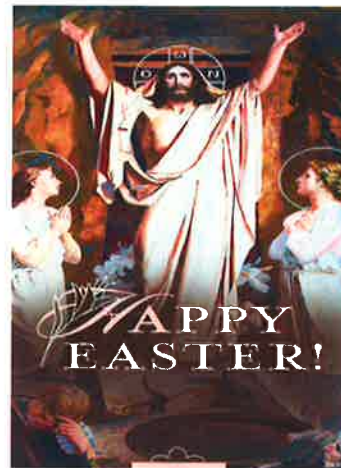
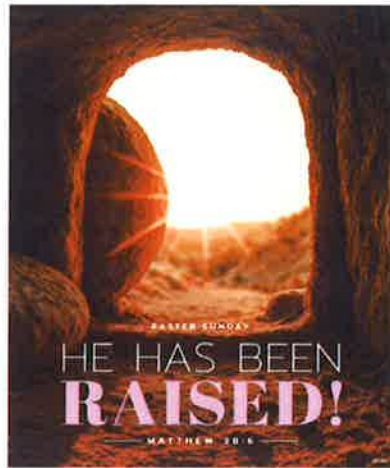


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Mass & *SCAP (W/C) Schedule

1st & 3rd Sundays

Saturday 10:00 AM

*Sunday 8:00 AM

Sunday 9:30 AM

*Sunday 10:30 AM

Sunday 11:30 AM

St. Michael's Savage

St. Catherine's Fairview

St. Matthew's Sidney

St. Bernard's Charley Creek

St. Theresa's Lambert

2nd & 4th Sundays

*Saturday 10:00 AM

Saturday 5:30 PM

Sunday 8:00 AM

*Sunday 9:30 AM

Sunday 10:30 AM

*Sunday 11:30 AM

St. Michael's Savage

St. Matthew's Sidney

St. Catherine's Fairview

St. Matthew's Sidney

St. Bernard's Charley Creek

St. Theresa's Lambert

5th Sundays

*Saturday 10:00 AM

*Sunday 8:00 AM

*Sunday 9:30 AM

*Sunday 10:30 AM

*Sunday 11:30 AM

St. Michael's Savage

St. Catherine's Fairview

St. Matthew's Sidney

St. Bernard's Charley Creek

St. Theresa's Lambert

* Sunday Celebration in the Absence of a Priest [SCAP (W/C)]

Daily Mass

Tuesdays** - Fridays 9:00AM (*Please use the door on the east side of the church with the ramp.*)

** 1st Tues. @ Extended Care & 2nd Tues. @ The Lodge

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* **BULLETIN DEADLINE** for April 11/12 is Tuesday, April 7th @ NOON

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Please contact the Parish Office with Prayer Requests or fill out the Prayer Request form found on our website: stmattsidney.com — Parish Life — Prayer Request
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GOSPEL MEDITATION

Zander Price was the fastest kid at my grade school. He won every race on Field Day. To me, his swiftness meant he was the greatest. Zander was the best. It's the same with the speediest Apostle on Easter morning. John tells us he "ran faster than Peter and arrived at the tomb first." (John 20:4) But only after Peter entered did John go in, see the burial cloths, and believe. Here is a symbol of two dimensions of the Church. John, the beloved disciple, represents the contemplative, mystical life: affection, prayer, intimacy. Peter, the rock, represents the Church's institutional life: steady, authoritative, structured...but slower. Of course, John runs faster! Love is the heartbeat of Christian faith, so love will always arrive first. Peter's role is, in a sense, secondary. He arrives later, but is still very much needed. John waits for him. The Church must be built, balanced, protected, and led. Love without structure can vanish; structure without love becomes lifeless. This dynamic is not just historical — it is personal. In you, there is a John who longs to run to the tomb in love. Let him run! Pray, sing, love Jesus. There is also a Peter, who eventually gets to the tomb and takes charge. The Risen Christ wants both. Remember: if you want to get to the mystery of Jesus' resurrection fast...love him, for love is best. — Father John Muir

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- Personal Eucharistic Adoration** For more information on available times or to sign up to fill in, please contact Jan Martineau @ 406-488-3011.
Wednesdays and Thursdays 6 AM—6 PM
- Periodic Eucharistic Adoration** All are welcome to join us in the church on the 4th Sundays @ 3PM.
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WELCOME and CONGRATULATIONS

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Class: GRADES 6-12 7:00 PM



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Come and celebrate with our young people as they receive Confirmation with Eucharist Thursday, April 30th at 6:00 PM with Bishop Warfel.

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April 4—12, 2026

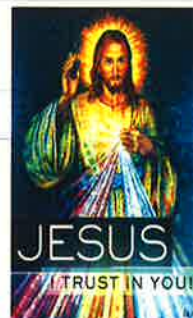
1st Sunday of April—EASTER SUNDAY

SAT	4/4	
	3:00 PM	MASS: ST. BERNARD
	7:00 PM	MASS: ST. MATTHEW
SUN	4/5	Happy Easter!
	8:00 AM	MASS: ST. CATHERINE
	9:30 AM	*SCAP: ST. MATTHEW
	10:00 AM	MASS: ST. MICHAEL
	11:30 AM	*SCAP: ST. THERESA
MON	4/6	* Parish Center Closed
	6:15 PM	St. Matthew's OCIA Class, Conf. Room
TUE	4/7	
	10:00 AM	Funeral Mass for Bernard Pease St. Matthew's Church
WED	4/8	
		NO MASS
	5:15 PM	PreK-Grade 5: Music in Chapel
	5:30 PM	Family Night in Ned Shinnick Hall
	7:00 PM	Grades 6-12: Class, Parish Center (P.C.)

THUR	4/9	
		NO MASS
FRI	4/10	
		NO MASS
	11 AM-1 PM	Soup @ St. Matt's, Ned Shinnick Hall

2nd Sunday of April—Divine Mercy Sunday

SAT	4/11	
	10:00 AM	*SCAP: ST. MICHAEL
	5:30 PM	MASS: ST. MATTHEW
SUN	4/12	Divine Mercy Sunday
	8:00 AM	MASS: ST. CATHERINE
	9:30 AM	*SCAP: ST. MATTHEW
	10:30 AM	MASS: ST. BERNARD
	11:30 AM	*SCAP: ST. THERESA



Easter Blessing

Dear Lord,

Where there has been death, bring new life!
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