



Rocky Mountain House - St. Matthew

April 10, 2022 – Palm (Passion) Sunday (C)

ST. MATTHEW PARISH & MISSIONS

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



Evergreen - Jesuit Martyrs



Caroline - St. Joseph



Bulletin QR Code

Holy Week Schedule



HOLY WEEK SERVICES IN OUR CHURCHES

Apr. 09, 2022	Palm Sunday	07.00 PM	RMH	Palm Sunday Mass	
Apr. 10, 2022	Palm Sunday	09.00 AM 11.00 AM 01.00 PM	RMH Evergreen Caroline	Palm Sunday Mass Palm Sunday Mass Palm Sunday Mass	
Apr. 11, 2022	Monday	07.00 PM	Edmonton	Chrism Mass (St. Joseph Basilica)	
Apr. 12, 2022	Tuesday	06.30 PM	RMH	Weekday Mass in Holy Week	
Apr. 13, 2022	Wednesday	09.00 AM	RMH	Weekday Mass in Holy Week	
Apr. 14, 2022	Holy Thursday	05.00 PM – 06.00 PM 06.00 PM – 06.30 PM 07.00 PM – 08.00 PM 08.00 PM – 09.00 PM	Evergreen Evergreen RMH RMH	Mass of the Last Supper Adoration Mass of the Last Supper Adoration	
Apr. 15, 2022	Good Friday	03.00 PM 03.00 PM 03.00 PM 07.00 PM 07.00 PM 07.00 PM	Caroline Evergreen RMH Caroline Evergreen RMH	Service of Lord's Passion Service of Lord's Passion Service of Lord's Passion Stations of the Cross Stations of the Cross Stations of the Cross	
Apr. 16, 2022	Holy Saturday	11.00 AM 09.00 PM	RMH RMH	Blessing of Food Baskets Easter Vigil Ceremonies	
Apr. 17, 2022	Easter Sunday	09.00 AM 11.00 AM 01.00 PM	RMH Evergreen Caroline	Mass of the Resurrection Mass of the Resurrection Mass of the Resurrection	

April 14, 2022

HOLY THURSDAY ADORATION

CAN YOU SPEND ONE HOUR WITH JESUS?

On Holy Thursday after the Celebration of the Lord's Supper we are invited to remain in the presence of the Blessed Sacrament like the Apostles were asked to keep vigil with Jesus.

EVERGREEN ♦ 06.00 PM – 06.30 PM

ROCKY MOUNTAIN HOUSE ♦ 08.00 PM – 09.00 PM



Pray, sit, read or meditate in the presence of Jesus. ♦ Allow Him to bless you abundantly in a very special way.

BIBLE STUDY - SUNDAYS

APRIL 10, 2022 – 10.00 AM (Sunday)

RMH**BIBLE STUDY - MONDAYS**

APRIL 11, 2022 – 07.00 PM (Monday)

RMH**CHARISMATIC PRAYER GROUP****TUESDAY - APRIL 12, 2022 • 7.00 PM**

Parish Charismatic Prayer Group meets every Tuesday (except Adoration Tuesdays - First Tuesdays of the month) from 7.00 PM to 8.00 PM. **Mass at 6.30 PM.**

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS – IN-PERSON & VIRTUAL MEETING**TUESDAY – APRIL 12, 2022 • 07.00 PM • Mass at 6.30 PM**

Meeting will be held at the church. All members may attend via Zoom or in person.

**MASS FOR STAFF • IN ST. DOMINIC SCHOOL****Wednesday – April 13, 2022 • 08.00 AM • In St. Dominic School****ADORATION FOR ST. DOMINIC HIGH SCHOOL – ST. MATTHEW CHURCH****Wednesday – April 13, 2022 • 10.30 AM** Group of students in the church + Livestream**GOOD FRIDAY - DAY OF ABSTINENCE AND FASTING****APRIL 15, 2022**

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.

**CREATIVE STATIONS OF THE CROSS 2022****CREATIVE VERSION OF THE STATIONS OF THE CROSS - RMH****Good Friday – April 15, 2022 • 07.00 PM**

Please join us at 07.00 PM on Good Friday for **creative version of the Stations of the Cross in St. Matthew Church in Rocky Mountain House**. It is a unique presentation designed to draw us deeper into prayer through songs & drama. Invite Catholic & non-Catholic friends!

BLESSING OF FOOD BASKETS – ST. MATTHEW CHURCH**Holy Saturday – April 16, 2022 • 11.00 AM** Come as a family. Come alone. Come.**VIRTUAL “CALLED TO PROTECT” WORKSHOP • REGISTER NOW****Tuesday – May 03, 2022 • 07.00 PM - 09.30 PM**

On Tuesday, May 03, 2022 starting at 07.00 PM The Archdiocese of Edmonton will be holding a “Safe Environment and Abuse Prevention”, Called to Protect training session. This is a requirement for all volunteers. The workshop will take place over Zoom. It will be approximately 2.5 hours long. Link to registration form: <https://forms.gle/mCcfrnvNYvQvmGX6>. Please fill it out as soon as possible. For more information, please contact Lucy Kaakyo at lkaakyo@caedm.ca

DEVELOPMENT AND PEACE - CARITAS CANADA**Thank you for giving from the heart to Share Lent 2022!**

Development and Peace - Caritas Canada thanks you for supporting the *People and Planet First* campaign with your Share Lent donation. Your donation will help support our sisters and brothers in Africa, Asia, Latin America and the Middle East. If you have not had a chance to donate, there is still time to place your Share Lent envelope in the offertory or to donate online at devp.org/give. Thank you for continuing to pray for all those who are working to build a world of peace and justice.



LITURGICAL MINISTRIES – ROCKY MOUNTAIN HOUSE

Date and Time	Sacristan	Greeter(s) – Gifts	Proclaimer 1	Proclaimer 2	Projector
Apr. 09, 2022 at 07.00 PM Palm Sunday	Mona Cruickshank	Fitz & Rhonda Caluttung	Doraine Lonsdale	Leo Pelletier	Audrey Kokesch
			Gospel Narrator: Reader S1, S2, S3:	Bernard Couve Laverne Froese	
Apr. 10, 2022 at 09.00 AM Palm Sunday	Becky Marland	Scott & Teresa Johnson	Joyce Donald	Susanna Duhamel	Linda Schmidt
			Gospel Narrator: Reader S1, S2, S3:	Doreen Quintal Barry Kirtzinger	
Apr. 14, 2022 at 07.00 PM Holy Thursday	Becky Marland	Morgan & Susanna Duhamel	Steve Oscar	Doraine Lonsdale	Brody Oscar
Apr. 15, 2022 at 03.00 PM Good Friday	Audrey Kokesch	Orville & Adela Kittelson	Bonnie Leaf	Gary Donald	Linda Schmidt
			Gospel Narrator: Reader S1, S2, S3:	Jim Marland Becky Marland	
Apr. 16, 2022 at 09.00 PM Easter Vigil	Mona Cruickshank	Scott & Linda Collinson	Reading 1: (First) Reading 2: (Third) Reading 3: (Fifth) Epistle:	Hope Perreault Ele Collinson Bonnie Perreault Leo Pelletier	Lura Collinson
Apr. 17, 2022 at 09.00 AM Easter Sunday	Becky Marland	Knights of Columbus and CWL will look after ministries on this day			Linda Schmidt

LITURGICAL MINISTRIES – EVERGREEN

Date and Time	Proclaimer 1	Proclaimer 2	Gifts Bearers
Apr. 10, 2022 at 11.00 AM Palm Sunday	Dennis Nugent Gospel "N" Justin Szymanek	Lori Hoven Gospel "S" Juanita Szymanek	Mark & Juanita Szymanek & family
Apr. 14, 2022 at 05.00 PM Holy Thursday	Roy Hoven	Margie Miller	Pat Lafferty & Marion Schafer
April 15, 2022 at 03.00 PM Good Friday	Simon Szymanek Gospel "N": Dennis Nugent	Joseph Hoven Gospel "S": Congregation	No procession with gifts
April 17, 2022 at 11.00 AM Easter Sunday	Jim Backs	Therese Hoven	Roy & Eileen Hoven

AN INVITATION TO A HOLY WEEK

As we approach 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 worshipping God in His deepest humanity.

Dear friends in Christ, journey with me this Holy Week as a spiritual discipline of faith. Attend services, 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.

Fr. Leon Kler

PASTOR - FR. LEON KLER

Deacon (Retired) - Bernie Ouellette
Deacon - Clarence Otteson
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

See the parish website for details.

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

ONLINE MASS | ONLINE MASS

Livestreamed Masses continue for those who are unable to attend Mass in person. www.smprmh.ca/mass_online.htm

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

ROCKY MOUNTAIN HOUSE

ALL MASSES LIVE ON YOU TUBE

Saturday April 09, 2022 – Palm (Passion) Sunday
07.00 PM For a special intention
Sunday April 10, 2022 – Palm (Passion) Sunday
09.00 AM + Linda Simard

Monday April 11, 2022 – Monday of Holy Week
No Mass

Tuesday April 12, 2022 – Tuesday of Holy Week
06.30 PM For all our parishioners' unbaptized children and grandchildren

Wednesday April 13, 2022 – Wednesday of Holy Week
08.00 AM Mass for school staff in St. Dominic School
09.00 AM For healing of family trees

Thursday April 14, 2022 – Holy Thursday (Lord's Supper)
07.00 PM Blessings and grace for Father Leon

08.00 PM - 09.00 PM → ADORATION

Friday April 15, 2022 – Good Friday (Passion of the Lord)
03.00 PM Lord's Passion Service

Saturday April 16, 2022 – Holy Saturday (Easter Vigil)
09.00 PM ++ Derrick Owchar & Darren Owchar

Sunday April 17, 2022 – Easter Sunday (Resurrection of the Lord)
09.00 AM + Milly McKenzie

EVERGREEN

NO LIVESTREAM ON YOU TUBE

Sunday April 10, 2022 – Palm (Passion) Sunday
11.00 AM ♦♦♦♦♦♦♦♦ No intention requested

Thursday April 14, 2022 – Holy Thursday (Lord's Supper)
05.00 PM + Art Cinnamon

06.00 PM - 06.30 PM → ADORATION

Friday April 15, 2022 – Good Friday (Passion of the Lord)
03.00 PM Lord's Passion Service

Sunday April 17, 2022 – 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 April 10, 2022 – Palm (Passion) Sunday
01.00 PM For God's blessings for all members of our parish communities

Friday April 15, 2022 – Good Friday (Passion of the Lord)
03.00 PM Lord's Passion Service

Sunday April 17, 2022 – Easter Sunday (Resurrection of the Lord)
01.00 PM For Mary Fedemma & family – deceased & living

APRIL 03, 2022

THANK YOU FOR YOUR FINANCIAL SUPPORT!

SUNDAY COLLECTION: RMH - \$2,820.00 * Evergreen - \$320.00 * Caroline - \$115.00
MAINTENANCE FUND: RMH - \$315.00 * Evergreen - \$20.00 * Caroline - \$00.00
ONLINE + E-TRANSFERS: RMH - \$00.00 * Evergreen - \$00.00 * Caroline - \$00.00

TOTAL: **\$3,590.00**

TOGETHER WE SERVE: RMH - \$230.00 * Evergreen - \$20.00 * Caroline - \$00.00
DEVELOPMENT & PEACE: RMH - \$950.00 * Evergreen - \$145.00 * Caroline - \$230.00
INDIGENOUS FUND: RMH - \$2,110.00 * Evergreen - \$00.00 * Caroline - \$00.00