

The Weekly Word

November 6, 2024

Please join us on Sunday for Holy Eucharist

The Twenty-fifth Sunday after Pentecost

November 10, 2024

Single Service at 9 am*

Celebrants: The Reverend Victoria Pretti and
The Deacon Reverend Chris Miller-Marcin

If you are unable to worship in person, please join us on YouTube

*To view the livestream service please click the link below.



ANNUAL MEETING



NOVEMBER 10

SINGLE SERVICE

9:00 AM

MEETING TO FOLLOW IN THE PARISH HALL.
A CATERED LUNCH WILL BE PROVIDED AT
THE CONCLUSION OF THE MEETING.

**No Sunday Book Study or Church School.
Both will resume on November 17th.**

This week at

St. Martha's



Wednesday, November 6th

- Seashell Ringers practice at 1 pm.
- Choir practice at 7 pm.

Thursday, November 7th

- Qigong at 9:30 am in the parish hall. Qigong is a mindful movement practice that helps us to calm our minds, balance our emotions, and feel more energized. Done seated or standing and is accessible to everyone. This class is led by Rev. Ria. Drop ins welcome, by donation.

Friday, November 8th

- Poses for Peace - Christian Yoga with modifications for beginners, at 9:30 am. Love offering accepted. Gari Lewis, instructor.

Sunday, November 10th

- Single Service at 9 am followed by the Annual Meeting and Ministry Fair in the parish hall. A catered lunch will be served at the conclusion of the meeting.

Monday, November 11th

- Yoga at 9:30 am. \$10 drop in. Bring your own mat, blanket, block and/or strap. Some will be available.
- Parables of Jesus from 10:45 am-12:45pm in the parish hall. An approximately 10 minute film followed by a discussion and a simple meal. Sign up sheets in the parish hall.
- Bowling at 4 pm at Millsboro Lanes. If you would like to play contact John Grannis before 9am (jhgrannis@gmail.com) This is not a league, so no weekly commitment.

Tuesday, November 12th

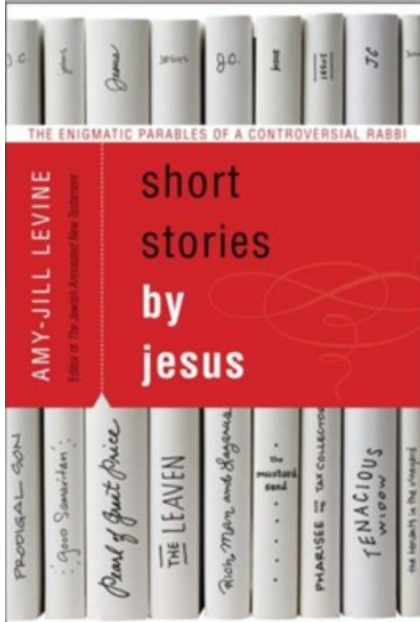
- Qigong at 9:30am in the parish hall. Qigong is a mindful movement practice that helps us to calm our minds, balance our emotions, and feel more energized. Done seated or standing and is accessible to everyone. Bring a yoga mat if you have one, and some water. Suggested donation: \$10.
- Bible study at 1pm in the parish hall.
- "Wounded Knee" movie presentation at 2:30 pm followed by Q & A discussion period with Charlotte Hockings, an Ojibwe. Light refreshments served.

Wednesday, November 13th

- Men's Discipleship Group will meet from 8 - 9am in the conference room.
- Finance Committee Zoom meeting at 4 pm.

Upcoming Events

Parables of Jesus



Short film, discussion
and light lunch

Mondays from 10:45 - 12:45 pm

- October 7th
- October 14th
- October 21st
- October 28th
- November 4th
- November 11th

Sign up sheets in the parish hall.



NOVEMBER 14, 2024

5:30 – 8:00 PM

Join us for a fun-filled Game Night on Thursday, November 14th! We'll kick things off with soup and sandwiches at 5:30 pm, followed by a variety of games. This is a great chance to enjoy fellowship, laughter, and a little friendly competition. It's always a well-loved event, and we'd love for you to be a part of it! Sign up in the parish hall, but last-minute guests are welcome too. See you there!



Christmas Luncheon

Tuesday, December 10th at 11:30 am
Cripple Creek Golf & Country Club

Lunch is served at 12:30 pm

\$28/person, \$23/Bell Choir Members

*Let's celebrate this festive season with food, fellowship,
and a special performance by the Seashell Ringers!*

Please pick up a form from the parish hall to complete with your meal
selection and return with payment by Wednesday, December 4.



Bakers and volunteers needed for the book sale set up and day of sale. Sign up sheets coming soon. Stay tuned....

Outreach



Parishioners may sign up on Sunday for Thanksgiving donations of food items and Food Lion gift cards for the local schools. Please return your donations on Sunday, November 17. The sign-up sheets will be in the Parish Hall by the Outreach bulletin board.

Camp Arrowhead begins on-line registrations for summer camp weeks on December 1. In order to get your student the week they want, register as soon as possible.

Collection of Pop-tabs for Ronald McDonald House ends the end of November. Remember to bring in your tabs to St. Martha's

Stewardship

Pledge Update as of October 30, 2024

Number	Amount Pledged	
24	\$83,810	<i>Increase</i>
25	\$60,520	<i>Same</i>
7	\$13,000	<i>Decrease</i>
11	\$23,620	<i>New</i>
67	\$180,950	Total

Just a reminder, if you haven't already submitted your pledge card, please do so soon.