

St. Mary's Catholic Church

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LITURGICAL SCHEDULE

NO Masses this week

RECONCILIATION: Due to the Governor's stay-at-home order, we will forgo having a set schedule for confessions these next couple of weeks. If really needed, contact the Padre for an appointment.

Our Church will stay closed until the ban is lifted.

Please remember in prayer: Robert Knopik, Sandy Finke, Fr. John Paul, Marie Grossman, Lil Ritter, Harold Sivertson, Mary Marlow, Rita Schuster, DeLores Eul, and all who are ill. Please call when a name should be added or removed from this list.

We extend our sympathies to the family of Jeanne Hofland and Christine Rach. May they share in the joy of Christ's resurrection.

Here are some resources for options for Sunday and daily Mass:

Diocesan TV Mass is online at <http://worship.stcdio.org/tv-mass/>, <http://stcdio.org/tvmass>)

Eternal Word Television Network (EWTN)

Midco - Channel 73

Mediacom - Channel 094

Dish - Channel 261

DirecTV - Channel 370

<https://www.wordonfire.org/> Bishop Barron daily mass

<http://www.catholicstv.org/masses/catholicstv-mass>

<https://www.ewtn.com/tv/watch-live>

<https://yourcatholicradiostation.com/>

SiriusXM Radio

The Catholic Channel - Channel 129 and EWTN Channel 130



Bulletins will be created every week so they can be picked up in the office porch entryway and posted on the website.

The following are cancelled: Faith Formation classes and choir practice,

Palms: The palms are here. Once the stay-at-home order is over and if the palm branches are still good, they will be blessed and will be available to be picked up in the office porch entryway.

Sunday offerings may be dropped off at the office or sent in the mail if desired. We thank you for your financial support in this difficult time to help pay our monthly bills. May God bless you for your generosity.

The special collection envelopes for Catholic Relief Services (March 22), CRS Rice Bowl (April 5), Holy Land Collection (April 10), Stevens County Food Shelf cash donations (only), and Catholic Home Missions Appeal (April 26) can be mailed or dropped off at the Church. Please support these important collections. Thank you!

Easter Flowers: This year in our current situation, since it looks like we won't be having Easter services, we will not be ordering Easter Lilies. We will be ordering purple flowers to have something for the Easter season instead. Contact Maria Marty if you have any questions. If you would like to donate money towards the flowers, you may still do so. Please note who the flowers are in honor or memory of when you mail or drop your donation off.

The 12th Annual St. Mary's Calendar Raffle. We had a great first week! \$1,100 was receipted. (Unless you request your ticket stubs, we will be recycling them immediately.) Money raised will go towards building improvements. Let's make this another successful raffle by reaching our goal of making \$5,000. Thank you for your cooperation and support!

As Catholics, we have the greatest story to tell—the story of Jesus Christ. Our parishes, now more than ever, need well-formed leaders to help tell the story. Do you feel called to be a witness in your parish and community? The Emmaus Institute invites you to develop your faith with others seeking the same goal. Visit www.stcdio.org/Emmaus-Institute or contact Kristi Bivens at 320-258-7642 or kbivens@gw.stcdio.org.

Area Catholic Community parish websites are: www.brownsvalleycatholic.org <https://assumptionofmorris.org>

