



# SHRINE of SAINT THERESE

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Making God known and loved  
by humbly and joyfully  
sharing our gifts, spreading the Gospel,  
celebrating the Sacraments, and  
trusting Jesus using *The Little Way of St. Therese*

JANUARY 5, 2025

## THE EPIPHANY OF THE LORD



The Wise Men followed the star, and thus came to Jesus, to the great Light which enlightens everyone coming into this world (cf Jn 1:9). As pilgrims of faith, the Wise Men themselves became stars shining in the firmament of history and they show us the way. The saints are God's true constellations, which light up the nights of this world, serving as our guides.

--Homily of His Holiness Benedict XVI January 2013

### Daily Mass Schedule

Tuesday—Friday  
7:00 a.m.  
1st Saturday  
7:00 a.m.

### Weekend Mass Schedule

Saturday  
4:30 p.m.  
Sunday  
8:00 a.m. (Livestream to YouTube  
& 11:00 a.m.)

### Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturday  
3:00—4:00 p.m.  
Or by appointment

### Office Hours

Monday -Friday  
9:00 a.m.—Noon  
&  
Monday-Thursday  
1:00 p.m.—3:30 p.m.

Liturgy of the Hours—Morning Prayer Tuesday—Friday 6:30am

Eucharistic Adoration in St. Therese Chapel: Tuesday—Friday; 7:30am to 6:00pm. Rosary & Benediction begin at 6:00pm

**Ministry Schedule for January 11th & January 12th****Saturday, January 11th 4:30 pm**

- Lector—Joanna Goodman
- Altar Servers - Josh Costello, Tony Manalo
- Sacristan - Ron Diodosio
- EMHC— Cindy Elliott, Vince Perez,  
Connie Roman
- Porter - Connie Roman

**Sunday, January 12th— 8:00 am**

- Lector – Kim Dernovsek
- Altar Servers - Nate Hawkins,  
Henry & Liam Shea
- Sacristan - Michele Prado-Landreth
- EMHC—Doug & Barbara Berg,  
Pablo Pedroza
- Porter—Carl Amato

Coffee &amp; Donuts—Doug &amp; Barbara Berg

**Sunday, January 12th—11:00am**

- Lector—Bruce Lundberg
- Altar Servers - Carlo & Eero Skilling
- Sacristan - Al Pearson
- EMHC— Tom & Isabel Starnes,  
Karen Lundberg
- Porter - Rich Bassi, Mary Sandoval

**EPIPHANY HOUSE BLESSING 2025**

Taking a piece of blessed chalk the following prayer is said by a priest, or by the head of the home or senior member of the family, at the main entrance to the house. All family members should be present.

*Let us Pray:*

*Hear us, O Holy Lord, Father Almighty, Eternal God, and send Thy Holy Angel from heaven to watch over, cherish, protect, be with, and defend all who live in this house. We call upon Thy Saints: Caspar [Gaspar], Melchior and Baltazar, to protect this family and this home from every harm and danger, and we place the marks of their holy names on the doors of this home to remain there as a constant reminder to us and to all who enter here that this house is truly a house of the Lord.*

(now write with chalk over the door:)

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*O God, make the door of this house wide enough to receive all who need human love and companionship, narrow enough to shut out all envy, pride and strife. Make its threshold smooth enough to be no stumbling block to children, nor to straying feet, but rugged and strong enough to turn back the Tempter's power. O God, make the door of this house the gateway to Thy eternal Kingdom. We ask these things in the name of Jesus Christ, Thy Son. Amen.*

The Shrine of St. Therese Council of Catholic Women will NOT meet on Thursday January 9th.

**Pueblo District CCW (PDCCW)**

Will be holding their quarterly meeting at the Shrine on **January 16th** in the hospitality room.

Meeting begins at 9:00am. Mass will be celebrated at 11am; lunch and speaker will be at 12pm. Cost is \$12.

If you have a hearing impairment and require assistive listening support at Masses, please contact the parish office for information. 

**READINGS FOR THE WEEK Jan. 6 —Jan. 12**

Monday: 1 Jn 3:22-4:6; Ps 2:7bc-8,10-12a;  
Mt 4:12-17,23-25

Tuesday: 1 Jn 4:7-10; Ps 72:1-4,7-8; Mk 6:34-44

Wednesday: 1 Jn 4:11-18; Ps 72:1-2,10,12-13; Mk 6:45-52

Thursday 1 Jn 4:19-5:4; Ps 72:1-2,14&15bc,17; Lk 4:14-22

Friday: 1 Jn 5:5-13; Ps 147:12-15,19-20; Lk 5:12-16

Saturday: 1 Jn 5:14-21; Ps 149:1-6a,9b; Jn 3:22-30

Sunday: Is 42:1-4,6-7; Ps 29:1-4,9-10;

Acts 10:34-38; Lk 3:15-16,21-22

**Little Flower Sewing Group would like to make available, AT NO CHARGE, the following items:**

**\*Saddle bags for walkers    \*Lap Robes  
\*Adult bibs    \*Blankets    \*Newborn Layettees**

**If you or someone you know could use these items, please call the Little Flower Sewing Group at (719) 545-9223. The items are offered free of charge and we will arrange delivery at your convenience.**

Faith Formation

January 2025 Schedule

Jan 12<sup>th</sup> Class

Parent Meeting (after drop-off)

Jan 19<sup>th</sup> Class

Children's Mass

Young Disciples meet during class

Jan 26<sup>th</sup> Class

Jan 31<sup>st</sup> & Feb 1<sup>st</sup>

NET retreat for middle school and high school @ the Cathedral of the Sacred of Heart (Confirmation & OCIC children to attend).



**NET Youth Retreat**



Baptism Classes

Next 3 sessions scheduled for:

Saturdays January 11th, 18th & 25th, 2025

9:00am – 10:30am

Contact Mary Sandoval in the parish office with questions, or

email: [baptism@sostpueblo.org](mailto:baptism@sostpueblo.org)



Jubilee 2025 Prayer

Father in heaven,  
may the *faith* you have given us  
in your son, Jesus Christ, our brother,  
and the flame of *charity* enkindled  
in our hearts by the Holy Spirit,  
reawaken in us the blessed *hope*  
for the coming of your Kingdom.

May your grace transform us  
into tireless cultivators of the seeds of the Gospel.  
May those seeds transform from within  
both humanity and the whole cosmos  
in the sure expectation  
of a new heaven and a new earth,  
when, with the powers of Evil vanquished,  
your glory will shine eternally.

May the grace of the Jubilee  
reawaken in us, *Pilgrims of Hope*,  
a yearning for the treasures of heaven.

May that same grace spread  
the joy and peace of our Redeemer  
throughout the earth.

To you our God, eternally blessed,  
be glory and praise for ever.

Amen

OCIA CLASSES WITH DEACON CARL COOK  
TUESDAY, **JANUARY 7<sup>th</sup>** 6:15pm – 7:30pm  
in the hospitality room.

Who is OCIA for?



Non-Catholics who want to find out more  
about the Catholic Faith

Those who want to join the Catholic Church  
through Baptism, or Profession of Faith

Those who were baptized Catholic as infants  
but never received religious education,  
Confirmation, or First Eucharist.

Adult Formation with Deacon Carl

Sundays 9:30-10:30am in the hospitality room.

Everyone is invited to attend.

And behold, the star that they had seen at its rising preceded them, until it came and stopped over the place where the child was. Mt 2:9



**Diocese of Pueblo is seeking an HR Manager**

Applications for this position will be accepted until January 28, 2025.

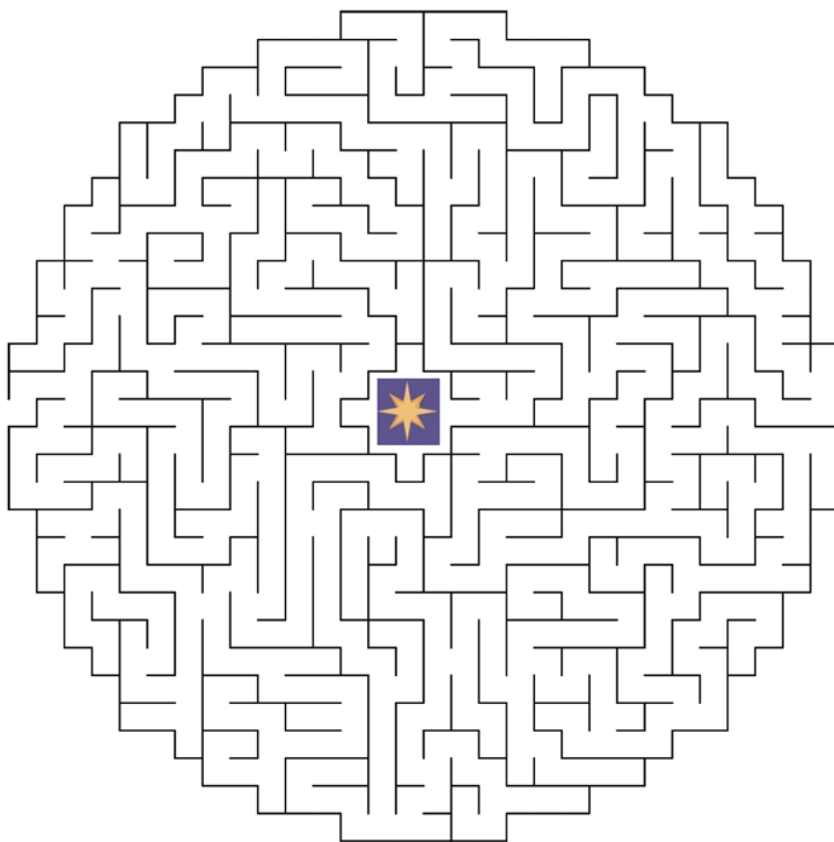
For detailed position description visit diopueblo.org.

To apply for this position, please complete a Diocese of Pueblo application and send to:

Lovae Castillo, HR Department, 101 N. Greenwood, Pueblo, CO 81003.

Or, you may email

lcastillo@dioceseofpueblo.org



Lord Jesus, we need Your healing touch! There are areas of infirmities in our bodies, and diseases weakening people we love. The pain isolates and shrinks us. Today, Lord Jesus, we place our physical pain and the hurt of family and friends before You, reaching out as young St. Therese of Lisieux did, for the healing power and peace that only heaven can give. With hope and gratitude we seek Your healing touch. We ask You this, who teaches us confidence and trust in Your love.

Offertory Summary  
 Ordinary Time  
 (12/25/2024-12/29/2024)  
 Stewardship all Masses: \$18,286.31  
 Thank you for your continued generosity.



**Cooperative Care Center's wish for the month of January is for: Canned Food, Soup, Ramen**  
 As well as the following items: socks, gloves, and clothing for men and babies.  
 Put your donation in the food cart.  
 Thank You!

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