

# ST. MATTHEW'S ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH

**Parish Office:** 602 S. Main Street, Kalispell, MT 59901

**Phone:** 406-752-6788 **Fax:** 406-756-8248

Mon - Fri 8:00 am - 4:00 pm [www.stmatthewskalispell.org](http://www.stmatthewskalispell.org)

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**February 18, 2018**

# Dare to be a Saint

## Eucharistic Celebrations:

Saturday Mass: ..... 5:00 pm

Sunday Masses: ..... 8:00, 9:30, & 11:00 am

Weekday Masses:

Tues. & Thurs ..... 12:10 pm

Wed. .... 7:15 am

Fri. .... 8:45 am

Reconciliation: ... Sat. 3:00 - 4:00pm ..... or by appointment

11:00am - 11:50pm - 1st & 3rd Tuesdays

## Sacraments:

Baptism and Marriage Prep: by appointment ..... 752-6788

First Communion and Confirmation ..... 752-6788

## Parish Staff:

Father Roderick Ermatinger, *Pastor* ..... 752-6788

Father Joseph Paddock, *Parochial Vicar* ..... 752-6788

Charlie Harball, *Deacon* ..... 752-6788

Theresa Herbold, *Director of Religious Ed*

..... herbold@stmattsaints.org

Ruby Reiner, *Receptionist* ..... 752-6788

..... parish@stmattsaints.org

Jeanne O'Connell, *Pastoral Assistant* ..... 752-6788

**St. Matthew's School:** ..... office@stmattsaints.org

Lauren Smith *Principal* ..... 752-6303

Theresa Surynt, *Registrar/Human Resources* ..... 752-6303

Charlie Sherrill, *Secretary* ..... 752-6303

## St Matthew's Catholic Early Learning Center:

Roseann Herne *Director* ..... 756-6807

**Social Concerns:** Mike Huekhang ..... 752-6402

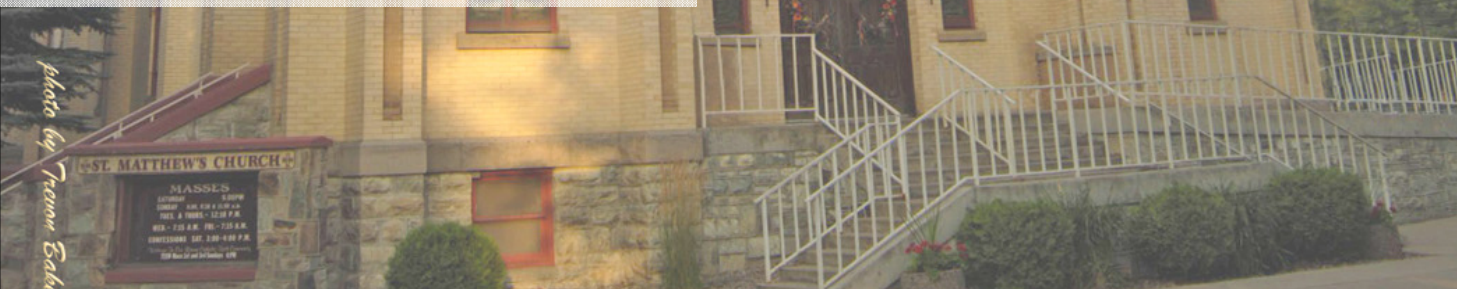
..... socialconcerns@stmattsaints.org

**Prayer Line:** Karol Witt ..... 837-0072

..... theprayerline@gmail.com

**Diocese of Helena Chancery Office** ..... 800-584-8914

..... www.diocesehelena.org





## Ministry & Prayer Schedule

Adoration ..... Tues 12:45 pm - 10:00pm  
 ..... Weds 7:45 am - 6:30 pm  
CCW ..... 1st Thurs..... Doran Center  
Choir Practice ..... Wednesdays 7:00 pm... Church  
Daughters of Isabella .....Every 4th Monday 6pm Doran Center  
Knights of Columbus ..... 1st Thursday 6:00 pm Social,  
 6:30 pm dinner,7:30 pm meeting..... RMC  
Praise & Worship ..... Thurs. 7:00 pm..... Church  
Rosary ..... Tue & Thu 11:25 am.... Church  
RCIA ..... Tues. 7:00 pm ..... RMC  
Women of Grace ..... Tues 10:30 am..... Apt. 30  
 ..... Wed 4:00 pm ..... Apt. 30  
 ..... Wed. 7:00 pm..... Apt. 30  
 ..... Thurs 1:00 pm....Doran Center  
 ..... Fri 9:30 am..... Doran Center  
Faith Formation K-5 R.E/Saints..... Wed. 4-5:15 pm  
Faith Formation 6-8... Edge..... Wed. 7-8:30 pm  
Faith Formation 9-12 YDisciple..... Wed. 7-8:30 pm

## This Week's Daily Readings

**Mon. 2/19/18 - First Week of Lent**  
 Lv 19:1-2,11-18; Ps 19:8,9,10,15; 2 Cor 6:2b; Mt 25:31-46  
**Tue. 2/20/18 - First Week of Lent**  
 Is 55 :10-11; Ps 34:4-5,6-7,16-17,18-19; Mt 4:4b; Mt 6:7-15  
**Wed. 2/21/18 - First Week of Lent**  
 Jon 3:1-10; Ps 51:3-4,12-13, 18-19; JL 2:12-13; Lk 11:29-32  
**Thur. 2/22/18 - Feast of the Chair of St. Peter**  
 1 Pt 5:1-4; Ps 23:1-3a,4,5,6; Mt 16:18; Mt 16:13-19  
**Fri. 2/23/18 - First Week of Lent**  
 Ez 18:21-28; Ps 130:1-2,3-4,5-7a,7bc-8; Ez 18:31; Mt 5:20-26  
**Sat. 2/24/18 - First Week of Lent**  
 Dt 26:16-19; Ps 119:1-2,4-5,7-8; 2 Cor 6:2b; Mt 5:43-48  
**Sun. 2/25/18 - Second Sunday of Lent**  
 Gn 22:1-2,9a,10-13,15-18; Ps 116:10,15,16-17,18-19; Rom  
 8:31b-34; Mt 17:5; Mk 9:2-10

## Parish Gifts of Treasure

### Stewardship Report Fiscal Year 7/1/17 - 6/30/18 2/4/18

<b>2/04/18 Collection Total</b>	\$ 13,213.57
<b>Weekly Budgeted</b>	\$ 13,957.00
<b>Over (Short)</b>	\$ (743.43)
<b><u>Year to Date</u></b>	
<b>Collected</b>	\$ 453,223.22
<b>Total Budgeted</b>	\$ 463,327.44
<b>Over (Short)</b>	\$ (10,104.22)

## Stations of the Cross

Fridays @ 12:10 pm and 6:00 pm  
 Fish Fry @ 5:30

## **UNPLUGGED**

*Sunday, February 25th*  
*5-6:00 pm*  
*For Men and Women*

### Mass Intentions

2/20/18 12:10 pm O'Neill Family Living & Deceased  
 2/21/18 7:15 am Fr. Joe Paddock  
 2/22/18 12:10 pm Darlene Maughan  
 2/23/18 8:45am Deacon Charlie Harball  
 2/24/18 5:00 pm Edward Reiner  
 2/25/18 8:00 am Laney & Betty Hanzel  
 2/25/18 9:30 am Reed & Cathie Darrow  
 2/25/18 11:00 am The People of St. Matthews



## Advertiser of the Week

**SUBWAY "Eat Fresh"**  
**The Tuhy Family**

**See Ad on the Back of the Bulletin**

## School Announcements



*“Your Word Is A Lamp”*  
*Psalm 119*

Our weekend Homilies  
are recorded and uploaded to  
[myparishapp](http://myparishapp)

### SCRIP NEWS

Spring break is in a few weeks! If you are planning a vacation at that time, it is not too early to be thinking about hotels, restaurants, gas, clothing, etc. Going to Disneyland? We have Scrip for that! Stop by the Scrip Office for a full list of Scrip!



### Part-Time Marketing Position

15 hours a week, 10 months (Sept. – June)  
Pay \$9.00 - \$12.00 per hour

#### Job Responsibilities:

- \*Elevate our existing brand
- \*Promote school and parish events
- \*Update school and parish websites
- \*Communication strategies with the community, school and parish
- \*Liaison with local newspaper and radio stations/  
Press releases
- \*Coordinate social media for school and parish
- \*Help us educate the community about  
St. Matthew's

Please call the school for more information or if you are interested –406-752-6303.

## Social Concerns

### FRED'S PANTRY

#### February Hours

**Social Concerns will only be open on Wed. Feb. 21st, Fri. Feb. 23rd & Sat. Feb. 24th from 10:00 am - 2:00**

If there is an emergency or if these times do not work for you, call and make an appointment or leave a message and we will call you back - 752-6402

### SPARROW'S NEST

The Kalispell house is currently 40% completed!! Electricians and plumbers are nearing completion for the rough-in.

#### Current and Upcoming Events

\* During February, artist Randi Siu is donating 40% of the proceeds from her *Appassionata* series at the Hockaday Museum of Art. For every \$25 signed print sold, \$10 will go to the Sparrow's Nest.

\* Herberger's Community Days are March 1st - 3rd. You can purchase coupon booklets for \$5 each and save much more than that in coupons.

\* "Buy the Foot" is a campaign where you have the opportunity to sponsor a square foot of the Kalispell home for \$50. To donate send checks to "Buy the Foot" P.O. Box 8384; Kalispell, Mt 59901.

### DAUGHTERS OF ISABELLA

The Daughters of Isabella will be having their February meeting on Monday the 26th, at 6 pm in the Doran Center. This month Theresa Herbold will be there to share with us some of the programs, needs and interests in the parish. Please remember to bring your candy to stuff eggs. All Catholic women are invited to come and share our fellowship!

## General Announcements

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### ADORATION

#### Come to the Sacrament of Love

Jesus is Love. The tendency of love, its final tendency, is the union of two beings who love each other, the fusion of two into one, of two hearts into one heart, of two minds into one mind, of two souls into one soul. Listen to a mother as she presses her child to her breast: "I could eat him!" Jesus is subject to this law of love which He Himself laid down. After having shared our condition, our life, He gives Himself to us in Communion. He dissolves us into Himself. A divine union of souls, ever more perfect, ever more intimate in proportion to the greater ardor of our desires. We abide in Him, He abides in us. We are one with Him until the ineffable union that was begun here below by grace and perfected by the Eucharist is consummated in heaven in an eternal and glorious union. Love lives therefore with Jesus present in the Most Blessed Sacrament. It shares all that belongs to Jesus. It is one with Jesus. The demands of our heart are satisfied, it cannot ask for anything else.

#### Can you not watch one hour with Me?

If you have not committed to Adoration yet, now is a great time to come on board. Call Ruthann @ 756-8551 to sign up.

A 2nd person is needed on Wednesdays from 3-4 pm.  
Please call Ruthann at 756-8551 if you can fill this time.

### VIRTUS

We will be having a Virtus (safe environment) class on **Thursday, March 1st**, from 6-9 pm in the school music room. This class is for staff and volunteers who will be working with youth or vulnerable adults. Those who take the Eucharist to the homebound should be taking this class.

If you are in need of this class, please contact Karen Weaver at rickweaver1@msn.com. You must pre-register for the class but there is no cost to you.

### MARRIAGE MATTERS MINISTRY



#### Date Night:

A fun and inspirational evening out with your spouse. Social beverages, appetizers, dinner, music, speakers, giveaway themed packages...childcare provided. Rediscover the joy of marriage.

#### Enrichment Courses:

##### Love and Respect (The Building Blocks)

Designed for small groups (5-7) couples. A 6 week DVD course recommended by Retrouvaille to inspire, support and apply the biblical wisdom of Love and Respect. **Beginning Monday, Feb. 19th, 6:30-8:00 pm.**

##### Beloved (Mystery & Meaning of Marriage)

Also designed for small groups. A 6 week DVD course which explores the eternal reality behind "I so," bringing the Sacramental truth and God-infused love into everyday challenges. **Beginning Monday, Feb. 19th, 7:00-8:30 pm.**

Check your bulletin next week for more information on **Marriage Matters Ministry**.



### CATHOLIC WOMEN'S CONFERENCE

#### "A SPA DAY FOR THE SOUL"

April 21, 2018

Helena Civic Center

An opportunity to nurture women's faith and strengthen families. The speaker's theme will be: Mary our Mother, every woman's vocation.

Call Clarey Bermingham at 406-442-0450 for more information.

**REGISTRATION  
FOR CYC CONVENTION  
IS OPEN!!**



The 2018 Catholic Youth Coalition Convention is right around the corner! It will be held on March 9-11 at Carroll College, Helena, MT. Here are some details!

Early Registration: Jan 15th—Feb 15th

Cost: \$85 per student

Late Registration Feb 16th—Feb 28th

Cost: \$100 per student

St. Matthew's transportation fee: \$25

*Please make checks payable to St. Matthew's, memo "CYC Convention"*  
For scholarship inquiries, see Theresa Herbold. Scholarship deadline Feb 28th

Be sure to bring Saturday lunch money! Only Saturday night's dinner is provided  
**PLAN AHEAD**

St. Matthew's attendees will be staying at Ss. Cyril and Methodius (though on a first come, first serve basis, so don't delay! Register today!) A full list of items to bring can be found with the registration form. There will be a Formal Banquet on Saturday evening, so don't forget to dress fancy but modestly! ***Please pay careful attention to all DRESS CODE guidelines detailed in the registration form***

**\*\*\*Each child requires an adult VIRTUS TRAINED chaperone.\*\*\***

Registration forms are in the Parish Office. Please see Theresa Herbold at the Parish office for further details.

*The Most Reverend George Leo Thomas  
Bishop of Helena*

*Invites you to  
Chrism Day  
Monday, March 19, 2018*

*Presentation  
Fr. Mark Francis, CSV  
St. Mary Catholic Community  
Helena, Mt 12:30 - 3:30 pm*

**MASS OF CHRISM  
Cathedral of St. Helena  
5:30 pm**

*Sign up in the Parish Office*

St. Matthew's Parish and School are looking to fill the Bookkeepers position. Please inquire at the Parish Office.

**BASKETS & BOARDS**

Many thanks to all who attended and purchased items at this year's Blue and Gold Auction! If you have no need for the empty basket or board, please drop them off at the school and we will reuse them next year!

St. John Paul II in Bigfork is hiring a custodian. It is a full time position with benefits or possible part-time. For more information contact the parish office at 837-4846.

St. Matthew School's  
8th Annual Holy Hoops  
March 11 - 15th



I have competed well...I have kept the Faith  
2 Tim 4:7

To support this great event, please call  
the school office @ 752-6303  
Sponsorship Levels are \$1,000, \$500, \$250, \$100

Please make checks payable to F.A.C.E.

2018  
Lenten Mission

St. Matthew's Catholic  
Church

"the feast of Unleavened Bread, called the  
Passover, was drawing near"

-Lk. 22:1

St. Matthew's invites you to our 2018 Lenten Mission.  
Our guest speaker this year is Jewish convert, Bob Fish-  
man.

Bob Fishman is a Jewish convert to Catholicism who uses  
the unique method of the Jewish oral tradition to bring the  
Bible to life and apply the Word of God to our own lives.  
Steeped in his Hebrew tradition and a rich Biblical back-  
ground, he has the uncanny ability to recreate the cultural  
context and provide the necessary Scriptural connections  
to gradually unfold a tapestry of truth.

Bob is a lay brother in the Franciscan Community of the  
Brothers and Sisters of Charity and has been a guest  
speaker on *EWTN Live* and *A Journey Home*.

Our Diocese is extremely blessed to have Bob Fishman  
currently serving as the Deacon at our very own  
Cathedral of St. Helena.

So It is Written—Finding Jesus and  
Mary in the Old and New Testament

Come join us for a three night event as Bob takes us on a vivid jour-  
ney through the Bible, showing us how to find Jesus and Mary in the  
Old Testament. He will take us on an in-depth look at Mary the Mother  
of God, and conclude with the Passover, illustrating how the Jewish  
tradition directly points to the sacrifice of the Mass.

Where?

St. Matthew's Catholic  
Church  
602 S Main St  
Kalispell MT 59901  
406-752-6788

When?

- Sunday, March 4th—  
Tuesday, March 6th
- Confession 6pm—7pm
- Mission Talk 7pm—8pm
- Refreshments to follow  
in the Doran Center

