



St. Barbara

Catholic Church

32416 6th Avenue, Black Diamond, WA
98010

www.stbarbarachurch.org

Twenty-Sixth Sunday of Ordinary Time

Celebrate

Sacraments and Liturgy

Main Church

Saturday Vigil Mass: 5 p.m.

Sunday Mass: 8 a.m. (livestreamed) & 10 a.m.

Reconciliation: Saturday from 3:30-4:30 p.m.

Rosary: First Sunday of the month at 9:15 a.m.

Historic Church

Weekday Mass: Wednesday - Friday at 9 a.m.

Adoration & Anointing of the Sick: First Friday of each month, following daily Mass

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St. Barbara Parish Office

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Parish News

Thank you Volunteer Landscapers for all your hard work!



Thank you Debbie and Gary Reed, Barry Cook, Zack Midles, Young Kim, Stephen Healy, and Luca Maricich for tending to the lawn care, grotto care, parking lot clean up and tree care on the parish property.

We are so grateful for your dedication! We know many parishioners have helped throughout the years and we are extremely thankful to everyone that has devoted their time to keeping our grounds looking beautiful.

Prayer Corner

Let us pray

For those who have died including
Mary Rasmussen & Rick Crump
(*husband of Rose Crump*)

For those who are sick including
Jerry Cullivan

*Please call the Parish Office to have a name added
to the bulletin prayer list.*



Black Diamond Food Bank



The Food Bank welcomes all donations. They are specifically seeking Hamburger Helper and Peanut Butter

Thank you for your generous donations!

Anniversary and Birthday Blessing

Join us this weekend for a special blessing for those that celebrate an anniversary and birthday during the month of September.

Happening Now



Last Chance!

This is the final weekend to purchase raffle tickets for a chance to win the beautiful quilt and other wonderful items displayed in the narthex!

Parishioners who are unable to attend the auction and wish to support "Raise the Hall" will have an opportunity to win an item donated for the auction. Raffle tickets are open to everyone for \$5.00/ticket.

Winning tickets will be drawn at the auction on October 1
Winners will be notified by phone.
Thank you for your support!

Faith Formation

Faith Formation Returns

Elementary (grades 3rd-5th)
9:00 - 10:00 a.m.

In between mass time
Lower Classroom K

First Communion & Reconciliation
9:00 - 10:00 a.m.

In between mass time
Lower Classroom K

Sunday School (grades PreK-2nd)
10:00 - 11:00 a.m.

During the 10:00 a.m. mass
Lower Classroom K

Confirmation and Youth Group!

Confirmation and Youth Group class begin this weekend, September 25th 11:30-1:00
Still want to register?

Contact Allison Ramirez at
allison@stbarabarachurch.org

Youth Choir

Are you a youth interested in singing, or playing an instrument at mass?

Please contact

Kathryn Baker music@stbarabarachurch.org
Next Rehearsal September 25th

Thank you Knights of Columbus For a delicious Pancake Breakfast!

After a successful Pancake Breakfast last weekend, September 18th, the Knights of Columbus were able to raise funds for Coats for Kids.

Thank you to all that donated to this wonderful cause.



If you have interest in joining the Knights of Columbus St. Barbara Council please visit WWW.KOFC11736.ORG

Catholic Reflections

The Gloria

“And suddenly there was a multitude of the heavenly host with the angel, praising God and saying: ‘Glory to God in the highest and on earth peace to those on whom his favor rests.’” Luke 2: 13-14

The Gloria is an important moment of unity in the church where everyone, including the priest, can joyfully sing unto the Lord. This glorious moment follows the Kyrie or the Penitential Rite so that we may celebrate the mass with a clean heart. We have taken time to ask for God’s forgiveness now we join with the angels in thanking God for his mercy.

The Gloria is one of the oldest hymns in the history of the church dating back to the third century. The Gloria was used as a prayer in the East and later translated to Latin by Saint Hilary of Poitiers in the year 360. The first recorded usage of the Gloria is in the bible during the Christmas story when the angels joyfully announced the coming of Jesus to the shepherds as they watched over the flocks by night. At first the Gloria was only sung when a bishop was the celebrant during mass, but the magnificent hymn quickly mesmerized priests and faithful. Permission was soon granted for priests to use the hymn during Easter service and then in the 12th century during mass as it is today.

There are two times during the year in which the congregation does not sing the Gloria, Advent and Lent. The Gloria of the mass is omitted during Advent and Lent so that the congregation may concentrate on the penitential nature of the season. After a time of repentance, we look forward to celebrating with the angels and the jubilant return of the Gloria for Christmas and Easter.

This angelic hymn is a musical exclamation of the Lord’s compassion through his son, Jesus Christ. What a blessing that we can continue the tradition of this ancient hymn and profess its beauty together at mass. ~ By Katie Baker

Adult Education

Hey, Have You Heard!! Catholic Stuff Back!!



Come find out more about our Catholic faith (and other Catholic stuff) in a fun, relaxed atmosphere. Come to one, some or all classes.

No registration needed
Wednesday nights. 7:00-8:30 p.m.
Lower Level of the Church

Questions? Contact:
Valerie Winston Healy

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Are you curious about being Catholic RCIA Monday Nights!



It’s never too late to start the journey.

Come and join us.

No registration needed.

Monday nights 7:00 to 8:30 p.m.

Lower level of the church.

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Come join the Prayer Shawl Ministry
All crochet and knitting levels Welcome!
Next meeting October 12th at 9:45
In the Parish Office

New to the Parish? Need to Register? WELCOME!

We are glad you are here. If you haven't registered, please register online at www.stbarbarachurch.org/registration or complete the yellow parish registration form found in the Main Church entry way.



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Come Join liturgical ministries

We are seeking

*Ambassadors/Ushers

*Lectors

*Eucharistic Ministers

Saturday 5:00 p.m. mass &

Sunday 8:00 & 10:00 a.m. mass times

contact Carol Morgan at liturgy@stbarbarachurch.org

