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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. & 4-5 p.m.

Religious Education

Times and Dates:

Mass and dinner September 24th @ 6:00 p.m.

Classes begin October 1st @ 6:00 p.m.

Meetings

Parish Council: September 25th, 6:00 p.m.

Finance Council: October 16, 4:00 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, 9/13/25, 5:45 p.m.

EM: Shawn, Jan W., Brian

Lector: Earl

Sunday, 9/14/25, 9:00 a.m.

Frank P., Sharon, Jessica C.

Peter

Crucifer: Jacob Hetzel

Acolyte 1: James Felton

Acolyte 2: Edward Spiering

Thurifer: Andrew Spiering

Sunday, 9/14/25, 5:00 p.m.

Aaron



Please remember to pray for:

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

Please visit our Nursing Home Residents:

(Powell Care Center) Bernie DuMonthier, Blas Ibarra, Juana Gras, Bud Linton, Randy

Blackburn, John Nazy & (Lovell Care Center) Win Campbell

Activities for the week of Sept 7 – Sept 14

9-7 Mass- 9:00 a.m., Mass-5:00 p.m., Directory photos in link after masses

9-8 Mass-7:30 a.m.

9-9 Mass-12:00 noon, Women's group 10:00 a.m. @ Newman Center

9-11 Mass 7:30 a.m., Mom's & Coffee 9:00 a.m. @ Newman center

9-12 Mass- 7:30 a.m., Mother's Rosary-10 a.m., **Mass-6:00 p.m.**

9-13 Mass-8:00 a.m., Adoration & Confession- 9:00 a.m. & Benediction-10:00 a.m., Confession- 4:00 p.m., Mass-5:45 p.m., Directory photos in link after mass

9-14 Mass- 9:00 a.m., Mass-5:00 p.m., Directory photos in link after masses.



The *Living and Giving in Christ: Unity through Diocesan*

Ministries 2025: Our



parish goal is \$56,279.

The current Living and Giving shortfall is \$25,729. 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.

FINANCIAL UPDATE: There will be two financial reports available for parishioners to view each year. One will be the year-end report for June 30, 2025. The next report will include July 1-December 31, 2025. They will be posted as soon as the accounting process for that time period is completed. Copies will be available on the table in the south entrance, by Father's homily.

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 Envelopes week 8/31: Envelope: \$2797. Plate: \$748.25 Building Fund: \$1715. Com. Service: \$150.**

Please pray for Fr. Phillip Wagner. He has been diagnosed with the early stages of Alzheimer's disease. We will celebrate a Mass on Friday, September 12, 6 p.m. for this intention. Thank you.

Suggestion Box items addressed August 28th at the Parish Council Meeting.

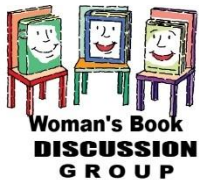
1. Can we have confessions before or after Sunday morning Mass? - No. The multiple opportunities for confessions are during the week: After daily Mass (except Mondays), Saturday 9-10 AM: Saturday 4-5 PM
2. Are there attempts to contact, pray for and encourage the return of Catholics in our parish who no longer attend Mass? - YES! We will dedicate our time at the October 16th meeting to seek ways to reach out to those who have been absent and hopefully bring them back to us.
3. Parishioners are still not able to hear Father at the altar. We are currently researching a different hearing device, unlike the headsets, which are smaller and more manageable. We will keep you updated on the feasibility of these devices and, hopefully, this may be a solution to this issue.
4. Parishioners are very appreciative of having the Parish Council meeting minutes published in the bulletin and they hope that it will continue so we can be fully informed.



Parishioners of St. Barbara's, the 4th degree Knights of Columbus are looking for swords to use at Honor Guard ceremonies. We are wondering if you might have a sword that is sitting in a closet or garage that you do not know what to do with it? If you would like to donate it, please contact Dan Rodriquez 858-531-4388 or Brian Duyck 307-272-7779 Thank you



Faith Formation: We hope this school year is off to an amazing start! Mark your calendars! We will begin Faith Formation on September 24th with mass starting at 6pm and dinner to follow. Classes will start October 1st at 6pm. Throughout the month of September we will focus on registration. Confirmation will be November 7th in Cody with the Bishop at St. Anthony's Catholic Church. We are excited to start another year of Faith Formation with you and your family!



The woman's group is excited to start the new year. There are two videos left on Catholicism and then we dive into discussing the Book: What Christians Believe: Understanding the Nicene Creed, by Bishop Robert Barron. Books provided. We are excited about the opportunity to discuss this book with new and returning members. Sound like something you may be interested in? Yes, then please join us **Tuesday, September 16th @ 10:00 a.m. at the Newman Center**. We are looking forward to seeing everyone!

If you, or someone you know, are interested in learning more about the OCIA program, and the Catholic Faith, please email Fr. James at jschumacher@dcwy.org. Classes will begin if there is sufficient interest.

The Diocesan September Institute will be held in Casper on Sept. 16-18. Fr. James and staff will be attending. The Parish Office will be closed and there will be no Masses on those days.

Weekly Liturgy Schedule & Mass Intentions

Sat Sept 6	+Ray Karst Jr	5:45 p.m.
Sun Sept 7	+Caleb Estes	9:00 a.m.
	All Parishioners	5:00 p.m.
Mon Sept 8	Fr. James (s.i.)	7:30 a.m.
Tues Sept 9	Trevor Timmons (s.i.)	12:00 noon
Thur Sept 11	Andy & Tina Arroyo (s.i.)	7:30 a.m.
Fri Sept 12	+ Bob Kalt	7:30 a.m.
	Fr. Phillip Wagner (s.i.)	6:00 p.m.
Sat Sept 13	Alison Petro & Alex Acosta (s.i.)	8:00 a.m.
	+ Maria Hernandez Alvarez Terraza	5:45 p.m.
Sun Sept 14	Lucy Spiering (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 Sept 3rd thru Sept 9th are offered for:

Readings for August 31st thru Sept 7th

9/07 Wis 9:13-18b Ps 90:3-6, 12-17 Phlm 9-10, 12-17 Lk 14:25-33
9/08 Mi 5:1-4a or Rom 8:28-30 Ps 13:6abc Mt 1:1-16, 1-23 or 1:18-23
9/09 Col 2:6-15 Ps 145:1b-2, 8-11 Lk 6:12-19
9/10 Col 3:1-11 Ps 145:2-3, 10-13b Lk 6:20-26
9/11 Col 3:12-17 Ps 150:1b-6 Lk 6:27-38
9/12 1 Tim 1:1-2, 12-14, Ps 16:1b-2a, 5, 7-8, 11 Lk 6:39-42
9/13 1 Tim 1:15-17 Ps 113:1b-7 Lk 6:43-49
9/14 Nm 21:4b-9 Ps 78:1b-2, 34-38 Phil 2:6-11
 Jn 3:13-17



Directory photos will take place in the link after all Masses in September! The dates are Sept. 6, 7 Sept. 13, 14 Sept. 20, 21

Sept. 27, 28 If you have a photo that you would like to submit instead, please send them to stbarbbulletin@dcwy.org in a PDF format. If you have any questions, please call Linda 858-361-4765 or Sandi 505-709-0076



Are you new to the area and to St. Barbara's Church? Please stop at the table at the back of the church after the 9:00 a.m. mass, September 7th, to receive a gift from our Welcoming Committee.

Welcome to our church family!

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