

# 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

## Pentecost Sunday

Lord send your spirit and renew the face of the earth.

May 19, 2024

Psalm 104



*Fr. Bogdan will be away May 20th through June 14th.  
There will be no weekday morning Masses during this  
time. Weekend Masses will be held as usual.*

### Saturday, May 18 Mass at 4:00PM

Easter Weekday

For: Bret Steck (D) By: Friends

### Sunday, May 19 Mass at 9:00AM

Pentecost Sunday

For: Living and deceased parishioners of  
St. Mary of the Rockies

### Monday, May 20 NO MASS

The Blessed Virgin Mary, Mother Of The Church

### Tuesday, May 21 NO MASS

St. Matthias, Apostle

### Wednesday, May 22 NO MASS

Weekday In Ordinary Time

### Thursday, May 23 NO MASS

Weekday In Ordinary Time

### Friday, May 24 NO MASS

Weekday In Ordinary Time

### Saturday, May 25 Mass at 4:00PM

Weekday In Ordinary Time

For: Vincent Kraft (D) By: Grace Velasquez

### Sunday, May 26 Mass at 9:00AM

THE MOST HOLY TRINITY

For: Memorial Day By: K of C Assembly



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

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 May 19



**Sunday:** Acts 2:1-11; Ps 104:12ab, 24ac, 29bc, 30, 31, 34;

1 Cor 12:3b-7, 12-13; Jn 20:19-23

**Monday:** Gn 3:9-15, 20; Ps 87:1b-3, 5-7; Jn 19:25-34

**Tuesday:** Jas 4:1-10; Ps 55:7-11, 23; Mk 9:30-37

**Wednesday:** Jas 4:13-17; Ps 49:2-3, 6-11; Mk 9:38-40

**Thursday:** Jas 5:1-6; Ps 49:14-29; Mk 9:41-50

**Friday:** Jas 5:9-12; Ps 103:1-4, 8-9, 11-12; MI 10:1-12

**Saturday:** Jas 5:3-20; Ps 141:1-3, 8; Mk 10:13-16

## *The Wisdom Of The Saints - Our Crosses in Life*

*"The Cross will not crush you; if its weight makes you stagger, its power will also sustain you."*

*St. Padre Pio*

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 May 25, 4:00PM Mass**

**EMHC:** Janice Kraft  
**Lector:** Bob Salentine  
**Sacristan:** Gretchen Dyson  
**Collections:** Lynn & Bob Salentine

**Sunday May 26, 9:00AM Mass**

**EMHC:** Ginny & John Pawlik  
**Lector:** Zak Dombrowski  
**Sacristan:** Tom Karnowka  
**Collections:** J. Merritt  
**May Church Linens** - Juanita Kursevich



**Fiscal Year 2023/20224**

**Offertory Budget: \$132,800**  
**Weekly Offertory Budget: \$2,554**  
**May 11/12: \$ Not available at**  
**Online Giving: \$ time of printing**  
**Difference: \$**



**2024 Returning God's Gifts Goal: \$8,117**

Pledged: \$ Percent of Goal Pledged: %

Collected: \$ Percent of Goal Collected: %

**To Be A Christian Steward**

“As each one has received a gift, use it to serve one another as good stewards of God’s varied grace” (1 Pt 4:10).



**Stewards of Vocation**


Jesus calls us as His disciples, to a new way of life, the Christian way of life, of which stewardship is part. But Jesus does not call us as nameless people in a faceless crowd. He calls us individually, by name. Each one of us, clergy, religious, lay person; married, single; adult, child, has a personal vocation. God intends each one of us to play a unique role in carrying out the divine plan. The challenge is to understand our role, our vocation, and to respond generously to this call from God. Christian vocation entails the practice of stewardship. In addition, Christ calls each of us to be stewards of our personal vocations, which we receive from God.

(A Summary of the U.S. Bishops’ Pastoral Letter on Stewardship) *continued in next bulletin*

**Do we have your current contact information?**

We need to be able to communicate with you. If your phone number, address, or email address has changed please update this contact information by contacting the Parish Office: **email at: stmaryrockies@gmail.com or by phone at 303-838-2375** If you would like an electronic copy of the parish directory, contact the office and one will be emailed to you.

**QUIZ:** This cheerful saint was not above behaving like a silly clown to make children he met on the street laugh. He said “A joyful heart is more easily made perfect than a downcast one.” For all his work with the common people of Rome, he is sometimes called the “Apostle of Rome.” (Answer somewhere else in bulletin)

 **I went to the bookstore yesterday and saw a book that said “How To Solve 50% Of Your Problems”. So I bought two.**

St. Phillip Neri

**FOLLOWING THE BETTER ANGELS OF OUR NATURE**

**Reflect**

In his first inaugural address, President Abraham Lincoln counseled his listeners to follow the better angels of their nature. War was on the horizon, and yet Lincoln asserted that, “We are not enemies, but friends.” In our uncivil and divisive time, we can listen to the better angels of our nature and, like St. Francis, be instruments of peace in every encounter, even in times of contentiousness.

**Pray**

God of all people,  
Let me follow the better angels of my nature.  
Let me seek peace and strive to be a peacemaker.  
Let your dream of peace motivate and guide me in every situation  
So that every encounter will be reconciling, healing, and uniting.  
Amen.

**Act**

In every situation today, whether watching the news or dealing with others’ behaviors, ask: “In this context, how can I follow the better angels of my nature? How can I promote friendship, not enmity? How can I be a multiplier and not a divider in terms of friendship and creativity?” Observe your responses as you seek to be an instrument of peace toward others and in your life as a citizen.

(franciscanmedia.org)

**Act For A Consistent Ethic Of Life**

In 2018, approximately 14.3 million households had difficulty providing enough food for all their members due to a lack of resources.

Educate yourselves and others on why people experience poverty and exactly what it can look like. Misconceptions and uninformed opinions about homelessness and food insecurity can be just as destructive as the concrete causes for this social and economic issue.

How might you want to take greater action and responsibility for your actions to assist and accompany others within our community?

www.povertyusa.org/facts