SCHOOL NEWS

Oct. 25, 2026 | 220 N. 7th St. E., Riverton | 307.856.592

IMPORTANT DATES

Oct. 28: Heavenly Heroes Dress-up Day, Eucharistic Procession
Oct. 29: Wear Black or Gray, Hallowtide Prayer Service
Oct. 30: Costumes, STEM
Nov. 3: School Board Work Session
Nov. 6: End of Trimester 1, Latin
Nov. 10: Thanksgiving Luncheon, PTO Meeting at 5:30 pm
Nov. 13: No School (Staff Work Day)
Nov. 15: Open House, 10 am
Week of Nov. 16: P-T Conferences
Nov. 21: Turkey Trot, RCCW Bazaar







We are excited to share that **St. Margaret Catholic School was awarded a $200,000 Nonprofit Security Grant through the Wyoming Dept. of Homeland Security**.

The grant will support targeted security enhancements designed to mitigate critical physical vulnerabilities and harden our campus against potential threats. The primary project will secure the open alleyway that currently separates our school building from our playground and worship areas through security fencing to enclose a perimeter and electronically operated access gates.

The project will also expand our existing fire alarm system to include an emergency notification and voice broadcast communication system, providing building-wide emergency notifications and clear voice instructions during critical events.

The full project is estimated to take 1–2 years to complete. We are so thankful for the many people who continue to support, encourage, pray for, and believe in St. Margaret Catholic School as we move forward with this critical project.

St. Margaret's
CATHOLIC CHURCH

PRAY † GROW † SERVE † TOGETHER

Pastor: Fr. Peter James M. Kamau
pmwaura@dcwy.org

THIRTIETH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME
OCTOBER 25, 2026



Eucharistic Adoration
Julie Fiebiger - 307-851-8073
Tuesday: 3:00-4:00
Thursday: 4:00-6:30
Sunday: 2:00-3:00
1st Friday (Starts Thursday at 4:00 pm until Friday Benediction 4:00 pm)
Rosary - Following Daily Mass
Sick & Homebound: Contact the Office - 856-3757
Baptism - Julie Fiebiger - 307-851-8073
Faith Formation Process: Becky Miller - 307-851-5899
Tony Colonna OFS - 860-883-9673
RCCW - Barb Barber- 307-840-1797
Funeral Dinners: Lindy Paskett - 851-4167 and Lita Burns - 208-771-1208
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
3rd Tuesday of each month
Trustees: Lindy Paskett, and Kim Heil

MASS TIMES

Saturday	5:30 p.m.
Sunday	9:00 a.m.
Monday	5:00 p.m.
Tuesday	12:15 p.m.
Wednesday	8:15 a.m. (School Mass)
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

EUCHARISTIC ADORATION

Tuesday 3:00–4:00 p.m.
Thursday 4:00–6:30 p.m.
Sunday 2:00–3:00 p.m.

MISSION CHURCHES

ST. EDWARD'S • KINNEAR
Sunday • 11:00 a.m.
Confession by request before or after Mass

OUR LADY OF THE WOODS • DUBOIS
Sunday • 5:00 p.m.
Confession 30 minutes prior to Mass or by appointment.

Church: 620 E. Fremont Ave. | Office: 618 E. Fremont Ave. • 307-856-3757 | Rectory: 307-856-6226

THIS WEEK AT ST. MARGARET'S

PRAYER • MASS INTENTIONS • MINISTERS • STEWARDSHIP

WELCOME TO ST. MARGARET'S!

New to the parish? Contact the office at 307-856-3757 or stop in Monday–Friday, 8:00 a.m.–4:00 p.m., to register.

PRAYER CORNER

"Whoever loves me will keep my word, says the Lord, and my Father will love him and we will come to him."
John 14:23

MASS INTENTIONS & SCHEDULE • OCTOBER 26–November 1

MON	10/26	5:00 p.m.	Holy Souls
TUE	10/27	12:15 p.m.	Hannah Thoman • Birthday
WED	10/28	8:15 a.m.	School Mass • Rodney Smith
THU	10/29	7:00 a.m.	James
FRI	10/30	7:00 a.m.	Frank Appelhans †
SAT	10/31	5:30 p.m.	David Dilger
SUN	11/01	9:00 a.m.	Lucy • St. Edward's 11:00 a.m.

LITURGICAL MINISTERS • OCTOBER 31 & NOVEMBER 01

EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION

10/31 • 5:30 p.m.
Mick & Pat Newlin, Ellen Gore, Mark Short, Tony Colonna

11/01 • 9:00 a.m.
Larry Trompke, Linda Trompke, Becky Miller, Cassandra Duran, Morgan Miller

LECTORS

10/31
Chris Jones • John Wood

11/01
Mike Harris • Joseph Martinez

ALTAR SERVERS

10/31 • 5:30 p.m.
Westin Thompson, William Apodaca, Ashlyn Jones

11/01 • 9:00 a.m.
Creed Anderson, Damien Piquette, Delayne Anderson

ST. MARGARET'S COLLECTIONS

Envelope & Plate	$2,176.07
Boiler	$227.27
Maintenance	$491.66
Poor & Needy	$150.00
School & Angel Fund	$285.00
Faith Formation	$190.00
Online Giving	$1,285.00
Priest Retirement Fund	$20.00
TOTAL	$4,825.00

St. Edward's • 10/11	$293.00
Our Lady of the Woods • 10/11	$1,355.07
Boiler Fund Total	$43,032.19

LIVING & GIVING IN CHRIST • FY 2026–2027

	Goal	Pledged	Shortage	Paid
St. Margaret's	$35,250	$13,714	$21,536	$9,912.28
OLW	$6,019	$1,100	$4,919	$837.50
St. Edward's	$2,664	$1,595	$1,069	$1,195

Goal: Assessed by the Diocese at 20% of previous year actual envelopes & collection plate.
Parishioners: Actual pledge by parishioners.
Pledge Shortage: Unfulfilled parishioner pledges may leave the parish responsible for the shortage.
Actual paid to date: Totals paid by parishioners on pledges made.

PRAYERS FOR HEALING

Lena Dechert; Baker; Zade White Eagle; Melody Higgins; Maisy Lucas; Harry Meekins; Bennie Garcia Jr.; Fred Roybal; Chris McHenry; Beth Strickler; Celine Walker; Jennifer Roussalet; Vic Mosbrucker; Larry Trompke; Jim Gores; Karen Colona Ring; Mike Greff; Jim Tate; Susan Merrington; Karen Fried; Aaron Forsyth; Marilou Vaugn; Margie Allington; Maggie Krause; Bob Linstad; Bertha Chavez; Bill Johnson; Susan; Barbara Rousseau; Kay Meeks; Linda Bebout; Dan Root; Rod Eicke; Michael Van Vleet; Alex Hall; Flora Apodaca; Amanda Vega; Lynette Hall; Emily Hamilton; Sharon Umscheid; Mary Alice Genter

Alicia; Patricia Andrews; Sandra S; Leonard Williams; Sean B; Carole Meyer; Jess; Camilla; Dianna Slater; Louis; Cortney; Darla Shepardson; The Gamble Family; Kurt Leininger; Elizabeth Reid; Steve McNamee; Kristian Mitchell; Rita Leidy; Kevin; Mike Sanchez; Elizabeth Perdue; Alyssa Vega; James Habeck; Mike Osborne; Angie Esvelt; Laura; Brittany Clarkson; Cloann Guernsey; Cody Thrasher; Colby Harris; Jack Romero; Tyus Starr Fisher; Dustee Martinet; Janet Hughes; Pat Mosbrucker; William Apodaca; Hunter Jaramillo; Curry Matthiessen; Curtis Good; Josh Ward; Cristy Cragoe; Devin Senn; Tim Shelton

Lavina & Brian Witt; Monica; Cindy Biltoft; Mary Jean Sweeney; Vi & Gary Wild; Flo Ortega; Thomas Apodaca; Tyler Martin; Marissa; Griffin Knott; Ralph Burlingham; Aimee; Miranda Townsend; Kathleen Shores; Connie Gunter; Allen & Denise family; Don Berger; Shannon Hall; Danny Schmitt; Jessica Azire Ibach; Howard Brown; Bob Johnson; Jonathan Perez; Jack Degnan; Don & Fydel Allington; Serene; Todd Rousseau; Gill Smith; Delayne Newlon; 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

As of January 1st 2027, all names will be removed unless verified with Parish Secretary. If you want a name to remain on the list, contact the office.

PARISH NEWS & UPCOMING EVENTS

FAITH • FAMILY • COMMUNITY • SERVICE

DOUG'S REFLECTIONS

Halloween is actually an ancient Christian holiday dating back nearly 1,500 years. Historians trace its origin back to the ancient and enduring Christian tradition of celebrating the lives of Christian martyrs on the anniversaries of their deaths. When Pope Boniface IV re-consecrated the Pantheon in Rome on May 13, 609 AD, renaming it the "Church of St. Mary and the Martyrs," he established that anniversary as a day of remembrance for all of the Church's martyrs. Pope Gregory III later changed the date of remembrance to November 1 when he dedicated a chapel in St. Peter's Basilica to "all saints." November 1 became All Saints Day, otherwise known as All Hallow's Day. The night before became All Hallow's Eve ("Halloween" being a colloquial contraction of that phrase). So while Halloween has become a pagan celebration, it is actually a Christian holiday.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

2nd Tuesday of each month
Rosary • 7:00 p.m.
Meeting • 7:30 p.m. • Pate Hall

Save the date

The World Youth Day Travelers would like to invite you to save the date for an informal fundraiser dinner after Mass on November 14th. We will share more details next week!

Adoration Election Prayers

The Knight of Columbus Wind River Council #3237 would like to share that there will be Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament during election preparation. Adoration will begin with Exposition after the 5 pm Mass on Monday **November 2nd** throughout the night, ending with Benediction at Noon on **Tuesday November 3rd**. Please join us in prayer for a peaceful election. There will be Members of the Knights of Columbus at the doors with a sign up sheet for those who would like to be responsible for an hour session during the time Jesus is Exposed.

UPCOMING EVENTS

OCT. 31	All Saints Day – Family Carnival
NOV. 1	All Saints Day
NOV. 1	Daylight Savings time ends at 2 a.m.
NOV. 2	All Souls Day
NOV. 12	Pizza Hut for World Youth Day
NOV. 20-22	Wyoming Catholic High School Youth Rally in Casper.

More information

Scan this code to sign up to help out with games at the All-Saints Day Carnival.

FAITH FORMATION • FAITH GROWS HERE

Thank you to all the Parents of our First Communion Students for attending the parents meeting Wednesday evening. We appreciate you being their primary catechist and showing them the importance of The Sacraments and involvement in their community.

Last Friday evening October 16, a small delegation from St Margarets traveled to Gillette to attend the Diaconate Ordination Mass for our Friend Anthony Richter. It was a memorable and emotional experience! (Pictured with Anthony is Seminarian Henry Fritzler, Noelle Miller, Luke Gifford, all were a part of our Totus Tuus summer adventures)



Recognition for extraordinary compassion, kindness, and selfless service to Becky Miller.



FEATURED EVENT • ALL SAINTS DAY FAMILY CARNIVAL

