





5th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

"You are the light of the world. A city set on a mountain cannot be hidden." - Mt 5:14

Excerpts from the Lectionary for Mass = 2001, 1998, 1970 CCD.

MASS SCHEDULE

Mass of Anticipation	Saturday, 5:30pm
Sunday Mass	. Sunday, 8:00am and 11:00am
Monday and Wednesday	/12:00pm
Tuesday and Thursday	9:00am

Sacrament of Reconciliation:

Monday and Wednesday, 11:30am; Saturday, 5:00pm Tuesday and Thursday, 8:30 am

Sacrament of Baptism: Baptism preparation is by appointment. Please call the Parish Center for more information.

Sacrament of Matrimony: Please call Parish Center at least ten months before the wedding date to begin preparation.

Sacrament of the Sick: Please call the Parish Center.

Sacramental Emergencies: 330-817-3635
Urgent need for the Anointing of the Sick

Bulletin Deadline

Bulletin announcements are due to the Parish Office on Wednesday one week prior to the weekend of publication.

PARISH CENTER

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OFFICE HOURS

Monday-Thursday	9:00am-2:00pm
Friday	9:00am-1:00pm

PASTORAL TEAM

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"We are a predominantly African-American multi-ethnic community of Catholic Christians. We seek to be a beacon of hope, a sign of the healing and reconciling presence of Christ to all by being a center of religious education, spiritual development, and social activity that celebrates the ethnic and cultural values of our members and by participating in the communities in which we live and work to address the social needs of our times."





Scripture Readings FOR TODAY

First Reading: If you bestow your bread on the hungry and satisfy the afflicted; then light shall rise for you in the darkness. (Is 58:10)

Psalm: The just man is a light in the darkness to the upright. (Ps 112) or Alleluia

Second Reading: For I resolved to know nothing while I was with you except Jesus Christ, and him crucified. (1 Cor 2:2)

Gospel: Just so, your light must shine before others, that they may see your good deeds

and glorify your heavenly Father. (Mt 5:16)

Readings for the Week:

Sunday: Is 58:7-10/Ps 112:4-5, 6-7, 8-9 [4a]/1 Cor 2:1-5/Mt 5:13-16

Monday: 1 Kgs 8:1-7, 9-13/Ps 132:6-7, 8-10 [8a]/Mk 6:53-56

Tuesday: 1 Kgs 8:22-23, 27-30/Ps 84:3, 4, 5 and 10, 11 [2]/Mk 7:1-13 Wednesday: 1 Kgs 10:1-10/Ps 37:5-6, 30-31, 39-40 [30a]/Mk 7:14-23 Thursday: 1 Kgs 11:4-13/Ps 106:3-4, 35-36, 37 and 40 [4a]/Mk 7:24-30

Friday: 1 Kgs 11:29-32; 12:19/Ps 81:10-11ab, 12-13, 14-15 [11a and 9a]/Mk 7:31-37

Saturday: 1 Kgs 12:26-32; 13:33-34/Ps 106:6-7ab, 19-20, 21-22 [4a]/Mk 8:1-10

Next Sunday: Sir 15:15-20/Ps 119:1-2, 4-5, 17-18, 33-34 [1b]/1 Cor 2:6-10/Mt 5:17-37 or 5:20-22a, 27-28, 33-34a, 37

Saints & Special Observances

Sunday: 5th Sunday in Ordinary Time; World Marriage Day

Monday: St. Scholastica, Virgin Tuesday: Our Lady of Lourdes

Friday: Sts. Cyril, Monk, and Methodius, Bishop; Valentine's Day

Next Sunday: 6th Sunday in Ordinary Time

THE WEEK AHEAD MASS INTENTIONS:

Monday, Feb 10 Noon

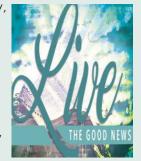
Adam and Andrew Fritz

Tuesday, Feb 11 9 am

The Field Family: Living and +Deceased

Before the arrival of GPS and other technological advances, folks relied on a compass to assist them with

directions. If set and used properly, people who would otherwise be lost could find their way. What properly sets our God compass? We know that we require God in order to find our way through life, but we need to be in proper relationship with God before this can effectively happen. God certainly does not need to be placated,



but some things open Him up to us more than others. Isaiah gives us a clue today. Share your bread with the hungry ... clothe the naked ... remove oppression, false accusation, and malicious speech ... satisfy the afflicted. When we do this, we will not only be on proper course and in right relationship with God, but will be the salt and light Jesus asks us to be.



REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYER

Please Pray for Our Members, Relatives, & Friends

Ramona Allen, Betty Ashford, Annie Berry, Hasan Bennett, Denise Chinn, Minnie Cassell, Barbara Christian, Lavon Curry, Ben Duran, Tep Falcon, Leon Gibson, Lucille Glenn, Mary Ignatin, Cathy Jordan, Nell Jones, Jerry Mann, Raven McElroy, Derek Mosley, Lawrence Pierre, Mary Praylo, Maria Singleton, Samaria Stovall, Miles Tatum, Earlie Taylor, Joan Thomas, Jim Tyson, Desaree Venema, Robert Vigil, and Ginnie Ward's family.

Please Pray for Our Homebound

Easter Butler, Lola Clemons, Janette Frye, Gerard Haas, Mary Haas, Toledo Mays, Lisa McGee and Dorothy Urban

For homebound needs, please contact Deacon Clarence at x304

Please Pray for All Caregivers

Lord Jesus, we ask you to bring your healing touch to those we know to be sick, afraid, or worried. Amen.

CURÉ D'ARS CATHOLIC CHURCH NEWS

Annual Collaborative Health Fair

The Center for African American Health works



together with community groups, local businesses, and other health organizations to bring you one of our most fun & informative events!

The Annual Collaborative Health and Wellness Fair attracts over 1,000 people each year to increase access to critical health information. Take advantage of FREE health screenings (valued at more than \$1,000) and other family activities.

Date: Saturday, Feb. 15, 2020, 8:30 am – 3:00 pm **Location**: Renaissance Denver Stapleton Hotel, 3801 Quebec Street, Denver

Mullen High School's **27th Annual Senior Citizens' Prom** will be held on <u>March 28, 2020</u> here at the

school, 3601 S. Lowell Blvd, Denver. The theme this year is Casino Royale and we cannot wait! Planning and preparations are underway for this terrific event and students and staff alike are excited and an-



ticipating another great night! Our community has been holding this multigenerational - free - event for over a quarter of a century. Senior Citizens' Prom continues to grow in popularity and our students look forward to it with great anticipation each year. Non-alcoholic refreshments and light food will be served. Reservations must be made by March 15. Please RSVP to MaryAnn Oswald. 303-941-8723 or familyoswald@msn.com.

High School Boys' Discernment Retreat

Sunday, March 15th, 2020 9:00AM – 4:00PM

St. John Vianney Seminary/JPII Campus 1300 S. Steele St., Denver 80210

Boys in Grades 9-12 are invited to join Fr. Ryan O'Neill and the Vocations Office for a retreat at the SJV campus, where they can learn the basics of discernment and about the vocation of diocesan priesthood. Includes Mass, lunch, Adoration, and Q&A with the Vocations Director and seminarians. Free.

Contact Info: AOD Vocations Office, 303-282-3429, Email questions to adrienne.merritt@archden.org



"The body, in fact, and only the body, is capable of making visible what is invisible: The spiritual and the divine." - St. Pope John Paul II, Theology of the Body

Saturday, March 14, 2020 9 AM – 3 PM Light of the World Catholic Church 10316 W. Bowles Ave, Littleton CO 80222

This one-day conference, which includes four



sessions will have both an English and Spanish track. The conference is suitable for college

-aged and older audiences and includes Lunch and workshop materials. This introduction to Pope John Paul II's **Theology of the Body (TOB)** teachings will engage the audience with a thorough understanding of God's plan for humanity – a plan stamped right in their own bodies. Guided by Bill Donaghy, Senior Specialist at the Theology of the Body Institute. Bill reveals the beauty of the Theology of the Body and the most essential truths of our faith. He will encourage attendees to see the redemption of their sexuality as the key to happiness. An understanding of TOB will give attendees a new lens through which to see their life, their relationships and the world.

Lanteri Center Lenten Armchair Retreat February 23April 5, 2020; Orientation: February 23, 2020 at 1:30 pm
Registration requests must be received no later
than February 19, 2020. You need only commit
yourself to praying for 30 minutes each day

in your own home and meeting with a spiritual director once a week. For more information or to Register online: https://www.omvusa.org/lanteri-center/about-us/



<u>upcoming-events/</u> or contact the Lanteri Center at 303-298-1498 or email: LanteriCenter@omvusa.org



Ignatian Spirituality Lenten program:

During LENT we look at those places within us which prevent us from loving and living freely. Through an exploration of the "spirituality of

imperfection" we will look at the paradoxes of being human in relationship to a loving God and how we can receive the invitation to live and love freely even in the face of our sin and imperfection. Registration and Flyers can be downloaded at http://

ignationspiritualitydenver.org/retreats/calendar/