Our Lady of Fatima (Redvers)
St. Maurice (Bellegarde)
St. Anthony (Storthoaks)



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March 17, 2024—5th Sunday of Lent

Mass Schedule

Mon, Mar. 18, 9:00 a.m. Intentions of Jodean Ottenbreit by Wayne/Eileen Ottenbreit

Tues, Mar. 19, 7:30 p.m. Intentions of Isabelle Quennelle by Matthew/Bryanna Lemieux

Wed, Mar. 20, 9:00 a.m. +Rene George by Aurele/Margaret Moreau

Thurs, Mar. 21, 9:00 a.m.
Intentions of those with mental illness by A Parishioner

Fri, Mar. 22, 9:30 a.m. (Estates)

Day of Fasting/Abstinence!

+Holy Souls by A Parishioner

Stations of the Cross—7:00 p.m.

Sat, Mar. 23, 7:00 p.m. (Bellegarde) Thanksgiving by Joe/Irene Poirier

Sun, Mar. 24, 9:00 a.m. (Storthoaks) +Paul Henrion by Charles/Anita Henrion

Sun, Mar. 24, 10:45 a.m. (Redvers) Pro Populo

Liturgical Ministries (Redvers)

To ensure your name is still on a ministries list or to volunteer contact <u>Carol Poirier</u> (452-8397).

Sunday, March 24, 10:45 a.m.

Hospitality
Todd Garnier

Lectors

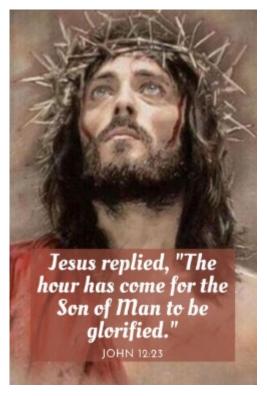
Ron/Janelle Martin

Collection

Raymond Lamotte Matthew Lemieux Linden Poirier Nathan Poirier

Communion

Jerome Poirier





Redvers

Pastoral Council Chairperson
Marc Wolensky 306-840-7282
Parish Hall Bookings
Anita Colleaux: 306-452-3868
Caretaker
Coralie Wolensky



Bellegarde
Pastoral Council Chairperson
Guy Poirier: 306-840-7744



Storthoaks
Pastoral Council Chairperson
Richard Chicoine: 449-2231
Parish Hall Bookings
Monique Dumaine: 449-2237

Parish Pastoral Council (Redvers)—Tues, Mar. 19, 7:30 p.m. Mass/Meeting

Lenten Penance/Confessions

Let us prepare for the coming celebrations of our salvation in Christ this Easter by taking the opportunity to make a sacramental Lenten confession. Opportunity will be available on the following dates in Redvers at 7:00 p.m.

Thurs, Mar. 21—Mon, Mar. 25

The Chrism Mass

Holy Rosary Cathedral, Regina—Monday, March 18, 2:00 p.m. Everyone Welcome!

Each year the local bishop blesses enough new oils for every parish during the Chrism Mass. The holy oils are then brought to individual parishes, where they are available for use during that year. Though the bishop cannot be

physically present at every baptism or confirmation in his diocese, he can be symbolically present through the holy oils he blesses.

After the Liturgy of the Word, the blessing of the oils takes place. In a formal procession, olive oil is brought forward in special urns; the <u>oil of the sick</u> is presented first, next the <u>oil of the catechumens</u>, and finally <u>oil for the holy chrism</u>. The bishop prays over and blesses each oil individually. The ritual for creating and consecrating the holy chrism is different from the others. To make it, the bishop mixes oil from the balsam plant with the olive oil, breathes on the mixed oil to signify the presence of the Holy Spirit, and then says a prayer to consecrate it. Once blessed in this way, the chrism and the other oils are no longer ordinary ointments. Instead, they are a holy, precious gift from God to the Church, signifying cleansing and strengthening, healing and comfort, and the life-giving grace of the Holy Spirit.

Since the bishop is the only minister in the diocese who may consecrate chrism, this Mass highlights his ministry and our union with him as a successor of the apostles. He will not baptize and confirm everyone in the parishes of the diocese, but he will be symbolically present in the chrism which the priests and deacons will use. This Mass also acknowledges the ministry of priests. It invites them to renew their commitment of service and to receive the prayers and support of the people. The Mass of Chrism gathers the faithful of the diocese at their mother church, the cathedral, with their shepherd to prepare for celebrations of Christ in all our churches throughout the year.





Sacred Triduum Liturgies (Redvers)

Holy Thursday, March 28, 7:30 p.m.—Evening Mass of the Lord's Supper Adoration following the liturgy until 10:30 p.m.

Good Friday, March 29, 3:00 p.m.—Celebration of the Lord's Passion A strict day of fasting and abstinence from meat!

Easter Vigil—Resurrection of the Lord, Saturday, March 30, 7:30 p.m.

Easter Sunday, March 31—Resurrection of the Lord Storthoaks—9:00 a.m./Bellegarde—11:00 a.m.