

Giovanni Battista Bianchi (da Cassignola), *Christ Giving the Keys to St Peter*, 1569, marble, Basilica di Sant Agostino, Rome; US PD

"WHATEVER YOU
BIND ON EARTH
SHALL BE BOUND
IN HEAVEN."
MT 16:19



NATIVITY OF OUR LORD | AUGUST 27, 2023
**21ST SUNDAY
IN ORDINARY TIME**
NOOLUS | (303) 469-5171

MASS TIMES

MONDAY-FRIDAY

7:00 am
9:30 am (livestreamed)
School Mass: Wednesday, 8:15 am

SATURDAY

9:30 am (livestreamed)

VIGIL MASS

4:30 pm

SUNDAY

7:30 am
9:30 am (livestreamed)
11:30 am
5:00 pm

NO 7 AM MASS ON LABOR DAY

CONFESSION

THURSDAY

5:00-6:00 pm

SATURDAY

8:00-9:30 am
3:00-4:30 pm

SUNDAY

30 min before Masses

OFFICE HOURS:

MONDAY-FRIDAY: 8 am-5 pm

FRONT DESK:

MONDAY-FRIDAY: 8 am-8 pm

SATURDAY: 8 am-3:30 pm

CLOSED ON LABOR DAY

Phone: (303) 469-5171

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900 W. Midway Blvd.
Broomfield, CO 80020



GOING TO THE HOSPITAL

If you are going to the hospital and need a visit from a priest or deacon, please call the front desk at (303) 469-5171.

PRAYER REQUESTS

If you have any prayer requests, please contact Joanne Farver at (303) 466-8859 or at joannefarver@comcast.net.

MASS INTENTIONS

SATURDAY, AUGUST 26

9:30 am † Sharol Enockson
by Charlie & Ann McGinness
4:30 pm † Elisabeth, Betty & James
Doyle by Sally Fitterer

SUNDAY, AUGUST 27

7:30 am Mass of Thanksgiving
by Chuck & Thelma Kuhn
9:30 am People of the Parish
11:30 am † Germaine Piper
by Jackie Schuster
5:00 pm Taryn Farhar by Storey Family

MONDAY, AUGUST 28

7:00 am † Lydia Jaramillo
by Mr. & Mrs. Joseph Maiolo
9:30 am † Koloman Illes by Hilda Fejka

TUESDAY, AUGUST 29

7:00 am † Julie Sava by Linda Kent
9:30 am Fr. Fadini by Merylyn Sikora

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 30

7:00 am † Trudy Begler
by Joe & Carol Dankey
9:30 am † Jackie Battista by Linda Kent

THURSDAY, AUGUST 31

7:00 am Nancy Ulrich by Mom
9:30 am † Tillie, Marlene & Ed Fitterer
by Sally Fitterer

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 1

7:00 am † Emilio & Porfidia Abeyta
Family by D.B.
9:30 am † Julie Szalawiga by Linda Kent

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 2

9:30 am † Betty Benson
by Gwen Pomper
4:30 pm † Butch Malkos
by Sermak Family

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 3

7:30 am Fr. Michael by Merylyn Sikora
9:30 am People of the Parish
11:30 am † Nate Wangerin
by George & Patty Ketchel
5:00 pm Jeffrey Brown by Terri Brown

PRAY THE

ROSARY WITH US

SUNDAY, 11:00 AM

SACRISTY LAUNDRY

Joyce Occhiato

COLLECTION COUNTERS

Mon, August 28 | 10 am

Steve Moser
Jeanette Nasel
Cathy Suppes
Ann McGinness

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

IN THE CHURCH:

THURSDAY

12:00-6:00 pm

SOLEMN HOLY HOUR:

5:00-6:00 pm with *Confession* and *Vespers*
Benediction: 5:55 pm

IN THE CHAPEL:

MONDAY-FRIDAY

8:00 am-5:00 pm

LABOR DAY PARISH OFFICE/ FRONT DESK CLOSURE AND A *CHANGE IN MASS SCHEDULE*

Please note that the Parish office and front desk will be closed on Monday, September 4 in observance of Labor Day.

MASS SCHEDULE:

MONDAY, SEP 4

ONLY ONE MASS: 9:30 AM

PARISH CALENDAR

SATURDAY, AUGUST 26

8:00 am | Marian Movement of Priests Cenacle
8:00 am | Communion & Liberation (CL)
8:50 am | Pro Life Rosary

SUNDAY, AUGUST 27

8:30 am | Communion & Liberation (CL)
11:00 am | Parishioners' Rosary
6:00 pm | GS/High School Youth

MONDAY, AUGUST 28

6:30 pm | Catechetical School Info Session
6:30 pm | New Springtime Charismatic Prayer Group
6:30 pm | Spanish Prayer Group

TUESDAY, AUGUST 29

1:00 pm | Adult Tuesday Bible Study:
Footprints of God

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 30

6:00 pm | Boy Scouts Troop 766
7:30 pm | CLU (Communion & Liberation University Students)

THURSDAY, AUGUST 31

12:00 pm | Eucharistic Adoration begins in the Church
12:30 pm | Nativity Staff
Communion & Liberation (CL)

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 2

8:15 am | Communion & Liberation (CL)
8:00 am | Marian Movement of Priests Cenacle
8:50 am | Pro Life Rosary
10:00 am | Grieving with Great Hope

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 3

8:30 am | Communion & Liberation (CL)
11:00 am | Parishioners' Rosary
6:00 pm | GS/High School Youth



GO TO THE ENCOUNTER WITH HIM IN THE BLESSED EUCHARIST

Dear Parishioners,

This week I would like to talk to you about Eucharistic Adoration. This year, when we implement at a parish level the national Eucharistic Revival, I desire that our parish grows in the awareness of the True Presence of Christ in the Eucharist and yearns to adore Him and to receive Him mindfully and adequately. We will propose several events to help us grow in that awareness. Among those proposals are Eucharistic Adoration and the Holy Hour.

In addition to the words of Christ in chapter 6 of John's Gospel, God has granted several miracles throughout the history of the Church so that we become more aware and sensitive to the Sacrament of the Eucharist. One of those miracles initiated the Solemnity of Corpus Christi, which we celebrate every year in June. The miracle happened in 1263 in Bolsena, Italy, a city in the former state of the Church, in response to the tragic doubts of a Catholic priest regarding the Real Presence of Christ in the Eucharist. He was beset by doubts about the reality of the "transubstantiation." As we know, this term stands for the miraculous event during the consecration, when the substances of bread and wine are transformed into the Body and Blood of Christ while the external and visible appearances of bread and wine remain unchanged. One day, the Body of

Christ bled in his hands when the priest was celebrating Mass. He brought the evidence to the Pope residing in the nearby city of Orvieto. After administering the Sacrament of confession to the repenting priest, the Pope initiated the canonical process to certify the miracle, and later on, he instituted the Solemnity of Corpus Christi for the universal Church. The corporal with the spots of the Sacred Blood of Christ is now being preserved and venerated in the Cathedral of Orvieto, Italy. The Pope wanted the whole Church to be reminded every year of this true "mystery of faith."

The Pope commanded St. Thomas Aquinas to write the words of the liturgy of the Solemn Mass of Corpus Christi. The Saint's help in educating our awareness of the Real Presence in Adoration has reached its highest peak in the Hymn "Adoro Te Devote." It is a Latin Gregorian hymn composed by St. Thomas that I have learned in the seminary. Its words always help me immerse myself in contemplating the Eucharist. In our Priestly Fraternity of St. Charles Borromeo houses, we have become accustomed to starting our daily hour of "silence" and meditation with the Eucharistic Adoration together. Being faithful to that moment, even when I am tired or not entirely awake, I experience many fruits in my relationship with Christ. When I raise the consecrated Host during Mass, it is a short yet real moment of adoration.

I now offer an exhortation of Pope Benedict XVI, who reminded us often that the Eucharist is the center and source of renewal of the Church:

"Go to the encounter with Him in the Blessed Eucharist, go to adore Him in the churches, kneeling before the Tabernacle: Jesus will fill you with His love and will reveal to you the thoughts of His Heart. If you listen to Him, you will feel ever more deeply the joy of belonging to His Mystical Body, the Church, which is the family of his disciples held close by the bond of unity and love."

(Pope Benedict XVI, Netherlands, 2005)

How true this is! At the Parish Staff Retreat, we experienced together the Eucharistic Adoration and felt true living communion among us.

With these thoughts, I invite you to make time and space in your lives, personally and with your families and friends, to live the fulfilling experience of the Holy Hour. How I wish that our Adoration Chapel became a place of perpetual adoration, where adorers experience not only their self-renewal but offer themselves and their weekly hour— even through the sacrifice of being there in the middle of the night—for the spiritual support of our Parish and the entire Church. Could this be your yearly commitment for the upcoming Stewardship of Prayer in September? Please, consider it!

In Christ,
Fr. Emanuele Fadini

**EUCHARISTIC ADORATION IN THE CHAPEL:
MONDAY-FRIDAY**

8:00 am-5:00 pm

Perpetual Adoration is coming up.

DAILY READINGS

SATURDAY, AUGUST 26

Reading 1: Ru 2:1-3, 8-11; 4:13-17

Psalm: 128:1b-2, 3, 4, 5

Gospel: Mt 23:1-12

SUNDAY, AUGUST 27

Reading 1: Is 22:19-23

Psalm: 138:1-2, 2-3, 6, 8

Reading 2: Rom 11:33-36

Gospel: Mt 16:13-20

MONDAY, AUGUST 28

Memorial of Saint Augustine, Bishop and Doctor of the Church

Reading 1: 1 Thes 1:1-5, 8b-10

Psalm: 149:1b-2, 3-4, 5-6a and 9b

Gospel: Mt 23:13-22

TUESDAY, AUGUST 29

Memorial of the Passion of Saint John the Baptist

Reading 1: 1 Thes 2:1-8

Psalm: 139:1-3, 4-6

Gospel: Mk 6:17-29

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 30

Reading 1: 1 Thes 2:9-13

Psalm: 2139:7-8, 9-10, 11-12ab

Gospel: Mt 23:27-32

THURSDAY, AUGUST 31

Reading 1: 1 Thes 3:7-13

Psalm: 90:3-5a, 12-13, 14 and 17

Gospel: Mt 24:42-51

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 1

Reading 1: 1 Thes 4:1-8

Psalm: 97:1 and 2b, 5-6, 10, 11-12

Gospel: Mt 25:1-13

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 2

Reading 1: 1 Thes 4:9-11

Psalm: 98:1, 7-8, 9

Gospel: Mt 25:14-30

CHILDREN'S CHOIR AT NATIVITY, 2023-24

FOR 2ND-6TH GRADERS

TUESDAYS | 4-5 PM

Sister Mariagrazia invites 2nd-6th graders to Nativity Children's Choir! Children will follow the liturgical year in singing starting September 5, 2023 through May, 2024. Questions? Contact Sr. Mariagrazia at sisters@nool.us.



VENTURERS OF THE STAR 2023-2024



FIRST MEETING:

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 5, 6:30-8 PM
FRASSATI HOUSE

Fr. Accu invites all 6th-8th graders to join him for fun, fellowship & faith in the Venturers of the Star middle school youth group program. The Venturers have their first meeting of the year on Tuesday, September 5 at the Frassati House, 580 W. 3rd Ave. Dr. in Broomfield, from 6:30 to 8 pm. We meet every Tuesday evening during the school year. Please register prior to attending, so you receive important information about the group, and we have your emergency contact information. Registration is free. We hope to see you there!

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www.nool.us/middle-school

ADULT CONFIRMATION

Are you a baptized adult who needs Confirmation? Registration is open for an Adult Confirmation class being offered this SEPTEMBER & OCTOBER.

CONTACT:

Beverly Ketchel b.ketchel@nool.us

303-731-0425

www.nool.us/adult-confirmation

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RELIGIOUS EDUCATION REGISTRATION OPENED 1ST-5TH GRADERS

CLASSES START: 9/5/2023

CONTACT: Faith Alive at 303-731-0425

www.nool.us/religious-education#

REGISTER



VISIT NEW EXHIBITION:
SAINT JOHN PAUL THE GREAT
CABRINI HALL AT NATIVITY



FAITH FORMATION 2023–2024

FOR CHILDREN, YOUTH, AND ADULTS



CGS (CATECHESIS OF THE GOOD SHEPHERD)

LEVEL I: 3–6 YRS
LEVEL II: 6–9 YRS
SPECIAL NEEDS: 5–10 YRS

MONDAYS

1–3 PM | LEVELS I + II
4–5:30 PM | LEVEL II

TUESDAYS

10–11:30 AM | LEVEL I
4–5:30 PM | LEVEL I

THURSDAYS

4:30–5:30 | SPECIAL NEEDS

STARTING: 9/11/2023

REGISTRATION OPENED

CONTACT: Diane Irby
d.irby@nool.us, 303-731-0425

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

1ST–5TH GRADERS

TUESDAYS | 6–7:30 PM
WEDNESDAYS | 4–5:30 PM

STARTING: 9/5/2023

CONTACT: Faith Alive
303-731-0425

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ALTAR SERVER TRAINING

If your children have received First Communion, they are eligible to be Altar Servers. Stay tuned for upcoming altar server training information.

CONTACT: Luke Hellwig
lwhellwig@gmail.com

CHILDREN'S CHOIR

2ND–6TH GRADERS

TUESDAYS | 4–5 PM

STARTING: 9/5/2023

Following the liturgical year in singing

CONTACT: Sr. Mariagrazia
sisters@nool.us

VENTURERS OF THE STAR

6TH–8TH GRADERS

TUESDAYS | 6:30–8 PM

STARTING: 9/5/2023

CONTACT: Fr. Accu
a.ciaccio@nool.us
www.nool.us/middle-school

HIGH SCHOOL YOUTH/GS

9TH–12TH GRADERS

SUNDAYS | 6–9 PM

IN SESSION NOW

CONTACT: Fr. Emanuele
e.fadini@nool.us

www.nool.us/high-school

CATHOLIC YOUNG ADULTS GROUP

FOR YOUNG ADULTS & COLLEGE GRADUATES

"Dear young people, do not be satisfied with anything less than Truth and Love"
—Pope Benedict XVI

SUNDAYS | 6:15 PM

This group is a proposal to help live and grow in the Catholic faith through friendship, charity, sports, and cultural discussions.

CONTACT: Fr. John
j.roderick@nool.us or 303-469-5171

FAMILIES OF JP2

IN SESSION NOW

A ministry to accompany couples on their marriage journey

CONTACT: Beverly Ketchel
b.ketchel@nool.us
303-731-0425
www.nool.us/families-of-jpii

ADULT CONFIRMATION

2023 CLASS DATES:

THU, SEP 14, 2023 | 6:30 PM

THU, SEP 28, 2023 | 6:30 PM

THU, OCT 5, 2023 | 6:30 PM

THU, OCT 26, 2023 | 6:30 PM

CONTACT: Beverly Ketchel
b.ketchel@nool.us
303-731-0425

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RCIA & RCIC

CONTACT: Beverly Ketchel
b.ketchel@nool.us

303-731-0425

www.nool.us/becoming-catholic

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RESTORED ORDER, 2024

(Confirmation & First Communion)

CLASS DATES:

FEBRUARY 8, 2024, 6:15 PM

FEBRUARY 22, 2024, 6:15 PM

MARCH 14, 2024, 6:15 PM

APRIL 11, 2024, 6:15 PM

Registration opens January 8, 2024.

CONTACT: Diane Irby
d.irby@nool.us, 303-731-0425

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ADULT EDUCATION 2023–2024



EUCHARIST, DISCOVERING THE MASS IN THE BIBLE

ADULT BIBLE STUDY
OFFERED THIS FALL

Jesus said, “This is my body,” and “This is my blood.” Some say they’re merely symbols of remembrance. Others say they’re really the Body and Blood of Christ but can’t explain how that’s possible. The Eucharist is the source and summit of the Christian life – but why? Acclaimed author and scholar Dr. Brant Pitre tackles these questions and more in “Eucharist, Discovering the Mass in the Bible.” He opens Scripture to deepen our understanding of the mystery and wonder that is the Eucharist – and how it can transform your life.

Nativity is offering this program in conjunction with the Catholic Church’s National Eucharistic Revival. A \$9 fee covers the cost of the study guide. The program includes a weekly video presentation followed by small group discussion. Register below for either the afternoon sessions facilitated by Theresa Cooley and/or the evening sessions facilitated by Steve Moser.

If you have questions, please ask:
Theresa at cooleyricktherese@msn.com
or 720-635-8975
Steve at svmoser55@gmail.com
or 989-941-8280)

AFTERNOON SESSIONS
SEPTEMBER 6–NOVEMBER 15
WEDNESDAYS, 12:30–2:30 PM
NEWMAN ROOM

EVENING SESSIONS
SEPTEMBER 7–NOVEMBER 16
THURSDAYS, 6:30–8:00 PM
SCHOOL SCIENCE CLASSROOM

Register at:
www.nool.us/upcoming-events

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ST. JOHN VIANNEY
THEOLOGICAL SEMINARY
LAY DIVISION

DENVER CATHOLIC CATECHETICAL SCHOOL CLASS AT NATIVITY

The Denver Catholic Catechetical School is coming to Nativity in September. Class begins 9/11 and continues Mondays, 6:30–8:30 pm.

INFORMATION SESSION:
MONDAY, AUGUST 28 | 6:30 PM
ST. FRANCES CABRINI HALL

The Catechetical School is a two-year systematic presentation of the Catholic Faith, contained both in Sacred Scripture and Sacred Tradition (Catechism of the Catholic Church, 80-82). This occurs in a setting that takes advantage of all the facets of effective adult learning: engaging lectures, small group dynamics, independent study, and personal application. The course proposes an encounter with Jesus Christ through the knowledge of the faith in the Apostles’ Creed, to the making present of God’s saving acts in the liturgy and the sacraments, to our response with the intimate conversation with God in prayer. Upon completion of this comprehensive two-year program, the student is awarded a “Certificate in Catechetical Studies.”

For more information, visit:
www.sjvlaydivision.org

A PASTORAL NOTE BY
ARCHBISHOP SAMUEL J. AQUILA, S.T.L.

You Have the Words of
ETERNAL LIFE

Read Archbishop Aquila’s
newest pastoral note,
a meditation on Jesus’
teachings about the
Eucharist as found in
Sacred Scripture.

SCAN TO READ

archden.org/pastoral-notes

CATECHISM of the CATHOLIC CHURCH

HOW TO READ THE CATECHISM OF THE CATHOLIC CHURCH

SEP 5, 2023–APR 30, 2024
6:30–8:00 PM | Bring your CCC!

Do you know your Catechism? God’s plan of sheer goodness? Would you like to know it better? Parishioner Chuck Graham will teach how to read the Catechism of the Catholic Church starting this fall. *Please note: this course is not the same as that offered by St. John Vianney Lay Division Catechetical School.* There is no fee for this course. If you have questions, please contact Chuck at Charles_e_graham@msn.com or 720-236-2870. Register at: www.nool.us/upcoming-events

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CATHOLIC YOUNG ADULTS GROUP

FOR YOUNG ADULTS & COLLEGE GRADUATES

SUNDAYS | 6:15 PM

"Dear young people, do not be satisfied with anything less than Truth and Love; do not be content with anything less than Christ."

—Pope Benedict XVI

Fr. John Roderick invites all recent college graduates and young adults to a Catholic Young Adults Group which regularly meets after the 5 pm Mass on Sunday in the parish. This group is a proposal to help live and grow in the Catholic faith through friendship, charity, sports, and cultural discussions.

CONTACT: Fr. John
j.roderick@nool.us or 303-469-5171



UPCOMING SESSIONS 2023-2024

STARTING: SEPTEMBER 2, 2023

Grieving with Great HOPE is a five-week grief support workshop series that offers a prayerful, practical and personal approach for anyone who is mourning the loss of a loved one. If you have lost a spouse, a child (including pregnancy loss), a grandchild, a parent, another family member, or a friend, you are encouraged to attend.

Video presenters include:

Fr. Joe Dailey

Fr. John Ricardo

John & Sandy O'Shaughnessy from Good Mourning Ministry, a Catholic bereavement apostolate

Cost: \$10 (for materials)

CONTACT: Bridget Fross
b.fross@nool.us

FALL 2023 SESSION

SEPTEMBER 2, 9, 16, 30
OCTOBER 7

WINTER/SPRING 2024 SESSION

FEBRUARY 3, 10, 17, 24
MARCH 2

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STEPHEN MINISTRY TRAINING BEGINS THIS SEPTEMBER!



Here's what one Stephen Minister had to say about Stephen Ministry training: *"I loved the course work for the Stephen*

Ministry training. It not only prepared me to be a Stephen Minister but enriched my life and relationships. I had a difficult and painful relationship with my mother. After reading and role playing the Assertiveness and Boundary Modules, I learned how to be lovingly assertive with my mother. I now enjoy the relationship, and it is not difficult or

painful. Stephen Ministry is a beautiful, meaningful ministry."

—Nativity Parishioner and Stephen Minister

Stephen Ministers bring God's love to those who are hurting. We provide free, confidential, one on one Christian care to people who are going through a challenging time in their lives: those who have lost a job, have lost a loved one, have gone through a divorce, are battling an illness, or other personal crises. God is waiting to make a difference in their lives through you! If you want to find out more about how you can be involved, contact Katie Berkowski, 703-969-0252 or Karen Steur, 303-907-7254 today. If you feel you might benefit from the care of a Stephen Minister, please call Katie or Karen or leave a message on our confidential hotline: 303-469-5171 x 113. We will respond within 24 hours.

PRAY FOR LIFE!

Join us for Prayer in the Square on Saturday, September 2, at 10:15 am at N. Midway Park. We will pray a Rosary for the respect for life and for our country.



NORTH METRO CATHOLIC SINGLES AT NATIVITY

WED, SEP 20, 2023 | 11:00 AM

ST. THOMAS MORE ROOM

Join us for a potluck brunch and make new friends! All are welcome!

QUESTIONS?

Contact Sue Klemoff: 720-836-0699

WOMEN'S GUILD MEETING

MONDAY, SEP 11, 2023 | 10:30 AM

With French Potluck!

New members are welcome!

WOMEN'S GUILD CRAFT FAIR

SAVE THE DATE:

NOVEMBER 11-12

Handcrafted items are needed. Please consider donating your wares. Please drop them off at the front desk.

NEW PARISHIONERS, WELCOME TO NATIVITY!

WITH JOY, WE WELCOME 5 NEW FAMILIES
THAT JOINED NATIVITY IN JULY, 2023:

Jason, Amy, and Cole C.
Ryan, Jennifer, and Michael E.
Kristi, Tim, and Finn N.
Frederick, Jane, Natalia, Frederick, Kateri, and Evangeline P.
Katherine, Brian, Ava, and Logan Y.

BUILDING FRIENDSHIP AMONG MOTHERS OF THE PARISH

TOFF has a new name and new offerings this year! We are refocusing on our vision of making motherhood a place to find friendship and help when we need it, and to build friendship among mothers of the parish. Our new name is **Friends In All Times – FIAT!**

Anne Gray, abcgray@hotmail.com, and Rachel Bradley, rbradley810@gmail.com, will be leading this year.

The offerings this year include:

- Friday morning group that meets twice a month for mothers of young children at home
- Second Friday of the month after school play date
- Quarterly Mom's Night Out, with some charitable work and time to refresh and relax

To stay in the loop, keep an eye out on our Flocknote! We can't wait for a beautiful year together!

FROM ST. VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY

God speaks in the silence of the heart. Listening is the beginning of prayer. – Mother Teresa

Hope. There are times in our lives when we all could use it. On the evening of August 21, 1879 around 8:00 pm, such a sign was given to the Irish people. On the south gable of St. John the Baptist church in the village of Knock, Ireland, in the dark and rain, an encouraging vision occurred. The figure of Our Lady with St. Joseph, St. John, and also with her Son, shown as the Lamb of God on the altar surrounded by angels, appeared. The figures were suspended a few feet above the ground. Their figures gave off a great light. In the Apparition Chapel, now at Knock, pilgrims can view statues of all the figures with the Lamb of God on the altar with the cross at the center. There were 15 witnesses who testified to what they saw. One was not directly at the site, but testified about the bright light he saw from his barn. Those at the site in reverence began to pray the rosary.

The time of the 1879 Knock vision was a time of uncertainty with land ownership issues. In the west of Ireland, excessive rain also caused anxiety about potato crop failure. The memory of the great famine of the 1840's still caused fear. The silent apparition provided hope.

At the St. Vincent de Paul Society, we too try to bring hope to those we serve. Easing the burden to help our neighbors in need with rent, a car repair, utilities, or groceries can mean a lot. For more information on our local St. Vincent de Paul (SVDP) chapter, see our Flocknote service: **NOOL**. FLOCKNOTE.COM/SVDP for meeting times and updates.

HEALING FROM DIVORCE

GUIDANCE FOR THOSE WHO HAVE BEEN SEPARATED OR DIVORCED, AND ARE IN NEED OF A DEEPER KNOWLEDGE OF THE LOVE OF CHRIST THROUGH HIS CHURCH

Join the Surviving Divorce Program, a personal guide for participants and resources for anyone who wants to know more about what the Catholic Church teaches about love, sex, marriage, divorce and annulments.

NATIVITY OF
OUR LORD

WEDNESDAYS
6:30 PM – 8:30 PM

SEPTEMBER 2023
THROUGH MAY 2024

To Register, email
HealingDivorceMinistry@gmail.com



ST. JOESPH MEN'S GROUP

On the week of September 11, 2023, the St. Joseph Men's group starts this years program **Worthy of the Call**. Come, join other men for a life changing program that will help you be a better Catholic husband and father.

We will have two opportunities to attend:

MONDAY EVENINGS | 7:30-9 PM AT THE FRASSATI HOUSE

WEDNESDAY MORNINGS | 5:45-7 AM IN CABRINI HALL

For questions, email us at
Catholicmensgroup@Nool.us.

To Register for Worthy of The Call, use QR code.



Register for FREE today
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NATIVITY
FAITH & REASON



WHAT IS DIFFERENT ABOUT OUR SCHOOL?

We kick off every week at Nativity: Faith & Reason with an all-school assembly, to have a moment of school unity and regroup us in our mission as saints and scholars. Each week has a different engaging surprise in store for the students, like Fr. Accu leading an all-too-catchy song, or Principal Calvino putting on a trivia game.

Principal Calvino presents a spiritual charge for students for the week, which they then have moments to reflect on in small groups daily. In guiding formation, we additionally recognize students exhibiting virtue and name a "Knight of the Week," nominated by teachers and staff. Our Knight of the Week nominees are those students who are stellar examples of virtue—from mercy to respect to charity—to their peers. And we are fortunate that we can begin and end everything we do at this school with prayer.

Please keep the teachers, staff, and students in your prayers!

SAVE THE DATE! FUNDRAISING GALA: NOVEMBER 11, 5 PM



A FUNDRAISING
CELEBRATION BENEFITING
NATIVITY: FAITH & REASON
CATHOLIC SCHOOL

LOCATION:
OMNI INTERLOCKEN
HOTEL
500 INTERLOCKEN BLVD.
BROOMFIELD, CO 80021

ENROLLMENT IS OPEN! COME & SEE!

school.nool.us/enroll

CALL TODAY
303-466-4177



With questions about admission or to schedule a tour, contact **Shannon Spinuzzi** s.spinuzzi@nool.us

Our school is built on the pillars of Faith & Reason, following the guidance of St. John Paul II expressed in the Encyclical Letter, *FIDES ET RATIO*:

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INTERVENTION SPECIALIST NEEDED

Nativity: Faith & Reason is seeking a part-time Intervention Specialist for the 2023-2024 school year. The Intervention Specialist will join a committed team of educators in strengthening the academic rigor of our pre K-8 Catholic School. In his or her daily practice, the Intervention Specialist will develop and implement a program addressing the reading and math support needed by teachers with students ranging from proficient to below grade level in math and reading. They will also be responsible for coordinating academic testing and providing teachers with support to use this testing to maximize student learning. Learn more at: www.school.nool.us/job-openings.



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Theme: *Do You Want to be Healed* (John 5:2-8)

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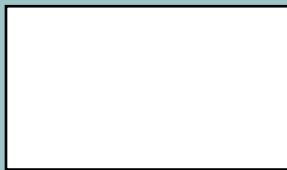



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