

June 10, 2018 – 10th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME (B)

ST. MATTHEW PARISH AND MISSIONS
Rocky Mountain House - St. Matthew Church
Caroline - St. Joseph the Workman Church
Evergreen - Jesuit Martyrs Church



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INTRODUCTION TO THE LITURGY OF THE SUNDAY

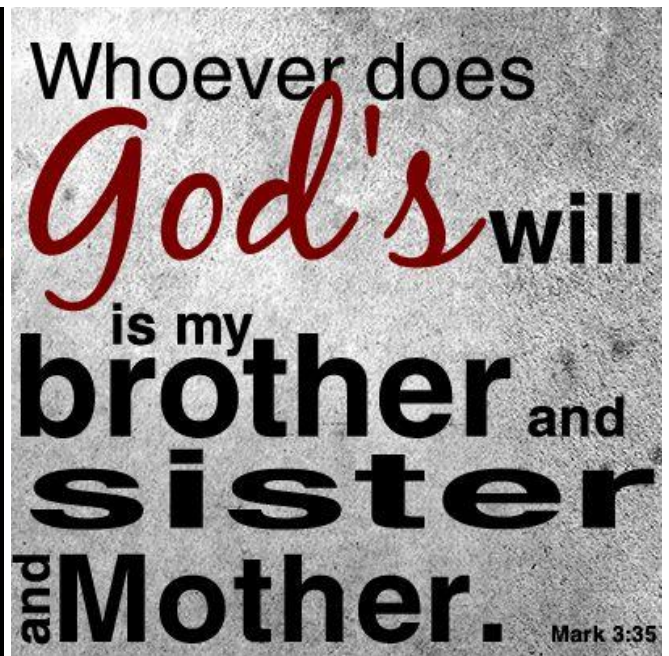
Jesus, our path to salvation, calls us brother and sister and commands that we do the will of God. From the beginning, God has promised his people redemption. His love is stronger than sin and prevails over evil. Jesus comes to us to embody that love and set an example for us to follow. In doing God's will, he shows us the way to the Father and calls us to do the same on our journey to eternal life. ♦ **In Genesis**, sin enters the world as Adam and Eve yield to the serpent's temptation. Paul's **Letter to the Corinthians** urges believers not to be discouraged: our earthly dwelling fades, but life in the Lord is eternal. **Mark's Gospel** shows Jesus being described by the scribes as "possessed." Jesus responds with a promise that doing the will of God makes us his brothers and sisters.



WELCOME TO FIRST HOLY COMMUNION CELEBRATION IN EVERGREEN

We welcome children receiving First Holy Communion in Jesuit Martyrs Parish in Evergreen: *Mathias & John.*

Anyone who has ever built a home or any other sort of building knows just how important the foundation is. Before a wall is built or a roof covers the structure, the foundation must be set firmly in place. A firm foundation requires an immense amount of work and preparation. If the foundation is built on shifting or unstable ground, the building will ultimately fail – it is just a matter of time. ● In a very real sense, Jesus is challenging us as disciples to pay attention to the foundation that supports our daily life. In today's Gospel, Jesus rightly notes that a spiritual house built upon a shaky foundation is bound to fail. Some of the folks who insult Jesus in the Gospel think he is mad – that he is in league with the devil himself. As Jesus notes, a house built on such a foundation will collapse against itself. ● To some, building a house upon the foundation of Jesus may seem like utter insanity. Why would we wish to do such a thing? After all, a strong and secure life requires that we have the best of everything. Some say that an even better and more successful life is one in which we have achieved every measure of success that is possible, so that people admire or envy us, so that we have power and influence that we can wield in order to determine our own destiny. This is the most solid foundation upon which to build one's life – from the world's perspective. ● Jesus reminds us that if our lives are built only upon power, influence, prestige or achievement, they will ultimately come tumbling down. At the conclusion of today's Gospel, Jesus gives us a clue about what leads to true satisfaction. As he speaks to his disciples, he reminds us that the ultimate strength in our lives comes from a living and loving relationship with him and with the people of his Church.





LITURGICAL MINISTRIES – ROCKY MOUNTAIN HOUSE


Date and Time	Greeters/Gifts Bearers	Proclaimer 1	Proclaimer 2	EMHC - Hosts	EMHC – C1	EMHC - C2
Jun. 09, 2018 at 07.00 PM	Pat Gerry	Dom Couve	Bernard Couve	Laurier Nobert	Teresa Johnson	Karen Carmichael
Jun. 10, 2018 at 09.00 AM	Justin & Marliiss Cartier	Barry Kirtzinger	Luke Cartier	Pat Hughes	Ricardo Rodriguez	Doreen Couture
Jun. 16, 2018 at 07.00 PM	Kent & Karen Carmichael	Karen Carmichael	Leo Pelletier	Doreen Couture	Leo Pelletier	Laurier Nobert
Jun. 17, 2018 at 09.00 AM	Knights of Columbus and CWL will look after ministries on this day					

LITURGICAL MINISTRIES – EVERGREEN


Date and Time	Proclaimer 1	Proclaimer 2	Gifts Bearers	Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion - Chalice
Jun. 10, 2018 at 11.00 AM	Matt Andersen	Liam Hoven	The Andersens + The Hovens	Tim + Lori Hoven
Jun. 17, 2018 at 11.00 AM	?????	?????	?????	?????

	<h3 style="margin: 0;">BABY BOTTLE CAMPAIGN</h3>	<h3 style="margin: 0;">UPDATE</h3>	
<p>Father's Day is less than 2 weeks away and that means the wrap up of the Baby Bottle Campaign for the Central Alberta Pregnancy Care Centre. This is just a friendly note to remind everyone that the bottles and envelopes are to be brought back to church on Sunday, June 17, 2018. Donations are also accepted online at www.pregnancycare.ca/donate/.</p>			

CALLED TO PROTECT – ROCKY MOUNTAIN HOUSE June 11 & 12, 2018 ♦ 7.00 PM - 9.30 PM

	<p>Called to Protect™ is mandatory abuse prevention training program as set out by the Archdiocese of Edmonton. All ministries take place under this program. From greeters to those involved in sacristan, money counters, children, youth, the elderly and vulnerable persons, music (to name only a few) creating safe environments and abuse prevention. • You need only attend one evening workshop. We are trying to accommodate everyone (planning another workshop in the fall). • Workshops will be conducted at St. Matthew Church, Rocky from 7.00 PM to 9.30 PM on Monday, June 11, 2018 and on Tuesday, June 12, 2018. • Sign up sheet available in the lobby. • Questions? Call Ernie or Lorraine 403-845-4860 or 845-9937.</p>
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SCHOOL MASSES – END OF SCHOOL YEAR Tuesday → June 12, 2018

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 10.45 AM – St. Matthew School – Mass for St. Matthew School • 02.25 PM – St. Matthew Church – Mass for St. Dominic High School 	
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GLORIFY JR.


Meeting – Wednesday, June 13, 2018 ♦ 04.00 PM – 04.30 PM

GLORIFY PRAISE BAND

Meeting – Wednesday, June 13, 2018 ♦ 04.00 PM – 05.30 PM

If you have any questions or would like to register for any of these two clubs, please contact: Kristin Drever pr.petals@gmail.com or call 403-871-0019 • Sarah Kirtzinger skirtzin@gmail.com or call 403-871-0808



	<h2 style="margin: 0;">SPRING CLEAN UP ♦ CAROLINE</h2> <p style="margin: 0;">Thursday – June 14, 2018 ♦ Starting at 10.00 AM</p> <p style="margin: 0;">Spring cleanup for St. Joseph the Workman Parish in Caroline.</p>
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ST. MATTHEW YOUTH MINISTRY

Thursday – June 14, 2018 ♦ 7.00 PM - 9.00 PM

St. Matthew's Youth Ministry runs most Thursdays from 7.00 PM to 9.00 PM at the Church. All youth grades 6-8 are welcome to attend! Adult and High School leaders are needed. For more info contact Peter van Kampen at vankampen.peter@gmail.com or 403-848-0955.

THIS WEEK

ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

Friday – June 15, 2018 ♦ 09.30 AM - 12.00 PM (Private Adoration) ♦ Mass at 09.00 AM



GLORIFY – PRAISE NIGHT

FRIDAY - JUNE 22, 2018 at 06.00 PM

All are welcome to come for a night of music prepared by the young people of St. Matthew Parish. There will also be a presentation from the Little Flowers Girls Club and a showcase of their beautiful art work that they worked hard on this year. • Following the music will be a Frozen Yogurt stand hosted by the Little Flowers Girls Club. We really want to encourage the parish and missions to come out and celebrate the youth of our parish as they share their love of God and music!!!





Thank you very much to all who attended our Outdoor Eucharistic Procession and BBQ in church backyard last Sunday - June 03, 2018

OUR LADY OF THE VICTORY CAMP – SUMMER 2018

Looking for a great summer experience for the kids? Our Lady of Victory Camp is a weeklong faith experience which will last a lifetime. It is a summer camp run by young adults with youth, for youth. • During the week the OLVC family prays together, participates in daily liturgy, celebrates the sacraments, comes to a better understanding of the basis of our Catholic faith, and grows in Christian love of God and others. OLVC is a camp based on love and community. Friendships here are strong and last a lifetime. • Outdoor activities like sports, singing, swimming and nightly campfires are also part of the fun at OLVC. Visit us at <http://www.olvc.ab.ca> for more information.



MONEY COUNTERS NEEDED ♦ ROCKY MOUNTAIN HOUSE

If you are looking for a way to help at the church, please consider **the money counting ministry**. Collections are counted Tuesdays at 9.30 AM. It usually takes one to one and a half hours.

PRE-AUTHORIZED PAYMENTS FOR DONATIONS

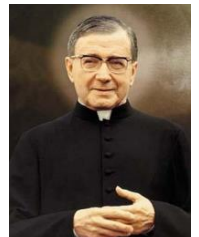
Please consider using pre-authorized payments for your donations to St. Matthew Parish and missions. Payments are withdrawn directly from your account on the 15th in one of three ways: monthly, quarterly or annually. Funds can be designated as Regular Sunday Collections, Together We Serve or Maintenance Fund. Contact the parish office for more information.



MINISTRIES SCHEDULE ♦ WOULD YOU LIKE TO BE INVOLVED?

The ministries schedule for July to December will be emailed on June 22, 2018. Please contact the office if you would like to be a greeter, proclaimer or Extra-Ordinary Minister of Holy Communion.

Feast of St. Josemaria Escriva. You and your family are cordially invited to join Archbishop Richard Smith for a Solemn Mass to celebrate the feast day of St. Josemaria Escriva, on **Monday, June 18, 2018** at 7.30 PM at St. Andrew Parish, 12810 - 111 Avenue, Edmonton. St. Josemaria was a Spanish priest who founded Opus Dei (Latin for "Work of God"), a personal prelature which emphasizes that men and women can become holy by performing their daily duties with a Christian spirit. All are welcome to join us for refreshments afterward in the auditorium.



CONFIRMATION PROGRAM ♦ REGISTRATIONS FOR YEAR 2019

Register now at the parish office for Confirmation in 2019 (provide a copy of your Baptism Certificate). Classes will begin in mid September and will be weekly throughout the year. If you have questions, please call Steve Oscar at 403-895-0373.

St. Anthony Of Padua – June 13. When many Catholics lose something, the first thing they do is pray to St. Anthony. All around the world, people implore his intercession to find everything from lost keys to lost souls. How a Franciscan priest became a celestial lost-and-found department is uncertain. One legend says that when a friar stole a book, Anthony prayed it would be returned. The sticky-fingered friar was overcome with remorse and brought the book back. Regardless how St. Anthony got associated with the recovery of lost items, he is one of the world's favorite saints.



PASTOR - FR. LEON KLER

Deacon (Ret.) - Bernie Ouellette
Secretary - Vivian Duhamel

ADMINISTRATION OFFICE

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

Office Hours

Monday	01.00 PM - 06.00 PM
Tuesday	09.00 AM - 12.00 PM and 01.00 PM - 06.00 PM
Wednesday	Office Closed
Thursday	Office Closed
Friday	10.00 AM - 06.00 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@smpmhc.ca
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PARISH MINISTRIES

Parish Pastoral Council	Lauren MacKenzie	403.845.2836
Parish Finance Council	Randall Sugden	403.844.8478
Ministry to the Sick	Ernie Murias	403.845.4860
Called to Protect	Ernie Murias	403.845.4860
RCIA	Kristin McKenzie	403.845.0017
	Steve Oscar	403.895.0373
	Vivian Duhamel	403.845.9387
Children's Liturgy	Mona Cruickshank	403.845.2454
Youth Group	Peter van Kampen	403.848.0955
Prayer Chain	Alice Murray	403.722.4056
Knights of Columbus	Gary Donald	403.845.5269
CWL	Karen Carmichael	403.846.2168
Bible Study	Roxane Melvin	403.845.3127

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	10.00 AM - Jesuit Martyrs, Evergreen
	06.30 PM - St. Matthew Church, RMH
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	10.30 AM - Clearwater Centre, RMH
Second Wednesday	08.00 AM - St. Dominic School, RMH
Second Wednesday	11.00 AM - Westview Lodge, 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

Rocky Mountain House - Every Saturday from 6.15 PM to 6.45 PM
Evergreen/Caroline - after Sun. Masses ♦ Anytime by appointment

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

Saturday

07.00 PM

Intention:

Sunday

09.00 AM

Intention:

11.00 AM

Intention:

01.00 PM

Intention:

June 09, 2018 - 10th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Rocky Mountain House - St. Matthew Church

Strength and healing for Maxine Finnell

June 10, 2018 - 10th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Rocky Mountain House - St. Matthew Church

For all members of our parish communities

Evergreen - Jesuit Martyrs Church

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Caroline - St. Joseph the Workman Church

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Monday

June 11, 2018 - St. Barnabas; Apostle

No Mass

Tuesday

10.45 AM

Intention:

02.25 PM

Intention:

06.30 PM

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Wednesday

08.00 AM

Intention:

09.00 AM

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11.00 AM

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Thursday

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Friday

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09.30 AM - 12.00 PM → ADORATION → → → → →

St. Matthew Church, RMH

Saturday

07.00 PM

Intention:

Sunday

09.00 AM

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11.00 AM

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01.00 PM

Intention:

June 16, 2018 - 11th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Rocky Mountain House - St. Matthew Church

For all members of our parish communities

June 17, 2018 - 11th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Rocky Mountain House - St. Matthew Church

+ Margaret Andrew

Evergreen - Jesuit Martyrs Church

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Caroline - St. Joseph the Workman Church

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THANK YOU FOR YOUR FINANCIAL SUPPORT!

Jun. 03, 2018 ♦ REGULAR SUNDAY COLLECTION:

RMH - \$2,131.00 * Evergreen - \$195.00 * Caroline - \$00.00

Jun. 03, 2018 ♦ CHILDREN'S COLLECTION:

RMH - \$6.25 * Evergreen - \$0.00 * Caroline - \$0.00

Jun. 03, 2018 ♦ TOGETHER WE SERVE COLLECTION:

RMH - \$678.00 * Evergreen - \$90.00 * Caroline - \$00.00



Leader: Lord Jesus, we thank you for your Word. You tell us that a house divided cannot stand. (Mk. 3:25)

All: Lord Jesus, we thank you for the gift of family and we ask you to help us to live in unity and harmony thus reflecting your love to the world.