



Sacred Heart Parish



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RCIA Coordinators:

Elaine Forman and Deacon Tony Sandau

Youth Group Coordinators:

Marissa Morford—8th grade-High School
Sr. Lissy — Grades K-7

MASS SCHEDULE—Miles City

Saturday 5:00 p.m.

Sunday 8:30 a.m. and 4:30 p.m.

Confessions: Saturday 11am to 12noon.

Bulletin deadline is Thursday noon

BROADUS—MASS SCHEDULE

Sunday at 11:30 A.M.

Confessions: Sunday Before/After Mass

St. David Church

225 N Wilbur Street
Broadus, Montana

SACRED HEART CATHOLIC SCHOOL:

519 North Center Avenue

Miles City, MT 59301

Phone (406) 234-3850

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Principal: Bart Freese

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Pastoral Council: Larry Brence, Kendall Makelky, Jim Regan, John Riggs, Deacon Tony Sandau, Kim Stanton, Hannah Strong

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Sacred Heart Volunteer Nurses: Phone Ellen at (406)234-3143.

Sacramental Prep: Please contact the pastor or pastoral associate for assistance.

WEEKLY COLLECTION UPDATE:

Sacred Heart, Miles City—Last weekend:

Envelopes/Checks— 94 \$ 5692.00

We Share \$ 65.00

Plate \$ 252.00

\$ 6009.00

St. David, Broadus— Last weekends Total—\$337.00

Needed each weekend: \$755.00 avg.

Stewardship = Time + Talent + Treasure

Next Sunday's Readings—

Genesis 22:1-2,9-13, 15-18

Romans 8:31-34

Mark 9:2-10

Prayer Chain: To add an intention, please call Maggie (406)232-3333 or Jane (406)234-6247

SHARING OUR GIFTS:

NEXT WEEKEND (February 24th & 25th, 2024)



Lectors—Saturday 5 p.m. Darlene Nex **Sunday 8:30 a.m.** Aggie Price **4:30 p.m.** Brad La Verne

Servers—Saturday 5 p.m. Ava Malloy, Brooklyn Malenovsky **Sunday 8:30 a.m.** Addie Strong, Baron Strong **4:30 p.m.** Sadie Green, Evelyn Altenhofen.

Gift Bearers—Saturday 5 p.m. John & Pam Riggs **Sunday 8:30 a.m.** Patrick & Julie Roos **4:30 p.m.** Phil & Sue Krezelak.

Eucharistic Ministers—Saturday 5 p.m. Sue Hollowell, Barbara Poitra, Joby Parker, Paula Seliski **Sunday 8:30 a.m.** Teresa Kale, Mary Setera, Darlene Ochsner, Gwen Wacker **4:30 p.m.** Ellen Beagles, Grant Beagles.

Musicians—David Florian, Mike Hardy, Byron Hould, Marie Layton, Matthew Nelson, Babs Pius, Mohan Raffety, Kathleen Regan, Mary Wambolt.



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John Pachl, Bill Parker, Karen Pellant, Earle Pelletier, Gail Phelps, Jan Pilling, Roseann Raschkow, Jim Reed, Elaine Richmond, Dolores Scott, Rose Schantz, Kimberly Smith, Mary Jo Stein, Agnes Toennis, Sarina Venable, Kayden York.

Broadus: Debbie Talcott, Ray Traub.

Outside of Our Parish: Paige Baker, Aaron Begger, Chris Brown, Morrie and Laurie Danielson, Heather Danielson, Amy Deam, Tara Derenburger, Jim Dighans, Jane Dighans, Max & Tyler Fuller, Jeff Gutierrez, Sarah Gutierrez, Carolyn Hadley, Jack Hadley, Jack Hagen, Lola Hess, Alice Hines, Kade Hoyer, Marian Icopini, Devin L. Indemann, John Joy, Peggy Kinney, Naomi Knight, Cecelia La Verne, Katie Lund, Mandy Mackenzie, Rhonda Merritt, Steve Millerbernd, Kirby Mouse, Don Muggli, Dorothy Murnion, Ryan Newell, Jeannette O'Dea, Marty O'Dea, Timothy O'Dea, Tom O'Dea, Jonathan Perez, Gail Woody Phipps, Jackie Polaco, Keith & Val Preston, Eleanor Price, Marjorie Pullen, Angela Rasmussen, Marianne (O'Dea) Reeves, Jacob Rivera, Jaxson Rivera, Phyllis Runyon, Cynthia Cherry Schiff, Carol Seigle, Holly Shaver, Cliff Sisko, David B. Smith, John Stadler, Kevin Steele, Patrick Stoltz, Connie Thompson, Dave Tilzey, Adam Tongen, Shad Waldo, Myrna Ward, Lester Woody, Patrick and Cindy Woody.

Also, keep in your prayers all the homebound and those in extended care facilities. To add/remove a name please call 406-234-1691. Thank you.



February 18th, 2024 First Sunday of Lent





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FISH FRY FRIDAYS **LENTEN FISH FRY**, sponsored by the Knights of Columbus, is this Friday, February 16th (and every Friday of Lent except Good Friday) serving from 5:30 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. at the parish center social hall, 520 N Montana Ave. Cost: Adults (13+years) \$16.00; 7-12 years \$6.00; age 6 and under FREE; maximum charge for family—\$40.00. All are welcome! **ALSO:** the local K of C is asking you to participate in the Food for Families Program. Each week when you come to the fish fry, please bring a can of food per family, the cans of food and/or monetary donations collected will be contributed to the food bank and soup kitchen.

EVENING PRAYER AND SOUP SUPPER will be this Sunday, February 18th in the Riley Center after the 4:30 p.m. Mass each Sunday of Lent (except Palm Sunday) with a free will offering taken. The soup supper will be furnished by the St. Gerard Circle of the Parish Council Catholic Women. There will be a Presentation on AIDSPIRIT by Carla Hansen. Come, pray, and enjoy fellowship while enjoying a homemade soup and bread supper.



CRS LENTEN RICE BOWLS: Our parish is participating in the CRS Rice Bowl which provides funding for Catholic Relief Services projects around the world. Please take a Rice Bowl (Instructions included) from the entryway of the Church. Place them in a prominent place in your home and use it to collect your Lenten sacrifices. They are to be returned during Holy Week. Thank you!



STATIONS OF THE CROSS: We will have Stations of the Cross starting each Friday, March 1st, at 1:15 p.m. in the Church, by the Sacred Heart Students. **Also,** Stations of the Cross will be said at 4:20 p.m. before Saturday's 5:00 p.m. Mass during Lent.



SAVE THE DATE FOR CHRIS STEFANICK! Chris will be in Billings, Thursday, March 21, 2024 at the Billings Center Catholic School, 3 Broadwater Avenue, Billings, MT. in the Ralph Nelles Center at 6:30 p.m. 3 Broadwater Avenue. Founder and president of Real Life Catholic and recipient of the Papal Benemerenti Medal, Archbishop Charles J. Chaput calls Chris "one of the most engaging defenders of the Christian faith on the scene today." Chris's live seminars reach more than 85,000 people per year. His reality TV show, videos, and radio spots reach millions of people, and his educational initiatives are turning the tide in the Church. He authored the Chosen Confirmation program which has already formed more the 500,000 teens. This is brought to you by Billings Catholic Schools.



YEAR END GIVING: If you are missing some donations on your 2023 year end statement, please call the parish office, 406-234-1691 for a new statement. Thank you for all your support!

St. Pius X Faithful Stewards

New to the 2024 Annual Catholic Appeal this year is the "St. Pius X Faithful Stewards" giving circle. This giving circle is made up of our parishioners who are giving a gift to the ACA automatically every month, month after month, year after year. This gift can be made in any amount, based on each parishioner and/or parishioner family's financial situation. The benefits to this type of sustained giving are numerous for both the donor and for the Diocese. For the donor, you are able to know your gift is automatically given each month, you are often able to give more by breaking the total overall into monthly gifts, there are no checks to write or stamps



needed to mail the donations in, no forgotten gifts, etc. Additionally, you can know that you are giving sustained support to the ministries of the Diocese. For the Diocese, this gives us ongoing expected/planned income, allows us to budget accordingly, and is more cost effective for processing the gifts are given. Gifts can be made by credit/debit card or through your bank account. We hope you will consider joining the St. Pius X Faithful Stewards this year!

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BISHOP FLEMING INVITES YOU to join him for a Synod on Synodality Listening Session on Sunday, March 3 at 3:30 p.m. at St Thomas the Apostle Church, 2055 Woody Drive, in Billings, MT. Catholics who attend are asked to pray about and discern the following two questions before the listening sessions. These listening sessions are focusing on these two questions: (1) Where have I seen or experienced success and distress within the church's structure, organization, leadership, or life that encourage or hinder the mission of the church? (2) How can the structures & organizations of the church help all baptized to respond to the call to proclaim the Gospel and to live as a community of love & mercy in Christ?

WORLDWIDE MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER



The next Marriage Encounter Experience will be April 12-14 at the Historic Elk Mountain Hotel. Registration is limited to 12 couples, so we encourage you to register early. The experience is a private get away for you as a couple to enrich your marriage. The application fee is \$100 and there is an opportunity to make a donation at the end of the experience to help cover costs. We encourage you to learn more by visiting the website wwme.org or call 307-215-9444.

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WORSHIP SCHEDULE

Saturday, February 17	8:15 a.m. Holy Souls in Purgatory by Dave & Helen Baldwin 11:00 a.m. Confessions in the Church 5:00 p.m. For the Intentions of Our Parish Communities
Sunday, February 18	8:30 a.m. Robert C. Cremer (D) by His Family 11:30 a.m. BROADUS—Ann Bird (D) by Her Family 4:30 p.m. John Baldwin (D) by Therese Baldwin
Monday, February 19	8:15 a.m. John Baldwin (D) by Therese Baldwin
Tuesday, February 20	5:30 p.m. Perpetual Help Devotions 5:45 p.m. Intentions for Pachi Family by St. Gerard Circle
Wednesday, February 21	8:15 a.m. Intentions for Lawrence Gieser by Peggy Gieser
Thursday, February 22	8:15 a.m. Janelle O'Donnell (D) by Bernadette Miller 10:30 a.m. Holy Rosary Chapel—Kenny Grenstiner (D) by June Grenstiner
Friday, February 23	8:30 a.m. Helen Swanson (D) by Jeff & Vicki Makelky 12:00 a.m. Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament 5:00 p.m. Benediction
Saturday, February 24	8:15 a.m. Intentions for Marissa Morford by Sue Anderson 11:00 a.m. Confessions in the Church 5:00 p.m. Ruth Ann Pollert (D) by Cliff Pollert
Sunday, February 25	8:30 a.m. For the Intentions of Our Parish Communities 11:30 a.m. BROADUS—Ed & Hazel Portwine (D) by Duane & Debbie Talcott 4:30 p.m. Leon Shipman (D) by Ken & Robbin Makelky

Mass on Sunday at 8:30 a.m. will be streamed on Facebook at Jolly Pathiyamoola.
Mass on Sunday at 8:30 a.m. will also be on Sacred Heart Parish Miles City MT You Tube.
ALL SERVICES SCHEDULED ARE HELD IN THE CHURCH UNLESS OTHERWISE NOTED.
PLEASE NOTE: IN THE EVENT OF A FUNERAL MASS, REGULARLY SCHEDULED DAILY
MASS AND/OR CONFESSIONS MAY BE OMITTED



*Forgive us our laziness;
and make us to know your ways;
teach us your paths.
Lead us in truth and be mindful of your
mercy toward us.
Deliver us from the sins of our youth;
may they not haunt us as we seek you,
for your goodness' sake, O God. Hear
our prayer in the name of Jesus, the
One full of grace and truth.*



*In charity, let us remember our sister, Helen Swanson, whose funeral we celebrated this past week.
Eternal rest grant unto her, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon them.*



MEETINGS & ACTIVITIES: MILES CITY

- Rosary in the Church on Tuesday at 5:10 p.m.; Monday, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday and Saturday at 7:50 a.m. and Saturday at 4:30 p.m.
- Patriotic Rosary in the Church each Monday at 5:30 p.m.
- Rosary for the Unborn each Wednesday after 8:15 a.m. Mass.
- Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament is every Friday from 12:00 noon to 5:00 p.m. except First Friday—after 8:30 a.m. Mass until 6:45 p.m. in the Church.
- Flame of Love Cenacle is each Wednesday, Thursday and Friday at 4:20 p.m., except on First Friday at 6:00 p.m.
- Men's Prayer Group meets each Thursday at 7:00 p.m. in the Church.
- Monday Bible Study is temporarily postponed.
- Tuesday Bible Study "The Rescue Project" meets Tuesday at 6:30 p.m. in the parish center. Topic will be "What Difference Does it Make"?

ST. DAVID, BROADUS:

- Flame of Love Cenacle each Thursday at 11:00 a.m. in the church.
- Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament is every First Friday at 11:00 a.m.
- Rosary/Divine Mercy Chaplet at 11:00 a.m. on Sunday prior to Mass.

SACRED HEART CATHOLIC SCHOOL:

- ♦ No School Thursday and Friday, February 22-23, for Winter Break.
- ♦ 2024-2025 School Year - Families interested in Sacred Heart School Preschool or Kindergarten **please call the school office at 234-3850 by March 1st.** Preschoolers must be 4 years old by 9-10-24 and kindergartners must be 5 years old by 9-10-24 to attend. Thank you!
- ♦ School Council Meeting meets Monday, February 19, at 5:30 p.m. in the school library.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION:

- * Cookies and Catechesis (K-7th grade): is every Sunday, at 10:00 a.m. in the parish center.
- * R&R Classes (8th grade-12th grade) meets every Wednesday, at 6:30 p.m. in the R&R room of the parish center.
- * OCIA: meets every Wednesday at 5:30 p.m. in the OCIA room of the parish center. Topic this week will on Holy Orders..

BLACK AND INDIAN MISSION COLLECTION: This Sunday, our parish will take up the 140th annual National Black and Indian Mission Collection. Our support of this collection helps build the Church in African American, Native American, and Alaska Native communities from coast to coast. Schools, parish religious education programs, and diocesan ministries depend on your generosity to help them spread the Gospel of Jesus Christ!

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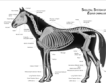
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