



# Saint Patrick Catholic Parish

Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

Serving the community since 1913 and a parish since 1952

January 18, 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.



*Behold the Lamb of God*

*Now I have seen and testified that he is the Son of God*

### 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 (Christmas Day -  
Easter Sunday)

## Parish Contact Information

Pastor: Fr. Jose Maria Quera (970)926-2821

Parochial Vicars :

Fr. Frederick Sserugga (970) 306-4684 [fredserrugga@archden.org](mailto:fredserrugga@archden.org)

Fr. Joe Bui 720-496-1956 (text or call) Emergency Contact

[Father.JoeBui@archden.org](mailto:Father.JoeBui@archden.org)

Fr. Irek Kuźmicki 970-926-2821 Ext 406 [Father.Kuzmicki@archden.org](mailto: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](mailto:dregele@mac.com)

Capital Campaign

Jenn Bruno [jbruno@stclareparish.com](mailto: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](mailto: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 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

### MONDAY, JANUARY 19

8:00am Mass (Special Intentions) Beaver Creek

### TUESDAY, JANUARY 20

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 21

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

### THURSDAY, JANUARY 22

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

### FRIDAY, JANUARY 23

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 24

4:30pm Mass (Finn & Hatch Linnan Baptisms) 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 25

8:00am Mass († Ron Duffy) St. Patrick's  
8:30am Mass (Parishioners) St. Clare  
8:30am Mass (Special Intentions) St. Mary's  
9:30am Mass († Johann & Amilie Beuscher) St. Patrick's  
10:30am Mass (Spanish) (Parishioners) St. Mary's  
12:30pm Mass (Spanish) (Baptisms) St. Clare  
4:00pm Mass (Special Intentions) Vail Chapel  
5:30pm Mass (Special Intentions) Beaver Creek  
5:30pm Mass (Parishioners) Vail Chapel

### 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.

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	1/11/2026
Minturn	\$1,479.00
Vail	\$1,795.55
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$3,274.55</b>

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



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## 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](mailto:SaintPatrickMinturn@comcast.net)



**Knights of  
Columbus**

## 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.



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

**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](mailto: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](mailto: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.

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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

Scan Here to Read



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



## Open the year with a gift that leaves a legacy.



St. Clare of Assisi  
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Groundbreaking  
Summer 2026



St. Mary's  
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Spring 2026



a gift rooted in hope



We are so close to our \$23 million goal, and what happens next depends on us. Your gift now will help complete these churches and shape the faith of generations yet to come.

## Ways to give:

- One-time gift
- Pledge over time
- Stock or assets
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- Planned or legacy gift

visit our website  
[vailvalleychurchfund.org](http://vailvalleychurchfund.org)

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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](mailto: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](mailto: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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