



Saint Patrick Catholic Parish

The Baptism of the Lord

Serving the community since 1913 and a parish since 1952

January 11, 2026



MISSION STATEMENT

Our Faith and Hope in the Lord Jesus as a Catholic Parish Community unites us in love and service. Together, our outreach is to the local communities of Minturn and Vail Colorado in our care for children, adults, and families of all ages and denominations. Our primary services include education, charitable outreach to those in need, community gatherings and meals, as well as opening our facilities to self-help groups and other community requests and emergencies. Our hope is in Jesus Christ who sends us forth to build a community of peace, justice and forgiveness.



ST. PATRICK CHURCH



Mass Times
St. Patrick Church
Sunday 8:00 am , 9:30 am,

ST. PATRICK CHAPEL



No Masses at
St. Patrick Chapel

VAIL INTERFAITH CHAPEL



Mass Times Vail
Tuesday 5:30pm
Wed. Thurs. and Friday
 8:00am

Saturday 5:30 pm
Sunday 4:00 pm
 5:30pm (Ski season only)

Parish Contact Information

Pastor: Fr. Jose Maria Quera (970)926-2821
 Parochial Vicars :
 Fr. Frederick Sserugga (970) 306-4684 fredserrugga@archden.org
 Fr. Joe Bui 720-496-1956 (text or call) Emergency Contact
Father.JoeBui@archden.org
 Fr. Irek Kuźmicki 970-926-2821 Ext 406 Father.Kuzmicki@archden.org
 Parish Business Manager: Angela Lavelle 970-926-2821 Ext. 402
 Wedding Coordinator: Angela Lavelle 970-926-2821 Ext. 402
 Coordinator of Religious Education:
 Music Director: David Regele dregele@mac.com
 Capital Campaign
 Jenn Bruno jbruno@stclareparish.com 970-471-4572

If there is a sacramental emergency outside of our office hours please text or call (720) 496-1956.

Office: 476 Pine Street Minturn, CO 81645
 Mailing Address: P.O. 219 Minturn, CO 81645-0219
 Primary Phone: (970) 926-2821
 Parish Office hours Please call office at 926-2821

Religious Ed. Phone: (970) 926-2821
 FlockNote Assistance: (970) 926-2821
 E-mail: SaintPatrickMinturn@comcast.net
 Website: <http://www.catholicparishesofthevalley.org>

INFORMATION FOR JOINING ST. PATRICK'S PARISH FAMILY AND PARISH UPDATES

FULL NAME _____
 ADDRESS: _____
 MAILING ADDRESS: _____
 CITY: _____ STATE _____ ZIP _____
 PHONE # _____
 EMAIL: _____

____ New Registration ____ Change of Address
 ____ Want Envelopes ____ Moving out of Parish
 ____ Interested in Volunteering

Please cut and drop in the collection or mail to parish office.



Mass Schedule for all of the Catholic Parishes of the Valley

SATURDAY JANUARY 10

4:30pm Mass († *Maria Podkonicka*) Beaver Creek
5:00pm Mass (*Special Intentions*) St. Mary's
5:30pm Mass (*Special Intentions*) Vail Chapel
6:30pm Mass (Spanish) († *Mercedes Hernandez*) St. Mary's

SUNDAY, JANUARY 11

8:00am Mass († *Dick & Mary Michaels*) St. Patrick's
8:30am Mass († *Arturo Chaparro*) St. Clare
8:30am Mass (*Parishioners*) St. Mary's
9:30am Mass (*Gregg & Shari Barrios*) St. Patrick's
10:30am Mass (Spanish) (*Baptisms*) St. Mary's
12:30pm Mass (Spanish) (*Parishioners*) St. Clare
4:00pm Mass (*Special Intentions*) Vail Chapel
5:30pm Mass (*Special Intentions*) Beaver Creek
5:30pm Mass (*Special Intentions*) Vail Chapel

MONDAY, JANUARY 12

8:00am Mass (*Special Intentions*) Beaver Creek

TUESDAY, JANUARY 13

6:45am Mass (*Special Intentions*) St. Clare
8:00am Mass (*Special Intentions*) Beaver Creek
5:30pm Mass (*Special Intentions*) Vail Chapel
5:30pm Mass (*Special Intentions*) St. Mary's

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 14

8:00am Mass (*Special Intentions*) Beaver Creek
8:00am Mass (*Special Intentions*) Vail Chapel
8:10am Mass († *Melinda Epperson*) St. Clare

THURSDAY, JANUARY 15

6:45am Mass (*Special Intentions*) St. Clare
8:00am Mass (*Special Intentions*) Beaver Creek
8:00am Mass (*Special Intentions*) Vail Chapel
6:00pm Mass (Spanish) (*Special Intentions*) St. Mary's

FRIDAY, JANUARY 16

8:00am Mass (*Special Intentions*) Beaver Creek
Followed by Eucharistic Adoration
8:00am Mass (*Special Intentions*) Vail Chapel
Followed by Eucharistic Adoration
1:00pm Mass (*Special Intentions*) St. Clare

SATURDAY JANUARY 17

4:30pm Mass (*Special Intentions*) Beaver Creek
5:00pm Mass (*Special Intentions*) St. Mary's
5:30pm Mass (*Special Intentions*) Vail Chapel
6:30pm Mass (Spanish) (*Special Intentions*) St. Mary's

SUNDAY, JANUARY 18

8:00am Mass († *Jeff Thompson*) St. Patrick's
8:30am Mass (*Parishioners*) St. Clare
8:30am Mass (*Parishioners*) St. Mary's
9:30am Mass (*Parishioners*) St. Patrick's
10:30am Mass (Spanish) († *Alfonso Espinoza Lopez*) St. Mary's
12:30pm Mass (Spanish) († *Manuel Chaparro*) St. Clare
4:00pm Mass (*Special Intentions*) Vail Chapel
5:30pm Mass (*Special Intentions*) Beaver Creek
5:30pm Mass (*Special Intentions*) Vail Chapel

Looking to volunteer?

WE are looking for help, Usher, Lectors, and Greeters and other volunteer opportunities in the office are wanted!

Please contact Angela Lavelle if interested.



To have a special Mass said for someone living or deceased, please contact the Parish Office at 970-926-2821 ext 402

Interested in becoming a Catholic?

OCIA Class will be held every Tuesday at 6:30pm from April 2025 to the End of March 2026. For more information and registration, please contact Fr. Irek Kuźmicki 970-926-2821 Ext 406 or Father.Kuzmicki@archden.org

SACRAMENTAL INFORMATION

BAPTISMAL INFORMATION If you would like to have your child baptized or attend a baptismal class for prospective parents and godparents please contact Angela Lavelle at 970-926-2821 Ext. 402. **Baptism certification classes are offered the 2nd Friday of every month at St Clare at 4:30pm.**

MARRIAGE Engaged couples must contact Angela Lavelle at 970-926-2821 Ext. 402 or SaintPatrickMinturn@comcast.net at least eight months in advance of planning a wedding.

ANOIDING OF THE SICK If you are ill and would like to receive the sacrament of the sick please contact Fr. Joe Bui at 720-496-1956.

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION is generally available after every Mass. Specifically the sacrament is available after the 8:00 am Mass in Vail. Or you can call the office at 970-926-2821 for an appointment. St. Clare's Reconciliation is on Wednesday 5:00-7:00pm.

24 Hour Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

The fourth Saturday of each month starting at 8am and continuing until the next morning at 8am there will be 24 hour adoration in the St. Clare Chapel. Please St. Clare Admin (admin@stclareparish.com) at (970) 926-8980 if you are interested in participating.



Thank You For Your Support

Thank you for your generous financial donations!

Your kindness to our parish helps to fund many costs affiliated with daily operations at: Minturn - St. Patrick Church, St. Patrick Chapel, Spirit Center Vail - The Vail Interfaith Chapel

Weekend	1/4/2026
Minturn	\$1,724.00
Vail	\$3,463.31
Total	\$5,187.31

Mary, Mother of God Holy Day Collection—\$4,735.90

Retired Religious Collection—\$1,876

Please consider signing up for online giving by clicking on either of the "Donate Now" on our website.

Offertory contributions can be mailed to St.

Patrick's Parish PO Box 219, Minturn, CO 81645.

There are 18 second collections prescribed by the Archdiocese of Denver every year. We welcome you to donate to the second collections of your choice.

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Priest Office Schedule January - March 2026

St. Patrick Minturn - Father Fred (970) 306-4684

St. Mary's - Father Bui (720) 496-1956

St. Clare - Father Irek 970-926-2821 Ext 406

Please contact the appropriate Priest directly to schedule a time to meet.

Pastoral/Finance Council

Fr. Jose Maria Quera, David Rawlings, Bettina Bosma, Mark Herron, Jim Farrell, Angela Lavelle

PLEASE PRAY FOR OUR FAMILY AND FRIENDS

Rita Kochera, Evelyn Sue Engsborg, Kay Frazier, Lena Frazier, Guy Ciacio, Douglas Bosma, Millie Barela, Jana Crain, Raymond Montez, Emma Schindel, Carol Anne Finn, Dick Bishop, Wayne Vigil, Peter Clarke, Lisa Ligon, Adam Bush, Annemarie Stollsteimer, Clayton Latteu, Scott Schaefer, Ana-Maria Schaefer, Margaret Kjelland, Andrew Gillett, Dan Cassano, George Jimenez, Mimi Kelly, Paul Meyers, Bobby Baca, Kristen Radochonski, Arlene Cordova, Kristina Gangitino, Eileen Halling, Audrey Bertsch, Riva Cohen, Matthew Mogul, Richard Valdez, Claudia Hilty, Shaderi Taylor, Marylou Valdez, Carol Moriarty, Edna Baca



AND OUR BELOVED DECEASED

Judith Ligon, Cythia Schindel Engstrom, Jim Klechner, Joan Norris, Edmund Schindel, Melanie Wilson, Dylan Frazier, Dolores Gonzalez, Frances Renner, Willie Barela, Frances Romero

To submit a Prayer Intention call or email the Parish Office.

If your prayer request is no longer needed, please email

SaintPatrickMinturn@comcast.net



Knights of Columbus
A Catholic Men's Fraternal Organization established in 1882 by Blessed Fr. Michael J McGivney to benefit Catholic families of the parish.
Vivat Jesus!

St. Clare of Assisi Council 13253

Charity, Unity, Fraternity and Patriotism

Building friendships while supporting the needs of our priests, deacons, and religious sisters of the Parishes of the Valley.

Knights Knews!

Thinking about joining the Knights of Columbus? The Knights will be holding their annual initiation in February. Contact Pete Nowicki for more information.

Strengthening our Catholic Community.
Contact Pete Nowicki - 312-543-5006
pnowix@hotmail.com

Youth Group

FOLLOWING JESUS TO HOLINESS!

Youth Group meets Wednesdays at Edwards @ 7 pm and Fridays in Eagle @ 7 pm. For more information please call

970-688-8058 or
Father.JoeBui@archden.org.

St. Raphael Counseling is a Mission to the Church. Our goal is to change our culture by bringing together the teachings of the Catholic Church and the very best in clinical care. Living out our vocations as Christians is incredibly challenging. Regardless of whether it is in your mission in family, work, or ministry, truly applying the Church' teaching brings unique challenges.

Our mission is to help you find growth and fulfillment within your mission. Together with your therapist, you can find healing in your life as well and come one step closer to the saint God is calling you to be.

Sarah Green is a local counselor with St. Raphael serving the parishes of the valley. She is a school counselor at St. Clare three days a week and is also taking new clients in her office in Eagle or virtually. She is a masters level clinician with a variety of experience in providing therapy to kids, adults, families and couples.

Please reach out with questions or a no risk consultation phone call 970.404.5119.



Coffee and Donuts

You are invited to enjoy Coffee and Donuts after the 9:30 AM Mass on Sundays at the Minturn Spirit Center.



We are looking for Volunteers to help with Coffee and Donuts. If you are interested in volunteering please contact Angela.

Inside Vail Valley Catholics' Historic Campaign to Build TWO New Churches



Read about our Capital Campaign to build churches for St. Mary's and St. Clare of Assisi in Denver Catholic Magazine

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Read about our Campaign in Denver Catholic Magazine

Inside Vail Valley Catholics' Historic Campaign to Build TWO New Churches

Prayer, philanthropy and community are fueling a long-awaited, region-wide effort to meet worship needs in a booming community.



Scan to read our story



For more information
email: jbruno@stclareparish.com
or call 970-471-4572

Do you know what's expected of a Godparent?

- Someone who has been chosen by the parents.
- Has received the 3 sacraments of initiation: Baptism, First Communion, Confirmation
- At least 16 years of age and should not be a sibling or a parent
- Living and practicing the Catholic Faith: Going to Mass on Sundays and Holy Days of obligation and registered in a parish.
- If married should be in the Catholic Church



JOIN US Parish Book Club

A Teacher of Strange Things: Who Jesus Was, What He Taught, and Why People Still Follow Him

To learn more Email: jbruno@stclareparish.com

Prayer Request still needed?

If your prayer request is no longer needed, please email
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Top 10 Questions
What Is the Value Of A Catholic education?

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Catholic education holds profound value. It forms the whole person—mind, body, and spirit— by placing God at the center of all learning and growth. Rooted in the belief that parents are the primary educators of their children, Catholic schools partner with families to nurture not only academic excellence but also spiritual and moral development. St. Clare provides a distinguished liberal arts foundation rooted in the Truth, fostering critical thinking and a love for wisdom. Catholic education forms life-long learners who are not only intellectually prepared but also spiritually grounded, equipped to live out their faith in the world with integrity and purpose.

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TOP 10 QUESTIONS

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