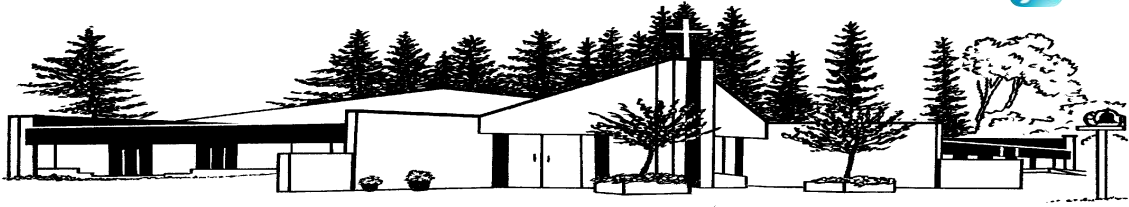

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Maryruth Fallon, Music Director

Sandy Carter, Office Manager ~ Rose Hall, Office Assistant

FIFTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME July 10, 2022

Saturday, July 9, Mass for July Intentions 6:30 pm

Sunday, July 10, Mass for the Parish 9:00 am

Tuesday, July 12, Soul of Raven Stevens & Family, rb Cas & Chris Moritz 8:45 am

Thurs., July 14, Intentions of A.J. Coulter & Mary Huston Family, rb Jane Super 8:45 am

Beginning Monday, July 11, Fr. Ken Fortney will celebrate Mass every Monday at 8:30 am at St. Matthew's

Wednesdays 12:10 pm, Monday and Fridays 8:30 am Masses at St. Matthew Parish

Saturday 4:30 pm, Sunday 7:00 am and 11:00 am Masses at St. Matthew Parish

Ministry Schedule, July 16 & 17, 2022

MINISTRY	Saturday, 6:30 pm	Sunday, 9:00 am
Plate Minister	Connie McCubbins	Mike Hanson
Lector	Suzanne Johnson	Kathy Shanahan
	Jackie Jensen	TJ Higgins
Server	Don Zimmerman	Rick Nease
Greeters	Wally & Vicki Walbruch	Tom & Terrie Alger

PLEASE NOTE NEW TIMES

Sacrament of Baptism by appointment

Sacrament of Reconciliation is Saturday, 9:00-10:30 am, or by appointment.

DATES TO REMEMBER

July 10 **FIFTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**
9 & 10 Bake sale After weekend Masses
15 & 16 Women’s Retreat Legendary Lodge
17 **SIXTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**
20 Men’s Prayer Group8:00 am

Parish Office Hours: Monday through Thursday, 10:00 - 3:00pm
To be sure your announcement gets into the bulletin,
please have your information in the Parish Office by noon, Wednesday.
The deadline for altar announcements is noon, Thursday.
SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION: Saturday 9:00 – 10:30 am, Risen Christ
Saturday, 3:00-4:15 pm and Wednesday 1:00-3:00 pm, St. Matthew

STEWARDSHIP ~ TIME, TALENT, TREASURE

Because we recognize that God entrusted to each one of us our individual talents and strengths to help build up His Kingdom, we are called to give that talent back to God through service and ministry. When you give of your talent in our parish it enables us to carry out our mission more effectively, thus helping build up the Body of Christ. Please prayerfully reflect on how you will choose to share those gifts given to you by grace.
You may find Time & Talent forms in the foyer of the church.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS, 2022 BRISKET SHOWDOWN
Event coming to you soon! July 30th at the Flathead County Fairgrounds.
Brisket entry \$250.00 per team
*Corn hole Tournament
*Food
*Beer
*Silent Auction
*Kid’s Carnival
*Music
*Vendors
*50/50 Drawing
*Beef Raffle

NORTHWEST MONTANA FAIR - AUGUST 17TH - 21ST

Day Shift - 10 am to 4 pm Evening Shift - 4 to 10 pm
*Ideal for those who are retired. *Ideal for working persons.

School families get 2X’s volunteer credits for time worked in the booth. Parishioners can “give” their hours to a school family! Volunteers need to be over 14 years old. A sign up board will be at the back of the church at St. Matthew. Please sign up and show your support for your church and school. Call the parish at 752-6788 if you have any questions.

~OUR GIFT TO GOD~

“Above all, let your love for one another be constant, for love covers a multitude of sins. Be mutually hospitable without complaining. As generous distributors of God’s manifold grace, put your gifts at the service of one another each in the measure he has received.”

(1 Peter 4:8-10)

Thanks to everyone who so generously supports our parish.
Your financial support enables us to continue the on-going work of our ministry.

July 2 & 3, 2022

Sunday Envelopes	\$8,483
Building Envelopes	677
Mass & Stole gifts	25
Total	\$9,185



\$50K Match in Support of Our Priests & Seminarians

The Foundation for the Diocese of Helena is filled with hope because generous donors have offered a **\$50,000 match for donations given to the Foundation’s Priestly Formation and Development Endowment**. This fund supports our seminarians, priestly formation and priestly retirement.

Timing is critical! We need more priests; we are all feeling the shortage, but we are not powerless. We can support the 15 seminarians who have answered God’s call!

Please help us receive this match. Make your donation by September 1st. Go online to fdoh.org to make an online contribution or send your check to:
FDOH | PO Box 1729 | Helena, MT 59624.

Your support is a blessed gift!

If you would like to know how your donation can maximize your Montana tax savings, please reach out to Executive Director Daniel Thies at dthies@diocesehelena.org or call (406)389-7051.



JOB OPPORTUNITIES AT ST. MATTHEW SCHOOL

Full-Time School/Parish Secretary. This is a 12-month position and includes benefits.

Salary is based on experience.

The Early Learning Center is looking for Lead Teachers and Assistant Teachers for children ages 2 1/2 to 6 years old.

Also: Art Teacher ~ Part-Time School Custodian ~ Kindergarten Teacher

**MASS INTENTIONS
FOR THE MONTH OF JULY, 2022**

FOR THE FAITHFUL DEPARTED

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Howard and Lorraine Carter, rb Kimberly Carter
Jim Thomas, rb Bobbie Thomas
Poat & Roberts Family, rb Chris Beyer
Karel & David & Terry Barrett, rb Ken Barrett
Dorothy Redinger, rb Robert Redinger
Shelley Hembd, rb Gary Hembd
Jerry Bristow, rb Larry & Betty Visocan
John P, Visocan, rb Larry & Betty Visocan
Jason Falcon, rb Denny & Bev Falcon
Father Frank McCormick, rb Hutchens Family
Dan Smith, rb Hutchens Family
Fleckenstein Family members, rb Evelyn Dupre

FOR SPECIAL INTENTIONS

Fran Cavanagh, rb Karol Witt

**RISEN CHRIST MASS REQUESTS
FOR THE FOLLOWING SPECIAL INTENTIONS**

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Greg Grace, Joe Riska, Curtis Gomes, Eileen Kluesner
Maureen Neitzling, Amy Neitzling, Tim Slobojan, Lonny Kottraba
Bob & Barbara Vine, Mary Grace Galvin, Mike & Linda O'Neil
Larry Visocan, Mary Reckin, Audrey Turner
Fr. Stan's Immigration Status

FOR OUR SEMINARIANS

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Deacon Kyle Tannehill, Dillon Armstrong, Kaleb Mitchell, John Cooney
Riley Helgoe, Brett Rotz, Alex Olmes, Anthony Olmes
James Semling, Jamie Severson

A PRAYER TO ST. BENEDICT, FEAST DAY JULY 11th

I implore you in your loving kindness to pray for me before the throne of God.
To you I have recourse in the dangers that daily surround me. Shield me against my
selfishness and my indifference to God and to my neighbor.
Inspire me to imitate you in all things.

READINGS FOR THE SIXTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME, JULY 17, 2022

Genesis 18:1-10a

Colossians 1:24-28

Luke 10:38-42

PRACTICE OF FAITH

Both Abraham and Mary are fully attentive to the needs of their guests. Their guests, in turn, offer something to their hosts that is far greater than the hospitality shown to them. Martha almost lost out on what Jesus offered.

◆If your life is especially busy right now and you are losing your regular prayer time, look for ways to offer a simple prayer while dressing, driving, or walking, or even while going from one room to the next. Pray short prayers such as, "Jesus, be with me."

◆Spend thirty minutes this week reading Scripture. Choose a psalm or read Paul's letter to the Colossians.

◆Offer to help set up for and/or clean up after an event in your parish. By helping you might lighten the load of those who are in charge of the event.

At Home With the Word 2022

FINANCE COUNCIL

Finance Council members are:

Peg Gebhardt, Christopher Gill, John Gunnerson, & Wally Walbruch.

PASTORAL COUNCIL

Your Pastoral Council is always interested in your concerns. The Council represents the interests and needs of the entire Parish community. Take your questions about the future of the parish, your hopes and needs to a Pastoral Council member:

Jovita Kottraba, 212-8461, Judy Stack, 752-4411,

Ken Barrett, 755-0269, Jamie Miller, 257-9636, Vicki Walbruch, 758-0170

RISEN CHRIST PRAYER LINE

PRAYER DELIGHTS GOD'S EAR, IT MELTS HIS HEART. ~Thomas Watson

Call Helen Tobiason at 406-212-0063 or Jackie Jensen at 406-756-1178 should you or someone you know need prayer. Please leave a message if they are not available and they will return your call.

FORMING A COMPASSIONATE COMMUNITY

If there is a birth, a sickness or a death in our parish community, or that of someone you know, please call Mary Sonju, 250-8610. She will be happy to send a card.

RISEN CHRIST GIFT SHOP

NEW ITEMS ARE HERE! We now have coffee mugs, journals, holy water fonts, rosaries, children's bracelets and much more. Stop by anytime to check out our gift shop! We have gift solutions for any occasion. Please see Connie McCubbins or Andrea Wright before or after weekend Masses. If you need to make a purchase during the week, please stop in the parish office. Sandy or Rose will be happy to assist you.





BISHOP'S GALA 2022 ~Tickets available in the parish office

ENTER TO WIN!!!



Bishop's Gala 2022

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FIRST PRIZE: VINTAGE 1965 FORD MUSTANG CONVERTIBLE
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This year \$5 of each ticket sold in a parish or DOH Catholic School will be distributed to the seller's parish or school to fund Formation Scholarships in the Diocese of Helena.
Tickets are \$25/chance. *A maximum of 5,000 tickets will be sold.*
Tickets are also available online by Debit Card at diocesehelena.org
There is no \$5 distribution for tickets sold online.
DRAWING TO BE HELD ON FRIDAY, OCTOBER 7, 2022 DURING THE BISHOP'S GALA

Visit diocesehelena.org for more raffle prize details and event information.
Thank you for supporting Legendary Lodge, Diocese of Helena Catholic Schools and Youth and Young Adult Ministry in the Diocese of Helena.

BRIEF PRAYERS, SMALL ACTS OF FAITH

Older Catholics might remember when such prayers were called "ejaculations." The word has fallen into disuse, but the image of prayer being forced from us (like water spurting from a pressured fountain-spout) is very apt. Our most desperate pleas can burst forth from us, unbidden, to bring some relief, some small sense of controlling something, and even a bit of companionship and peace. You might find yourself saying things like:

- ♥"O Mary and all Guardian Angels be with us!"
- ♥Angels and saints, be with me!
- ♥Mother of God, pray for us!
- ♥I believe, Lord, help my unbelief!
- ♥O Sacred Heart of Jesus, I place my trust in You!"
- ♥All you holy men & women of God, intercede for us."
- ♥Most Sacred heart of Jesus, have mercy on us!
- ♥My Mother, My Hope!
- ♥Bless us, Mary Maiden mild; bless us, too, her tender child.

These prayers of praise and supplication would be such a good habit to cultivate. Remember that any idea expressed to God can be prayer, no matter how simple.

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July 10, 2022

WATCH

THE AUGUSTINE INSTITUTE SHOW WITH DR. TIM GRAY - GUEST DR. MICHAEL BARBER

How do we respond when we are asked, "Are you saved?" In this episode of the Augustine Institute Show, Drs. Tim Gray and Michael Barber discuss what salvation means, and how faith and works aid us in our journey. To learn more, check out Dr. Barber's book, *Salvation: What Every Catholic Should Know!*



LEARN

THE SEARCH CONTINUES: WHAT ABOUT CHURCH SCANDALS?



In some way or another, we have all been affected by Church scandals. In this episode of *The Search Continues*, Chris Stefanick and Dr. John Sehorn discuss how we are to respond to these evils. In doing so, they remind us to fight for the Church and perpetually call her members to live up to their callings.

LISTEN

TRUTH TO INSPIRE: ST. KATERI TEKAKWITHA

St. Kateri Tekakwitha, otherwise known as the "Lily of the Mohawks," became our first Native American Saint after her canonization in 2012. During her life, young Kateri suffered much ridicule due to her counter-cultural decision to remain a virgin out of love for Christ. As we celebrate Kateri's feast day today, enjoy this short audio book that describes Kateri's journey to Our Lord within the context of her native tribe.

St. Kateri Tekakwitha Lily of the Mohawks



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Fr. Stan

The Nazareth Page
A gospel meditation for your home
July 10^h, 2022 – Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time
Luke 10:25-37

Certainly, one of the most recognized figures in the gospels is one who has no name. Still, we easily bring him to mind when we simply say, “The Good” We fill in the blank. The Good Samaritan.

Jesus used an account of what this nameless Samaritan did as an example of someone who truly loved his neighbor. Every time I think of the challenge implied in the story, I become a little uneasy because the Good Samaritan was exceedingly *good*! I ask myself, “Would I do something like what he did?” I also recall the many good Samaritans who have helped me during my own life. There are many.

Think about the details of the gospel story. Imagine the main character, minding his own business as he travelled along the road, coming upon a person who had been robbed, beaten and left half-dead, lying at the side of the road. He might have been shocked and hurried on, but instead, he stopped to help.

The point Jesus was making was clear. The good and loving person simply loved others as God wanted all of us to love. When there was clear need for help, we should respond with generosity. He stopped along his way to help someone in clear need. He gave emergency aid to the poor victim and took him to a safe place where he could get better. If this involved extra expenses, he said he would cover whatever was needed. (In our time, he might have left a credit card number.) His care and concern for this poor fellow, who he met at the side of the road, was unconditional.

Jesus was saying that genuine love of neighbor should not have limits. Nor should we be ones who help only family and friends, but all who are truly in need. Sadly, at times religious membership and beliefs separate us from others. Each of us can fall victim to religious prejudice and help only those similar to us or those we judge who “deserve” our help.

Of course, Jesus is not asking us to do the impossible. But he is reminding us that we should be on the lookout for anyone who may need our assistance. Sometimes that may require financial aid. Or a more personal response, like a friendly greeting, a supportive presence or a simple favor. It all depends on circumstances. And need.

David M. Thomas, PhD