

St. Scholastica Catholic Church Matthew 28:19

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Our Parish's Mission

We, St. Scholastica Catholic Parish, follow Jesus Christ and His Church in obedience to His command: "Go, therefore, and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the holy Spirit, teaching them to observe all that I have commanded you."

(Mt 28:19)

Grounded in the eternal love of the Most Holy Trinity, we evangelize the people of Erie Colorado, revealing the Kingdom of God on earth as it is in heaven!

Welcome! At St. Scholastica, we welcome you and pray for you and your family as we deepen our encounter with God, through the mystery of the Body of Christ! If you are new to our parish and would like to register either stop by the parish office or go to www.stscholasticaerie.org and click on "New Parishioner Registration."

Baptism and Holy Matrimony:

For preparation in the sacraments of Baptism and Holy Matrimony, please call the office (303-828-4221) or Fr. Robert Wedow (303-877-0728) to make arrangements for classes and schedule the dates of the sacraments. Please call 10 months in advance for the sacrament of Holy Matrimony.

Anointing of the Sick:

Please call Fr. Robert Wedow at 303-877-0728 if someone is seriously ill, injured or near death.

<u>Religious Education</u>: RE classes are Sunday mornings at 9:30. Contact the Director of Religious Education, Peggy Morrow for more information, at <u>REDirector@stscholasticaerie.org</u>

RCIA: Classes are on Tuesdays from 7:00pm - 8:15 pm. Please call the parish office for more information.

Pastor's Corner

Every year in the month of November, we pray for our deceased relatives. There will be a book where we inscribe their names in our church. During this month, there will be special Masses said for and prayers offered for them. Please include all our departed loved ones in your prayers. This is also the month where we visit them in our cemeteries and pass on to our kids, grandkids and great grandkids the family memories. Take time this month to recognize that respect for life includes eternal life and our belief that "the souls of the just are in the hands of God and that no torment shall touch them." Wis 3:1.

Fr. Rob



Please remember in your prayers those who are sick, especially those who are ill with COVID-19, those serving in the military, military veterans, healthcare workers, and those who have experienced the death of a loved one.



Pray the Rosary as often as you can during these times. Mother Mary, we are thankful that you intercede on our behalf.

God's Tech Revolution (GTR)

St.Scholastica has risen to the challenges imposed by the COVID pandemic by making live masses available online, conducting meetings via Zoom, expanding our use of Flocknote (including mass and adoration reservations), and more. Over the last 6 months, several technology needs and opportunities for service have become apparent. St. Scholastica is forming God's Tech Revolution Apostolate! Middle school students and adults are encouraged to apply. Members will provide technical support to parishioners and parish staff while trouble-shooting problems; building the parish website; broadcasting the mass and parish events; and designing, creating and publishing stories, reports, videos and photographs. Time commitments are flexible, and could be as little as one hour per week for a year. Meetings for this ministry are scheduled every Thursday starting on October 8th in the new property at 7pm. Contact Alex Gutierrez, Lead Advisor, algu0499@gmail.com or Peggy Morrow, Assistant, peggymorrow@gmail.com for additional information and an application.

Morning Prayer Coffee Fundraiser

The St. Scholastica "Morning Prayer Coffee" is still available!! The suggested donation per bag is \$20. The preferred method of payment is by either cash or check. Coffee order forms and envelopes are available by the church main entrance. Thank you for all your support! Coffee is going fast...get your bag before it's gone!



Together, with your support, the Church can continue to carry out the mission of Jesus Christ, extend God's love, and serve those most in need. You can help spread hope by visiting www.archden.org/givetoday or call 303.867.0614 to give to the Archbishop's Catholic Appeal.

Daughters of St. Scholastica Fundraiser

The Daughters of Saint Scholastica are doing a fundraiser for the Little Flower maternity home from October 10th thru November 8th. The Little Flower Maternity Home will be providing graduate Moms and their children a gift basket including food not usually received from the food bank and other Thanksgiving items. We are asking for donations of gift cards to grocery stores to enable the purchase of items to fill these baskets. Alternatively, you could donate a bag of the St. Scholastica morning prayer coffee for a basket. There will be boxes for your donations in the Parish office. The Daughters thank you all for your past and present support!

Knights of Columbus Christmas Cards

The Knights of Columbus Christmas Cards and 'Keep Christ in Christmas' magnets are now available for purchase. Cards are priced from \$7.00 - \$12.00 per box. Magnets are \$5.00 eachAll proceeds are donated to local charities.

Please contact Joseph Sarmiento at 303-579-4969 to purchase or if you have any questions. Thank you for your support.



Let's Rebuild the Culture of Life in Colorado

The people of Colorado have a unique opportunity to end abortions of babies 22 weeks through birth. In support of **Proposition 115** (changed from Proposition 120), the late-term abortion ban on the Colorado ballot in November 2020, *we need your help*. Colorado was the first state in 1967 to lift restrictions on abortion. It remains the destination for late-term abortions. Let's join together to rebuild a culture that cherishes every human life. With questions and for media inquiries, contact Lynn Grandon or Deacon Geoff Bennett at gro.revnedcc@efil or call 720-799-9212. **Vote Yes on Proposition 115!**



Tiny Saints Fundraiser

Get those wish lists ready for early Christmas shopping! Shop online with Tiny Saints from the comfort of your home from October 1-31, 2020 and St. Scholastica will receive 25% of every purchase towards our parish! Just select Saint Scholastica Catholic Church from the dropdown menu at www.tinysaints.com before you shop!

Colorado Catholic Conference

The Colorado Catholic Conference interacts with the state legislature, U S Congress and elected officials at all levels in numerous ways. Through the www.usccb.org the Conference is involved in issues at the national level. The Colorado Catholic Conference provides information to the USCCB and the USCCB to the Colorado Catholic Conference on a regular basis. One of the most important functions of the Colorado Catholic Conference is its legislature contact at the state level. The key to this contact is our legislative network. Join our network and become informed as well as how you can influence public policy. The Gospel of Life and Catholic Social Teaching are essential to understanding the Churches positions and goals. Join the Faithful Citizenship Campaign and become an informed Catholic. Visit: www.cocatholicconference.org

Chastity Project

Have you checked out the Chastity Project by Jason and Crystalina Evert? There are lots of great resources for you and your family; from books, to videos, and podcasts! You can go online to get more information at www.chastity.com

Twenty-Ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time 2020 "Year of Grace"

Readings: Is 45:1, 4-6 / Ps 96:1, 3, 4-5, 7-8, 9-10 / I Thes 1:1-5b / Mt 22:15-21

Parish Schedule

Monday, October 19th

No Mass

Readings: Eph 2:1-10 / Ps 100:1b-2, 3, 4ab, 4c-5 / Lk 12:13-21

Tuesday, October 20th

6:00pm Mass +Lee & Leland Ross

Mass Readings: Eph 2:12-22 / Ps 85:9ab-10, 11-12, 13-14 /

Lk 12:35-38

Wednesday, October 21st

9:00am Mass Shannon Kennedy's birthday Mass Readings: Eph 3:2-12 / Is 12:2-3, 4bcd, 5-6 / Lk 12:39-48

Thursday, October 22nd

6:00pm Mass +Bob Merkel

Mass Readings: Eph 3:14-21 / Ps 33:1-2, 4-5, 11-12, 18-19 /

Lk 12:49-53

Friday, October 23rd

9:00am Mass Jackson Kovacich's birthday Mass Readings: Eph 4:1-6 / Ps 24:1-2.3-4ab, 5-6 / Lk 12:54-59

Saturday. October 24th

7:30am Mass Sklyer Kovacich's birthday

Mass Readings: Eph 4:7-16 / Ps 122:1-2, 3-4ab, 4cd-5 / Lk 13:1-9

4:00pm Mass People of the Parish

Sunday, October 25th

7:45am Rosary before Mass

8:30am Mass Conversion of Alvin Miller

11:30am Mass +Rachel Castro

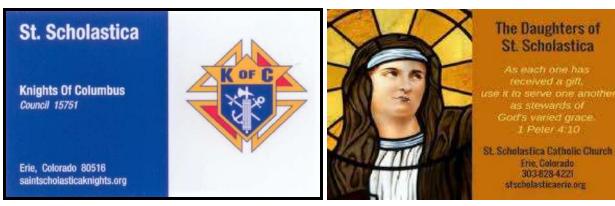
5:30pm Mass Intentions of the Morrow Family

Adoration and Confessions are generally half an hour before Mass.



Knights of Columbus sponsored Fall Clean-up

Volunteers are needed for the Parish Fall Clean-up! *Clean-up will be on Saturday, October 31 from 9:00am to 1:00pm.*Two crews will be needed to help out at St. Scholastica and out at the new property. If you haven't been out to our new property yet (649 Hwy 52, Erie), this is a great opportunity. All skill levels needed, bonus points for bringing tools. Please look for a Flocknote in the near future to sign up to help! There will be a cookout at 12:00pm at St. Scholastica following the clean-up! Questions? contact Mike Crader at development@stscholasticaerie.org. Thank you!



KofC.org/joinus Tel. 505-363-2636, 517-930-6329





Please send your Prayer Requests to prayerrequest@stscholasticaerie.org Direct prayer requests to Connie Sarmiento.



The Divine Mercy Prayer, Bible Study and Quilting Group meetings are currently not scheduled - we will notify you when meetings resume.

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Worldwide Marriage Encounter

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The Mission of Worldwide Marriage Encounter is to proclaim the value of the sacraments of Marriage and Holy Orders in the Church and in the world.

"Then repay to Caesar what belongs to Caesar and to God what belongs to God." Your marriage belongs to God. Bring God into your marriage on a Virtual Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend on: November 6-8. For questions, or to find out more about a Virtual Encounter Weekend, feel free to contact: Brenda & Gary Granger: 303.604.6202. Space is limited, so reserve your weekend early. For more information about World Wide Marriage Encounter, please visit www.wwme.org. Follow us on Instagram! @wwmeColorado