



Chapel of the Holy Cross
Original Minturn Church

ST. PATRICK'S CATHOLIC PARISH

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PARISH MISSION STATEMENT

God's work calls us to be a sacramental people of faith, worship and service. Our hope is in Jesus Christ who sends us forth to build a community of love, peace, justice and forgiveness.

ST. PATRICK'S CHURCH

476 Pine Street
Minturn, Colorado



Mass Times

Sunday
8:00 am
9:30 am

OUR LADY OF MT. CARMEL CHAPEL

363 Pine Street
Red Cliff, Colorado



Mass Times

11:30 am
Second Sunday of the Month

VAIL INTERFAITH CHAPEL

19 Vail Road
Vail, Colorado



Mass Times

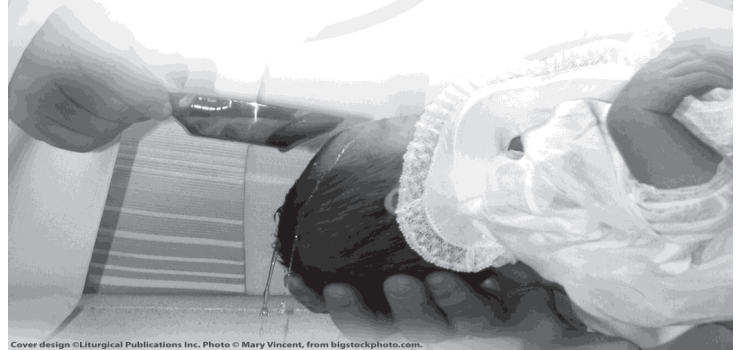
Weekdays : 8:00 am
Saturday: 5:30 pm
Sunday: 4:00 pm
Adoration: 8:30-9:00 am
1st Friday of the month

JANUARY 10, 2010

*When the kindness and generous LOVE
of God our savior appeared,
not because of any righteous DEEDS
we had done
but because of his MERCY,
He SAVED us through the bath of rebirth
and RENEWAL by the Holy Spirit.*

TITUS 3:4-5

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RECONCILIATION

Is available 15 minutes before each weekend Mass.

Pastoral Staff

Fr. Hugh Guentner, O. S. M.
Deacon Michael Gallagher
Sr. Gretchen Krueger O.P.

Fr. Hugh normally can be reached at the Vail office Monday-Friday in the mornings Afternoons, you can reach him at the church office in Minturn. Call 970-477-0378 x11.

Ministry & Office Staff

Business Manager: Irene Meador 477-0378 x10
Baptisms, Sacramental Records: Kathy Fagan 477-0378 x12
Support Staff: Jim Janske
Liturgy and Music Ministry: Kathy Morse

Office of Faith Formation

Sr. Gretchen Krueger O.P. Director 970-827-5784 x10

INFORMATION FOR JOINING ST. PATRICK'S PARISH FAMILY AND PARISH UPDATES

FULL NAME _____
ADDRESS: _____
CITY: _____ STATE _____ ZIP _____
PHONE # _____

New Registration Change of Address
 Want Envelopes Moving out of Parish

Please cut and drop in the collection or mail to parish office.



FOR OUR FAMILY & FRIENDS

Steve Pena, Thomas Walsh
 Janet Fox, Rosalie Trujillo, Ruth Maroney
 Delores Gonzales, Mother of Marita Clifford
 Eleanor Valdez, Dennis Lopez, Lisa Barbour
 Valerie Lopez, Rennon, Issac & Frances Renner
 Andrew Claymon, Shipley Harper, Javie Trantow
 Ann Reilly Bishop, Donna Ribauda, Josephine Ciampa

✦ FOR OUR BELOVED DECEASED

Lionell Martinez, Marion Judge
 To add a name to the prayer request or submit a
 Prayer Intention contact Irene at the parish office.



The Baptism of the Lord

Sunday: Is 42:1-4, 6-7 or 40:1-5
 Monday: 1 Sm 1:1-8/Mk 1:14-20
 Tuesday: 1 Sm 1:9-20/Mk 1:21-28
 Wednesday: 1 Sm 3:1-10, 19-20
 Thursday: 1 Sm 4:1-11/Mk 1:40-45
 Friday: 1 Sm 8:4-7, 10-22a/Mk 2:1-12
 Saturday: 1 Sm 9:1-4, 17-19; 10:1a



Focus: Baptism signals the beginning of our ministry as disciples of Jesus.

Today's celebration of the Baptism of the Lord marks the end of the Christmas season, and also marks the beginning of the public ministry of Jesus. Today we might recall our own Baptism, and reflect on it as the beginning of our lives as disciples of Jesus. Today, let us renew our baptismal commitment to follow Jesus.

MASS SCHEDULE

SATURDAY, JANUARY 9

5:30pm Mass (✦Joe Kuzyk) Vail Chapel

SUNDAY, JANUARY 10

8:00am Mass (Parish Family) Minturn
 After 8am Mass Recitation of the Rosary Minturn
 9:30am Mass (Faithful Deceased) Minturn
 11:30am Mass (✦Sara Velasquez) Red Cliff
 4:00pm Mass (Mother's Living & Deceased) Vail Chapel

MONDAY, JANUARY 11

8:00am Mass (Father's Living & Deceased) Vail Chapel

TUESDAY, JANUARY 12

8:00am Scripture & Communion Service Vail Chapel

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 13

8:00am Scripture & Communion Service Vail Chapel

THURSDAY, JANUARY 14

8:00am Scripture & Communion Service Vail Chapel

FRIDAY, JANUARY 15

8:00am Scripture & Communion Service Vail Chapel

RETIREMENT FUND FOR SENIOR RELIGIOUS

"As expenses continue to increase and economic difficulties tighten our income, we appreciate more and more the help of the Retirement Fund," notes a woman religious. Your tax-deductible donation supports the care of elderly and frail religious and helps to provide such basic necessities as prescription drugs and medical services. Please give generously to next week's second collection for the Retirement Fund for Religious.

RESPECT LIFE MASS

All are invited to join Archbishop Charles Chaput and bishop James Conley to celebrate the annual Respect Life mass, Saturday January 16th at Noon at the Cathedral Basilica of the Immaculate Conception in Denver. Pro-Vitae Awards and the 7th and 8th grade students' Respect Life Essay Contest awards will be presented.

EPIPHANY HOME BLESSING

It is the custom to bless homes on the Feast of the Epiphany. Following is a blessing you might desire to use is: Designate a leader for the following prayer.

"Lord, bless this house and all who inhabit it. May we be blessed with health, goodness of heart, gentleness, and the keeping of your law of love. We give thanks to you, Father, Son and the Holy Spirit, now and forever. **AMEN.**

If holy water is available please bless each room in your home.

PARISH MINISTRY

Faith Formation: Sr. Gretchen Krueger O.P.
Financial Council: Chair: Kay Casperson
Parish Council Chair: Carl Lindbloom
Parish Community Life: Worship ministries, Social concerns, Parish Socials.
Music Ministry: 970-393-2146
 Please call if you are interested in helping at 477-0378.

CATHOLIC CHARITIES



The Avon office for Catholic Charities has reopened.
 For more information contact at 970-949-0405

RAFFLE

St. Clare of Assisi Catholic School Students/Parents

will be selling Raffle tickets after weekly Masses at St. Patrick's in January. This raffle is a fundraiser to help support St. Clare of Assisi School and Vail Christian High School.

YOUNG LIFE

the High School ministry for the Valley, meets Monday nights from 7:32-8:32 at the Miller Ranch Community Center (above the day care center).

To see pictures (and maybe some video) go to www.vailvalleyyounglife.org or contact Scott Leonard at 376-7971.



NATIONWIDE MASS TIMES

Traveling Catholics can get information for Mass times and locations by going to www.masstimes.org or contacting (410) 676-6000.

REMINDER

If you have a concern about the welfare of a friend or neighbor; know someone who may need to receive personal or sacramental care or that someone would benefit by a pastoral visit, please call Fr. Hugh at the parish office at 827-9559.

RELIGIOUS FORMATION

CONFIRMATION CLASSES for both the first and second year candidates will meet Wednesday, January 13th, 6:30 pm in the Spirit Center.

WOMEN'S GROUP will meet Thursday, January 14th 6:00pm in the home of Pat Bain. For more information please call Sr. Gretchen at 827-5784.

FAMILY PROGRAM takes place on Wednesday, January 20th at 6:00pm in the Spirit Center.

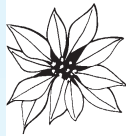


FIRST RECONCILIATION AND FIRST COMMUNION

Let us remember these candidates in our prayers as they prepare to receive their **First Reconciliation on Thursday, January 21st.**

Jose Ascension, Mateo Baca, Casey Cope, Crystal Dias, Lexus Dias, Liam Dvoranchik, Adan Gutierrez, Jimmy Hancock, Kate Kirwood, Jordan Layba, Gus LaBlanc, Ashley Mendoza, Alfredo Morales, Maria Morales, Parker Nash, Paddy Shea Nary, Araya Renner, Adrian Robledo, Alexis Sandoval, Alex Sturde, and Jake Sturde.

Over the next few months they will continue to study and prepare to receive their First Communion on Sunday, May 2nd.



We are grateful to those who gave for our Christmas Poinsettias, Wreaths & Trees in the church in Minturn. The following are names of **MEMORY** that we hold in our hearts during this Christmas Season.

Mary Lou Yeagley
Frank Dalessio
Mr & Mrs Franklin Bergstrom
Robert & Helen Finlay
Esther & Herman Weys
Ray & Mae Foster & Scott
Dr. Richard Buechel

John & Anna Guentner (parents of Fr. Hugh)
Juska, Krueger, Judge Families

William McGuire
John Meador
Joseph Rivard
Ann Overcash
Mrs. A Firtzsimmmons
Marcelino Rios, Sr.
Marcelino Rios, Jr.
Edward & Eloisa Trujillo

Gwendolyn C & Frank R Wolf
Joan Kershaw
Eliseo & Mary Lovato
William Burnett
Clara & Edward Doepker
Paul Reisinger
Jack Schwinn

We apologize if we misread or misspelled any of the above names.

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Prayer for the New Year

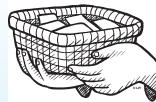
At the beginning of this New Year, I remember that you are a God of beginnings and endings.

You created the world, with all its eternal patterns.
Winter begins in frost, and ends in Spring's thaw.
Spring begins in new, green life, ending in Summer's heat.
Summer begins in sunshine, and ends in Autumn's breezes.
And Autumn's color leads to the white of Winter again.
As another year ends and begins in our lives, help us to remember that you have made a world of cycles.
When fortune turns to trials, or hardship turns to joy, help me take delight in the life I've received from you.
Remind me that I will one day pass from this world and enter a new life like those who've gone before me. **AMEN**

WORSHIP MINISTRIES WEEKEND OF JAN. 16 & 17

Vail	Sat. 5:30pm	Joan Norris L/EM, Judy Edeen EM Erik Edeen EM/ U-G
Minturn	Sun. 8:00am	Elena Tafoya L/EM, Pat Nolan EM, A & E Martinez EM/U-G
Minturn	Sun. 9:30am	Nancy Lindbloom L/EM, Judy Sibley EM Sr. Gretchen EM, C & C Lindbloom G-U
Vail	Sun. 4:00pm	Tony King L/EM, Magda King EM John Sheehan UG/EM

WEEKLY PARISH OFFERTORY



Thank you for your generous financial donations throughout the year. Your kindness to our parish helps to fund many costs affiliated with staff payroll and upkeep to our multiple locations.

Minturn- St. Patrick's Church, Chapel of the Holy Cross, Spirit Center and parish house
Red Cliff- Our Lady of Mt. Carmel Chapel
Vail- The Vail Interfaith Chapel

New Year's Masses

Vail	\$1,688
Minturn	\$ 460
Red Cliff	\$
Total	\$ 2,148

1/03/10

Vail	\$4137
Minturn	\$2055
Red Cliff	\$
Total	\$6192

1/04/09

Vail	\$6388
Minturn	\$2242
Red Cliff	\$
Total	\$8630