

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

Adoration

Thursday Morning 9:00AM concluding with
Benediction at 10:00AM

For weddings, contact the office six months in advance

WELCOME TO ST. MARY OF THE ROCKIES CATHOLIC CHURCH

Today we gather in the name of Jesus Christ. In Matthew 18:20, Jesus says, 'For where two or three gather in My name, there I am with them.'

Whether this is your first time here or you have been a part of our family for years, we are glad you are with us today.



Saturday, May 9 Mass at 4:00PM

Easter Weekday

For: November Prayer Basket

Sunday, May 10 Mass at 9:00AM

Sixth Sunday Of Easter

For: Living and Deceased Parishioners
of St Mary of the Rockies

Monday, May 11 NO MASS

Easter Weekday

Tuesday, May 12 Mass at 8:30AM

Easter Weekday

For: Jim McCloskey (D) By: Family

Wednesday, May 13 Mass at 8:30AM

Easter Weekday

For: Souls In Purgatory & Blessed Virgin Mary

By: Private

Thursday, May 14 Mass at 8:30AM

The Ascension Of The Lord

For: Fritz Fouts (D) By: Private

Friday, May 15 Mass at 8:30AM

Easter Weekday

For: David DeCola (D) By: Private

Saturday, May 16 Mass at 4:00PM

Easter Weekday

For: Joan Solomon (D) By: Private

Sunday, May 17 Mass at 9:00AM

Seventh Sunday Of Easter

For: Living and Deceased Parishioners
of St Mary of the Rockies



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.

**Bret Melby, Alma Jerome, Mike Pesta,
David Reid Sr., Virginia Smith,
Martha Cassidy, Cecilia Bretz**

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.

Readings for the week of May 10



Monday: Acts 16:11-15; Ps 149:1b-6a, 9b;
Jn 15:26-16:4a

Tuesday: Acts 16:22-34; Ps 138:1-3, 7c8; Jn 16:5-11

Wednesday: Acts 17:15, 22-18:1; Ps 148:1-2, 11-14;
Jn 16:12-15

Thursday: Acts 1:1-11; Ps 47:2-3, 6-9; Eph 1:17-23;
Mt 28:16-20

Friday: Acts 18:9-18; Ps 47:2-7; Jn 16:20-23

Saturday: Acts 18:23-28; Ps 47:2-3, 8-10; Jn 16:23b-25

Sunday: Acts 1:12-14; Ps 27:1, 4, 7-8; 1 Pt 4:13-16;
Jn 17:1-11a

Sixth Sunday Of Easter

Let all the earth worship and since praise to You.

May 10, 2026

Ps. 66



Saturday May 16, 8:00PM Mass

EMHC: Karen Taylor
Lector: Janice Kraft
Sacristan: Roger Moroney
Collections: OPEN

Sunday May 17, 9:00AM Mass

EMHC: Barbara Behl
Lector: Laura Reid
Sacristan: Patty Schmidt
Collections: OPEN

May Church Linens - Juanita Kursevich

Counter(s), May 18 - Felix Beall & Sherrie Gehlken



Fiscal Year 2025/2026

Offertory Budget: \$132,800

Weekly Offertory Budget: \$2,554

May 2/3: \$1,721

Online Giving: \$870

Difference: \$37 More—Thank You!



2026 Returning God's Gifts Goal: \$9,038
Collected: \$5,150 Percent of Goal Collected: 57%

Declaring Saints—How the Canonization Process Works

(continued from previous bulletin)

Initial Stages - When the local investigation into the person's life and work is completed, the materials are forwarded to the Holy See's Congregation for the Causes of Saints. Working with the materials submitted, the same scrutiny is given to the person's life at the Roman level. Officials at the congregation comb through all the documentation submitted by the authority sponsoring the canonization cause and compile it into what's called a *positio* - something like a lengthy book. Bishop and cardinal members of the congregation vote on whether the cause should be advanced, and if it proceeds positively, the *positio* ultimately is presented to the pope. If he concurs with the work already completed, he grants the individual the title of "Venerable," as one who is to be venerated for his or her holiness and intercessory privilege. This process is very much the same for an individual to be declared a martyr. The declaration that an individual is venerable or a martyr is arguably the greatest hurdle to clear in the canonization process.

Additionally, there is also a fourth rarely used path called equipollent, or equivalent, canonization, whereby an individual is named a saint by the pope after a lengthy period where it has been established that the person has long and consistently been renowned for holiness and has a reputation as a miracle worker. This path demands a lengthy investigation as well to prove the grounds that it should be invoked. Albeit on the rarest of occasions, portions of the canonization process, or the entirety of it, can be dispensed by the pope at any time. *(continued in next bulletin)*

WELCOME NEW PARISHIONERS

Those Catholics living in the area and regularly participating in the Liturgy are asked to register as members of the parish. Simply attending Mass does not make one a registered member. We would like to be able to communicate with you and you will learn about parish events or special notifications by email. Registration is easy; contact the Parish Office 303-838-2375. Or registration forms can be found in the main vestibule of the church. Just fill it out and drop it into the offertory basket.

Counters - This ministry assists in the tally of monies collected at Mass each week. Although we do receive weekly donations from parishioners through our online giving, for those who wish to donate directly during Mass collections requires two individuals to reconcile the checks and cash received. The counters meet at 9:00AM on Mondays in the church office. The time commitment is usually one Monday a month (Tuesday if Monday is a bank holiday) and the task usually takes one hour. Please contact the church office for more information.

303-838-2375

Who built King Arthur's round table?



Sir Cumference.



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.

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