KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS®

The K of C's will meet the 3rd Thursday of the month at 6:00 p.m. in the Parish Hall All Knights, past Knights or men interested in becoming a Knight are encouraged to attend.

Next Knight's meeting will be Thursday, Dec 18, 2025

December 4—Mike Rouse

Happy birthday to these Knights born in November! Tim Delsman, Leo Holthouse, Ned Ratterman, David Sherman, Charlie Vaughan, JR Vela, Mike Voboril, Bert White!

Breakfast December 14

In the spirit of our Lady of Guadelupe, please join for a wonderful Breakfast Burrito plate with fruit and juice on December 14, 2025 following Mass. All proceeds will be dedicated to the Knights fund of helping parishioners who need help this winter!

DAUGHTERS OF ST. FRANCIS DE SALES

The next meeting will be on Wednesday, December 10, 2025 - 6:00 PM in the Parish Hall.

The Daughters of St. Francis thank all the parishioners regarding your amazing response to the gift tree requesting support for the "Festival of Trees" project that we have taken on.

This year the Christmas tree being entered has been titled as "STAR OF WONDER". It is being decorated so it may remind all that Christmas is celebrated because it is the birthday of our Lord, Jesus Christ.

This is our 2nd year participating and we are once again anxious to share our faith for this holy holiday!

The 3 day event is from dec. 4-6 at the Baker Heritage Museum beginning with Preview Night on Thursday, Dec 4, followed by the Gala & Live Auction on Friday, Dec 5, and concludes with Family Day on Saturday, Dec 6.

We encourage all of you to come by to see and enjoy this special tree and the message it sends throughout the entire community!

Advent Wreaths and Candles are available at the Office.

Religious Education

Thanksgiving: A Blessed Time of Year

There is no RE today (Nov. 30th), see you next week!

Thanksgiving: A Blessed Time of Year: Our Youth Group class had a wonderful time preparing and delivering Thanksgiving baskets filled with snacks and homemade treats to two of our local Assisted Living homes on November 23rd. This project had been in the works for several weeks and joyfully came together this past weekend.

Nearly all of the class—and a few parents—came together on Saturday to bake, bring goodies, and support this heartfelt outreach. Youth Group leaders Jeremy Aujero and John Papenfuss organized the event and, with the help of Brenda Orszulak, transformed the Rectory kitchen and dining room into a full-fledged bakery for the day.

A big **THANK-YOU** to the Aujero, Orszulak, Cunningham, Kennedy, Myatt, Norton, and Papenfuss families for their time, generosity, and enthusiasm in making this such a blessed event. We are also grateful to these dedicated young people for their time, effort, and joyful service. Your commitment to caring for others is an inspiration to our parish.

If you have ideas for how we can continue serving our community or would like to contribute to future Youth Group efforts, please contact Monique Papenfuss at the parish office.

Our Lady of Guadalupe Feast Day Celebration

5:00 AM—Mañanitas
8:00 AM—Daily Mass
6:00 PM—Our Lady's Mas, Potluck Dinner Following

The Knights of Columbus have a COATS FOR KIDS PROGRAM and our local Council is participating. We have been working with our local schools to support their childrens needs. This year we are expanding that to include our parishioners in Baker City, North Powder and Halfway. The coats range from 2T through 14/16. If you have a need or want more information regarding this program, please contact Paul or Patsy Hoelscher @ 541-523-2773.

Coffee Hour Schedule

Nov 23—Benefit Breakfast for Rolando & Katie
Nov 30—Ryan & Emoke Marvin
Dec 7—Julie Thorstad & Sarah Kennedy

Church Greeters Schedule

Nov 23—The Bates Family
Nov 30—Ben & Cynthia Norton Family
Dec 7—Joe & June Hayes

***If you would like to help with social hour, please contact the office. Thank you!*