

Rocky Mountain House - St. Matthew

May 15, 2022 – 05 Sunday of Easter (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



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POPE FRANCIS IS COMING TO CANADA

JULY 24 - 29, 2022 • Edmonton - Quebec - Iqaluit

“The Holy Father is coming to meet with Indigenous Peoples of this land on a pilgrimage of healing, reconciliation and hope.” *Archbishop Richard Smith*

“We are delighted to welcome Pope Francis among us, and are very grateful to him for accepting the invitation of the Indigenous Peoples, the Canadian Bishops, and the federal government to visit us in our common homeland.” Visit website: www.papalvisit.ca

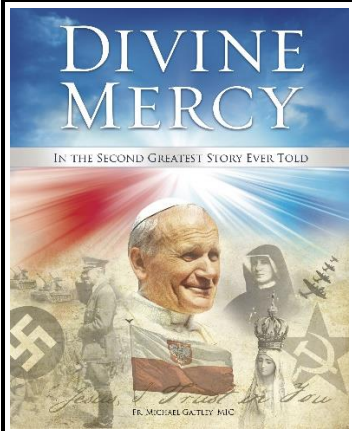
INVITATION → → →

CWL MEETING

Sunday – May 15, 2022



All CWL members are invited to attend an in-person meeting at St. Matthew Church on Sunday, May 15, 2022. The meeting will be held in the meeting/conference room following the 09.00 AM Mass.



DIVINE MERCY: SECOND GREATEST STORY EVER TOLD

Sunday – May 15, 2022 at 10.00 AM

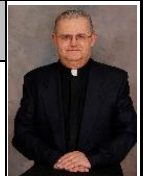
SUNDAYS BIBLE STUDY

Participants will meet every week to view video followed by discussion.
10 SESSIONS • For more information contact Morgan 403-895-3763 (phone/text)

Divine Mercy In the Second Greatest Story Ever Told is a dramatic 10-session journey featuring best-selling author and popular speaker Fr. Michael Gaitley, MIC. Fr. Gaitley weaves a tapestry of wonder and beauty from the threads of the dramatic history of Poland, the transformative message of St. Faustina Kowalska, the prophetic apparitions of Our Lady of Fatima, the powerful witness of St. Maximillian Kolbe, and the world-changing papacy of Pope Saint John Paul II.

ASSEMBLY OF PRIESTS IN JASPER

May 16 - 19, 2022



From Monday (May 16, 2022) to Thursday (May 19, 2022) all the priests of the Archdiocese of Edmonton will meet in Jasper with Archbishop Richard Smith. Fr. Kler will also attend this meeting.

No Mass on Tuesday (May 17), Wednesday (May 18) and Thursday (May 19).

PRAYER GROUP FEEDBACK MEETING

May 17, 2022



There will be Prayer Group Feedback Meeting on Tuesday, May 17, 2022 from 06.30 PM to 06.50 PM to reassess date, time, and frequency of meetings and to touch base on what is working and what is not.



CHARISMATIC PRAYER GROUP

TUESDAY – MAY 17, 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. **No Mass at 6.30 PM.**



NEXT MEETING

ST. MATTHEW CHURCH – MAY 19, 2022 – 7.00 PM

We have a youth ministry program for grades 6-8, facilitated in part by High School Students, every Thursday evening from 7.00 PM to 9.00 PM at the Church. For more info contact Peter at 403-848-0955.

THIS WEEK

ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

Adoration



Friday – May 20, 2022 ☉ 09.30 AM - 12.00 PM (Adoration) ☉ Mass at 09.00 AM



NEXT MEETING

Wednesday – May 25, 2022 • 7.00 PM – 9.00 PM

NEXT BAPTISM PREPARATION CLASS

Wednesday - May 25, 2022 - 07.00 PM ♦ Rocky Mountain House – St. Matthew
Please, register before May 18, 2022. * Call/text office at 403-845-3457 or email at office@smprmh.ca



YOUNG ADULTS GROUP

NEW

A member from the Drayton Valley Parish reached out and would like to set up a Young Adults Group between our two parishes. This group would be for young adults and would meet once a month for fellowship.

If this is something you are interested in, please **contact Alicia Nibourg** at alicianib@hotmail.com and she can send you details of group's first gathering.

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BIG CHANGE

Central Alberta PREGNANCY CARE CENTRE

2022 BABY BOTTLE CAMPAIGN

- Take a baby bottle or envelope home
 - Fill a bottle with coins or an envelope with cash/cheques
 - Return them to church before or on **Father's Day**
- OR
- Donate online at www.pregnancycare.ca/donate
 - Send an e-Transfer to accounting@pregnancycare.ca



PARISH BARBEQUE

Sunday - June 12, 2022 • 02.00 PM

SUNDAY - JUNE 12, 2022 • 02.00 PM - 04.00 PM

Knights of Columbus and CWL are hosting a Parish Barbeque at St. Mathew Church on Sunday, June 12, 2022 from 02.00 PM to 04:00 PM. **The event is free of charge**, so we encourage one and all to come and share in food and fellowship with your parish community. **We sincerely hope that our fellow parishioners from Evergreen and Caroline are able to join us as well.** We will be accepting non-perishable food items for Food Bank if you are able to donate. Thank you!

ON VACATION

FR. KLER'S VACATION

June 14, 2022 – July 14, 2022

Fifth Sunday of Easter

"LOVE ONE ANOTHER. AS I HAVE LOVED YOU..."

"This is how all will know that you are my disciples"
(John 13:35)

Ask at the parish office how you can give to
"Together We Serve" or visit:
www.caedm.ca/togetherweserve



LITURGICAL MINISTRIES – ROCKY MOUNTAIN HOUSE

| Date and Time | Sacristan | Greeter(s) – Gifts | Proclaimer 1 | Proclaimer 2 | Projector |
|--------------------------|------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------|------------------|------------------|-------------------|
| May 14, 2022 at 07.00 PM | Mona Cruickshank | Kent & Karen Carmichael | Laverne Froese | Rhonda Caluttung | Brandt Perreault |
| May 15, 2022 at 09.00 AM | Linda Collinson | Dom & Mandy Couve | Bonnie Leaf | Steve Oscar | Lura Collinson |
| May 21, 2022 at 07.00 PM | Audrey Kokesch | Justin & Marliiss Cartier | Caleb Kirtzinger | Bonnie Perreault | Josiah Kirtzinger |
| May 22, 2022 at 09.00 AM | Jo-Anne Como | Knights of Columbus and CWL will look after ministries on this day | | | Amelie MacKenzie |

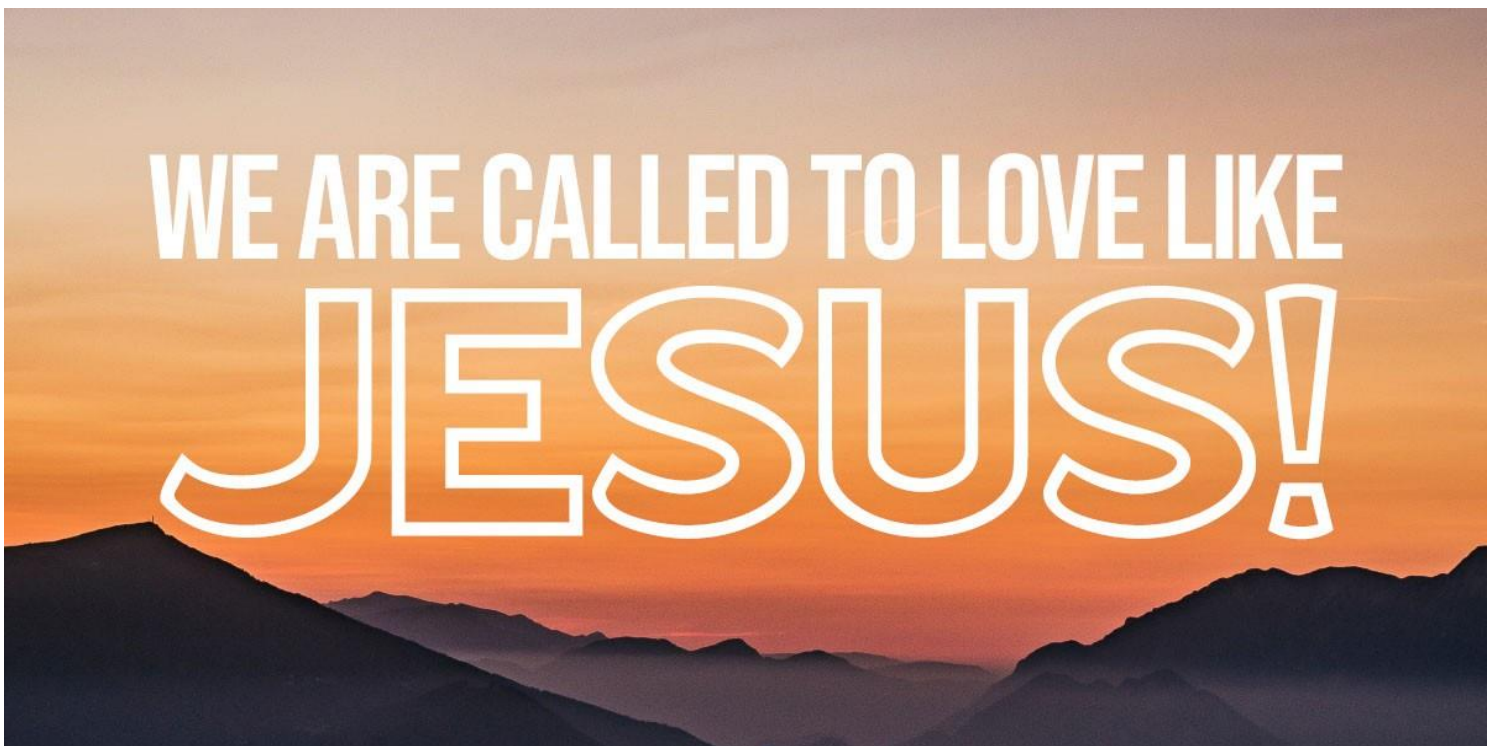
LITURGICAL MINISTRIES – EVERGREEN

| Date and Time | Proclaimer 1 | Proclaimer 2 | Gifts Bearers |
|--------------------------|-----------------|---------------|-------------------------------|
| May 15, 2022 at 11.00 AM | Justin Szymanek | Margie Miller | Pat Lafferty & Marion Schafer |
| May 22, 2022 at 11.00 PM | Lori Hoven | Justin Graham | Jim Backs & Cecil Hoven |

INTRODUCTION TO THE LITURGY OF THE SUNDAY

*Acts 14:21-27 * Revelation 21:1-5a * John 13:31-33a, 34-35*

Jesus commands us to love one another. Jesus wants us to love as he loves. Our faithfulness and attentiveness to right and wrong, to holiness, and to the practice of faith is important. Yet Jesus furthers our understanding of following him by making clear the greatest commandment of every disciple: to love as he loves. ●●●● In the first reading, Paul and Barnabas continue their work and encourage the others to persevere in their faith. In the second reading, John describes his vision of a new heaven and a new earth where God dwells with his people and wipes the tears from their eyes: He proclaims, *See, I am making all things new.* In the Gospel, Jesus gives his disciples a new commandment to love one another as he loves them.



As we continue our celebration of Easter, we are challenged today by the Lord’s “new” command. He calls upon us to love one another. This commandment is already challenging. Jesus makes it even more challenging by commanding us to love one another the way that he loves us. This is not a love that most of the world would recognize. We are to love like the one who died for us and forgave us for all our failings and ingratitude. This is love that sacrifices and suffers for the beloved. To love like Jesus is possibly the greatest challenge we will ever attempt. How would we be able to love in this way? We need the help of the Holy Spirit. It is only through grace that we are empowered to love others as Jesus loves us. We need help to live as we should.

PASTOR - FR. LEON KLER

Deacon (Retired) - Bernie Ouellette
Deacon - Clarence Otteson
Secretary - Vivian Duhamel

ADMINISTRATION OFFICE

5208-53 Ave (Box 130) ♦ Rocky Mountain House, AB * T4T 1A1

OFFICE HOURS

Monday - Friday 12.00 PM (Noon) - 04.00 PM

CONTACT INFORMATION

Direct voice/fax/text line to office 403.845.3457
Direct voice/fax/text line to pastor 587.355.3947
Direct email address to office office@smprmh.ca
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PARISH MINISTRIES (PASTORAL COUNCIL)

| | | |
|-------------------------------|-------------------------|--------------|
| Altar Servers | Deacon Bernie Ouellette | 403.846.0453 |
| Baptism Preparation Class | Steve/Donna Oscar | 403.895.0373 |
| Bible Study Mondays | Mara Gagne | 403.845.0940 |
| Bible Study Sundays | Morgan Duhamel | 403.895.3763 |
| Called to Protect | Ernie Murias | 403.845.4860 |
| Children's Liturgy | Mona Cruickshank | 403.845.2454 |
| CWL | Bonnie Leaf | 403.304.2870 |
| Knights of Columbus | Robert Schmidt | 403.418.7089 |
| Maintenance | Ernie Murias | 403.845.4860 |
| Ministry to the Sick | Ernie Murias | 403.845.4860 |
| Mission Caroline Rep. | Alice Murray | 403.722.4056 |
| Mission Evergreen Rep. | Tim Hoven | 403.746.3072 |
| Music Ministry | Doreen Quintal | 403.846.8733 |
| Parish Finance Council Chair | Randall Sugden | 403-846-9793 |
| Parish Pastoral Council Chair | Lauren MacKenzie | 403.845.2836 |
| Prayer Chain | Alice Murray | 403.722.4056 |
| RCIA | | |
| Sacramental Preparation | Vivian Duhamel | 403.845.3457 |
| St. Dominic School Rep. | Lauren MacKenzie | 403.845.2836 |
| St. Matthew School Rep. | Joanne Mazza | 403.845.9661 |
| Together We Serve | Vivian Duhamel | 403.845.3457 |
| Youth Ministry | Peter van Kampen | 403.848.0955 |

SUNDAY MASSES

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| 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

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| 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

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| 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 - CONFESSIONS - MARRIAGE

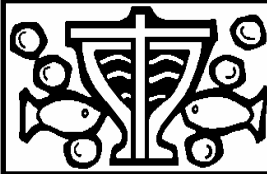
For information check our parish website or call our parish office.

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

ONLINEMASS | ONLINEMASS

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 May 14, 2022 - 05 Sunday of Easter
07.00 PM + Art Cinnamon
Sunday May 15, 2022 - 05 Sunday of Easter
09.00 AM For all souls in purgatory

Monday May 16, 2022 - Weekday in Season of Easter
●●● No Mass - Fr. Leon attends Assembly of Priests in Jasper

Tuesday May 17, 2022 - Weekday in Season of Easter
●●● No Mass - Fr. Leon attends Assembly of Priests in Jasper

Wednesday May 18, 2022 - Weekday in Season of Easter
●●● No Mass - Fr. Leon attends Assembly of Priests in Jasper

Thursday May 19, 2022 - Weekday in Season of Easter
●●● No Mass - Fr. Leon attends Assembly of Priests in Jasper

Friday May 20, 2022 - Weekday in Season of Easter
09.00 AM For the intentions of Deacon Bernie

09.30 AM - 12.00 PM → ADORATION

Saturday May 21, 2022 - 06 Sunday of Easter
07.00 PM For all our parishioners' unbaptized children & grandchildren
Sunday May 22, 2022 - 06 Sunday of Easter
09.00 AM Blessings for Vanessa & Oral on their wedding day

EVERGREEN

NO LIVESTREAM ON YOU TUBE

Sunday May 15, 2022 - 05 Sunday of Easter
11.00 AM For a safe & healthy delivery for Susanna & her child
Thursday May 19, 2022 - Weekday in Season of Easter
●●● No Mass - Fr. Leon attends Assembly of Priests in Jasper

Sunday May 22, 2022 - 06 Sunday of Easter
11.00 AM For God's blessings for all members of our parish communities

CAROLINE

NO LIVESTREAM ON YOU TUBE

Sunday May 15, 2022 - 05 Sunday of Easter
01.00 PM For God's blessings for all members of our parish communities
Sunday May 22, 2022 - 06 Sunday of Easter
01.00 PM + Cameron Rich & all members of Rich family, deceased & living



STEWARDSHIP

Managing God's Gifts To Us

MAY 08, 2022

THANK YOU FOR YOUR FINANCIAL SUPPORT!

SUNDAY COLLECTION: RMH - \$635.00 * Evergreen - \$175.00 * Caroline - \$110.00

MAINTENANCE FUND: RMH - \$90.00 * Evergreen - \$100.00 * Caroline - \$00.00

ONLINE + E-TRANSFERS: RMH - \$100.00 * Evergreen - \$385.00 * Caroline - \$00.00

TOTAL: **\$1,595.00**

TOGETHER WE SERVE: RMH - \$75.00 * Evergreen - \$00.00 * Caroline - \$40.00

DEVELOPMENT & PEACE: RMH - \$20.00 * Evergreen - \$00.00 * Caroline - \$00.00