

St. Mary's Bulletin

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Baptisms:

On Sunday, or by appointment.
 (Parental sessions required)

Marriages:

Six month couple preparation period required.

Confessions:

Saturdays
 4:00 - 5:00 p.m.
 Or by appointment

Mother of Perpetual Help Devotions:

Will be said before Mass on Tuesdays.

ROSARY

Sat. at 5:00 p.m.
 Sun. at 10:00 a.m.
 Hi-line Retirement Center Wed. 7 p.m.

April

Anyone interested in using the Church Basement contact Loy at the Parish Office - 1435.

* If you have information for the **April 10th Bulletin** it needs to be in by **10:00 a.m., Wed. April 6th.**



St. Mary's - Malta - Saturday Evening Mass at 5:30 p.m.

Sunday Mass at 10:30 a.m.

Sacred Heart - Dodson - Sunday Mass at 8:30 a.m.

St. Francis - Saco - Sunday Mass at 12:15 p.m.

St. John's - Whitewater

Mass Schedule

Mon. April 4 - 8:30 a.m. Mass
Tues., April 5 - 8:30 a.m. Mass
Wed., April 6 - 8:30 a.m. Mass
Thurs., April 7 - 10:00 a.m. Mass at Hi-Line Retirement
Fri., April 8 - 8:30 a.m. Mass

Mass Intentions

Malta: April 5 - For Peace
Malta: April 6 - For Military
Malta: April 7 - For Vocations
Malta: April 8 - For Poor Souls
Malta: April 9 - For the people in Japan
Dodson: April 10 - For All Our Parishioners
Malta: April 10 - For All Our Parishioners

Stations of the Cross are held every Friday evening after the Fish Fry.

Did you know? Our Christian values are promoted through the joint efforts of the Bishop of Great Falls-Billings and the Bishop of Helena through the voice and ministry of Montana Catholic Conference and Catholic Social Services of Montana. These two all-important organizations are funded by your Care & Share contributions, which ensure that our Catholic values are promoted in the public arena.



We are in very much need of donations for the "bucket prizes" for the Spring Fling. I'm sorry my last notice was misleading. You can donate an item of **any value** as long as it is new! We can always group things together to make the prize worth the required \$10.00 limit. Please put your donations in the large gray tote located in the back of the church **OR** you may contact Julie Howell, Sue Kron, Rosie Bednarczyk, or Jo Hasler with questions or to have your items picked up.
 Thank you!

Last Weeks Collections: Malta: \$2,143.00; Dodson: \$338.00; Saco: \$26.00; Whitewater: \$0.00

MALTA NEEDED WEEKLY: \$2,798.82

Dodson Needed Weekly: \$385.00

CARE & SHARE ASSESSMENT FOR 2010

MALTA: \$21,394.19; DODSON: \$3,486.18

SACO: \$1,122.45 COLLECTED: MALTA: \$9,008.00;

DODSON: \$3,486.18; SACO: \$900.00; WW-\$300.00



St. Mary's Ministers

Saturday, April 9th, 5:30 p.m. Mass

Lectors: Willie Doll & Dianne Salsbery

Servers: Riley Abrahamson & Grant O'Brien

Hospitality: Linda & Bruce Hould

Music: Adult Choir

Eucharistic: Vicki Eggebrecht & Lorna Schumacher

Gift Bearers: The Dan O'Brien Family

Sacristan: Mae Magaya

Sunday, April 10th, 10:30 a.m. Mass

Lectors: Ed & Brett Amestoy

Servers: Callan Mears & Devyn Salsbery

Hospitality: Kelly & Colleen Murray, Jack Stenswick

Music: Kari Hould

Eucharistic: Mary & Jim Brady, Jerry Depute

Gift Bearers: The Ed Amestoy Family

Sacristan: Lois Goodheart

DODSON - Sacred Heart

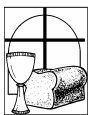
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Lector: Bonnie **Ministers:** Myrna & Wink

Gift Bearers: Alice Phillips

Ministers: Please come early to serve as greeters!

Church Cleaning for April: Terri Cole



Lenten Services will be held at 6:00 p.m., on Monday evenings.

There will be soup and bread served on April 11th & 18th.

Everyone is welcome!



There will be a Bake Sale on April 17th, Palm Sunday, right after Mass.

Malta Penance Service
Wednesday, April 13th, 2011
7:00 PM

Announcements



Class Schedule

Preschool - 5th Grade at 3:30 to 4:30
Preschool-5: 4:30 - 5:00 Choir
6th - High School at 7:00 - 8:00 p.m.



Please keep in your prayers:

The Family of Bill Pray, Journey Wienke, Cheryl Lankford, Heidi Attau, April & Nick, Fr. Bob, Jeanie Engebretson, Barb Cowan, Rose Pewitt, Foley Elizabeth & Allen, Anita Anderson, Byron Ereaux, Dawn Jones, Kier Samuelson & Family, Jen Huber, McLain Thornquist, Francis Graff, Gloria Coombs, Cathy Arend, Larry Holmes, Bonnie Maxi Price, Sherry Rickel, Sally Skinner Farmer, Alice Solberg, All of Our Military, especially those from our local area, & the Poor Souls.

Anyone who needs to have prayers said for someone can call: Allie Ereaux at 654-1012; Jean Niebur at 654-2822; or Doris Nicholson at 654-2692.

Lenten Regulations: Fasting & Abstinence for all Catholics on **Ash Wed. and Good Friday**. All Catholics are bound by law to abstain on **ALL Fridays** of Lent whose completed 14 years of age. Catholics are obliged to fast, (one full meal and two lighter meals with no snacks between) from 18 years of age to their 60th year.

Jesus heals the man born blind in today's gospel and the man comes to see the world in a completely new way. After many trials and tribulations, he sees Jesus and the world around him in a new light, proclaiming his faith in Jesus and worshiping him. May our eyes be opened to our own faith this Lenten season, may our hearts be transformed, and may we express our gratitude for the gifts we are given through our generosity in our own Care and Share gift.



Knights of Columbus



Fish Fry:
 April 8th & 15th

Rally for Life: May 2nd, 2011
State Convention: May 5-8,
 Miles City

The Knights of Columbus will not be offering a scholarship this year.



Palm Sunday

(Confessions will be at 2:00 PM this Sat. only)

Saturday: 4:00 PM Saco

5:30 PM Malta

Sunday: 8:30 AM Dodson

10:30 AM Malta

12:30 PM Whitewater

Easter Schedule

Holy Thursday: 7:00 PM Mass

Good Friday 12:00 noon Mass

Easter Vigil: 7:00 PM Mass

Easter Sunday:

Dodson - 8:00 AM Mass

Malta - 10:30 AM Mass

Saco - 12:15 PM Mass

The SEARCH is coming!!!!

We are planning a summer SEARCH this year. The dates, **June 3-4-5** are the dates we have chosen. Hopefully, this will help so students don't have to give up and activity weekend that they have already committed to or been honored with. Many college students have said this will work better for them to work it. (The gas savings alone is a good thing) Having a set date as the first weekend after Memorial Day every year may prove to be helpful too. Everyone can put it in their plans for their summer activities. Any questions, input, volunteering.....just call us. With enthusiasm, we are praying for a great response. God Bless, Dianne Salsbery, 654-1443



St. Mary's Parish's **Confirmation** will be Saturday, **April 9th** at the 5:30 PM Mass with Bishop Warfel Celebrating.

The Great Falls-Billings Diocesan Council of Catholic Women are offering a \$300 Scholarship to a High School Catholic young lady, 2011 graduate, and to a non-traditional catholic woman student within the Diocese who is currently enrolled in a college, university or vocational school. Applications are available through your local parish office. You may also contact your Council of Catholic Women President for further details. Deadline to apply is May 15th, 2011. DCCW Scholarship Chairperson is Wilma Mavencamp, Box 445, Malta, MT 59538. (654-1346)



Spring Fling, Saturday, April 16 Marion Hills Golf Course

TIN CUP (NOTE-new location!)

No host social 6:30 - 7:00 PM

Dinner 7:00 PM

Ticket price per person

\$10.00 in advance

or \$15.00 at the door

Contact Joyce Wright, Cathy Salsbery or Colleen Murray for tickets

Evening includes:

Dinner, games, prizes, auction and raffle

Sponsored by: St Mary's Parish - Malta

Everyone Welcome!

(sorry, we are not offering childcare this year, please make personal arrangements)

Have you lost your tickets ????????

Please sell and return your tickets for the Spring Fling as soon as possible. Thanks so much!

Prayer for Vocations

Jesus, High Priest and Redeemer Forever, We beg you to call young men and women To your service, as priests and religious.

May they be inspired by the lives to Dedicated priest, brothers and sisters.

Give to parents the grace of generosity

And trust toward you and their child

So that their sons and daughters

May be helped to choose their vocation

In life with wisdom and freedom.



New to the Parish? Please fill out this form and drop it into the collection basket, or bring it to the Church Office during the week. You may also use this to give us a new address or phone number.

Name: _____

Address: _____

Telephone: _____