

ST. MARY OF THE ROCKIES CATHOLIC CHURCH

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Mass Schedule

Weekdays Tuesday-Friday 8:30AM, Saturday Evening 4:00PM
Sunday Morning 9:00AM, Weekday Holy Days 9:00AM & 6:00PM

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturday Evening 3:00PM - 3:45PM
Thursday Morning 9:00AM - 10:00AM

Adoration

Thursday Morning 9:00AM concluding with
Benediction at 10:00AM
For weddings, contact the office six months in advance
Other Sacraments, contact the office
Religious Education, contact the office

Third Sunday Of Lent

Repent says the Lord. The Kingdom of heaven is at hand.

March 23, 2025



Mass Intentions for the Week

Saturday, March 22 Mass at 4:00PM

Lenten Weekday

For: Marie Elliott (D) By: Daughter

Sunday, March 23 Mass at 9:00AM

Third Sunday Of Lent

For: Living and deceased parishioners
of St. Mary of the Rockies

Monday, March 24 NO MASS

Lenten Weekday

Tuesday, March 25 Mass at 8:30AM

THE ANNUNCIATION OF THE LORD

For: The Rowe Family (D) By: Family

Wednesday, March 26 Mass at 8:30AM

Lenten Weekday

For: November Prayer Basket

Thursday, March 27 Mass at 8:30AM

Lenten Weekday

For: Derek Weingardt (D) By: Pence Family

Friday, March 28 Mass at 8:30AM

Lenten Weekday

For: Vincent Kraft (D) By: Family

Saturday, March 29 Mass at 4:00PM

Lenten Weekday

For: Souls In Purgatory and Blessed Virgin Mary


By: Private

Sunday, March 30 Mass at 9:00AM

Fourth Sunday of Lent

For: Living and deceased parishioners
of St. Mary of the Rockies

Prayer Requests

 Bret Melby, Alma Jerome,
Mike Pesta, Maddie Mann,
Mary Beth Raichart,
Karen Satriano, Sharon Fous, Kristin Wallace,
Pearl Hartling, Randy Whitesell,
Albert Rhein & Family, Michele Salentine,
Jean Anne Saiz, Hope Pinkelman

We encourage parishioners to pray for our friends and family members. Contact the office with requests to add or remove names, 303-838-2375. Names will remain on this list for four (4) weeks unless otherwise requested.

May Jesus, the Divine Physician, restore them to the fullness of life and health and liberate them from all afflictions, let us pray to the Lord.

Readings for the week of March 23

Sunday: Ex 31-8a, 13-15; Ps 103:1-4, 6-8, 11;
1 Cor 10:1-6, 10-12; Lk 13:1-9

Monday: 2 Kgs 5:1-15b; Pss 42:2-3; 43:3-4; Lk 4:24-30

Tuesday: Is 7:10-14; 8:10; Ps 40:7-11; Heb 10:4-10;
Lk 1:26-38

Wednesday: Dt 4:1, 5-9; Ps 147:12-13, 15-16, 19-20;
Mt 5:17-19

Thursday: Jer 7:23-28; Ps 95:1-2, 6-9; Lk 11:14-23

Friday: Ho 14:2-10; Ps 81:6c-11b, 14, 17; Mk 12:28-34

Saturday: Hos 6:1-6; Ps 51:3-4, 18:-21b; Lk 18:9-14

Stations Of The Cross

Fridays 4:30PM, March 28 & April 4 and 11
Good Friday April 18, 4:00PM

The True Name Of God

"This is my name...thus am I to be remembered through all generations."

(Exod. 3:15)

We strive to be the living presence of Jesus Christ in our community life, our worship of God and forming our children and adults in the Catholic Faith. We, as a parish, believe in good stewardship of what God has given us by sharing our gifts of time, talent and treasure with others.

Saturday March 29, 4:00PM Mass

EMHC: Shirley Moroney

Lector: Steve Bort

Sacristan: Roger Moroney

Collections: Jean Bort

Sunday March 30, 9:00AM Mass

EMHC: Grace Velasquez & Kathy Pence

Lector: Glenn Pence

Sacristan: Patty Schmidt

Collections: OPEN

April Church Linens - Melanie Brown

Counter(s), March 24 – Lynn & Bob Salentine



Fiscal Year 2024/2025

Offertory Budget: \$132,800

Weekly Offertory Budget: \$2,554

March 15/16: \$1,243

Online Giving: \$723

Difference: \$588 Less



2025 Returning God's Gifts Goal: \$9,046

Pledged: \$4,289 Percent of Goal Pledged: 47%

Collected: \$1,695 Percent of Goal Collected: 19%

What is a Mass Intention? Whenever a priest celebrates Mass, he has at least two specific intentions. The first intention is to celebrate the Mass according to the rubrics the Church provides for how to say the Mass. The second is to apply the grace of that Mass toward a specific need or intention. A Mass intention is a specific petition for which the Mass is offered. Mass intentions can be requested on behalf of another living person—for example, the healing of someone who is sick—or to commemorate a wedding anniversary. However, Mass intentions are most commonly offered in remembrance of a person who has died.

We don't "pay for Masses," because we cannot possibly afford it, since the value of the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass is infinite. But it's good for the faithful to request a Mass for a specific intention and at the same time to make an offering to the priest to help support him. The usual stipend for the priest is \$10.

If you would like to offer a Mass intention for friends, family or a loved one, please call the office. 303-838-2375

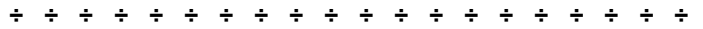
WOULD YOU LIKE TO GO TO CONFESSION, but have not been in awhile or are unsure of what to say?

If you need help, simply ask the priest and he will help you through the steps to make a good confession.

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturday Evening 3:00PM - 3:45PM

Thursday Morning 9:00AM - 10:00AM



Lent Penance Service

Sunday, April 6

10:00AM (After Sunday Mass)



Encountering Christ Our Hope

Pope Francis gives us a clear vision for the Jubilee Year of Hope (December 24, 2024-January 6, 2026): "For everyone, may the Jubilee be a moment of gratitude, personal encounter with the Lord Jesus, the 'door' of our salvation, whom the Church is charged to proclaim always, everywhere and to all as 'our hope.'"

Renewal of our hope in Christ (cont. from previous bulletin) Hope invites us to rely on others, those whom God sends into our lives to accompany us in our journey of faith. When we rely only on ourselves, trying to control external events and determine their outcomes, we sin against hope by denying that we are pilgrims whose lives are a journey of faith ultimately in the hands of God.

At the root of hope is trust. Christ our hope is often depicted as an anchor, symbolizing the reality that no matter what comes our way - whether it be trials, disappointment, failures, or suffering - we are firmly anchored to Christ, and He never moves away from us. To have hope in God, we must first trust Him and know God has a specific plan for us. We must know that the drama of our lives that is unfolding daily is guided by God's providential love. This will not only lead to hope in God, but also to our true happiness and peace. "Our great drama is this: Man does not have confidence in God. Hence, he looks in every possible place to extricate himself from his own resources and renders himself terribly unhappy in the process rather than abandoning himself into the tender and saving hands of his Father in heaven." (Fr. Jacques Philippe) Each day should start with a hopeful entrustment to God and a surrendering to His loving plan for us. (diocs.org)

When you dream in color, it is a pigment of your imagination.



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