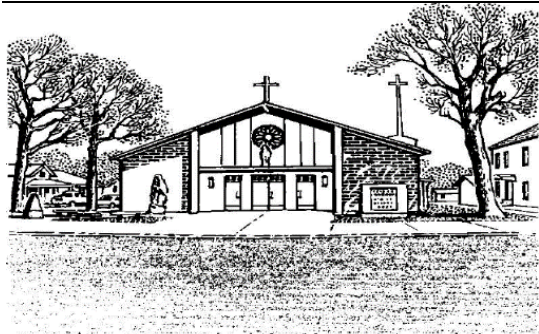




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Sacramental Preparation

Baptism

Please call 754-2480

Marriage

Planning & Preparation 6 months in Advance

Sacrament of the Sick

Call the Parish Office 754-2480

Natural Family Planning

Beth Gilb, FCP(Creighton Model Fertility Care) 307-202-2322, bethgilb7@gmail.com

(Scholarships Available: Contact Parish Office)

Mother's Rosary

Fridays, 10 a.m. in the Church

Mass Schedule

Saturday 5:45 p.m.

(Rosary before Mass, beginning at 5:20 PM)

Sunday 9:00 a.m.

Sunday 5:00 p.m.

Daily Mass (Rosary following Mass, after confessions have started)

Mon 7:30 a.m.

Tues 12:00 noon

Thu, Fri 7:30 a.m.

Saturday: 8:00 a.m.- Mass

9:00 a.m.- Adoration & Confessions

10:00 a.m. - Benediction

Eucharistic Adoration:

Every Thursday 8a.m.-8p.m. **in the Chapel**

Every Saturday 9a.m.-10a.m. **in the Church**

Adoration Chapel: Contact Office for information

Sacrament of Reconciliation

After Daily Mass (Except Monday)

Sat: 9-10 a.m. & 4:15-5 p.m.

Religious Education

Times and Dates:

See you in the fall!

Meetings

Parish Council: TBD, 6:30 p.m.

Finance Council: September 10, 4:30 p.m. in Parish Library

Knights of Columbus: 2nd Thur. of the Month, 7:00 p.m.

Bulletin email is: stbarbbulletin@dcwy.org

The Deadline for items to be published in Bulletin is Wednesday 2 pm

Mission Statement:

The faith community of St. Barbara's parish, in imitation of Our Lady, strives to do the will of God in unity with the Magisterium and teachings of the Roman Catholic Church by nourishing the faithful through the sacraments and fostering growth in the knowledge, love, and service of Our Lord Jesus Christ.

Liturgical Ministers:

Saturday, 8/29/26, 5:45 p.m.

EM: Judy, Jan W, Brian

Lector: Jeff

Usher: Earl

Sunday, 8/30/26, 9:00 a.m.

Susi, Frank P, Sharon

Bob O

Martin

Crucifer: Jacob Hetzel

Acolyte 1: Jude Spiering

Acolyte 2: Andrew Spiering

Thurifer: James Spiering

Sunday, 8/30/26, 5:00 p.m.

Paul

Tom S



Please remember to pray for:

Maggie McKee, Joey Toland, Lavonne King, & JW Heny/Skalsky Family

Please visit our Nursing Home Residents:

(Powell Care Center) Blas Ibarra, Juana Gras, Bud Linton, Randy Blackburn, John Nazy,

Joyce & Harold Franck, Sharon Hernandez, & (Lovell Care Center) Win Campbell

Activities for the week of Aug 23- Aug 30

8-23 Mass- 9:00 a.m., **Welcoming Committee Treats & Lemonade after Mass**, Mass-5:00 p.m.

8-24 Mass-7:30 a.m.

8-25 Mass-12:00 noon

8-27 Mass-7:30 a.m., Mom's & Coffee@ Newman center- 9:00 a.m.

8-28 Mass- 7:30 a.m., Mother's Rosary-10 a.m.

8-29 Mass-8 a.m., Adoration & Confession-9:00 a.m. & Benediction-10:00 a.m., Confession-4:15 p.m., Mass-5:45 p.m.

8-30 Mass- 9:00 a.m., Mass-5:00 p.m.



The *Living and Giving in Christ: Unity through*



Diocesan Ministries 2026: Our parish goal is \$53,631. **The current Living and Giving shortfall is \$28,386.** If you have not yet turned in your pledge card, please do so this week. Mail your gift to: Diocese of Cheyenne Chancery Office; P.O. Box 1468; Cheyenne, WY 82003-1468. Or give online by scanning the QR code.

The expense budget for this fiscal year is \$376,890. To meet our expected expenses for the year, we will need \$7,248 per week in collections. **St. Barbara's Collection week 8/16:** Envelope: \$1,527.49 Plate: \$1,153 Building Fund: \$420 Com. Service: \$20



Treats & Lemonade This

Sunday: The Welcoming Committee invites you for "Treats & Lemonade" this Sunday, August 23rd, after the 9:00 Mass outside of church. Please come and introduce yourself to those you don't know.



If you would like to have the Knights of Columbus provide the Honor Guard at a funeral Mass, please contact Rob Cooke at 307-899-3038 ahead of the ceremony.



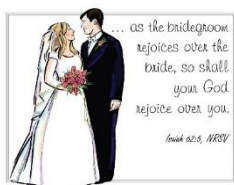
If you or anyone you know can benefit from a prayer shawl, please come to the church office or email Cheri Rogers at stbarbbulletin@dcwy.org.



Faith Formation: Reminder: School is back in session! We hope your first couple days of school went smoothly, and you are excited for a new year! A new school year, new teacher, new school, and new classes can be exciting, but they can also make us a bit nervous. Just know that you are not alone. Your classmates are going through similar emotions and hopefully you feel comfortable enough to reach out to one of them if these nerves are too intense. Your parents are there for you, reach out to them and keep them informed throughout the school year - they honestly want to know how your day went - tell them about your day *before* they ask about it. Most importantly, Jesus is always there for you no matter how big or small your feelings are, he knows and is always waiting to spend time with you. Try to make it a habit to talk to him throughout your day - he wants to be so close to you. It's going to be a great year - **YOU GOT THIS!** *"Have patience with all things but chiefly have patience with yourself. Do not lose courage in considering your own imperfections but instantly set about remedying them—every day begin the task anew."* St. Francis de Sales



Do you know Catholics from our parish that you haven't seen around for a while? Help us to reach out to invite and welcome them back home. The parish council is working on a Welcome Home project and outreach. Share your thoughts with them as they develop an effort to reach out and evangelize within the parish: Serrjosh788@gmail.com



A Eucharistic Wedding Vigil will be held in the Adoration Chapel for **Carson Cannon and Cheyenne Williams** on **Friday, August 28th** from 6pm - 10pm. The Adoration sign-up

sheets are on the table at the main entrance of the church and in the Adoration Chapel. Please come pray for Carson and Cheyenne and the vows they'll be making the next day! Thanks for your help! Contact Kelsey Black at 307-797-1778 with any questions.

Weekly Liturgy Schedule & Mass Intentions

Sat Aug 22	Funeral Mass	10:00 a.m.
	Amahzi Martinez (s.i.)	5:45 p.m.
Sun Aug 23	+ Linda Stang	9:00 a.m.
	All Parishioners	5:00 p.m.
Mon Aug 24	+ Paul Rodriguez	7:30 a.m.
Tues Aug 25	+ Ron Dube	12:00 noon
Thu Aug 27	+ William Sommerville,	7:30 a.m.
	+ JoLynn Sommerville, + Jerry Phillips, &	
	+ Lisa Howard	
Fri Aug 28	Carson Cannon	7:30 a.m.
	& Cheyenne Williams (s.i.)	
Sat Aug 29	+ John & Joseph Harder	8:00 a.m.
	+ Loretta Gilbert	5:45 p.m.
Sun Aug 30	Josh Serr (s.i.)	9:00 a.m.
	All Parishioners	5:00 p.m.
+ Denotes Deceased (s.i.) special intention		



Candles in the Adoration Chapel the week of Aug 25th thru Aug 31st are offered for:
Blessings on all returning to school

Readings for Aug 23 thru Aug 30

8/23 Is22:19-23 Ps138:1-3,6,8 Rom11:33-36 Mt16:13-20
8/24 Rv21:9b-14 Ps145:10-13,17-18 Jn1:45-51
8/25 2Thes2:1-3a,14-17 Ps96:10-13 Mt23:23-26
8/26 2Thes3:6-10,16-18 Ps128:1-2,4-5 Mt23:27-32
8/27 1Cor1:1-9 Ps145:2-7 Mt24:42-51
8/28 1Cor1:17-25 Ps33:1-2, 4-5,10-11 Mt25:1-13
8/29 1Cor1:26-31 Ps33:12-13,18-19,20-21 Mk6:17-29
8/30 Jer20:7-9 Ps63:2-6,8-9 Rom12:1-2 Mt16:21-27

Here are two conferences that are coming soon:

The Wyoming Council of Catholic Women 72nd Annual Convention and Retreat will be **September 18-20, 2026**, in Cheyenne. Registration and payment are due no later than Tuesday, August 18th, 2026. You may register online and to learn more, go to: <https://wyomingccw.org>
12th Annual Wyoming Catholic Women's Conference: "Called to Serve" with Speakers Sister Lucy & Sister Mary Thomas from the Disciples of the Lord Jesus Christ, Prayertown, Texas, will be **Oct 2-3, 2026** at the Ramkota Hotel in Casper. For More information contact wycatholicwomen.com.

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