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Parents and godparents are required to participate in formation classes. Classes available in English and Spanish. Contact the office for class schedules.

Los padres y padrinos deben participar en clases de formación. Las clases están disponibles en Inglés y Español. Llame a la oficina para el calendario de clases.

Matrimony / Matrimonio

The Diocese of Pueblo requires a minimum of six months notice prior to the wedding ceremony. Marriage preparation sessions available in English and Spanish. Contact the Parish Office prior to making any wedding plans.

La Diócesis de Pueblo pide un mínimo de seis meses de anticipación al aviso de la ceremonia de boda. La preparación matrimonial esta disponible en Inglés y Español. Llame a la oficina antes de hacer cualquier plan para la boda.

*Second Sunday of Advent
December 8, 2024*

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Weekend Worship Schedule Horarios de las Misas at Saint Mary Church

Saturday (English)	4:00 pm
Sunday (English)	9:00 am
Domingo (Español)	11:00 am
Rosary (English)	Saturday 3:15 pm
Confessions	Saturday 2:00-3:30 pm or by appointment

Daily Liturgy at Saint Mary Church

First Friday Mass - Our Lady of Fatima	7:00 pm
Daily Mass	Monday-Friday 8:00 am
Thursday Adoration	8:30 am-9 pm
First Saturday Morning Mass	8:00 am

Our Lady of Fatima Mission

located at
207 Main Street in Olathe, Colorado

*Worship Schedule / Horario de la Misa
All services in Spanish / Todos en español*

Domingo 1:00 p.m.

ST. MARY AND OUR LADY OF FATIMA WEEKLY ACTIVITIES

Sunday December 8

SMCC 9am—Mass —English
 SMCC Mass 11:00am—Spanish
 OLF Mass 1:00pm—Spanish
 SMCC 3:30pm-5pm—ALPHA
 OLF—6pm—Rosary—Hall
 SMCC 7pm—Novena

Monday December 9

SMCC 8am —Daily Mass
 SMCC 8:30am — Morning Prayer
 SMCC—7pm—Service-Bilingual
 SMCC—7:30pm—Novena

Tuesday December 10

SMCC 8am — Morning Prayer
 SMCC 9:30am—Legion of Mary

SMCC 7pm—Novena

Wednesday December 11

SMCC 8am—Daily Mass
 SMCC 8:30am—Morning Prayer
 SMCC 7pm—Novena

Thursday December 12

OLF 5am—Mass
 SMCC 8:am-6pm—Adoration
 SMCC 4pm-6pm—Confessions
 SMCC 7pm—Our Lady of Guadalupe
 OLF 7pm—Rosary

Friday December 13

SMCC 8am—Daily Mass
 SMCC 8:30am—Morning Prayer

Saturday December 14

SMCC 2pm-3:30pm—Confessions
 SMCC 4:00pm—Mass

Sunday December 15

SMCC 9am—Mass —English
 SMCC Mass 11:00am—Spanish
 OLF Mass 1:00pm—Spanish
 SMCC 3:30pm-5pm—ALPHA

La Novena a Nuestra Señora de Guadalupe comenzará el martes 3 de diciembre a las 7pm en la parroquia Santa María y en la Misión de Ntra Sra. de Fátima en el mismo horario.

Se les invita a participar de la **Posada y acostamiento** del niño Dios en la parroquia Santa Maria en Montrose; el **lunes 23 de diciembre a las 7:00pm**. Y el **sábado 4 de Enero**, se hará el **Rosario y levantamiento del niño Dios** a las 7:00pm.

En la Misión de Ntra. Sra. de Fátima las posadas comenzaran el **lunes 16 de diciembre a las 7:00pm**. Y el **levantamiento del niño Dios el domingo 5 de enero** al terminar la misa de la 1:00pm.

This year our children's choir will be singing for the 4pm Mass on Christmas Eve, December 24th. We would like to invite all children in our parish ages 5-14 to join us. If you would like to participate, please attend practices from 3:30- 4:30 pm on Wednesday, December 4th; Wednesday, December 11th; and Wednesday, December 18th. We would love to have you!

MONDAY, DECEMBER 9TH IS A HOLY DAY OF OBLIGATION

**The feast of the Immaculate Conception will be observed on Monday, December 9th, since December 8th is on a Sunday. 8am—Mass
 7pm —Bilingual Service**

One and all are invited to come help put up Christmas trees and decorate the Church for Christmas on Sunday, December 22 at 12pm. If you have a shop vac, would you please bring that also.

The Penance Service for Our Lady of Fatima will be on Sunday, December 22nd from 2pm-4pm.

El servicio de penitencia de Adviento en la Misión de Nuestra Sra. de Fátima, Olathe, será el domingo 22 de diciembre de 2 a 4 de la tarde, solo en español.

There will not be a Pancake Breakfast in December



DAILY READINGS

Sunday: Bar 5:1-9 Phil 1:4-6, 8-11 Lk 3:1-6

Monday: Gn 3:9-15, 20 Eph 1:3-6, 11-12 Lk 1:26-38

Tuesday: Is 40:1-11 Mt 18:12-14

Wednesday: Is 40:25-31 Mt 11:28-30

Thursday: Check with USCCB

Friday: Is 48:17-19 Mt 11:16-19

Saturday: Sir 48:1-4, 9-11 Mt 17:9a, 10-13

Sunday: Zep 3:14-18a Phil 4:4-7 Lk 3:10-18

POSADAS

Este año se nos invita a que celebremos las **Posadas** en nuestras casas con familiares y amigos. Podemos comenzar las posadas el domingo 15 de diciembre en nuestras casas, y les invitamos concluir con **la última posada y el acostamiento del niño Jesús, el lunes 23 de diciembre a las 7pm, en la Parroquia Santa María.**

¿Que son las Posadas?



Las Posadas se celebran tradicionalmente durante nueve noches consecutivas precedentes a la Navidad. La canción tradicional de la posada relata la historia de Maria y José. La procesión nocturna es una manera de revivir la experiencia de José y Maria en búsqueda de posada (Lucas 2, 4-7). **Posada** significa “**albergue, hospedaje.**”

Los que participan en esta celebración se reúnen en un sitio determinado. Maria y José pueden ser representados por dos niños, o por dos estatuas (a las que se les conoce como “los peregrinos”) representando a Maria y José; pueden ser cargadas por adultos con velas encendidas. Los adultos forman, junto con los niños una procesión y se preparan para salir en busca posada.

La Posada se puede hacer en una sola casa distribuyéndose un grupo de personas adentro y otro grupo afuera para pedir la posada.

Las Posadas pueden ser sencillas o elaboradas. El uso de la creatividad en su preparación, ayuda a los asistentes a visualizar y a ser partícipes de la experiencia que Maria y José tuvieron en busca de albergue. La experiencia de las Posadas sumerge a los participantes en forma particularmente significativa – en el mensaje de salvación de la Navidad.

Sugerencias:

- Obtener dos pequeñas estatuas de Maria y José para ser llevadas en procesión, también niños o adultos pueden vestirse para representar a Maria, José, y a los hosteleros.
- Determinar con anticipación las canciones y oraciones que serán cantadas o recitadas durante el trayecto.
- Se comienza con el **Rosario**, entre cada misterio se puede cantar una estrofa de un canto adviento. Al terminar el rosario se sigue con el canto de pedir **Posada**.

POSADAS

This year we are invited to celebrate the Posadas in our homes with family and friends. We can begin the Posadas on Sunday, December 15th in our homes, and we invite you to conclude with the last Posada and the laying of the baby Jesus on Monday, December 23rd at 7pm, at St. Mary's Catholic Church.



What are Posadas?

Posadas traditionally takes place on the last nine evenings before Christmas. The traditional Posada song tells the story of Mary and Joseph. The nightly procession is a way of reliving Mary and Joseph's search for shelter (cf. Lk 2:4-7). **Posadas means "inn or lodging"**.

Those celebrating the Posadas gather together. Children can be dressed as Mary and Joseph. Adults, carrying candles and representations of Joseph and Mary (these are called "los peregrinos"). The adults form a procession with the children and prepare to go in search of Posada (shelter).

The Posada can be held in a single house by distributing a group of people inside and another group outside to ask for the Posada.

The *Posadas* can be simple or elaborate. Use your creativity to provide an experience that enables people to visualize and participate in the experience of Mary and Joseph's search for shelter. The Posadas experience immerses people in the Christmas message of our salvation in a particularly meaningful way.

Suggestions:

- Provide small statues of Mary and Joseph to be carried in the procession. Children or adults can also dress up to represent Mary, Joseph, and innkeepers.
- Plan out in advance the songs and prayers that will be sung or recited during the procession.
- Begin with the **Rosary**. Between each mystery, a verse of an Advent song can be sung. After finishing the rosary, continue with the song to ask for lodging (*Posada*).

Looking for that Christmas Spirit?

*Bring your family and friends to St. Mary's **Annual***

All-Parish Christmas

Decorating Party

Sunday afternoon, December 22nd

12 Noon - ?



***Coffee, Hot Chocolate and cookies will be provided**

Some of the tasks are:

- Set up trees
 - Fill water containers for trees
 - Install lights on indoor trees
 - Install lighting for outdoor entry
 - Hang swags inside
 - Set candles and greenery in windows
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- **Clean and vacuum up needles from trees**

Bring:

Shop Vac

¿Buscas ese espíritu navideño?

*Traiga a su familia y amigos a St. Mary's **Anual***

Navidad en toda la parroquia

Fiesta de decoración

*Domingo por la tarde, 22 de diciembre
12 del mediodía – ¿*



***Se proporcionará café, chocolate caliente y galletas.**

Algunas de las tareas son:

- Configurar árboles
 - Llenar los recipientes de agua para los árboles
 - Instalar luces en árboles del interior
 - Instalar iluminación para la entrada al aire libre
 - Cuelgue guirnaldas en el interior
 - Colocar velas y vegetación en las ventanas
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- **Limpiar y aspirar las agujas de los árboles**

Traiga:
Tienda Vac

HORARIO PARA LA CELEBRACION EN HONOR A NUESTRA SEÑORA DE GUADALUPE

DEL DIA 12 DE DICIEMBRE

IGLESIA CATOLICA DE SANTA MARIA, MONTROSE

ST. MARY'S CATHOLIC CHURCH, MONTROSE

5:00am – 7:30am Mañanitas a Nuestra Señora de Guadalupe.

Mañanitas (Traditional Spanish songs sung to honor Our Lady of Guadalupe).

8:30am – 6:45pm Adoración al Santísimo Sacramento.
Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament.

4:00pm – 6:00pm Confesiones.
Confessions.

7:00pm Misa en español.
Mass in Spanish

8:00pm Representación de las apariciones a Nuestra Señora de y Guadalupe
Convivio en el salón parroquial.
Representation of the appearance of Our Lady of Guadalupe
Gathering and refreshments in the parish hall.

MISION DE NUESTRA SEÑORA DE FATIMA, OLATHE

OUR LADY OF FATIMA MISSION

5:00am Misa en español.
Mass in Spanish

6:00am Mañanitas a Nuestra Señora de Guadalupe.
Mañanitas (Traditional Spanish songs sung to honor Our Lady of Guadalupe

7:00 am Se ofrecerá chocolate caliente, café y pan en el salón.
Hot chocolate, coffee and bread will be provided in the the Parish Hall

7:00pm Rosario en español.
Rosary in Spanish.

7:45pm Convivio en el salón.
Food and gathering in the parish hall.



MASS INTENTIONS

Sunday December 8

9am- +Michael & +Todd English

11am— +Almas del Purgatorio, +Flora Sisneros, Cezaria Decasas, Nieto Mendoza Family

1pm— For all the People of SMCC & OLF

Monday December 9

8am— For the Intention of the Pastor

Tuesday December 10

8am— Morning Prayer

Wednesday December 11

—8am— +Don Dejulio

Thursday December 12

7pm— +Ana Sofia Alcala Rea

Friday December 13

8am— +Dennis Putnam

Saturday December 14

4pm— +Bill Dicamillo, +Bill Ruybal +Jerry Kramer, Holy Souls in Purgatory

Sunday December 15

9am— +Glenn Traugott, +Anthony Castro, +Maria Amelia Archuleta, Martinez Family

11am— For all the People of SMCC & OLF

1pm— +Almas del Purgatorio



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