



SCHOOL NEWS

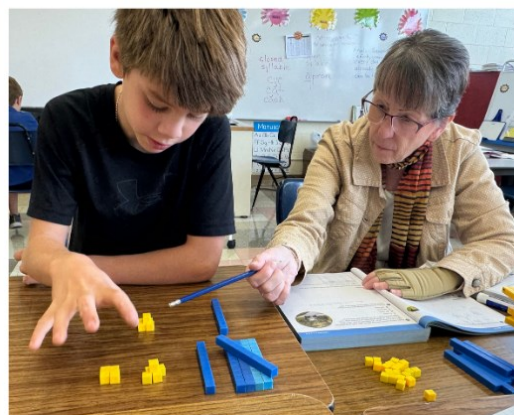
January 5, 2025

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Looking back on a beautiful year...



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St. Margaret's Catholic Church



The Epiphany of the Lord January 5, 2025

Epiphany
Matthew 2:1-12



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.

Spanish Mass: 6:00 p.m. (once per month)

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

Confession: By request before or after Mass

Our Lady of the Woods, Dubois:

Sunday: 4:00 p.m.

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

Confession: 30 minutes prior to Mass or by appointment.

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: Kyle Thoman

Vice Chairman: Andy Samuelson

Trustees: Tammy Linton & Lindy Paskett

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Fr. Louis' Corner

We celebrate the Feast of the Epiphany this weekend. The meaning of the word epiphany is something, such as an idea, becoming clear. Something that is hard to understand suddenly more easily understood by what might be a surprising insight. So we can see how the church came to name this Feast. The mysteries of God became quite a bit clearer when Jesus came to earth as a humble child. His importance is made even clearer when the Magi arrive on the scene. We can understand that God did not choose the Israelites because he loved them more than any other group of people, rather He chose them to prepare for the coming of our Lord so that he can be the light of the world. We hear clear prophesy of that in our first reading from Isaiah. The Israelites had understandably misinterpreted this prophesy in the light of earthly glory, but we now know that it was and is the glory of Jesus Christ to which this prophesy refers. Let us give thanks for this and reflect the wonderful light of Jesus Christ for all to see!

The RCCW monthly luncheon will be Wednesday January 8th at 11:30 a.m. at Chopstix. If you are new and interested in joining us call the Parish Office at 856 -3757 for more information.

Faith Formation

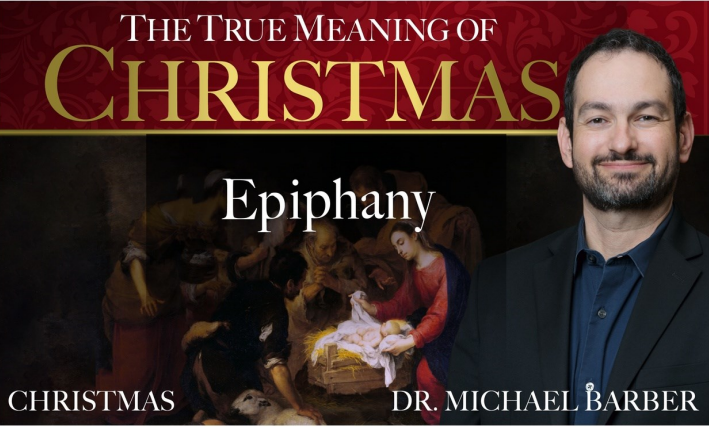
Come join us this Wednesday - Jan 8.
Dinner 5:30 Class 6:00



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



THE CATHOLIC FAITH. ON DEMAND.



Epiphany | The True Meaning of Christmas

What is Epiphany? Join Dr. Michael Barber to find out.



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The Three Wise Men: Share Your Gifts | Drawing Closer to God | Episode 6

Ms. Kim explains the Solemnity of the Epiphany and the importance of the wise men's gifts by teaching students how to draw the three magi. She challenges kids to do an act of kindness for someone, offering it as a gift to Jesus.

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Faith Formation News

This Sunday, we get to hear again the story of the wise men from the East, bringing gifts to the infant Jesus. I wonder what went through their minds when they followed a star and found a stable. They expected a king on a throne in a palace. Instead they found a little baby in his mother's arms. Not what they expected. The same kind of thing happens to us. What happens when suddenly, after thinking something grand and glorious would be at the other end, you end up in a barn? How do you react when you follow a star and find a stable? Let's all strive to do what the wise men did. When we come to stables in our lives, let's be wise and remember to look for God. Let's bring God the best we have to offer. And let us allow God to change the direction of our lives, enabling us to become the great Godly people God wants us to be.



Prayer Corner:

We saw his star at its rising and have come to do him homage. Matthew 2:2

January 11 & 12, 2025

Eucharistic Ministers

01/11 5:30 p.m. Mick & Pat Newlin
Mark Short
Minnie Appelhans

Lectors

Mick Newlin
Lisa Appelhans

01/12 9:00 a.m. Dave & Lindy Paskett
Mike Harris
John & Holly Caproni

Lectors

David Stradley
Terri Kucera

Altar Servers

01/11 5:30 p.m. Ashlyn Jones
Keenan Patterson
Cael Arbogast

01/12 9:00 a.m. Adam Dorothy
Elizabeth Howard
Sylvia Piquette

St. Margaret's Collections

12/28/24 & 12/29/24

Envelope & Plate \$5,507.00
Boiler \$5.00
Maintenance \$160.00
Poor & Needy \$55.00
Living & Giving \$10.00
School & Angel Fund \$220.00

Total \$6,270.51

Christmas - 12/24 & 12/25 - \$7,988.51

Mission Churches

St Edward's

12/25 - \$178.00 12/29 - \$295.00

Our Lady of the Woods

Not Available

St. Joseph's

12/29 - \$100.00

Boiler Fund Total:

\$30,931.31

WEEK OF JANUARY 7,2025 – JANUARY 12, 2025

TUESDAY: 1/07 Mass - 12:15 p.m. - Lucy Elle Holloway
WEDNESDAY: 1/08 School Mass - 8:15 a.m. - Wendall Sherek
Burlingham Family
THURSDAY: 1/09 Mass - 7:00 a.m. - Gordon Northcott + RCCW
FRIDAY: 1/10 Mass - 7:00 a.m. - Souls in Purgatory
Spanish Mass - 6:00 p.m. - Bill Leininger +
SATURDAY: 1/11 Mass - 5:30 p.m. - Chris Bill Johnson
SUNDAY: 1/12 Mass - 9:00 a.m. - Beth Strickler
St. Edward's Mass - 12:00 p.m. - Willie Leeleur +

Anniversary



Birthday



Deceased +

PRAYERS FOR HEALING

Kay Meeks; Allen Romero; Linda Bebout; Dan Root; Rod Eicke; Michael Van Vleet; Terry Romero; Alex Hall; Mona Marshall; Ellie Romero; Bobby Romero; Donna Mosbrucker; Flora Apodaca; Amanda Vega; Lynette Hall; Emily Hamilton; Sharon Umscheid; Mary Alice Genter; Lavina & Brian Witt; Elise Wilkenson; Monica; Cindy Billoft; 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; 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; 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 12/30/2024

| | Goal | Pledge to date | Pledge Shortage | Actual paid to date |
|---------------|----------|----------------|-----------------|---------------------|
| St Margaret's | \$12,769 | \$15,488 | \$0 | \$13,898 |
| OLW | \$6,910 | \$625 | \$6,285 | \$450 |
| 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.