



August 7<sup>th</sup> – August 14<sup>th</sup>  
(\*Living +Deceased)

- Saturday 7<sup>th</sup>, 4:00pm  
**Don & Betty Babion +**  
by Phil & Donna Cristelli
- Sunday 8<sup>th</sup>, 8:00am  
**Ralph Carestia +**  
by Darleen Carestia
- Tuesday 10<sup>th</sup>, 5:30pm  
**Lawrence Cristelli +**  
by Phil & Donna Cristelli
- Thursday 12<sup>th</sup>, 5:30pm  
**Ralph Carestia +**  
by Darleen Carestia
- Friday 13<sup>th</sup>, 8:00am  
**Felix Garcia +**  
by Phil & Donna Cristelli
- Saturday 14<sup>th</sup>, 8:00am  
**All Souls in Purgatory +**  
by Phil & Donna Cristelli
- Saturday 14<sup>th</sup>, 4:00pm  
**The Duvick Family \***

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\*Marge Herrera \*Cotty Sanborn \*Terri B \*Nancy Huber  
 \*Becky G \*Palmer Lacey \*Ray Mathewson \*Robert \*Judy  
 \*Daniel Livingston \*Greyson \*Joe Tamburello \*Oliver  
 \*Brandee Bryant \*Lorraine Guerra \*Josh & Marisol Boden  
 \*Scott Gorman \*Mary Paolino \*John Thielke \* The  
 Massengale Family \*Elizabeth Reitmann \*Sarah Lacey  
 \*Mallory \*Albert \*David & Esther Garcia \*Gina Marino  
 \*Ronald \*Joe \*Joyce Werthman \*Chuck Causey \*Bridget  
 Bacon \*Zoe Etzel \*Jan Tardiff \*Darlene Henderson \*Kelly  
 Collins \*Joanne & Joe Zinn \*Cathy \*Sharon White \*John  
 Ary \*Bob Groves \*Kienholz Family \*Fr Kevin Novack  
 \*Olivia Hill \*Joseph \*Juliet \*Riley \*Amanda \*Ricky Argo  
 \*Fr. Nicodemus Urasas \*Michael Montoya \*Joe & Cindy  
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**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**

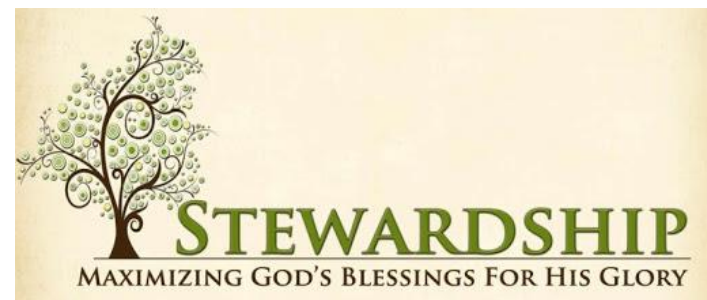
**Anointing of the Sick:** Contact the Parish Office.

**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.

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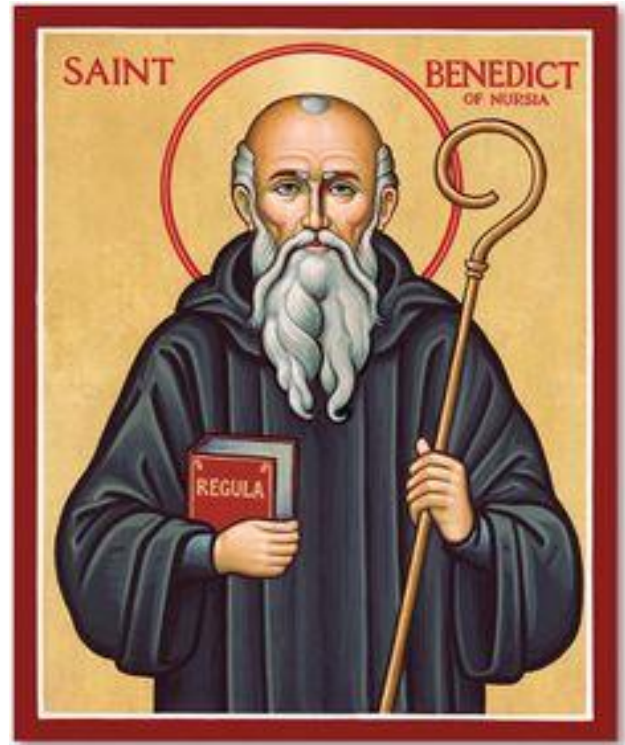


**August**  
Giving Goal: **\$16,323**

**Special Collection: August 7<sup>th</sup> - 8<sup>th</sup>**  
**Catholic Foundation**  
(checks can be made out directly to Catholic Foundation, envelopes found in the pews).

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**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: 8:00am to Saturday: 8:00am**  
**2<sup>nd</sup> Friday of each month - 24 hour**

**Pastor:** Fr. Stephen Injoalu  
[padreofgod@gmail.com](mailto:padreofgod@gmail.com)  
(719) 784-4879  
After hours or emergency (719) 784-7192

**August 8<sup>th</sup>, 2021**

**19<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time**

**Weekly Readings: August 8<sup>th</sup> – August 15<sup>th</sup>**

- Sunday:** 1 Kings 19:4-8~ Psalm 34:2-9~  
Ephesians 4:30-5:2~ John 6:41-51
- Monday:** Deuteronomy 10:12-22~  
Psalm 147:12-20-17~ Matthew 17:22-27
- Tuesday:** 2 Corinthians 9:6-10~ Psalm 112:1-9~  
John 12:24-26
- Wednesday:** Deuteronomy 34:1-12~  
Psalm 66:1-3~ Matthew 18:15-20
- Thursday:** Joshua 3:7-17~ Psalm 114:1-6~  
Matthew 18:21-19:1
- Friday:** Joshua 24:1-13~ Psalm 136:1-24~  
Matthew 19:3-12
- Saturday:** Joshua 24:14-29~ Psalm 16:1-11~  
Matthew 19:13-15
- Sunday:** Revelation 11:19; 12:1-10~  
Psalm 45:10-16~  
1 Corinthians 15:20-27~ Luke 1:39-56

**Parish Information**

622 W. 2<sup>nd</sup> Street  
Florence, CO 81226-1015  
(719)784-4879 FAX: (719)784-2070

**Office Hours:**  
Monday – Tuesday - Thursday – Friday  
9:00am - 2:00pm  
Closed: Wednesday

**Website:** [www.stbenedictco.org](http://www.stbenedictco.org)  
**E-mail:** [stbenedicts\\_81226@yahoo.com](mailto:stbenedicts_81226@yahoo.com)  
**Facebook:**  
[facebook.com/groups/saintbenedictcommunityco](https://facebook.com/groups/saintbenedictcommunityco)

**Parish Staff**

**Pastoral Associate & Discipleship**  
**Formation Coordinator:** Joyce Archuletta  
(719) 250-2816 [joyce\\_stb@yahoo.com](mailto:joyce_stb@yahoo.com)

**Office Manager:** Anne Sterling

**Building/Grounds:** Maria Torres



# What's Happening

## 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 2<sup>nd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> Tuesdays, 7:00pm in the Villa Maria. Contact: Patsy Causey (719) 251-4501

## Ladies of Mary:

Meets the 2<sup>nd</sup> Thursday, every other month, next meeting **September**, 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.

## FORMED

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

## Parish Potluck

Every 3<sup>rd</sup> 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**

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**Grieving with Great Hope** is a five-week grief support workshop. It offers a prayerful, practical and personal approach for anyone who is mourning the loss of a loved one.

Resources being used are from the Good Mourning Ministry, a Catholic bereavement organization.

Registration forms are available in the narthex. The \$20 per person fee will cover all supplies needed for the workshop.

**September** 12; 19; 26, **October** 3; 10.  
11:00am-1:00pm (except Oct. 10<sup>th</sup>; 1:00-3:00), meeting in the Parish Hall.

For more information about registration and the program contact Barb Lamoreux 429-3739.

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## 24 hour Eucharistic Adoration

Take time to be with the Lord. Friday, **August 13<sup>th</sup>** beginning with **8:00am Mass, Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament at 8:30am, concluding on August 14<sup>th</sup> at 7:30am, followed by 8:00am Mass.** A sign-up sheet is in the narthex and each hour must be filled.

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## The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary



***"From this day all generations will call me blessed"***  
(*Luke 1:48*)

## Mary's Motherly Face

Sometimes when we look to heaven in the midst of our pain, it feels like no one is listening. Some find it hard to relate to a God whom Jesus told us to call "Father," especially if their relationship with their own father wasn't good.

Today, God has given us another avenue of hope. We are given a Mother. Mary is assumed into heaven. For all of us who feel an immediate connection with the warmth and compassion of a mother, we look to our heavenly mother and know in our hearts that she is listening.

What mother stops listening to her children when they are in pain? She flies to their aid. So, too, it is with our God. Mary's motherly face tells us something important about who God is. She helps us look to the heavens with confidence. Mary helps to show us the face of God our father.

(Taken from Living Faith/August 2021/ Msgr. Stephen J. Rossetti)



It's getting closer!! Mark your calendars to attend this Parish event!! An adult evening of fellowship, food & fun!! **Saturday, October 23<sup>rd</sup>**

We will begin accepting donations of auction items at the end of August, so it's time to clean out your closets for those hidden treasures to be donated! Ideas for auction items are crafted items, good condition household items, spirits, canned goods, gift certificates, Christmas items, jewelry, sports equipment, bicycles. Just about anything in good condition could be a real find for the right person!

There will be a volunteer meeting on Wednesday, August 18<sup>th</sup> at 7:00pm in the Parish Center. Please bring your ideas and a friend, as we need all the help we can get.

Please contact Shanda Telck 719-429-4567 if you would like to help or have any questions.

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Dear Friends,

Thank You! Thank you for the love and support you have shown my family and me these many years. Your love and support have been a blessing that has assisted me in many ways and helped shape me into the deacon, man, father, and husband I am today. Thank you for your cards, gifts, and the wonderful evening of fellowship shown to Mary-Jo and I last Saturday. The parish community of Saint Benedict will always have a special place in my heart – the love and support you have given to my family and me will never be forgotten. Each of you remain in my daily prayers and I ask that you pray for Mary-Jo and me. May all your days be filled with peace, joy, and happiness.

Jesus, I trust in you.

*Deacon Richard*