

Readings for the Week of January 18th

Sunday: : Is 49:3, 5-6 / 1 Cor 1:1-3 / Jn 1:29-34
 Monday: 1 Sm 15:16-23/ Mk 2:18-22
 Tuesday: 1 Sm 16:1-13/ Mk 2:23-28
 Wednesday: 1 Sm 17:32-33, 37, 40-51/ Mk 3:1-6
 Thursday: 1 Sm 18:6-9; 19:1-7/ Mk 3:7-12
 Friday: 1 Sm 24:3-21/ Mk 3: 13-19
 Saturday: 2 Sm 1:1-14, 11-12, 19, 23-27/ Mk 3:20-21
 Sunday: Is 8:23-9:3/ 1 Cor 1:10- 13, 17/ Mt 4:12-23



O JESUS, THROUGH
 THE Immaculate HEART OF
 Mary, I OFFER YOU MY
 PRAYERS, works, JOYS, &
 sufferings OF THIS DAY
 FOR all THE INTENTIONS
 OF YOUR Sacred Heart,
 IN UNION WITH THE Holy
 Sacrifice OF THE Mass
 THROUGHOUT THE WORLD,
 FOR THE Salvation OF
 Souls, THE REPARATION OF
 SINS, THE REUNION OF all
 CHRISTIANS, & IN PARTICULAR
 FOR THE INTENTIONS OF THE
 Holy Father THIS MONTH.



Sunday Bible Reflection

Perfect Offering: Scott Hahn Reflects on the Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

Jesus speaks through the prophet Isaiah in today's First Reading. He tells us of the mission given to Him by the Father from the womb: "You are My servant," He said to Me." Servant and Son, our Lord was sent to lead a new exodus—to raise up the exiled tribes of Israel, to gather and restore them to God. More than that, He was to be a light to the nations, that God's salvation may reach to the ends of the earth (see Acts 13:46-47). Before the first exodus, a lamb was offered in sacrifice and its blood painted on the Israelites' door posts. The blood of the lamb identified their homes and the Lord "passed over" these in executing judgment on the Egyptians (see Exodus 12:1-23, 27). In the new exodus, Jesus is the "Lamb of God," as John beholds Him in the Gospel today (see 1 Corinthians 5:7; 1 Peter 1:18-19). Our Lord sings of this in today's Psalm. He has come, He says, to offer His body to do the will of God (see Hebrews 10:3-13). The sacrifices, oblations, holocausts, and sin-offerings given after the first exodus had no power to take away sins (see Hebrews 10:4). They were meant not to save but to teach (see Galatians 3:24). In offering these sacrifices, the people were to learn self-sacrifice—that they were made for worship, to offer themselves freely to God and to delight in His will. Only Jesus could make that perfect offering of Himself. And through His sacrifice, He has given us ears open to obedience and made it possible for us to hear the Father's call to holiness, as Paul says in today's Epistle. He has made us children of God, baptized in the blood of the Lamb (see Revelation 7:14). And we are to join our sacrifice to His, to offer our bodies—our lives—as living sacrifices in the spiritual worship of the Mass (see Romans 12:1).

January 18th, 2026

Second Sunday In Ordinary Time



St. John the Evangelist

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 Office hours: Tuesday-Friday
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Welcome new parishioners!

Yuma

Sunday Mass:

English 10:30 am
 Spanish 1:00PM (CCD) 12:15 pm (Summer)

Weekday Mass:

Thursday 5:30 pm
 Friday 8:00 am

Confessions:

2nd & 4th Saturday 11:00am-12:00pm
 Thursday 4:30-5:00pm
 or by appointment

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

Tuesday 8:00-9:00 am
 Thursday 6:00-7:00 pm
 Wednesday & Friday 8:30-9:30 am

Saturday Anticipated Mass:

Every Saturday in Wray at 5:00pm

Wray

Sunday Mass at 8:00 am

Parish Council Members:

Jeremy Blach, Mark Oestman, Miriam Berry,
 Freddy Arvizo, Daniela Mendoza, Karina
 Valenzuela, Glenda Escobar, Thomas Holtorf
 & Conner Blach.

Parish Finance Council

Ronald Blach, Hannah Lungwitz, Nolan Bohm,
 Michael Dishner, Mary Kay Robertson .

CCD: Beginning in September

Pre-Communion: During CCD time

Pre-Confirmation: During CCD time

Youth Group: 1st and 3rd Wednesday 7:00PM

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Liturgy and Activities Schedule

SUNDAY, JANUARY 18

Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

10:30AM Mass (English) for +Estefana Gomez by Silvia Narvaez

11:45AM-12:50PM CCD/ Catecismo

1:00PM Mass (Spanish) for +Emilia Salcido by Vazquez Family

MONDAY, JANUARY 19

Weekday

TUESDAY, JANUARY 20

Weekday

Saint Fabian, Pope and Martyr; Saint Sebastian, Martyr

8:00-9:00 AM Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 21

Saint Agnes, Virgin and Martyr

8:30-9:30 AM Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

7:00 P.M Youth Group

THURSDAY, JANUARY 22

Day of Prayer for the Legal Protection of the Unborn

4:30-5:00PM Sacrament of Reconciliation

5:30PM Mass for +Amy Fix by Josie Churchill &

+Maria Clementina Hernandez Tapia by Angelica Tovar

6:00-7:00AM Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

FRIDAY, JANUARY 23

Weekday

Saint Vincent, Deacon and Martyr; Saint Marianne Cope, Virgin

8:00AM Mass for +Mike Vermulen by Josie Churchill &

+Mary Ella Hickman by Bukowski Family

8:30-9:30AM Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

Prayer for vocations: Applicants and Prospective Seminarians

SATURDAY, JANUARY 24

Saint Francis de Sales, Bishop and Doctor of the Church

Prayer for vocations: 1st and 2nd College Seminarians

11:00 AM-12:00PM Sacrament of Reconciliation

5:00PM Anticipated Mass in Wray

SUNDAY, JANUARY 25

Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

10:30AM Mass (English) for +Gail Cranston by Mike Silvius &

+ Dottie Blach by Josie Churchill

11:45AM-12:50PM CCD/ Catecismo

1:00PM Mass (Spanish) for +Imsekla Fierro by Marquez Family

& +Holy Souls in Purgatory by Angelica Tovar



ALMIGHTY God sends no trial without consolation.

-On Suffering- JOHN VIANEY~THOUGHTS of the CURÉ D'ARS

Sunday, January 25th, 10:30AM English Mass

Eucharistic Ministers: Karla Blach, Angela Oestman, Kindra Bradner

Greeters& Gift Bearers: Mark & Dessany Oestman

Introduction & 1st Reading: Ashley Lynch

2nd Reading & Petitions: Preston Blach

Ushers: Mark Oestman, Ron Blach, Dan Baucke, Jeremy Blach

Servers: Benjamin Oestman, Charlie Oestman, Regina Oestman

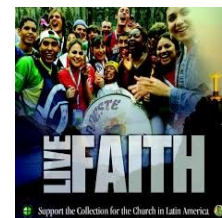
Collection Counters: Liz Hickman, Peggy Meidinger, Felimon Flores

Altar Linens: Gayle Nash

Next Sunday, January 25th, we will have the Collection for the Church in Latin America which is invaluable to the future of the faith in this region. Your donation will fund catechesis, marriage and family life programs, and seminarian formation.

Please give with a joyful and generous heart to keep support programs like these!

Thanks for your generosity!!!



PRAYER TREE

Please call Beth Dischner
(970) 630-4623



HOMEBOUND MINISTRY:

Contact MAUREEN EBERT
(970)630-0177



ST. JOHN THE EVANGELIST PARISH

Weekly Offertory Report

January 11th \$1461.75

E-Giving \$281.75

Cash Flow Projections indicate we need \$4807.00 each week to meet our 2025-2026 operating budget.

Thank you for your generosity!



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Yuma, CO



RCIA

Learn about the Catholic Faith in Christian Initiation

classes every Sunday at 9:00AM with Deacon Luke Oestman.

**All are welcome!...
...Thank You!!!**

Youth Group

High School Youth Group will be held on

Wednesday, January 21st at 7 p.m in the church basement!

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Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament



Tuesday 8:00- 9:00 AM

Wed & Fri 8:30- 9:30AM

Thursday: 6:00-7:00PM

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