? Do you have a way of charging your cell phone if the power goes out? Do you have important papers, bank books, check books, medical insurance cards, etc. conveniently located in one spot so that you can quickly pack them up quickly should you have to leave your home and seek shelter elsewhere? We normally don't think in these terms which is understandable but potentially dangerous since most homes today are not designed to function without electricity.

**“Fr. Pete...Do you have the schedule for Thanksgiving Day and Christmas Masses?”**

Yes. There will be one Mass on Thanksgiving Day, Thursday, November 22 at 9:00 a.m.

The Christmas Eve Masses will be at 5:00 p.m. and 7:00 p.m. The Christmas Morning Mass will be at 9:00 a.m.

**“Fr. Pete...If I go to a daily Mass can I go to Holy Communion if I attend a funeral Mass that same day?”** Yes.

**“Fr. Pete...Is the Feast of the Immaculate Conception a holy day of obligation this year?”** Yes, it is.

At this point it is looking as if there will be only one Mass, the anticipatory Mass on Friday, December 7 at 6:00 p.m. I have to go to Gillette that evening to pick up Fr. Wade of the Fathers of Mercy for the Advent Parish Mission. His flight arrives at 11:30 p.m. We won't be back until 1:00 a.m.

**PARISH MISSION** with the Fathers of Mercy during Advent from Sunday, December 9 to Thursday, December 13. Confirmation students will have a retreat on Sunday, December 9 after 9am Mass!

**PAST GRAND KNIGHTS' MASS & DINNER** on Thursday, November 15. Mass at 5:30pm to

be followed by dinner in the parish hall. Gene Baehler is the chef. All Knights encouraged to attend 😊



**BIG BUCKS BINGO** will be Tuesday, Nov. 13 at 6pm in the parish hall. Sponsored by Rotary Club.

**SALVATION ARMY BELL RINGERS NEEDED!** The week before Thanksgiving needed on Tuesday & Wednesday. After Thanksgiving until Christmas needed on Wednesdays & Fridays. Call Dawn at the Crisis Center to find open dates...684-2233. Great service idea 😊

**DO NOT TAKE OR BORROW** anything from the parish hall kitchen unless you have permission from the church office! We have been missing items when we need them!

**CONFIRMATION youth** are to be working on choosing a patron saint for their Confirmation name. Assignment is a paper due on Wednesday, December 5.

