

"(John) heard in prison of the works of the Christ (and) sent his disciples to Jesus."

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Sacred Heart Parish



MASS SCHEDULE—Miles City
Saturday 5:00 p.m.
Sunday 8:30 a.m. and 4:30 p.m.
Confessions: Friday 4pm to 5pm
Saturday 11am to 12noon.
Bulletin deadline is Thursday noon
BROADUS—MASS SCHEDULE
Sunday at 11:30 A.M.
Confessions: Sunday Before/After Mass

Sacred Heart Church Gift Shop is located in the parish business office and is open during office hours. We offer a variety of Catholic devotional, sacramental and inspirational items.

Pastoral Council: Larry Brence, Kendall Makelky, 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. 406-234-1691.

WEEKLY COLLECTION UPDATE:

Sacred Heart, Miles City—Last weekend:
Envelopes/Checks—123 \$ 8985.00
We Share \$ 865.00
Plate \$ 453.00
\$ 10,303.00

St. David, Broadus— Last weekends Total—\$726.00
Stewardship = Time + Talent + Treasure



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225 N Wilbur Street
Broadus, Montana

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Next Sunday's Readings—

Isaiah &;10-14
Romans 1:1-7
Matthew 1:18-24

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

SHARING OUR GIFTS:

NEXT WEEKEND (December 20th & 21st, 2025)



Lectors—Saturday 5 p.m. Darlene Nex **Sunday 8:30 a.m.** Larry Brence 4:30 p.m. Gayle Muggli.

Servers—Saturday 5 p.m Sunday 8:30 a.m. Sterling Murnion, Isabelle Murnion 4:30 p.m. Perri Williams.

Gift Bearers—Saturday 5 p.m. Angela Poitras Family **Sunday 8:30 a.m.** Bob & Karen Cremer 4:30 p.m. Lawrence & Peggy Gieser.

Eucharistic Ministers Saturday 5 p.m. Joby Parker, Barbara Poitra, Darlene Ochsner, Paula Seliski **Sunday 8:30 a.m.** David Oliguin, Agnes Price, Gwen Wacker, Dorothy Zabrocki 4:30 p.m. Sister Jezzy, Sister Lissy.

Musicians—David Florian, Ava Flotkoetter, Mike Hardy, Byron Hould, Marie Layton, Matthew Nelson, Babs Pius, Mohan Raffety, Jim Regan, Kathleen Regan, Autumn Toennis, Mary Wambolt, Carey Weisweaver.



Miles City: Syl Augustyn, Gerard Baker, Terry Baldry, Therese Baldwin, Ellen Beagles, Emily Benoit, Bonnie Boggs, Donald Bonogofsky, Joan Brown, Margaret Brown, Phyllis Currey, Larry W. Dann, Bonnie Derenburger, Bernard & Carole Dighans, Dorothy Finneman, Heidi Currey Harbough, George Holom, Dan Hollowell, Clarence & Ann Huschka, Vanessa James, Jim Kale, Cindy Kelm, K. C. Kennedy, Philip Krezelak, Ron Lala, Brad La Verne, Sami Malenovsky, Marissa Morford, Bill Parker, Karen Pellant, Gail Phelps, Roseann Raschkow, Jim Reed, Elaine Richmond, Dolores Scott, Paula Seliski, Mary Jo Stein, Martin Steiner, Agnes Toennis, Kayden York.

Broadus: Ray Bogner, Elana McLean, Debbie Talcott, Ray Traub, Michelle Wilson.

Outside of Our Parish: Ellyn Periscke-Bankey, Jackie Bolaceo, Morrie and Laurie Danielson, Tara Derenburger, Richard Diede, Jim Dighans, Jane Dighans, Max & Tyler Fuller, Jeff Gutierrez, Sarah Gutierrez, Steve Harris, Stephanie Hilger, Alice Hines, Kade Hoyer, Devin L. Indemann, John Joy, Peggy Kinney, Naomi Knight, Howard Lacher, Cecelia La Verne, Katie Lund, Mandy Mackenzie, Scott Martens, Kirby Mouse, Don Muggli, Jeannette O'Dea, Marty O'Dea, Jonathan Perez, Jackie Polaco, Keith & Val Preston, Marjorie Pullen, Angela Rasmussen, Marianne (O'Dea) Reaves, Jacob Rivera, Jaxson Rivera, John Roos, Phyllis Runyon, Cynthia Cherry Schiff, Holly Shaver, Cliff Sisko, David B. Smith, John Stadler, Kevin Steele, Patrick Stoltz, Dave Tilzey, Adam Tongen, Daniel Vander May, 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.

December 14th, 2025 Third Sunday of Advent

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KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS MONTHLY BREAKFAST



This Sunday, December 14th
Serving from 9:00 to 10:30 a.m.
in the Riley Center
A free-will offering will be taken for
the empty stockings program.
Everyone is welcome!
Thank you for your support!

March for Life



Join the Knights of Columbus to March for Life on
Sunday, January 25th at 3:00 PM. at the Parish
Center. Even though Roe vs. Wade was over-
turned, the battle is not over. Come take a stand
for the unborn to end abortion. There will be chili to follow
at the Parish Center.

THANK YOU IN THANKSGIVING:



The Thursday Cum Christo planning
group for the Thanksgiving Table of Bless-
ings extends heartfelt gratitude to every-
one who helped make this year's holiday
meal such a joyful success. What a won-
derful day it was! We served 220 meals—
(40 meals were delivered, 140 meals

served, and 40 meals were takeouts) both at the table
and delivered to those in our community. We are deeply
thankful for all who shared their time, cooking talents,
food donations, and financial gifts. Your generosity made
this celebration possible. We feel truly blessed and look
forward to gathering again next year. Thank you to each
person who contributed and to all who joined us for the
meal. God's blessings were truly abundant!



CHURCH DECORATING FOR CHRISTMAS

We are looking for volunteers to help bring
the Christmas decorations up from the church
basement after next Sunday's 4:30 pm Mass.
Your help makes a big difference—Thank
you!

THE KNIGHT OF COLUMBUS COLORING CONTEST

"Keep Christ in Christmas"

December 7th to January 4th
ages 5-14

- * the age groups and prize money for first and
* second place in each age group.
- * Entry forms and blank pages are available in the front
entryway of the Church & Sacred Heart School.
- * return the completed posters by January 4th
to the front entryway of the Church,
parish office
or Sacred Heart School.
- * Any questions, please contact Travis
406-853-2750



COMMUNAL PENANCE SERVICES

Thursday, December 18th at 6:30 p.m.
with eight or nine priests available for confessions.

CATHOLIC FOUNDATION OF EASTERN MONTANA To-
day the Church rejoices—*Gaudete!*—as we draw nearer to
the coming of Christ. Advent joy grows when we place our
trust in the Lord and give thanks for the gifts He has given us.
When giving to His Church at year-end, consider sending a
gift to the Catholic Foundation of Eastern Montana. The ad-
dress is PO Box 1345, Great Falls, MT 59403 – or you can
give online at www.catholicfoundationmt.org/donate. Please
know every gift of every size makes a difference for our be-
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“**Montana Endowment Tax Credit**”, please contact the
Foundation at (406) 315-1765 or
forever@catholicfoundationmt.org. *Gaudete!*



Carroll College is offering a, \$1,000 scholar-
ship, a Parish scholarship to a prospective
student in our Parish! Applications are availa-
ble online at www.carroll.edu/fao. Students
interested in this opportunity need to request a letter of rec-
ommendation from our pastor, Father Jolly, at the parish of-
fice. **DEADLINE IS MARCH 1ST, 2026.** For more information
about the scholarship, please contact the Carroll Financial
Aid Office directly at 1-800-992-3648, ext. 5425

Funeral Luncheon

A sign-up sheet is available if you'd like to
help with funeral luncheons or contribute
food, and to register for PCCW. Your will-
ingness to lend a hand means so much—
thank you for your continued support!

ADDRESSES OF PRIESTS who previously served at our
parish in Miles City may be picked up in the main entryway
of the church. They can also be accessed on the parish
website listed below. (Go the parish life then special
schedules.)

RETIREMENT FUND FOR RELIGIOUS they gave their
lives in service—now they need your help. For decades,
women and men religious have cared for others, teaching,
praying, and serving those in need. Many now face retire-
ment without sufficient savings. Your support ensures they
receive the care they deserve. Let us now offer them the dig-
nity they have so selflessly granted to others. Your generosi-
ty today is not just a donation—it's a way of thanking them for
their lifelong service. Please give to the Retirement Fund for
Religious.



CHRISTMAS TEA AND OPEN HOUSE

Miles City Academy annual
Christmas Tea and open house
Sunday, December 21st from 2-4 pm

Visit our parish website at <http://sacredheart.weconnect.com>

WORSHIP SCHEDULE

Saturday, December 13	8:15 a.m. Sandy Regan (D) by Her Family 11:00 a.m. Confessions in the Church 5:00 p.m. Intentions for Isabel Anderson by Marissa Morford
Sunday, December 14	8:30 a.m. John Baldwin (D) by Therese Baldwin 11:30 a.m. BROADUS—Intentions for Lana Worman by Robbin Makelky 4:30 p.m. For the Intentions of Our Parish Communities
Monday, December 15	NO MASS
Tuesday, December 16	5:30 p.m. Perpetual Help Devotions 5:45 p.m. Chuck Bush (D) by Ron Bartkowski
Wednesday, December 17	8:15 a.m. Russell "Rusty" Birkeland (D) by Bernie & Carole Dighans
Thursday, December 19	8:15 a.m. Agnes Cremer (D) by Her Family 10:30 a.m. Holy Rosary Chapel—Intentions for Mary Haydal by Marissa Morford
Friday, December 20	8:30 a.m. Intentions for Pierce Anderson by Marissa Morford 12:00 a.m. Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament 4:00 p.m. Confessions in the Church 5:00 p.m. Benediction
Saturday, December 21	8:15 a.m. Betty Laird (D) by Mike Hardy 11:00 a.m. Confessions in the Church 5:00 p.m. For the Intentions of Our Parish Communities
Sunday, December 22	8:30 a.m. Dwight Nex (D) by His Family 11:30 a.m. BROADUS—Nora & Gilbert Poitras (D) by Barb Poitra 4:30 p.m. Syl Augustyn (D) by Winnie Augustyn

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 YouTube
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



Gaudete Sunday

Today we light the rose candle, a sign of joy as we draw closer to the birth of Christ. In the midst of our waiting, the Church invites us to rejoice for the Lord is near! May this week bring renewed hope, deeper peace, and a joyful anticipation of the Savior who comes to dwell with us.

"Rejoice in the Lord always. I shall say it again: rejoice!" (Phil 4:4)
 Blessed Third Sunday of Advent!

MEETINGS & ACTIVITIES: MILES CITY

- Rosary in the Church on Tuesday at 5:10 p.m.; Wednesday, Thursday, Friday and Saturday at 7:50 a.m.; Saturdays at 4:30 p.m. and Sundays at 8:00 a.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 will be exposed at 7:40 a.m. before each weekday Mass, and every Friday 12:00 pm to 5:00 pm. On First Friday, Adoration will begin right after the 8:30 am Mass and continue until 5:00 pm.
- Flame of Love Cenacle is each Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday at 4:20 pm.
- Sunday's Reading's, Study & Discussion meets each Thursday at 7:00 p.m. in the Church.
- The Monday Women's Bible Study meets each Monday at 1:30 p.m. at 818 S. Stacy Ave. For questions, please call 406-697-0020.
- Knights of Columbus meets Monday, December 15th at 7pm in the parish center.

ST. DAVID, BROADUS:

- Flame of Love Cenacle each Thursday at 1:00 p.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.



Box Day will be Saturday, January 10th at the Sacred Parish Center.
Catholic Women's Conference: "Come to Me" April 11, 2026—Civic Center, Helena, Mt.

SACRED HEART CATHOLIC SCHOOL:

- * The 4th Grade will host the 8:30 pm Mass Friday, December 19th, in the Church.
- * Christmas Play "Mystery of Samuel Shepherd" will be Wednesday, 17th at 10:00 am and 7:00 pm

RELIGIOUS ED:

- ◇ Cookies and Catechesis (K-7th): Classes are Sundays at 10:00 am to 11:00 am in the parish center.
- ◇ OCIA: Classes are Wednesdays at 5:30 pm in OCIA room in the parish center.
- ◇ R&R Youth (8th-12th): Classes are Wednesdays at 6:30 pm in the R&R room of the parish center.

CHRISTMAS MASSES:

MILES CITY

Wednesday, Dec. 24th
 (Vigil Mass) 5:00 p.m.
 (Night Mass) 10:00 p.m.

Thursday, Dec. 25th
 (Dawn Mass) 8:30 a.m.
 (Day Mass) 4:30 p.m.

BROADUS

Thursday, Dec. 25th 12:00 p.m.

NEW YEAR'S MASSES

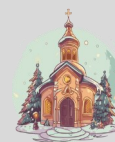
*Solemnity of Mary, Mother of God
 (Holy day of Obligation this year)*

MILES CITY

Wednesday, December 31st (Vigil Mass) 5:30p.m.
 Thursday, January 1st (Day Mass) 8:15 a.m.

BROADUS

Thursday, January 1st 12:00 p.m.



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