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Diocese of Cheyenne 2024 annual appeal, Living and Giving in Christ: Unity Through Diocesan Ministries

Thank you to all who make a gift to the Diocese of Cheyenne 2023 annual appeal, Living and Giving in Christ: Unity through Diocesan Ministries! Your gifts serve our sisters and brothers in Christ and build up the Church. Thank you to those who offered the gift of prayer. Your prayers unite with others across the Diocese of Cheyenne to bring about positive change throughout the world. Were still a long way from our goal so please help

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CONFIRMATION

Confirmation will be Saturday May 11 @ 5:30PM with Bishop Steven Beigler in attendance. Congratulations to Jose Acuna, Josephine Boyer, Alan Burgos, Lovely Contreras, Aaron Corral, Jordi Lopez, Armando Padilla, Carlos Padilla, Nathalie Dias Rios, Soraya Porras, Selena Melinda Garcia Padilla. Immediately following the ceremony there will be a reception in the basement of the church. Thank you to Terry Townsend and Father Glen for their work in getting these children ready for the Sacrament of Confirmation. Thanks to Terry for the reception to follow.

Come and meet Fr. Andrew Kinstetter

Father Andrew Kinstetter will be here on May 16 @ 10:00 AM to visit the parish and meet parishioners. We will be hosting a get together in the church basement. If you would like to meet Father Andrew please come, refreshments will be served.

READINGS

May12	Acts of the Apostles1:15-17,20a, 20c-26;1 John 4:11-16; John 17:11b-19	
May13	Acts of the Apostles 19: 1-8; John 16:29-33	
May14	Acts of the Apostles 1:15-17, 20-26; John 15: 9-17	
May15	Acts of the Apostles 20:28-38; John 17:11b-19	
May16	Acts of the Apostles 22:30; 23:6-11; John 17: 20-26	
May17	Acts of the Apostles 25:13b-21; John 21: 15-19	
May18	Acts of the Apostles 28: 16-20, 30-31; John 21: 20-25	
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IMPORTANT INFORMATION

Saturday May 11, 2024, @ 5:30 will be Sacred Hearts Confirmation. We welcome The Most Reverend Bishop Steven Biegler to celebrate Confirmation with our Parish and our 11 Confirmandi. Following the ceremony newly confirmed will stay and prepare for a group photograph with the Bishop, pastor, and catechist. Reception immediately following in the basement.

Thank you to all who already have responded to the LIVING AND GIVING IN CHRIST 2024 annual appeal1 gifts to living and giving in Christ are receiving in gratitude, responsibly managed, and returned to each giver, as those funds support the infrastructure behind every parish in the Diocese of Cheyenne. By providing critical support to parish leaders and ministries, Chancery Office staff members assist parishes to do what they cannot do alone. If you have not yet make your gift to this year's appeal, please prayerfully consider doing so. You may return your appeal card or in-pew envelope to the parish or the Chancery Office.

May 18, immediately following the Saturday evening Mass we will be hosting a going away dinner for Father Glen at the Los Gabanas Event Center, 522 Greybull Ave. Please come and eat and wish Fr. Glen goodbye on his new assignment in Evanston.



Jesus' first prayer was for those who were with him in the Last Supper room. He prays that they always be in communion with God and for their protection from the evil that surrounds them every day. Like ourselves, they are to find closeness with God and protection from harm even in the midst of the world "I Sanctify Myself, That They Also Might Be Sanctified" To "sanctify" means to make holy and pure. Jesus Christ lived a sinless, holy life and then took upon Himself the sins of the human family so that we could be sanctified if we follow Him.

Gospel John 17 11-19 Holy Father, keep them in your name that you have given me, so that they may be one just as we are one.

