



June 19th – June 26th
(*Living +Deceased)

Saturday 19th, 4:00pm

**Fr. Stephen Ordination Anniversary
(6 years)** by the Parish Staff

Sunday 20th, 8:00am

Cyndi Angel +

by Mom & Dad

Tuesday 22nd, 5:30pm

John Andreano +

by Anne

Thursday 24th, 5:30pm

John & Antoinette Andreano +

by Anne

Friday 25th, 8:00am

Manuel Gallegos +

by L. P. Canchola

Saturday 26th, 8:00am

Souls in Purgatory +

Saturday 26th, 4:00pm

Evie DeSalvo

by Phil & Donna Cristelli



*Melanie Miller *Chuck Causey *Rex Donahue *Sean & Natalie Miller *Joe *Jeanne Clark *Nina Maurello & family *Lobo & Sheryl Loggins *John Thielke *Liz Wajack *Elizabeth Reitmann * The Massengale Family *Samantha Stevens *Greg Vanderberg *The Ron Walker Family *Carol *Joseph & Juliet *Judy Lee *Jim, Rhonda & Family *Mickey Kohler *Frank *Dan, Adiza & Family *Kienholz Family *Fr Kevin Novack *Emily Becerra *Heather & Family *Jeff Adamson *Trisha *Olivia Hill *Sharon White *Lobo & Sheryl Loggins *Lori Garcia *Austin Toler *Barbara Barbee *Devin Everhart *Michael Montoya *Beatriz Martinez *Joe & Mary Baca *Amanda Palmer Lacey *Marge Herrera *Cotty Sanborn *Terri B *Nancy Huber *Becky G

Bulletin Prayer List Contact:

Joan DeSalvo (719) 371-8883 (call or text)



Parish Registration

St Benedict Parish extends a warm welcome to all who are joining us for prayer, worship or instruction. If you are new to the area or returning home to the Church, we invite you to become a member of our parish by registering with our Parish Office.



Sacraments

Anointing of the Sick: Contact the Parish Office.

Baptism: Baptismal preparation classes are required for all parents and godparents. Please contact Joyce Archuletta for further information and requirements.

Marriage: Pre-marriage appointments are required of the engaged couple. Please contact Joyce Archuletta to schedule your first appointment 6 months prior to the wedding date.

Reconciliation:

Saturday 2:30-3:30pm in the church or by appointment.



June: Giving Goal: \$11,226



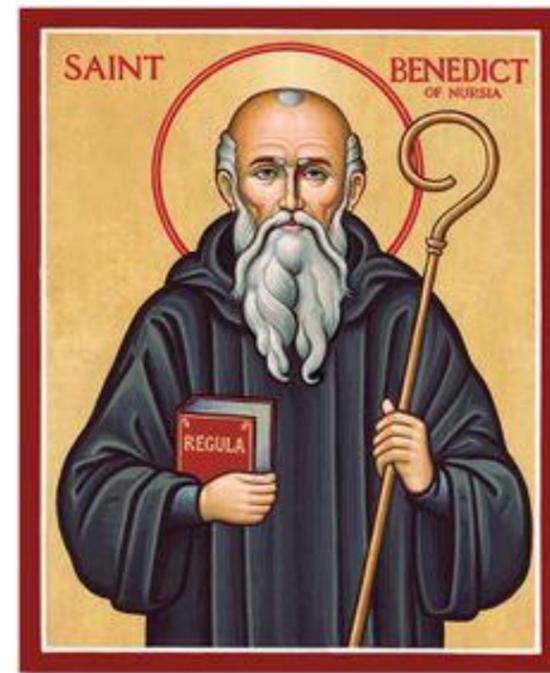
Council #1225



July Events:

- 6th Regular meeting; Rosary at 6:30pm, Meeting at 7:00pm
- 20th Council Officers Meeting (all are welcome to attend); Rosary at 6:30pm, Meeting at 7:00pm

SAINT BENEDICT CATHOLIC PARISH



MASS SCHEDULE

Tuesday: 5:30pm

Thursday: 5:30pm

Friday: 8:00am

Saturday: 8:00am

Saturday: 4:00pm

Sunday: 8:00am

Eucharistic Adoration

Friday: 7:00am Saturday: 7:00am

2nd Friday of each month - 24 hour

Pastor: Fr. Stephen Injoalu

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Deacon: Richard Madison

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June 20th, 2021

12th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Weekly Readings: June 20th – June 27th

- Sunday: Job 38:1-11~ Psalm 107:23-31~ 2 Corinthians 5:14-17~ Mark 4:35-41
- Monday: Genesis 12:1-9~ Psalm 33:12-22~ Matthew 7:1-5
- Tuesday: Genesis 13:2-28~ Psalm 15:2-5~ Matthew 7:6-14
- Wednesday: Genesis 15:1-18~ Psalm 105:1-9~ Matthew 7:15-20
- Thursday: Isaiah 49:1-6~ Psalm 139:1-15~ Acts 13:22-26~ Luke 1:57-80
- Friday: Genesis 17:1-22~ Psalm 128:1-5~ Matthew 8:1-4
- Saturday: Genesis 18:1-15~ Luke 1:46-55~ Matthew 8:5-17
- Sunday: Wisdom 1:13-24~ Psalm 30:2-13~ 2 Corinthians 8:7-15~ Mark 5:21-43

Parish Information

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Office Hours:

Monday – Tuesday - Thursday – Friday
9:00am - 2:00pm

Closed: Wednesday

Website: www.stbenedictco.org

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facebook.com/groups/saintbenedictcommunityco

Parish Staff

Pastoral Associate & Discipleship

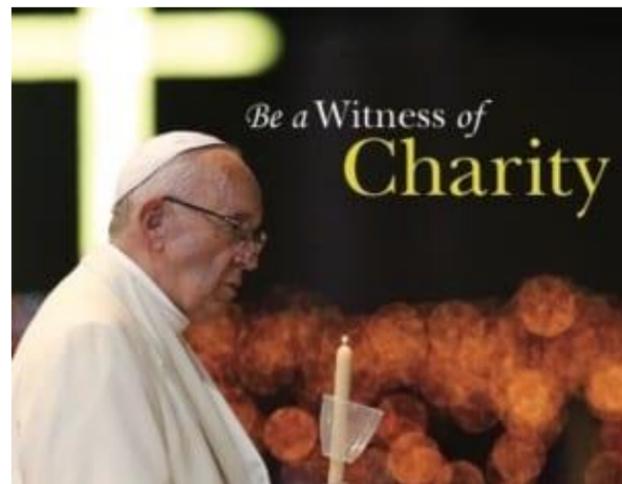
Formation Coordinator: Joyce Archuletta
(719) 250-2816 joyce_stb@yahoo.com

Office Manager: Anne Sterling

Building/Grounds: Maria Torres

What's Happening

Peter's Pence Collection - June 27th



The Peter's Pence Collection has ancient roots that reach all the way back to New Testament times. The early Christians provided material support that the disciples – those preaching the Gospel – could distribute to those in need (see Acts 4:34-29). Today, the Peter's Pence Collection is the way we, as members of the Catholic Church, unite ourselves to the concerns of the Holy Father. Donations to this collection support the charitable works of Pope Francis for the relief of those most in need.

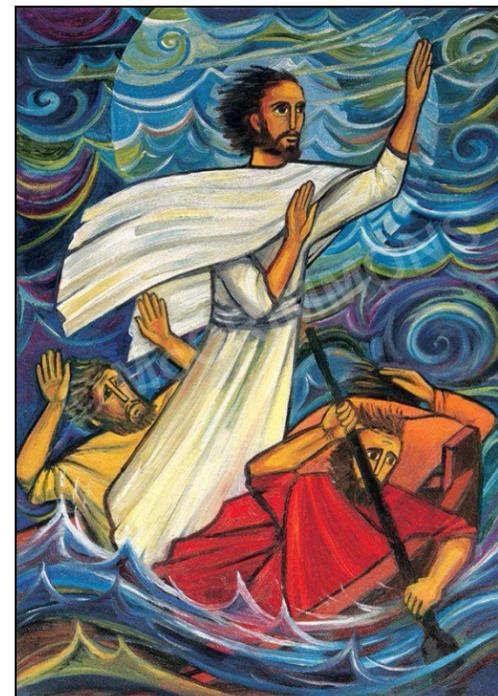
Pope Francis encourages us not to “fall into indifference,” but rather to “become instruments of God’s mercy”. Each of us is called to be an instrument of God’s mercy and to be a witness of charity. For “it is precisely in the measure to which we open ourselves to others that life becomes fruitful, society regains peace and people recover their full dignity”.

By supporting the Peter's Pence Collection, you assist the charitable works of Pope Francis. Your generosity witnesses to charity and helps the Holy See reach out compassionately to those who are marginalized.

How You Can Help

PRAY – Pray for the Holy Father as he reaches out compassionately to make the world less cold and more just and pray for those suffering around the world who will benefit from this collection.

GIVE – Please give generously to the collection to be a witness of charity and offer hope to those who suffer around the globe.



“Who shut within doors the sea . . .and said: Thus far shall you come but no farther!” (Job 38:1-11)

If you've ever been to a beach, you've probably seen children trying to build sandcastles near the shoreline. They work hard piling up buckets of sand, sometimes making quite an impressive structure. But no matter what they do, the tide still comes in and their sandy structure is washed away.

That might be how the disciples felt as they tried to ride out the storm in today's Gospel. Seasoned fishermen, they tried to adapt to the strong winds and high seas. But no matter what they did, they couldn't make the storm go away. Then something drastically changed their situation: the One who “shut within doors the sea” --Jesus--rebuked the wind and calmed the storm. (Job 38:1; Mark 4:39)

The disciples learned a lesson that day similar to the one God taught Job. When we rely only on our own strength or understanding, we human beings can do only so much. But Jesus' power is limitless.

While Jesus does have dominion over all creation, that doesn't have to make us feel unimportant and it doesn't have to make God seem like an indifferent almighty force. Instead, this reality should give us hope. Why? Because in the storms of our lives, when the “seas” seem out of control and our insufficiency is painfully clear, he is in the boat with us! He is not aloof; he cares for each one of us. He is concerned about every one of our circumstances.

Does that mean every storm we face will be calmed? Not necessarily. Sometimes Jesus calms the storms and sometimes he calms us. Either way, we can rely on the fact that this all-powerful God is right there “in the boat” with us. And that can give us peace and help us through the hard times.

“Jesus, I trust that you are with me. May that knowledge give me peace no matter what storms I face.”

(Taken from The Word Among Us/ June 2021)



June 20th

Prayer for Fathers

Father of All;
In your graciousness, you have bestowed upon earthly fathers the joys and the responsibilities of fatherhood. Help those who serve as fathers to do so lovingly, mirroring your divine love. Strengthen them on their faith journey, we pray, so that they may gently guide their children ever closer to you, our heavenly Father. Amen.

Joy of Life Prayer Group:

Meets every Monday at 10:30am in the Villa Maria.
Contact: Joan DeSalvo (719) 372-3261

Spanish Discipleship Ministry: Kerigma

Meets every Monday at 7:00pm in Kevin Hall.
Contact: Maria Torres (719)251-5988

Rosary Ministry:

Meets every 2nd & 4th Tuesdays, 7:00pm in the Villa Maria. Contact: Patsy Causey (719) 251-4501

Ladies of Mary:

Meets the 2nd Thursday, every other month, next meeting **July**, rosary at 10:30am, meeting at 11:00am.
Contact: Gina Wiseman 431-0311

Divine Mercy Chaplet Prayer Group:

Meets every Thursday evening immediately following the 5:30pm Mass for recitation of the Chaplet

Prayer Blankets

that have been blessed, are available in the narthex of the church for anyone needing comfort.

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Go to the parish Website for more information on how to register for this free app.

Parish Potluck

Every 3rd Saturday of the month in the Parish Center after the 4:00pm Mass. Contact: Maria Torres (719) 251-5988. **On Hold**

St. Benedict's Hospitality Ministry of Sunday Coffee & Dessert:

Come and join us each Sunday morning after Mass. If you would like to bring a treat to share, the sign-up sheet is in the Parish Center. **On Hold**