

March 28, 2021 – PALM (PASSION) SUNDAY (B)



Rocky Mountain House - St. Matthew

ST. MATTHEW PARISH AND MISSIONS

Rocky Mountain House - St. Matthew Church
 Caroline - St. Joseph the Workman Church
 Evergreen - Jesuit Martyrs Church



Evergreen - Jesuit Martyrs



Caroline - St. Joseph



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TRIDUUM SERVICES IN OUR CHURCHES

APR. 01, 2021	HOLY THURSDAY	05.00 PM – 06.00 PM	Evergreen	Mass of the Last Supper	REGISTER ONLINE	▶
		06.00 PM – 06.30 PM	Evergreen	Adoration	No registration	
		07.00 PM – 08.00 PM	RMH	Mass of the Last Supper	REGISTER ONLINE	▶
		08.00 PM – 09.00 PM	RMH	Adoration	No registration	
APR. 02, 2021	GOOD FRIDAY	01.00 PM	Caroline	Service of Lord's Passion	REGISTER ONLINE	▶
		03.00 PM	Evergreen	Service of Lord's Passion	REGISTER ONLINE	
		03.00 PM	RMH	Service of Lord's Passion	REGISTER ONLINE	
		07.00 PM	Evergreen	Stations of the Cross	REGISTER ONLINE	
		07.00 PM	RMH	Stations of the Cross	REGISTER ONLINE	
APR. 03, 2021	HOLY SATURDAY	11.00 AM	RMH	Blessing of Food Baskets	No registration	▶
		09.00 PM	RMH	Easter Vigil Ceremonies	REGISTER ONLINE	
APR. 04, 2021	EASTER SUNDAY	09.00 AM	RMH	Mass of the Resurrection	REGISTER ONLINE	▶
		11.00 AM	Evergreen	Mass of the Resurrection	REGISTER ONLINE	
		01.00 PM	Caroline	Mass of the Resurrection	REGISTER ONLINE	

**REGISTER
ONLINE**

**PLEASE, REGISTER YOUR ATTENDANCE ONLINE
FOR INDICATED ABOVE CELEBRATIONS**

For more information, please contact parish office.

REGISTRATION WILL BE OPEN A WEEK BEFORE THE DATE

AN INVITATION TO A HOLY WEEK

As we are starting HOLY WEEK, I invite you to journey and worship together as parish community. In HOLY WEEK, we find God drawing close indeed, in His Son and through His Son's actions - like sacrifice, forgiveness, struggle and doubt. In Holy Week we find a human God and a God who desires our humanity be much more divine. That is tough stuff and often the kind of stuff which keeps us away from Church!

HOLY WEEK calls us to really journey with Jesus as Christian people! I invite our parish family to make HOLY WEEK a Christian discipline of practice - which may be truly life-changing and life-transforming. Anyone who has embraced the journey through ALL OF HOLY WEEK, Palm Sunday through Easter Vigil, will come away with a knowledge, appreciation, challenge and inspiration for the Christian faith - which can only be found by worshiping God in His deepest humanity.

Dear friends in Christ, journey with me this Holy Week as a spiritual discipline of faith. Attend our parish services in person or online: on Holy Thursday, Good Friday, Easter Vigil or Easter Sunday of HOLY WEEK.... Your Easter Sunday will not only be more meaningful and your understanding and life in the Gospel more complete and deep - but you will indeed embrace the humanity of God and the divinity of every human person.



PALM (PASSION) SUNDAY

MARCH 28, 2021

This is Jesus' triumphal entry into Jerusalem. Jesus had visited Jerusalem before, but He never did so in this way. Previously He had not wanted to be recognized as the Messiah; He avoided the enthusiasm of the crowd; but now He accepts their acclaim and even implies that it is justified, by entering the city in the style of a peace-loving king. Jesus' public ministry is about to come to a close: He has completed His mission; He has preached and worked miracles; He has revealed Himself as God the Father wished He should; and now in this triumphal entry into Jerusalem He shows that He is the Messiah.

HOLY THURSDAY

APRIL 01, 2021

Mass of the Lord's Supper: On Holy Thursday we remember the Last Supper and that Jesus gave himself in the Eucharist. We recall that Jesus chose his Apostles to serve and lead the Church. Remembering that Jesus washed their feet at the Last Supper, the priest washes the feet of members of the congregation. Holy Thursday is a special day for all priests since it is a day to mark the beginning of the ordained priesthood.



GOOD FRIDAY

APRIL 02, 2021

Good Friday: On Good Friday we remember the death of Jesus. According to an ancient custom, Mass is not celebrated on this day or before the Easter Vigil on Holy Saturday. The celebration of the Lord's passion and death takes place in the afternoon. There are three parts to the liturgy of the day: the Liturgy of the Word; the Veneration of the Cross; and Holy Communion with Hosts consecrated on Holy Thursday.

HOLY SATURDAY

APRIL 03, 2021

Easter Vigil: On Holy Saturday the Church meditates on the suffering and death of Jesus. Then the Church gathers to celebrate the Easter Vigil. The Easter Vigil has four parts: The Service of Light; the Liturgy of the Word; the Liturgy of Baptism; and the Liturgy of the Eucharist.



EASTER SUNDAY

APRIL 04, 2021

Easter Sunday: On Easter Sunday we celebrate the Resurrection of Jesus. This celebration is a joyous sharing in the sacrificial meal of Jesus Christ, Lord and Risen Savior.

ST. JOSEPH BASILICA, EDMONTON MARCH 29, 2021 - 04.00 PM

Only for priests and people representing parishes from the Archdiocese of Edmonton.

CHRISM MASS

LITURGICAL MINISTRIES – ROCKY MOUNTAIN HOUSE

Date and Time	Attendance Recorder	Usher	Proclaimer	Projector Operator
Mar. 27, 2021 at 07.00 PM Palm Sunday	Karen Carmichael	Kent Carmichael	1, 2 & Gospel Narrator - Morgan Duhamel Gospel Speakers - Susanna Duhamel	Audrey Kokesch
Mar. 28, 2021 at 09.00 AM Palm Sunday	Jo-Anne Como	Pat Hughes	1, 2 & Gospel Narrator - Bonnie Leaf Gospel Speakers - Steve Oscar	Amelie MacKenzie
Apr. 01, 2021 at 07.00 PM Holy Thursday	Jo-Anne Como	Audrey Kokesch	Gary Donald	Doreen Quintal
Apr. 02, 2021 at 03.00 PM Good Friday	Mary Kennedy	Mona Cruickshank	1 st , 2 nd & Gospel Narrator - Jim Marland Gospel Speakers - Doreen Quintal	Linda Schmidt
Apr. 03, 2021 at 09.00 PM Easter Vigil	Karen Carmichael	Kent Carmichael	Reading 1 - Bonnie Perreault Reading 3 - Hope Perreault Reading 5 - Morgan Duhamel Epistle - Karen Carmichael	Mona Cruickshank
Apr. 04, 2021 at 09.00 AM Easter Sunday	Becky Marland	Jim Marland	Bonnie Leaf	Mara Gagne

CONFESSIONS & ADORATION

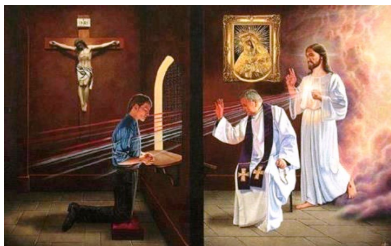
ROCKY MOUNTAIN HOUSE

2021-03-28 Sunday **Rocky Mountain House** **03.00 PM - 04.00 PM** No Registration Needed

CONFESSIONS ONLY

ROCKY MOUNTAIN HOUSE

2021-03-30 Tuesday **Rocky Mountain House** **07.00 PM - 08.00 PM** No Registration Needed



FOOD BANK DONATIONS!

We invite our parishioners to consider donation of food items for our local Food Bank. You can bring your donation during office hours or when you come to the church for the Mass. Collection boxes are placed in the church lobby. Thank you very much for your help!



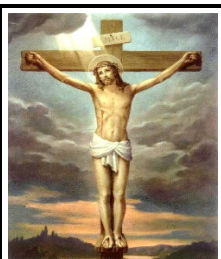
CALLED TO PROTECT WORKSHOP ON ZOOM

Friday - April 16, 2021

Those in church leadership carry a special duty to see that all church employees and volunteers are suitable to be in positions of trust with children and vulnerable persons, and that all church-sponsored activities and programs are conducted in a safe environment. Archdiocese of Edmonton is using the *Called to Protect for Ministries* program to provide safe environment training for all clergy, employees and lay volunteer leaders. • After registering, you will receive a confirmation email containing information about joining the meeting. • Parish members interested in volunteering for ministry at St. Matthew Parish (Rocky Mountain House - Evergreen - Caroline), contact **Ernie Murias, Volunteer Coordinator/Facilitator for information at 403-845-4860 or email: emurias@telusplanet.net and include your phone number.** Ernie is looking forward to hearing from you on or before April 14 to register.

GOOD FRIDAY - DAY OF ABSTINENCE AND FASTING

APRIL 02, 2021



Catholics between the ages of 18 and 59 are obliged to fast on Good Friday.

All Catholics 14 years old and older must abstain from meat on Good Friday.

Fasting means partaking of only one full meal. Some food (not equalling another full meal) is permitted at breakfast and around midday or in the evening – depending on when a person chooses to eat the main or full meal. **Abstinence** forbids the use of meat.

PASTOR - FR. LEON KLER

Deacon (Retired) - Bernie Ouellette
Secretary - Vivian Duhamel

ADMINISTRATION OFFICE

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OFFICE HOURS

Monday - Friday 12.00 PM (Noon) - 04.00 PM

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SUNDAY MASSES

Saturday 07.00 PM Rocky Mountain House
Sunday 09.00 AM Rocky Mountain House
Sunday 11.00 AM Evergreen
Sunday 01.00 PM Caroline

WEEKDAY MASSES

Monday No Mass
Tuesday 06.30 PM - St. Matthew Church, RMH
Wednesday 09.00 AM - St. Matthew Church, RMH
Thursday 09.00 AM - St. Matthew Church, RMH
11.00 AM - Jesuit Martyrs, Evergreen
Friday 09.00 AM - St. Matthew Church, RMH

MONTHLY MASSES

First Wednesday 08.00 AM - St. Matthew School, RMH
First Wednesday 11.00 AM - Eckville Manor, Eckville
First Friday 11.00 AM - Clearwater Centre, RMH
Second Wednesday 08.00 AM - St. Dominic School, RMH
Second Wednesday 11.00 AM - Westview Lodge, RMH
Second Friday 11.00 AM - Ravines at Park Ave., RMH

REQUESTS FOR USE OF CHURCH FACILITIES MUST BE APPROVED BY PASTOR AND BOOKED THROUGH OFFICE.

BAPTISM OF CHILDREN

Contact office if you want your child to be baptized in our parish. Preparation Class is mandatory. For more info, call office.

CONFESSIONS

Anytime by appointment only.

No confession right before weekday and weekend Masses.

MARRIAGE

Contact office if you want to celebrate Sacrament of Marriage in our parish. Preparation is mandatory. For more info, call office.

ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

Every Friday in St. Matthew Church - Rocky Mountain House
9.00 AM MASS ♦ 9.30 AM - 12.00 PM ADORATION

Every First Tuesday of the month in St. Matthew Church - RMH
6.30 PM MASS ♦ 7.00 PM - 8.00 PM HOLY HOUR ADORATION

PARISH WEBSITE → WWW.SMPRMH.CA



MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

LIVESTREAMING ALL MASSES IN ROCKY

We livestream all Weekday and Weekend Masses celebrated in St. Matthew Church in Rocky Mountain House.

ONLINE MASS

NOTE: If you attend the livestreamed Mass your image may be included in the video.

ROCKY MOUNTAIN HOUSE

ALL MASSES LIVE ON YOU TUBE

Saturday March 27, 2021 – Palm (Passion) Sunday
07.00 PM Blessings & grace for the Bailey girls
Sunday March 28, 2021 – Palm (Passion) Sunday
09.00 AM + Colin MacDonald

Monday March 29, 2021 – Monday of the Holy Week
No Mass

Tuesday March 30, 2021 – Tuesday of the Holy Week

06.30 PM ♦♦♦♦♦♦♦♦ No intention requested

Wednesday March 31, 2021 – Wednesday of the Holy Week

09.00 AM For the intentions of Eda Otteson

Thursday April 01, 2021 – Holy Thursday (Lord's Supper)

07.00 PM Birthday blessings for Deacon Bernie

08.00 PM - 09.00 PM → PRIVATE ADORATION IN THE CHURCH

Friday April 02, 2021 – Good Friday (Passion of the Lord)

03.00 PM LORD'S PASSION SERVICE

07.00 PM Way of the Cross

Saturday April 03, 2021 – Holy Saturday (Easter Vigil)

09.00 PM ++ Phil & Ted Ouellette

Sunday April 04, 2021 – Easter Sunday (Resurrection of the Lord)

09.00 AM ♦♦♦♦♦♦♦♦ No intention requested

EVERGREEN

NO LIVESTREAM ON YOU TUBE

Sunday March 28, 2021 – Palm (Passion) Sunday

11.00 AM ♦♦♦♦♦♦♦♦ No intention requested

Thursday April 01, 2021 – Holy Thursday (Lord's Supper)

05.00 PM ♦♦♦♦♦♦♦♦ No intention requested

Friday April 02, 2021 – Good Friday (Passion of the Lord)

03.00 PM LORD'S PASSION SERVICE

07.00 PM Way of the Cross

Sunday April 04, 2021 – Easter Sunday (Resurrection of the Lord)

11.00 AM For God's blessings for all members of our parish communities

CAROLINE

NO LIVESTREAM ON YOU TUBE

Sunday March 28, 2021 – Palm (Passion) Sunday

01.00 PM For God's blessings for all members of our parish communities

Friday April 02, 2021 – Good Friday (Passion of the Lord)

01.00 PM LORD'S PASSION SERVICE

Sunday April 04, 2021 – Easter Sunday (Resurrection of the Lord)

01.00 PM For Father Kaz

MAR. 21, 2021

THANK YOU FOR YOUR FINANCIAL SUPPORT!

SUNDAY COLLECTION: RMH - \$679.00 * Evergreen - \$180.00 * Caroline - \$65.00
TOGETHER WE SERVE RMH - \$150.00 * Evergreen - \$00.00 * Caroline - \$00.00
MAINTENANCE FUND: RMH - \$480.00 * Evergreen - \$00.00 * Caroline - \$00.00
ONLINE + E-TRANSFERS: RMH - \$150.00 * Evergreen - \$250.00 * Caroline - \$25.00

LENTEN RETREAT - FR. DAN GURNICK

Mar. 08 - Apr. 02 • Mon. - Fri. at 07.00 PM Live

www.smprmh.ca/fr_gurnick.htm

