

THE ROMAN CATHOLIC PARISHES OF **OUR LADY OF LORETTO** (LODGE GRASS), **ST. CHARLES BORROMEO** (PRYOR),
ST. DENNIS (CROW AGENCY), **ST. FRANCIS XAVIER** (ST. XAVIER), **ST. KATERI TEKAKWITHA** (WYOLA)

30th Sunday in Ordinary Time

OPENING SONG

Love One Another #479

SCRIPTURE READINGS begin on page 211

MASS PARTS Mass of Creation #884-888

CLOSING SONG

Akbaatatdiataakaa bii chiche

SUNDAY MASS SCHEDULE

9:00 AM Saint Dennis
10:30 AM Saint Charles Borromeo
12:30 PM Our Lady of Loretto
4:00 PM Saint Francis Xavier

DAILY MASS SCHEDULE

TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY, THURSDAY

6:00 PM Saint Dennis

FRIDAY

6:00 PM Our Lady of Loretto

CONFESSIONS

Before mass and on request.

OTHER ACTIVITIES

TUESDAYS

6:00 PM Sewing Group
Meeting Room in Small Hall
(St. Dennis)

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This week's Gospel follows close behind the Gospel read last Sunday. It is the last of three questions put to Jesus by Jewish religious leaders who are trying to trick him into saying something that might get him arrested. This reminds us that the context for today's reading is the mounting tension between Jesus and the religious leaders in Jerusalem.

The Herodians and the Pharisees asked the first question, which was about taxes. The Sadducees asked the second question, which was about the Resurrection (see Matthew 22:22-33). The third question, considered in today's Gospel, is asked by a Pharisee who asks Jesus about the greatest of the commandments.

The question requires Jesus to interpret the Law of Moses. The Mosaic Law consists of the Ten Commandments and many additional rules,

numbering over six hundred. Adherence to the Mosaic Law, for a devout Jew, is an expression of faithfulness to God's covenant with Israel. The ranking of the Commandments was regularly debated among the teachers of the Law.

Jesus answers the Pharisees' question with a two-fold summary. Jesus says that all of the commandments can be summarized in two commandments: love God and love your neighbor. Both of these were central elements of the religious tradition Jesus learned from his Jewish community. Indeed these continue to be central aspects of contemporary Jewish religious understanding. Jesus' response to his questioners proposed an integral connection between these two aspects of the Jewish Law. Love of God finds its expression in our love for our neighbor.



Family Connection

Children learn about love from real, concrete examples witnessed in family life. We can help children to love God and love their neighbors by showing everyday acts of love, generosity, and kindness—our own expressions of our love for God. These acts, small and large, are the expression of what Jesus identified as the two greatest commandments: love God and love neighbor.

Make a poster together as a family. Write the words Love God in the center of the poster and

write the words Love Neighbor near each of the four sides of the poster. Read together today's Gospel, Matthew 22:34-40. Talk about how Jesus taught us that our love for God is revealed in the love that we show to other people. On the poster, use pictures and words to show some of the ways that your family shows their love for other people. Pray together that your family will continue to express your love for God by loving others. Pray the Act of Love.

ALL SOULS: COMMEMORATION OF THE FAITHFUL DEPARTED

Following the solemnity of All Saints on November 1st, on **Thursday, November 2nd at 6pm** we'll celebrate the All Souls Days Mass. After today, you are invited to bring in pictures of your deceased loved ones which will be displayed at a side altar during the month of November. There will also be a book of the deceased which you are invited to write any names you wish to be remembered during this time. Please write your name and phone number on the back of any items you leave on this altar to help us return these to you at the end of November.

DONATIONS FOR DOOR PRIZES & TURKEY BINGO NEEDED

On the last Wednesday of each month there will be a raffle for door prizes at Bingo. If you have new items to donate to this effort, please see one of the priests. Additionally, we'll be having a Turkey Bingo in November, if you're

able to donate a frozen ham or Turkey for this event, please also let us know to schedule a time for drop-off. Thank you!

SAVE THE DATE

Christmas Bazaar, Friday 12/8

Elder Dinner, Sunday 12/10

More info will be posted at a later date for vendors reserving a table at the Bazaar.

COFFEE MINISTRY

A big thanks to those who've been bringing items to share after Mass. We appreciate your help with serving and clean-up!

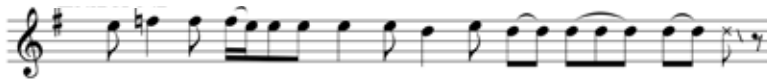
INFANT/CHILD BAPTISMS (UNDER 7)

Our next class for parents/godparents is on **Saturday, November 4th from 10:30-11:30am** at St. Dennis with baptisms to follow for families having theirs done afterwards inside the chapel. Other dates and locations will be scheduled accordingly. Visit crowcatholicparishes.com or contact one of the priests to register.

that we can make Christ's love known in the world. We invite you to the Ranch at Ucross Nov 3-5 to attend the Marriage Encounter Enrichment, to work on your commitment that you made on your wedding day to love each other, in good times and bad, in sickness and health.

To learn more about the Experience, visit the website wwme.org or apply today by calling 307-215-9444.

CLOSING SONG



Ak-baa -tat- di - a-kaa-taa WE-HE YA-HE - E - - E - E
Dear Creator



Bii chi-chee - kaa-wa-ku.WA-HE YA-HE - E - LE-HE - E
Remember me.



Baa-pe al it- cheesh ko bii kaa - ka - wa-ku WA HE
The good days, let me see them.



YA - HE - E - LE -HE - E



Baa - la- lash - de - kuuash.Dii chi- chee - kaa - wa-ku WA -HE
It is said you have love. Remember me.



Ak-baa-tat - di - a-kaa-taa WE-HE YA-HE - E - LE-HE - E
Dear Creator

