**St. Margaret’s Catholic Church**

**Riverton, Wyoming**

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| **Church**  **620 E. Fremont Ave.Riverton, WY 82501stmargchurch1@gmail.comRectory - 307-856-6226** | **Office**  **618 E. Fremont Ave.**  **Riverton, WY 82501**  **307-856-3757**  **307-856-9396** | **St. Margaret’s**  **Catholic School**  **220 N. 7th St. E.**  **Riverton, WY.**  **82501**  **307-856-5922** |

**Eucharistic Adoration**

Julie Fiebiger **-** 307-851-8073

**Tuesday:** 3:00-5:00

**Thursday:** 4:00-7:00

**Sunday:** 2:00-3:00

**1st Friday** (Starts Thursday at 4:00 pm until Friday Benediction 4:00 pm) **Rosary–** Daily at 12:00 p.m.( Tuesday right after Mass) **Sick & Homebound**

Contact the Office - 856-3757

**Baptism -** Julie Fiebiger - 307-851-8073 **Faith Formation Process**

David Stradley - 307-709-6996 Tony Colonna OFS - 860-883-9673

**RCCW -** Barb Barber, 307-840-1797

**Funeral Dinners:** Daria Wood, 307--850-7694

**Knights of Columbus:**

2nd Tuesday of each month

7:00 p.m. Rosary-church

7:30 meeting-Pate Hall

**Parish Council Chairman:** KyleThoman

**Vice Chairman:** Andy Samuelson

**Trustees:** Tammy Linton & Lindy Paskett

**Week of October 1 – October 6, 2024**

**6 - November 15, 2020**

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**TUESDAY: 10/01 Mass - 12:15 p.m. - RCCW**

**Hope Leanne Keeton +**

**WEDNESDAY: 10/02 School Mass - 8:15 a.m. - Jeremy & Kathy Martinez Bobby Thoman**

**THURSDAY: 10/03 Mass - 7:00 a.m. - Adalyn Clark**

**Uriah**

**FRIDAY: 10/04 Mass - 7:00 a.m. - Tracy Warren**

**Cordel W Smith**

**SATURDAY: 10/05 Mass - 5:30 p.m. - Intentions for Lindy Paskett**

**SUNDAY: 10/06 Mass - 9:00 a.m - Lucy**

**St. Edward’s Mass - 12:00 p.m. - Vickie & John Farmer +**

**Prayers for Healing**

Ellie Romero; Bobby Romero; Donna Mosbrucker; Flora Apodaca; Amanda Vega; Lynette Hall; Savannah Riley Warren; Emily Hamilton; Sharon Umscheid; Karla Hughes; Mary Alice Genter; Lavina & Brian Witt; Elise Wilkenson; Monica; Cindy Biltoft; Clara Olson; Family of Joe Streeter; Mary Jean Sweeney; Vi & Gary Wild; Linda Trompke; Flo Ortega; Thomas Apodaca; Tyler Martin; Marissa; Griffin Knott; Ralph Burlingham; Harry Meekins; Aimee; Miranda Townsend, Kathleen Shores; Connie Gunter; Rosetta Marie Piper, Allen & Denise family; Mary Romero; Don Berger; Shannon Hall; Danny Schmitt, Jessica Azire Ibach; Howard Brown; Edward Flahaut; Bob Johnson; Jonathan Perez; Jack Degnan; Sara Wilson; Don & Fydel Allington; Serene; Barb Volk; Todd Rousseau; Gill Smith; Delayne Newton; Mary Sponheim; Kellie Crow; Joseph Dunlap, Barbara Nytes, Susan Schuster, Inger Clark, Gladys Riccardelli, Mercedes Hartman: Cappy Hartman: Bob Hanson; Laura & Erica; Larry Ross; Roger Hulme; Taylee; Tonya Abernathy; Alicia; Patricia Andrews; Sandra S; Leonard Williams; Sean B; Carole Meyer; Caleb Stone; Jess; Camilla; Kayleen Gambler; Dianna Slater; Louis; Cortney; Darla Shepardson; Danny Kurtilla; The Gamble Family; Kurt Leininger; Elizabeth Reid; Wilma Thompson; Steve McNamee; Kristian Mitchell; Rita Leidy; Kevin; Sam Senkow; Mike Sanchez; Elizabeth Perdue; Alyssa Vega; James Habeck; Mike Osborne; Angie Esvelt; Dora Flagg; Laura; Brittany Clarkson; Cloann Guernsey; Joel Rivera; Cody Thrasher; Colby Harris; Jack Romero; Tyus Starr Fisher; Dustee Martinet; Janet Hughes; Pierce Steen; Pat Mosbrucker; William Apodaca; Hunter Jaramillo, Curry Matthiessen; Jimmy VanVleet; Curtis Good; Josh Ward; Cristy Cragoe; Rod Slattery; Pete Sauer; Devin Senn; Tim Shelton

**Please *notify the office if someone should be removed from the prayer list.***

**Living & Giving in Christ Fiscal Year 2024 - 2025 Update as of 9/23/2024**

**Goal Pledge to date Pledge Shortage Actual paid to date**

**St Margaret’s** $12,769 $13,788 $0 $11,158

**OLW**  $6,910 $625 $6,285 $362.50

**St Edwards** $2,929 $200 $2,729 $200

**St. Josephs**  $ 0 $100 $ 0 $100

**Goal:** Assessed by the Diocese at 20% of previous year actual envelopes & collection plate.

**Parishioners:** Actual Pledge by parishioners.

**Pledge Shortage:** If amount is not pledged and fulfilled by parishioners then the parish may be charged for the shortage.

**Actual paid to date:** Totals paid by parishioners on pledges made.

**Anniversary Birthday Deceased +**

**Faith Formation News**

**News**

**Prayer Corner:**

Your word, O Lord, is truth; consecrate us in the truth. John 17:17

**Twenty - Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time**

**September 29, 2024**

**December 25, 2022**

**Fr. Louis’ Corner**

**Attention all Denver Travelers**

If you would be willing to pick up merchandise from Gerkins Religious Supplies in Denver, for the parish, please let us know. 856-3757.

Thank you!

**Mass Times:**

**Saturday:**  5:30 p.m.

**Sunday:**  9:00 a.m.

**Daily Mass:**

**Tuesday** - 12:15 p.m.

**Wednesday** - School Mass - 8:15 a.m.

**Thursday -** 7:00 a.m.

**Friday**  - 7:00 a.m.

**Confession:**

**Thursday :** 5:30 - 6:30 p.m.

**Saturday:** 3:45 - 5:00 p.m. Or by appointment

**St. Edward’s, Kinnear: Sunday :** 12:00 p.m.

**Confession :** By request before or after Mass

**Our Lady of the Woods, Dubois :**  **Sunday:** 5:00 p.m.

**Winter Schedule - Nov - April - Sunday** 4:00 p.m.

**Confession:** 30 minutes prior to Mass or by appointment.

**Our Church is offering Online Giving** on our website at: http://stmargaretriverton.com. For additional information please visit the website.

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**October 5 & 6, 2024**

**Eucharistic Ministers**

**10/05 5:30 p.m.** Chris Jones Ray & Bev Appelhance Tony Colonna John Campbell

**Lectors Lisa Appelhans Tony Colonna**

**10/06 9:00 a.m**  Daria Wood Meagan Mosbrucker Chuck Kucera Tom Nirider Barb Barber **Lectors**  Karla Kucera Janie Nirider **Altar Servers**

**10/05 5:30 p.m.** Ashlyn Jones Cael Arbogast Eli Hill

**10/06 9:00 a.m**. Adam Dorothy Basyn Anderson Elizabeth Howard

Pastor: Fr. Louis Shea louieshea@yahoo.com Associate: Fr. Eugene Inobeme OSA eugeneinobs4christ@yahoo.com

**Attention !!**

Moving forward; parishioners who have an announcement at Mass will be required to submit the announcement in writing for the pastor’s approval.

**St. Margaret’s Collections**

**9/21/24 & 9/22/24**

Envelope & Plate $4,447.54 Boiler $ 142.38 Maintenance $559.33 Poor & Needy $ 55.00 School & Angel Fund $250.00 Living & Giving $210.00 Priest Retirement $410.00 Faith Formation $25.00 **Total $ 6,099.25**

**Mission Churches**

**St Edward’s** - $175.46

**Our Lady of the Woods** - $379.00

**Boiler Fund Total:** $29,188.57

Our Catholic liturgy is so very important for our faith. Liturgy means the work of the people. At Mass we work together as we worship our Lord. In our Gospel reading this week Jesus appears to be telling us to maim ourselves to avoid sin. But if we read and listen to the teaching carefully we can see and understand in our lives that it is not our hands, feet or eyes that cause us to sin, rather our free will choice to use our hands, feet, eyes or whatever other tool we may use to follow our will into sinfulness. Jesus is telling us that we should choose to give up the sins that we find so enjoyable. In our second reading, St James warns us to not work for wealth here on earth because it will surely let us down in the end. He tells us that cries of the poor people that we have ignored, or worse, are heard by the Lord and they are testimony against us. Let us not allow things to get between us and God here on earth, because they surely will remain between Him and us in the afterlife. Let us use our hands and eyes and everything we have to make our liturgies as fruitful as possible.

**Confirmation Certificates**

The Confirmation certificates are ready. Please pick them up in the parish office.

**“54-Day Rosary Novena for Our Nation”** will begin on August 15th, the Solemnity of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary, and will end on October 7th, the Feast of Our Lady of the Rosary. As we unite at the foot of the cross, the time is now to call upon God, through the powerful intercession of Our Lady of the Rosary to heal our country and return it to holiness. In conjunction with the novena, **“ROSARY COAST TO COAST”**  will be on Sunday, October 6th @ St. Margaret’s Church. We’ll unite our rosary with thousands of prayer warriors across our nation for the same intention. More details later. For more information: novenaforournation.com or rosarycoasttocoast.com/novena-for-our-nation/ . You are welcome to contact Julie at 851-8073 as well. Let’s **UNITE-PRAY** and **GROW STRONG** in God’s supernatural power!

**ROSARY COAST TO COAST:**

**54 Day Rosary Novena for Our Nation concludes Monday, October 7 (Our Lady of the Rosary), but Sunday, October 6th will be the National Rosary Coast to Coast. St. Margaret’s Parish will join thousands of people across our nation and around the world (50+ countries) all praying the Rosary on Sunday, Oct. 6th at the same time, 2:00 Mountain Time. We are in a battle, a spiritual battle between right and wrong, good and evil. The United States of America and the world needs YOUR prayers, OUR prayers. Our Blessed Mother, through many approved apparitions, has consistently and with urgency, asked us to pray the Holy Rosary. As St. Padre Pio stated, it is the weapon for our time. Many, many miracles have resulted due to the Rosary. A miracle is needed now during these difficult and confusing times! So come to St. Margaret’s Church at 2:00, Sunday, October 6th. The Rosary will be proceeded with Consecration to Mary’s Immaculate Heart by which Father will entrust all of us (Parish and Mission), to Mary’s protection and tender care. We’ll also have the opportunity to personally consecrate ourselves to Jesus, through Mary. We’ll conclude with the Chaplet of Divine Mercy. It will be a truly powerful, beautiful, and worthwhile hour of prayer and devotion. We’ll offer our prayers for the protection, provision, and sanctification for our nation, Church and families, along with your personal intentions. Let us come together as a Nation and Parish, and be a witness for our Beloved Country and Faith!**

This year, Wyoming Catholic Ministries Foundation is proud to have awarded $144,356 in grants in support of the Catholic schools of Wyoming. In July, St. Margaret’s Catholic Elementary School was the recipient of over $10,000 for needed classroom upgrades and curriculum needs. WCMF is proud to support St. Margaret’s Catholic Elementary School though the WCMF Grant Program.

WCMF grants are made possible through the generosity and foresight of many generous donors as well as by those who support WCMF in the End of Year Appeal. For more information, please visit our website wycmf.org or contact us at info@wycmf.org or 307-631-4084. Thank you!

Here’s something to think about! It’s from “30 Day Eucharistic Revival” by Donald Calloway. *"One of the problems today in many parishes is that people are uncomfortable with silence and think they have to be constantly listening to something or someone. Many parishes and shrines these days even have nonstop music playing from speakers during the week when people just want to step inside, away from the noise, and say some prayers. Are we that uncomfortable with silence? . . . It's not that the relaxing music or chant playing in the background is bad or evil. But silence is a good thing, and we should have more of it in our churches."* Adding to these comments, I recommend silent time before the Blessed Sacrament. And in your homes as well, since the home should be the domestic church. More on this topic next week.

**Stuffing Donations**

It’s that time of year again! We are collecting stuffing donations for the Thanksgiving Dinner food boxes. Please drop off your donation at the parish office. Thank you for your help!

**Faithful Citizenship**

Deacon Mike Leman, Catholic Social Teaching & Legislative Liaison for the Diocese of Cheyenne, will be giving a talk on Faithful Citizenship. It will be in the gym on October 24 at 6:00 p.m. We will be serving heavy hors d’oeu vres so come and join us!

**Time Change -** Faith Formation - Youth Group (8th - 12th grade). We have students that are in sports that want to participate in Faith Formation but they are unable to because of their practice schedules. To include them, we will be extending this class to 8:00 p.m. so they can participate. You are under no obligation to stay until 8. You are free to leave at 7 if that works best for you. As always, Dinner is at 5:30 and class starts at 6:00. All are welcome!! Hope to see you there!!