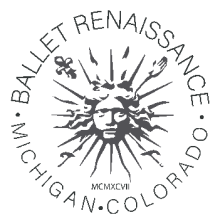





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# Our Lady of the Mountains Catholic Church

**Pastor:** Rev. Fr. Faustinus Anyamele  
**Rev Mr.** Stan Rymes  
**Rev Mr.** George Thierjung

920 Big Thompson Avenue  
Estes Park, CO 80517

**3 March 2019**



**"And He said to all: If any man will come after Me, let Him deny himself, and take up his cross daily, and follow Me." Luke 9:23**

The holy season begins this Wednesday, March 6, 2019.

*Please Remember Our Lady of the Mountains in Your Will*

## INFORMATION

**Office Hours:** Monday through Friday  
9:00 AM to noon and 1:00 PM to 4:00 PM

**Phone:** (970) 586-8111

**Fax:** (970) 586-8112

**Website:** [www.olmestes.org](http://www.olmestes.org)

### Holy Mass Schedule

**Saturday:** All year 4:30 PM  
And 6:15 PM Memorial Day to Labor Day

**Sunday:** 8:00 AM  
10:00 AM  
6:00 PM en español

**Mon—Thur:** 8:30 AM

**Fri:** 8:30 AM Communion Service

### Adoration Schedule

**Adoration:** Wednesday 7:30-8:15 AM  
First Friday 9:00 AM-Noon

### Reconciliation Schedule

**Wed:** 7:45—8:15 AM

**Saturday:** 3:00 PM to 4:15 PM

**Other Sacraments:** *By appointment; please call the Parish Office*

## STRATEGIC PLANNING COMMITTEE

Stan Gengler (Chair), Fran Grooters,  
Scott Dorman, Kent Bosch, Tony Fink,  
Thomas Casey, & Mary Kay Watry

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Camilla Saint, Glen Kreider

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## PARISH GROUPS

**Prayer Chain:** To request prayers for someone  
**contacts:** Jackie Cushing (970) 577-1584  
Diane Caddell (970) 577-9544

### **Adult & Family Fellowship:**

Diana Franklin at [dianacfran@gmail.com](mailto:dianacfran@gmail.com)

### **Wednesday Scripture/Reflection Group**

9:15AM to 10:30AM Deacon George  
[dngthierjung@olmestes.org](mailto:dngthierjung@olmestes.org)

### **Grace & Grub**

5:30 PM –2nd Monday of the Month

## PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK



Patrick Almus,  
Rose Bethal,  
Gretchen Collingwood,  
Isaac Crane,  
Tom & Vickie Danton,  
Mary & Bob Dorris,  
Randy Gillis,  
Sarah Gonterman,  
Joe L'Heureux,  
Jonathan Jansen,  
Julie Kairalla,  
Dan Kirkpatrick,  
Herman Mares,  
Gary Matthews,  
Mark Matthews,  
Kelly McClain,  
Larry McCoy,  
Chris Metzger,  
Colleen Mitchell,  
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Rita Paloheimo,  
Jamie Banker Oberson,  
Andrew Quinn,  
Shirley Reece,  
Yesenia Rojas,  
Jean Serfoss,  
Dorothy Thompson,  
Matt Thompson,  
Phyllis Tomaino,  
Eleanor Vernon,  
Betty Wassmer,  
Anne Wilke,  
Mary Williams

## MASS INTENTIONS

### Mass Intentions

3/2	4:30PM	+Greg Westley
3/3	8:00AM	+Virginia Van Westen
	10:00AM	OLM Parish Family
	6:00PM	Forgotten Souls in Purgatory
3/4	8:30AM	+Linda Hipsher
3/5	8:30AM	Phillip Richard
3/6	8:30 AM	+Bob Winokur
3/7	8:30AM	+Mary Catherine Callowich
3/8	8:30 AM	Communion Service

Please contact the Parish Office with Mass Intentions for your loved ones.

## PASTORAL COUNCIL

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## ALL CONFIRMATION PARENTS

### MANDATORY MEETING

MARCH 6, 2019

6:00 PM YOUTH ROOM

## Stewardship

Weekly Total: \$8,977.81

YTD Fiscal Year:

July 2018 to June 2019: \$237,585.26

Annual Goal: \$416,281.02

All of today's readings remind us that our works reflect what is in our hearts. Do my words and actions reveal a heart that is grateful for — and generous in sharing — the abundance God has poured into my life?



This week a bill that would abolish the death penalty in the state of Colorado will be introduced in the Senate. We believe that all people have a natural right to life, because every human being is made in the image and likeness of God, who alone is Lord of life from its beginning until its end (cf. Genesis 1: 26-28). The state of Colorado has other means available besides the death penalty to exact justice and render a criminal unable to do harm. We need to continue the reform of our criminal justice system, and we need to impose punishment in a way that protects society from violence while avoiding further killing under official guise. Please call or email your State Senator this week and ask them to SUPPORT death penalty repeal in Colorado. For help contacting your Senator visit [archden.org/abolish](http://archden.org/abolish)

## ELECTRONIC GIVING

We would like to remind you that we offer electronic giving as a convenient way to automate your regular offering and provide much-needed donation consistency for our parish.

Please visit [olmestes.org](http://olmestes.org) and click on the **Give Online** tab to set up an automatic recurring donation plan or to make a one-time donation.

Authorization forms and additional information are available in the office reception area. Please feel free to contact our parish

Business Manager, Shawn Swisher with any questions at 970-586-8111 Ext. 2003 or [shawn@olmestes.org](mailto:shawn@olmestes.org).

## Ash Wednesday Schedule

Holy Mass distribution of ashes  
8:30 AM & 5:00 PM

Communion Service with distribution  
of ashes  
12:00 PM NOON



My Dear Brothers and Sisters,

May the peace of Christ continue to reside in each of you and be shared with your family and loved ones.

As we kick off our Capital Campaign for the service of Christ and His Church in reference to the needs of our parish; I would humbly invite each and everyone of you to commit this first to prayer so that the grace of God would be an encouragement and the source that keeps hope alive in us as a parish family. So that we may serve Christ alone.

### **Second Collections:**

As a small family of faith and Church, our parish relies heavily on the benevolence and generosity of our visiting brothers and sister coming from all parts of the world. They have always wanted to be part of every aspect of our parish life. So, the second collections in our weekend Masses will give them opportunity to support this Capital Campaign in service of their adopted parish family, for which we are grateful and privileged. So, we will be having second collections in the duration of this project in all of our weekend Masses starting this weekend to support our Capital Campaign.

I will continue to pray for each of you and your family and please remember me in your prayers.

In Christ,

Rev. Fr. Faustinus Anyamele

Pastor

Catholic Charities – [www.ccdenv.org](http://www.ccdenv.org)  
Marisol Homes and Gabriel House –  
helping pregnant mothers and those single  
mothers and families who are struggling.

Our diocese offers many  
alternatives to abortion.

**Forty Days for Life begins March 6,  
2019.**



[www.40daysforlifecom](http://www.40daysforlifecom)

A prayer vigil outside Boulder's Late term  
abortion clinic starts Ash Wednesday for  
40 days. For more information, see  
Deacon George. We will be going down  
weekly to pray at the clinic after  
communion services on Friday mornings.

**Here I am .... SEND ME!**

**A follow up for the Gospel message to  
be involved and active in our Faith...  
[www.cocatholicconference.org](http://www.cocatholicconference.org) website  
with all things Catholic happening at  
the Colorado Capitol and what we can  
do to help defend our faith and  
freedom of Religion.**

**The website has access to email and  
contact info for all State and Federal  
Representatives.  
Please check it out.**

Prayer in the Square – help by praying  
with Deacon George as the weather turns  
a bit warmer to pray in the Town Square  
a rosary for all the unborn ..... more  
to come on this.

## Lenten Enrichment

Our Lady of the Mountains Church is offering two ways to enrich your  
experience of the Lenten season this year.

The first is a free book called

### **The Little Black Book of Lenten Meditations**

which will be available on Ash Wednesday and throughout Lent.

The other opportunity is a link from Flocknote to a weekly video topic written by Bishop  
Robert Barron through **Word on Fire Engage**. This link will be incorporated into the weekly  
OLM newsletter, so you will not be receiving an extra notice from Flocknote.  
During this free trial to our parish during Lent, you will have access to all of the  
Word on Fire Digital video library.

If you have not signed up for Flocknote, this is a great time to do so.

## RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Tuesday: R.C.I.C. 2nd Year

4:00-5:00 PM

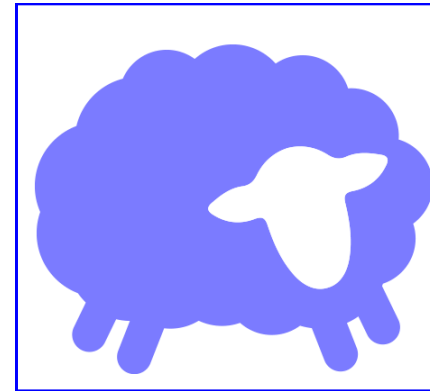
Wednesday: K-5th Grades

4:00-5:00 PM

Wednesday: Middle & High School

6:00-7:30 PM

## FLOCKNOTE



1. Text OLOTM to 84576  
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Or visit [www.olmest.org](http://www.olmest.org) and sign up
2. When you receive the confirmation  
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3. Enter your NAME and EMAIL.
4. Choose the ministries you'd like to hear  
from.

Having trouble? We can help. Call the parish  
office at 970.586.8111.

**Grace and Grub** will be Monday,  
March 11 at 5:30 in the lower church  
gathering center.

We'll be celebrating the Irish in each of us!  
We'll provide the main entree and you bring a  
side to share. Polish up your best Irish brogue  
and if you care to, bring a green dish to share-  
green salad, green jello, green apple pie, etc.

Come to get to know fellow parishioners and  
enjoy an evening of camaraderie and fun. As  
always, all are welcome- please invite your  
friends and neighbors to join us.

Don't forget to wear green!

rsvp [jrjonell@yhoo.com](mailto:jrjonell@yhoo.com) or joanie

@720-350-8080

(come even if you forget to rsvp).

## OUR WEEKEND HOMILIES NOW IN PODCAST ON OUR PARISH WEBSITE.

Dear Brothers and Sisters,  
In response to some of your request of  
making our Sunday homilies available  
for references; we have started posting  
a podcast format of our weekend  
homilies on our parish website.

You will always have the ability to  
make reference to these homilies,  
listen to them again or download them  
to your devices if you wish.  
Please, your constructive feedback on  
how to improve on this new initiative  
is very much welcomed and  
encouraged.