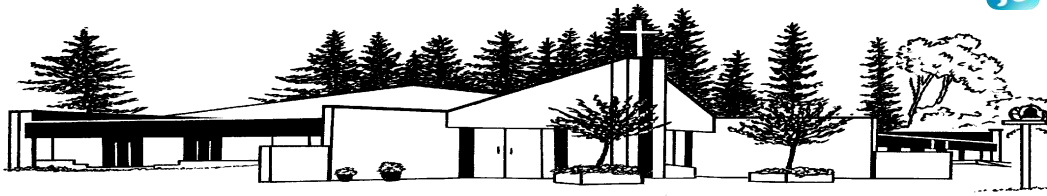


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Deacon Floyd McCubbins, 471-4379, deaconfloydmc@yahoo.com - Risen Christ

Deacon Charlie Harball, 752-6788, St. Matthew

Helen Tobiason - Religious Formation Coordinator, Grades K-6

Maryruth Fallon, Music Director

Sandy Carter, Office Manager ~ Rose Hall, Office Assistant

THE EPIPHANY OF THE LORD **January 8, 2023**

Saturday, January 7, Mass for January Intentions **6:30 pm**

Sunday, January 8, Mass for the Parish..... **9:00 am**

Tuesday, January 10, Mass for the Soul of Angela Diana Love, rb Rick Nease **8:45 am**

Thurs., Jan. 12, Mass for the Soul of Linda Cooper, rb Mark/Susie Fredenberg. **8:45 am**

Wednesdays 12:10 pm, 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, January 14 & 15, 2023

MINISTRY	Saturday, 6:30 pm	Sunday, 9:00 am
Plate Minister	Judy Hughes	
Cup Minister	Suzanne Johnson	
	Jamie Miller	Neil Heino
Lector	Peg Gebhardt	Pati Heath
	Dixon Rice	Paul Heath
Server	Rick Nease	Ron Boespflug
Greeters	Sam Nease & Pat Arnone	Dan & Tammy Newton

PLEASE NOTE

Sacrament of Baptism by appointment

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

DATES TO REMEMBER

Jan	8	THE EPIPHANY OF THE LORD	
		Coffee Hour.....	after Mass
	9	Scripture Study.....	6:30 – 8:00 pm
	10	KC Ladies	6:00 pm
		Knights of Columbus	6:30 pm
		Choir	7:30 pm
	11	Ladies' Scripture Study.....	10:00 – 11:30 am
		Religious Formation, Grades K-6.....	4:00 – 5:00 pm
	15	SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME	
		Parish Breakfast, sponsored by the Knights of Columbus.....	after Mass
	16	Scripture Study	6:30 – 8:00 pm
	17	KC Ladies, Nickel Charlie's	6:00 pm
		Knights of Columbus	6:00 pm
		Choir	7:30 pm
	18	Ladies' Scripture Study.....	10:00 – 11:30 am
		Religious Formation, Grades K-6.....	4:00 – 5:00 pm
	19	Mardi Gras.....	2:00 – 5:00 pm
	22	THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME	

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.

THANK YOU TO THE DECORATING VOLUNTEERS, CHOIR AND MUSICIANS

We would like to extend a heartfelt thank you to all the many volunteers who helped with the decorating of our church. We appreciate you sharing your time and talent for this beautiful Christmas season celebration. The church looked delightful and elegant!

Paul & Pati Heath	Camille Scott
Holly & Ilah McKenzie	Rose Hall
Howie & Marian Ficek	Vicki Walbruch
Dean Van De Hey	Father Stan
Toni Gunnerson	Iris Stephens
Ken Barrett	Diane Dubay
Bob Pearce	

Many thanks to the choir and musicians that made our Christmas Masses so inspirational and prayerful.

Please forgive us if we inadvertently left any names off. Thank you again!

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

Thursday, January 12th after Mass we will be taking down Christmas decorations. Your help would be greatly appreciated!

~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.

Christmas Eve and Christmas Day – December 24 & 25, 2022

Sunday Envelopes	\$2,668
Building Envelopes	50
Christmas Envelopes	6,989
Mass & Stole Gifts	15
Total	\$9,722

December 31, 2022 & January 1, 2023

Sunday Envelopes\$	7551
Building Envelopes	1355
Christmas	645
Holyday Envelopes	518
Total	\$10,069

BAKE SALE

Since we began our Bake Sale in February of 2022, we have sent to the Diocese for the Seminarians a total of \$6,183.00. Our next Bake Sale will be on February 11/12. Please join us in baking for this event.



Help the Knights of Columbus Help Others



New Year Parish Breakfast

Please join us for our New Year Parish Breakfast after Mass on Sunday morning, January 15. It is time to cherish what’s important – faith, friends, and, most importantly parish family. Let Us Celebrate Together!

THANK YOU FROM A RAY OF HOPE

Thank you so much for the Thanksgiving and Christmas donations. We appreciate your continued support of A Ray of Hope.

Wishing you all a wonderful Christmas and a blessed New Year.

Sincerely, A Ray of Hope

**MASS INTENTIONS
FOR THE MONTH OF JANUARY, 2023**

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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
Shelley Hembd, rb Gary Hembd
Eileen Babb, rb John & Connie Babb
Tracy Babb Iano, rb John & Connie Babb
Fopp/Markos Families, rb Linda Lessard
Douglas E. Hutchens, rb Hutchens Family
Elmer A. Alger, rb Hutchens Family
Fleckenstein Family, rb Evelyn Fleckenstein
Bill Sawyer, rb Mary Ruff
Irena Martuszezowska Lesniak, rb Fr. Stan

FOR SPECIAL INTENTIONS

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Brittany Cornett, rb Ken Bye & Dee Hesper

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

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Greg Grace, Joe Riska, Curtis Gomes, Gene Jellison
Eileen Kluesner, Maureen Neitzling, Amy Neitzling
Tim Slobojan, Lonny Kottraba, Bob & Barbara Vine
Mary Grace Galvin, Mike & Linda O'Neil, Larry Visocan
Mary Reckin, Ron & Margarite Bauer, Carol Trimble
Ruff & Falk Families, Sharon Coursey

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
Carter Anderson, Shae Bills, Lane Buus, Matt Keck, Jack Peed

ANNUAL CATHOLIC APPEAL

Please consider your sacrificial offering to the Annual Catholic Appeal. You can mail your envelope to the Diocese; drop it in our collection basket; or make your donation on-line on the Diocesan website. To date we are at 78% of our financial goal and 39% participation.

READINGS FOR THE SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

JANUARY 15, 2023

Isaiah 49:3, 5-6

1 Corinthians 1:1-3

John 1:29-34

PRACTICE OF HOPE

In today's reading, we hear about three people who were sent by God to proclaim God's Word: Isaiah, John the Baptist, and Paul. Each of us is called to proclaim the good news, and yet we can have trouble articulating our point of view. Friends raised in the Church who no longer practice can perceive judgment, while friends from other traditions or from no tradition might respond with defensiveness.

♥ The work of God in the world is one of healing all divisions. Our proclamation of what is both true and beautiful must aim at that as well. One way in which we can live out this call is to share our joy. What about the Christian life makes you feel joyful? How can your life testify to the origin of this joy?

At Home With the Word 2023

RISEN CHRIST PRAYER LINE

Call Helen Tobiason, (406) 212-0063 or Jackie Jensen, (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 scapulars, holy water fonts, rosaries, children's bracelets and much more. Stop by anytime to check out our gift shop! 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 office.

We have many items available for year-round giving!

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

*Our hope is not in the New Year...
but in the ONE who makes all things new!*

EPIPHANY 2023—"BLESSING OF THE CHALK"



Each year around the feast of the Epiphany, many parishes worldwide participate in an annual blessing of chalk. It is an ancient tradition that not only places God at the entrance of your home but also puts your entire family under his protection. The Epiphany blessing of chalk and homes is a centuries-old tradition where priests visit each home in their parish after the Feast of the Epiphany. Over time it became more difficult to accomplish such a feat as parishes became larger and larger and priests were stretched thin. For this reason, it became an accepted tradition that a household member could lead this blessing in place of the priest. Risen Christ Parish / St. Mathew's Parish will provide the blessed chalk and the prayer for you to bless your home this Epiphany.

Dear Fr. Stan and Risen Christ Parish,

I just wanted to express my extreme gratitude at your continued support for the work of Intermountain to bring healing and hope to hurting children throughout Montana, and especially in the Flathead.

I hope the coming year is a blessing to you and your parish. God bless you, again, for standing with us to help Montana's children.

Sincerely,
Chris

Rev. Dr. Chris Haughee, DMin, MDiv | Church Relations

CATHOLIC WOMEN'S CONFERENCE

"Come to Me" - Matthew 11:28

Join women from Montana and beyond for prayer, speakers, music, fellowship and more!

REGISTRATION IS NOW OPEN

Saturday April 15, 2023, Civic Center, Helena, Montana

Register online: www.helenacwc.com

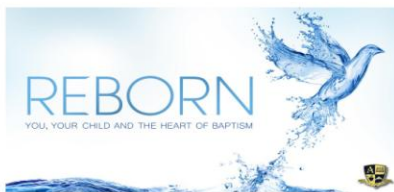
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Week of January 08, 2023



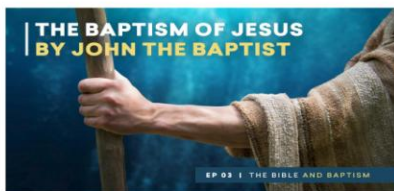
A Bible Study on the Luminous Mysteries: The Baptism of Jesus (Part 1)

Why was Jesus baptized by John the Baptist and what does this mean for the Sacrament of Baptism? Sit down with Taylor Kemp and Dr. Michael Barber as they unpack the first Luminous Mystery of the Rosary.



Reborn - Episode 1: A New Creation

This week, as we contemplate Jesus' Baptism, dive into the mystery of the Sacrament of Baptism! Through our Reborn series, you will come to understand the deeper meaning behind your Baptism!



The Baptism of Jesus by John the Baptist The Bible and Baptism Episode 3

Dr. John Sehorn joins Fr. Isaac Morales, OP, a Dominican friar of the Province of Saint Joseph and Associate Professor of Theology at Providence College. This episode highlights the significance of Jesus' baptism at the hands of his cousin, John the Baptist.

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Fr. Stan

**Father Stan says it
will be Outstanding
Family Fun !**



Risen Christ Parish Family Favorite!

**Many Great
Games !**

Delightful PRIZES!



**Popcorn & Cotton
Candy!**

**Spaghetti, Garlic Bread & Sodas
available by donation.**

2:00-5:00 PM

Sunday, February 19

(Please sign-up in the social area)



