

Church of the Holy Ghost

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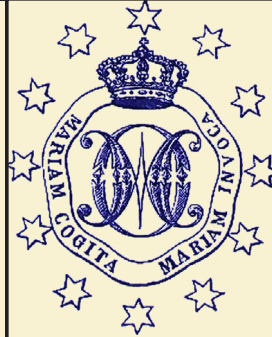
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OFFICE HOURS

Parish Office Hours

Mon-Thurs 9:00 a.m. — 5:00 p.m. (Office is closed on Fridays.)
Office is closed for lunch 12:30-1:30 p.m. Mondays-Thursdays.

Social Ministry

Come and be a part of our service to the homeless, including our Monday-Saturday sandwich line. Interested? Call 303-297-3441. Come during 9:00-11:00am and 2:00-4:00pm, Monday-Friday, to receive services for an ID or a birth certificate.

Monthly Devotions

First Friday of the month:

Litany of the Sacred Heart of Jesus after both Masses
 6:30pm Holy Hour of Eucharistic and Vocational Revival

First Saturday of the month:

Mass 8:00am, Rosary and Litany of the Blessed Virgin Mary follow.

MASS AND CONFESSION TIMES

Weekday Masses

Monday-Friday 7:00 a.m. & 11:30 a.m.

Saturday Masses

8:00 a.m. & 4:00 p.m. (Vigil)

Sunday Masses

7:00 a.m., 8:30 a.m.,

10:00 a.m. (Latin), 12:00 noon, 5:10 p.m.

Próxima misa en Español -

Aniversario de la Iglesia - 13 de julio a las 2 PM

Confession Times

Monday-Thursday 12-1pm

Friday 12-3pm

Saturday Vigil & Sunday Masses: confessions start 30 minutes before Mass

Eucharistic Adoration

M-F 7:30 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. and noon to 3:00 p.m.

Sign up at www.adorationpro.org/holyghostdenver

Contact email: adoration@holyghostchurch.org

Baptism

Takes place on the 2nd and 3rd Sunday of the month.
 Baptismal Classes 1st Saturday of the month at 9:45am.
 To register, please contact the parish office.

Adults: Baptism, Confirmation or First Communion

OCIA - Summer schedule Tuesdays 7-9pm, Fr. Jonathon

Marriage

Arrangements for weddings are made at least 9 months in advance. Contact Athena, weddings@holyghostchurch.org or (303) 292-1556x1025.

Anointing of the Sick

Please call our office or after hours pager 303-240-0297.

Safe Environment: Protecting Children and At-Risk Adults

Parish Coordinator: Robert Pablo, x1013
 Archdiocese of Denver: <https://archden.org/protection/>



From the altarpiece of the Basilica of the Holy Trinity in Krakow, Poland

WEEKLY REFLECTION

The Mystery of the Holy Trinity

No mystery is more fundamental to our faith, nor more mysterious, than that of the holy Trinity. We know the basics from the creed and from our catechism classes: There is one God in three Persons, the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit. God is both one and three, yet God is not three separate gods. The three Persons are coeternal and coequal, of one divine essence; yet they are distinct, known as such by their relations with one another. This is a great mystery, entirely sublime and impenetrable to human reason, which we know only because God has revealed it to us. But how are we to make sense of it?

Various analogies have been used in the past to help explain the Trinity. St. Patrick famously compared the Trinity to a shamrock, which is one plant with three connected leaves. Yet this falls short: each leaf is only part of the plant, not the full plant itself. The Trinity has also been compared to a man who is simultaneously a father, a son, and a husband—one being with three distinct relations. Yet this falls into modalism, which imagines God as a unity who interacts with the world under different guises (modes). We can exhaust the tradition of the Church in finding different analogies, but they will all have the same result. Each analogy communicates something about the Trinity—and perhaps helps taken together they can aid us in understanding the mystery more deeply—but they are extremely limited in their helpfulness. Any analogy we can formulate by human reason and in human words necessarily reveals a far greater gap in our understanding, than it does the truth of the mystery.

The impenetrability of the mystery of the Trinity, however, should not drive us to despair that we cannot possibly know God. Instead, it should be a cause for adoration, and an invitation to prayer, study, and contemplation. Our God is so great and glorious that His essence cannot be comprehended by humans, and the friends of God have the joy to spend all of eternity getting to know Him in his blessed infinitude. Let us praise God the Trinity, and adore Him in the mystery!

--Fr. Jonathon Hank, OMV

Subscribe to Parish Email/Texts

Get the bulletin by email each week and more! Get timely and interesting information about Holy Ghost and Catholic Life!

Register for the topics that interest you by visiting our network at flocknote.com/HolyGhostChurch or use your phone to text "holychurch" to 84576 and follow the instructions.



Keep in touch with us

IMPORTANT PARKING LOT INSTRUCTIONS HOLY GHOST CHURCH

Weekend and Weekday Masses & Church Functions
Location: 19th & Welton ("Lighthouse Lot")

DO NOT PARK IN ANY SPOTS MARKED MONTHLY PARKING!

Go to the Kiosk

1. Touch any key on the key pad.
2. Enter exact license plate number and letters. Press OK
3. Select Option—Choose appropriate # for **Holy Ghost**—Press OK
4. Obtain coupon code from the parish office.
5. A dash tag may not print. Verify the expiration time on screen.

You may wish to take a picture of the screen in case of dispute.

LIVING OUR FAITH

Financial Blessing

Needed Weekly—Offertory Budget **\$15,600**

June 8, 2025	Actual Collection	\$10,892
June 8, 2025	Weekly Online Giving	\$3,694
June 8, 2025	Offertory Surplus/Deficit	-\$1,014
June 8, 2025	avg per-person donation	\$15.35

Needed Weekly—Sandwich Line Budget **\$2,300**

June 8, 2025	Actual Donations	\$4,052
June 8, 2025	Sandwich Line Online Giving	\$642
June 8, 2025	Sandwich Line Surplus/Deficit	\$2,394
June 8, 2025	avg per-person donation	\$4.94

Online Giving Portal <https://secure.myvanco.com/L-ZFJ1/home>

Catechesis Corner - The Virgin Mary, in her docile humility, became the handmaid of divine Love: she accepted the Father's will and conceived the Son by the power of the Holy Spirit. In her the Almighty built a temple worthy of Him and made her the model and image of the Church, mystery and house of communion for all human beings. May Mary, mirror of the Blessed Trinity, help us to grow in faith in the Trinitarian mystery. (from Pope Benedict XVI's Homily on the Solemnity of the Most Holy Trinity on June 7, 2009)



Weddings

Matthew Jungheim and Lysithia Page

United in Christ on June 7

Celebrant: Fr. Jonathon Hank, OMV

Nicholas Meyer and Kierra Insetta

United in Christ on June 7

Celebrant: Fr. Paul Nguyen, OMV

Congratulations!



Support Floral Arrangements on the High Altar

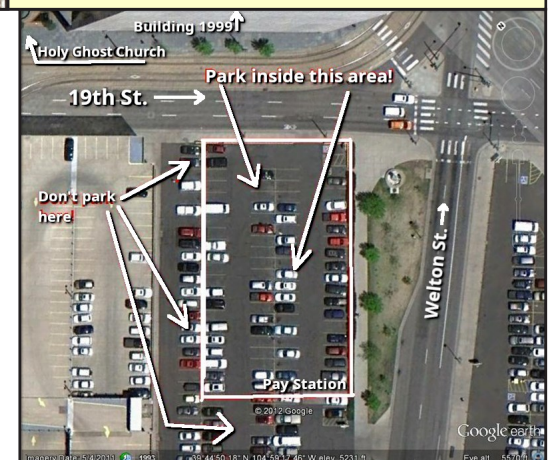
We now invite donations to support floral arrangements on the high altar (on either side of the tabernacle), and we will publish your prayer intentions in the bulletin for the week you sponsor them. The suggested donation is \$50 per side.

Please inquire about availability in the parish office.

Week of June 15-June 21:

Mary's side: sponsor needed

St. Joseph's side: sponsor needed



HOLY GHOST NEWS



MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

Saturday, June 14

4:00 pm †Cole Chase

Sunday, June 15

7:00 am †Cymber Jacobsen

8:30 am †Edward Sum

10:00 am †Pierre Ruiz

Noon Holy Ghost Parishioners

5:10 pm †William Beach, Sr.

Monday, June 16

7:00 am Fr. Jim Fox

11:30 am Fr. Chris Hellstrom

Tuesday, June 17

7:00 am †Phyllis Allen

11:30 am Raistlynn Baros

Wednesday, June 18

7:00 am Fr. Andy Huhtanen, OMV

11:30 am The Pearse Family

Thursday, June 19

7:00 am †Lois Hathaway

11:30 am †Larry and †Rose LeBlanc

Friday, June 20

7:00 am †Michael Anderson

11:30 am Manh Nguyen

Saturday, June 21

8:00 am †Marianne Clancy

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Prayer Corner for the sick and those most in need of our prayers.

Please call the parish office to have the name placed on the list.

Cathy Ballard, Larry Blenert, Federico Casillas, Jim Cunningham,
David DiJiacomo, Arlene Drach, Terry Drach, Nadine Karius,
Connie Magers, Steve Mills, Ben Otten, Larry Rivera, Richard Sandoval,
Patrick Schaefer, Sandy Zamudio, Trini Zamudio

PRAY FOR ALL OUR SERVICE MEN AND WOMEN

LTJG Patrick D. Mahoney, Jr., US Navy	Richard Dottenwhy, E7 Army
Benjamin Jacob Lucero, US Navy	Tim Harper Vedra, USAF
M SGT D.J. Hagberg, Air Force	Maj. Sean Dzierzanowski, USMC
LTJG Gemma Nowak, US Navy	ENS Rebecca Nowak, MC, USNR
MIDN Vincent Nowak, USNR	Taylor Donohue, US Navy
Claire Clancy, US Navy	Maj. Joseph Conrad Accountius
Rogelio Tellez, USMC	ENS Ryan Tierney, USN

Teen Service Project Calling all teens to participate in a Saturday service project! On June 28 join us for 8am Mass, then stay after to prepare lunch for the needy and serve on our sandwich line. Contact the parish office to be added to the mailing list for this group.

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HOLY GHOST NEWS



Love Holy Ghost? Register as a Parishioner!

Parish registration is not necessary; however, it helps us stay in touch and serve you better. Whether or not you live within our official territory, we invite you to consider making Holy Ghost your parish and registering!

We also encourage now-adult children of the parish to register independently from their parents.

Also, remember that everyone is invited to sign up for emails and text message updates via Flocknote, as well as follow our social media pages on Facebook and Instagram.



Order of Christian Initiation of Adults (OCIA)



Registration is now open for 2025-2026!

Do you want to become Catholic? Or do you know someone who wants to become Catholic? Maybe you still need to be confirmed? Or just want a refresher on the catechism? Wherever you're at, prayerfully consider joining us for OCIA, where we will prepare students to receive Sacraments of Initiation next Easter!

The summer schedule is Tuesdays, 7-9pm.

For more information, email Fr. Jonathon at frjonathon@holyghostchurch.org.

Corpus Christi Celebrations

Sunday, June 22 after the 12 noon Mass: Eucharistic Procession

We will hold a traditional Eucharistic Procession starting at the end of the noon Mass. The route will encircle the church and walk a few blocks to the location of the original Holy Ghost Church at 1950 Curtis St. before returning to Holy Ghost (0.67 mile route).

Adoration will continue in church throughout the afternoon.

We are in need of volunteers to carry the canopy, as well as to serve as crossing guards. Please contact Fr. Paul to volunteer.

Lastly, the Knights of Columbus will be present throughout the morning and after the procession offering breakfast burritos for sale as a prolife fundraiser.



HYGA Holy Ghost Young Adults
Thursdays 7-9 pm *Holy Ghost parish hall*



A community where Catholic young adults (ages 21-35) can share their faith and encourage each other to grow in charity and holiness.

June 19 HGYA Social

Trivia at Stoney's Bar and Grill on Lincoln St.

June 26 Sacraments Night

Holy hour with adoration and confessions

For more information or to join our mailing list, please contact hgva.ministry@gmail.com or scan the QR code above for GroupMe.



Prolife Ministries Save your loose change or invite your friends to donate to our prolife fund, which supports activities within the parish and local life-affirming ministries. Return your filled bottles this weekend, Father's Day weekend (June 14-15).

Save the Date

Parish Picnic Sunday, July 13 11am to 4pm

PARISH PICNIC

The picnic is our premier annual gathering as a parish and commemorates the dedication of the upper church in 1943 on July 8th. Hamburgers, hot dogs and drinks will be provided.

On the day of the picnic, those with last names beginning with A-K, please bring a side dish; those with last names beginning with L-Z, please bring a dessert to share.

Volunteer Meeting Sunday, June 29 at 1pm in the Parish Hall.

Contact Willard Juarez at 303-981-0335.

No advance signup is necessary.

Catholic Faith Camp 2025 will be July 28 - August 1!

This is our annual Vacation Bible School offering, for students ages 5-11, with many opportunities for adults and teens to volunteer.

Register at <https://form.jotform.com/251484084576162> or use the QR code to the right.

Prospective adult volunteers, please contact the parish office at this time.



Ongoing Activities and Groups

Contact the Parish Office to connect!

Mondays (not 1st Monday of the month) 7:15-9pm: Fully Alive, Men's Group

Tuesdays at 7pm: Adult Faith Formation and OCIA

Wednesdays 6-8pm: Women After Mary's Heart of Mercy

Thursdays at 7pm: Holy Ghost Young Adults

One Saturday/month: Holy Ghost Youth Ministry (Teens)

Saturdays as announced, 8:30am: St. Rita Intercessory Prayer Group



COMMUNITY EVENTS

- St. Ignatius Parish Family Fellowship Day:** Sunday, June 22 following their 10:00am Mass, 2301 York Street, Denver. Hamburgers and hot dogs provided. Please bring a dish to share! Questions or to RSVP: family@loyoladenv.org
- Jubilee 2025 Mass for Eucharistic Adorers:** Sunday, June 22 at 10:30am at the Cathedral Basilica.
- 4th Annual Denver Catholic Special Needs Support Group Summer Potluck:** Sunday, June 29, 4-6pm, Carpenter Park in Thornton. There's an inclusive playground and water area, so bring your suit and some food to share! RSVP Kate Anderson at (720) 499-7466 or kateanderson360@gmail.com.