Bishop Malloy’s Holy Week, Easter Services Online Schedule

To comply with Vatican and state guidance about group gatherings during this time of pandemic, Bishop David Malloy has cancelled all in-person Masses and other prayer gatherings in the Rockford Diocese until further notice.

In accord with general instruction from the Holy See in celebrating Holy Week and Easter, the following liturgies will be celebrated and streamed live from the Cathedral of St. Peter in Rockford. The Triduum and Easter celebrations can be seen via the Diocese Rockford Facebook page and at the diocesan website, https://www.rockforddiocese.org/

(Note: Holy Thursday and Good Friday will also be streamed live on the Diocese of Rockford YouTube Channel)

Holy Thursday, April 9

11 a.m., Chrism Mass with Msgr. Glenn Nelson, Father Stephen St. Jules and masters of ceremonies

To keep the rhythm of liturgical practice all priests are to consider following the Chrism Mass as it is streamed in order to renew together, from where they are, the priestly promises. The holy oils will be blessed and held for subsequent distribution when possible to individual parishes and Catholic institutions.

7 p.m., Mass of the Lord’s Supper with Msgr. Glenn Nelson, Father Stephen St. Jules and masters of ceremonies and without the people

Good Friday, April 10

2 p.m., Good Friday Liturgy without the people

Easter Vigil, April 11

7:30 p.m. vigil without the people

Easter Sunday, April 12

10:30 a.m., Mass without the people. This Mass will be broadcast live on WREX Channel 13 in Rockford. (Check local listings and cable channel numbers in your area.) The Easter Mass will also be streamed at https://wrex.com/news/wrex-live-stream/ and on the WREX Facebook page: https://www.facebook.com/wrextv/

The Diocese of Rockford will share the link to this broadcast on its website and on its Facebook page.