

4TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME  
January 28, 2024



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# ST JOHN PAUL II

## CATHOLIC PARISH

THE SCHOOL OF PRAYER

### MASSES

Saturdays 4:00pm  
Sundays 8:00am & 10:00am

### CONFESSION

Saturdays: 2:30–3:30pm  
Sundays: upon request  
before & after Masses

#### Location for Mass:

Frassati Catholic Academy  
3951 Cottonwood Lakes Blvd.  
Thornton, CO

#### Mailing Address:

c/o Immaculate Heart of Mary  
11385 Grant Dr,  
Northglenn, CO 80233

#### General Information

Baptisms, Marriages, Funerals  
(720) 319-8050 [Info@StJP2.org](mailto:Info@StJP2.org)

He commands even the unclean spirits,  
and they obey him.

Mark 1:27



Jesus Healing the Possessed by Van Limburg brothers (1400s)

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Here's what you can do for our  
Tanzania Sister Parish, who are  
praying for Us at each Mass

- Pray for them
- Financial support



Christ The King parish and  
girls Catholic high school is in  
Nyantakubwa, Tanzania, just below  
Lake Victoria. St JP2 also supports an  
orphanage close by in Geita.



*"The future  
starts today,  
not tomorrow."*

*~ St. John Paul II*

## MASS INTENTIONS

Sat	Jan 27th	4pm	†Adam Jackson
Sun	Jan 28th	10am	Debby Mortus
Sat	Feb 3rd	4pm	†Robert Robles
Sun	Feb 4th	10am	†Kenneth Noblitt

Sunday 8am Mass Intentions are for **Pro Populo**;  
for the parishioner of St. John Paul II

Intentions are not read aloud during Mass, but placed  
on the altar for the priest to offer up silently at Mass.

Send Mass intentions to: [SmokeyM@StJP2.org](mailto:SmokeyM@StJP2.org)



Please join flocknote  
for the best way  
to get information  
from us to all of our  
parishioners.

Grab your cell phone and text  
"Mass" to 84576. From there,  
Flocknote will text you back a  
confirmation message AND another  
message with a link you need to  
click to complete the process.

## SUNDAY READINGS

**JAN 28** 4th Sunday, Ordinary Time

1st Reading: Deuteronomy 18: 15-20  
Rsp Psalm: Psalms 95: 1-2, 6-7, 8-9  
2nd Reading: 1st Corinthians 7: 32-35  
Gospel: Mark 1: 21-28

**FEB 4** 5th Sunday, Ordinary Time

1st Reading: Job 7: 1-4, 6-7  
Rsp Psalm: Psalms 147: 1-2, 3-4, 5-6  
2nd Reading: 1st Corinthians 9: 16-19, 22-23  
Gospel: Mark 1: 29-39

**Parish Registration** Are you interested in joining this parish community? Register as parishioners under "Connect" on our website.

Feb. 14 at 6:30pm



Make this Valentine's Day extra special by bringing your loved ones to Mass.

## Marian Hymns

This is the last weekend singing the Marian hymn, *Alma Redemptoris Mater* (Loving Mother of our Redeemer) after communion.

Beginning with the first week in February until the Easter Vigil, we will join Christians around the world, singing the *Ave Regina Caelorum* (Hail the Queen of Heaven).



Denver Catholic

Enjoy access to past issues at:

<https://denvercatholic.org/past-issues/>



*Please keep in your prayers...*

✠ Julie Wessling ✠ Fr. Brian Morrow  
✠ Melanie Rohr ✠ Bill McGee  
✠ Chuy Medrano ✠ Gary Cavill  
✠ Alfred Lockwood ✠ Earl Beer

Email names of those who are ill or in need of prayers to [PrayerList@StJP2.org](mailto:PrayerList@StJP2.org). Names will remain on the list as space allows.

## The Philosophy Bench

Thank you for participating in this educational 4-part series. Our last study is this Saturday, Jan 27 at 10:15am in the Frassati Chapel.



If you missed this opportunity, we have good news. This series has been video recorded and will be made available online soon, once editing is complete.

## Food, Fellowship & Faith (aka: Meet N Eat) 2024 News & Dates

Dinners will resume in February; we have sent an email to all current members of this fun-filled ministry. Check your inbox, we are waiting for your response! If you didn't receive the email or are interested in joining the fun, reach us at [MeetnEat@stjp2.org](mailto:MeetnEat@stjp2.org)



**What is Meet N Eat, you ask?**

It is a monthly, casual small group, potluck style meals, randomly assigned, all adults are welcome, any age, married or single.

## "Fat Sunday" Worship & Fellowship Gathering

Come enjoy a tasty meal and spend time in worship on the Sunday before Lent begins!

On Sunday, Feb. 11, after the 10am Mass, we will gather to enjoy a potluck meal together. The Families of Faith will join for food and a short teaching as well. Then, at 12:30, we'll gather in the Chapel together to pray before the Blessed Sacrament while our talented music ministry team leads us in beautiful worship.

All are welcome and invited! SEE PAGE 3. [Sign up here](https://www.signupgenius.com/go/9040E4AACA92CA6FD0-47181040-praise) for the potluck:  
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Friday, February 2nd, we will have Theology on Tap (TOT). After this date, we will break until after Easter.

Send in your suggested topic to cover to [SmokeyM@StJP2.org](mailto:SmokeyM@StJP2.org). Mark your calendar for theology, fellowship, beverages & snacks at the Mortus home: 14993 Columbine St, Thornton.



Forming Catholic Leaders  
**Open House**  
Pre K - 8th grade

This Sunday, January 28, 2024  
11:30 am - 2pm

3951 Cottonwood Lakes Blvd.  
[gofrassati.org](http://gofrassati.org) | 303-451-9607

## Colorado Catholic Conference

The Colorado Legislators are now in session. Stay up to date on what bills are being proposed and how they advance Catholic Social Teaching. See which bills are currently a priority for CCC and our Bishops at the following link.

**Legislative Work - Colorado Catholic Conference** ([cocatholic.org](http://cocatholic.org))

If you have any questions, please let me know at [HughDenning@CCC.Rep@StJP2.org](mailto:HughDenning@CCC.Rep@StJP2.org)

## Summit Men's Leadership



Join Fr. Larry Richards and David Bereit in Denver, Colorado for the 2nd Annual Men's Leadership Summit!

Saturday, February 24 | 7am-3pm  
Doors open at 7am

Queen of Vietnamese Martyrs Parish  
4695 N Harlan Street  
Wheat Ridge, CO 80033

+ We will celebrate Mass with Archbishop Aquila at 8am

**Our keynote speakers:**

- + Father Larry Richards - Author of *Be a Man!*
- + David Bereit - Founder of "40 Days For Life"
- + And we'll hear from amazing speakers throughout the day.

[REGISTER TODAY](https://summitmen.co/mens-leadership-summit-feb-2024) and invite a brother to JOIN us!

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St. John Paul II total offertory: Jan 1 – Jan 7, 2024 – **\$18,147** *Thank you!*

## Online Giving

St John Paul II parish has our own online giving account through Vanco, with a link on our website. Here, we have established a few shortcuts for you to use:

### Option 1.

Easily download the app "Vanco Mobile Faith Engagement" on your phone to set up "Saint John Paul II Catholic Parish"

### Option 2.

Go directly to our giving page at:  
<https://secure.myvanco.com/L-Z61A>

### Option 3.

Point your phone camera here at our QR Code:





WILL WE SEE YOU?

*Praise + Worship + Adoration*

PLEASE JOIN US!

**February 11**

*Immediately following 10AM Mass*

**11:15AM Food + Fellowship**

**12PM Faith Formation Families teaching**

**12:30-1:30PM Adoration + Worship**

Questions? Email Emily | [Moak.em@gmail.com](mailto:Moak.em@gmail.com)