

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

Fourteenth Sunday In Ordinary Time

Our eyes are fixed on the Lord, pleading for His mercy.

July 7, 2024

Psalm 123



Mass Intentions

Saturday, July 6 Mass at 4:00PM

Weekday In Ordinary Time
For: Vincent Kraft (D) By: Friends

Sunday, July 7 Mass at 9:00AM

Fourteenth Sunday In Ordinary Time
For: Living and deceased parishioners
of St. Mary of the Rockies

Monday, July 8 NO MASS

Weekday In Ordinary Time

Tuesday, July 9 Mass at 8:30AM

Weekday In Ordinary Time
For: Alida Berzas (D) By: Private

Wednesday, July 10 Mass at 8:30AM

Weekday In Ordinary Time
For: Rick Timko (D) By: Private

Thursday, July 11 Mass at 8:30AM

St. Benedict, Abbot
For: Michael Cisneros (D) By: Grace Velasquez

Friday, July 12 Mass at 8:30AM

Weekday In Ordinary Time

For: Abigail Loebig

Saturday, July 13 Mass at 4:00PM

Weekday In Ordinary Time
For: Living and deceased parishioners
of St. Mary of the Rockies

Sunday, July 14 Mass at 9:00AM

Fifteenth Sunday In Ordinary Time
For: Cas Spokas (D) By: Friend



The Power of Prayer

Bret Melby, Alma Jerome,
Chelsea Craver, Alex Young, Mike Pesta,
Brian Kohl, Albert Rhein & Family

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 July 7

Sunday: Ez 2:2-5; Ps 123:1-4; 2 Cor 12:7-10; Mk 6:1-6a

Monday: Hos 2:16, 17b-18, 21-22; Ps 145:2-9;
Mt 9:18-26

Tuesday: Hos 8:4-7, 11-13; Ps 115:3-10; Mt 9:32-38

Wednesday: Hos 10:1-3, 7-8, 12; Ps 105:2-7; Mt 10:1-7

Thursday: Hos 11:1-4, 8c-9; Ps 80:2-3, 15-16; Mt 10:7-15

Friday: Hos 14:-10; Ps 51:3-4, 8-9, 12-14, 17;
Mt 10:16-23

Saturday: Is 6:1-8; Ps 93:1-2, 5; Mt 10:24-33



The Wisdom Of The Saints - Sacrifice

“Miss no single opportunity of making some small sacrifice, here by a smiling look, there by a kindly word; always doing the smallest right thing and doing it all for love.” St. Therese of Lisieux

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 July 13, 4:00PM Mass

EMHC: Luci Berardi
Lector: Bob Salentine
Sacristan: Roger Moroney
Collections: Lynn & Bob Salentine

Sunday July 14, 9:00AM Mass

EMHC: Ginny & John Pawlik
Lector: Rosalina Miller
Sacristan: J. Merritt
Collections: J. Merritt
July Church Linens - Shirley Moroney
Counter(s), July 8 - Felix Beall



Fiscal Year 2024/2025

Offertory Budget: \$132,800
Weekly Offertory Budget: \$2,554
June 29/30: \$1,312
Online Giving: \$1,011
Difference: \$231 Less



2024 Returning God's Gifts Goal: \$8,117
Pledged: \$6,954 Percent of Goal Pledged: 86%
Collected: \$5,329 Percent of Goal Collected: 66%

WHAT IS ORDINARY TIME?

(continued from previous bulletin)

6 IDEAS FOR ORDINARY TIME

For something a little bit different, try one or more of these six ideas, which are both a little different and deeply rooted in our traditions. *(continued from previous bulletin)*

Read something with moral value. Have you ever read "Confessions" by St. Augustine, "Introduction to the Devout Life" by St. Francis de Sales, or "The Brothers Karamazov," by Fyodor Dostoevsky? Or, for more modern tastes, "Mr. Blue" by Myles Connolly, "In This House of Brede" by Rumur Godden, or "The Snack" by William P. Young? In the weeks when the Church is not preparing for something special, we have the time to read what others have written about God, faith, and the meaning of life. We don't have to agree with everything we read, but reading morally engaging literature is one of the best ways to keep our faith vital and vibrant.

Keep the Sabbath. The weeks of Ordinary Time are ideally suited to creating family rituals that keep the Sabbath as a special day. Without the pressure of holidays and holy days, we can design our own personal practices that make Sunday a day to anticipate. As with most things, these don't have to be elaborate. Perhaps stopping at the donut shop on the way home from Mass and letting everyone pick their favorite could become a "tradition." Reinstigate a sit-down family dinner on Sunday evenings, even if you are sitting down to eat takeout. Read aloud or listen to a book on tape. Just find something you and your family can enjoy and save that activity for the Sabbath.

Ordinary Time is only ordinary if we think of it that way. If we consider these weeks not as long boring stretches between the good stuff, but as a time to try new things and refocus our energies on our spiritual growth, Ordinary Time can become one of our favorite—and most rewarding—times of year. *(continued in next bulletin)*

Music and Choir - Music is a wonderful way to give praise to the Lord. Your participation is welcome whether you have little time or a lot. If you enjoy singing or playing an instrument, consider becoming a valuable addition to this ministry. The time commitment varies.



BE AN AGENT OF PEACE

Reflect

A well-known Church hymn, "Make Me a Channel of Your Peace," is often associated with the life and ministry of St. Francis of Assisi. The virtue of peace is one that our world, families, Church, and work environments desperately need. What does it look like to be an agent of peace in my daily life?



Pray

Oh Prince of Peace,
show me what it means to be a true peacemaker in the world around me.
Show me how I can live more fully in your presence.
Give me opportunities to speak words of peace over others.
Help me to live with an awareness that living in peace is something you desire for all people of all nations.
Amen.

Act

Where am I being called to bring more of God's peace?
(franciscanmedia.org)



Easy fundraising for the Church - Both King Soopers and Safeway participate in a shoppers' reward program which donates a percentage of the money spent at their store to St. Mary of the Rockies. The Safeway program

has a reloadable card. Each time you add money to that card a percentage is donated to the Church. With King Soopers you do not need a separate card. You add your existing loyalty card account information to their website and a percentage of what you spend goes to the Church. You can find a link to sign up on the Church's website. Safeway cards are available through the office.

Presentation of Gifts at Mass: Presentation of the water and wine for the Offertory of the Mass is symbolic of the Priesthood of the Laity. If individuals or families would like to bring up the gifts, please sit in the pews to the back of the church. **You do not have to be invited to bring up the gifts.** Anyone is welcome to bring them to the altar. Please make yourself available for this privilege!

*If money doesn't grow on trees,
why do the banks have branches?*

