



Holy Spirit

Catholic Parish and School

September 18, 2016

Worship Centers: Holy Spirit Catholic Church, 201 44th St. South Holy Family Chapel, 2800 Central Ave.
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Parish Office hours: Monday – Thursday 8:30 a.m. – 4:00 p.m., Friday 8:30 a.m. – Noon
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***WE**, the people of Holy Spirit Catholic Parish of Great Falls, Montana, created by God, centered in Jesus Christ, and empowered by the Holy Spirit, are sharing our journey of faith,*

***WE** are committed to upholding our faith, strengthening our families, and being a joyful people of prayer.*

***WE** strive to be the Lord's presence on earth by welcoming and ministering to all people with compassion and hope. Rev. March 1999*

"If the ocean is good and worthy of praise before God, how much more beautiful is the assembly of a Church like this, where the voices of men, of children, and of women arise in our prayers to God, mingling and resounding like the waves which beat upon the shore. St. Basil the Great

Holy Spirit Parish Stewardship Fair TODAY!

September 17 & 18 after all Masses, in the Social Hall

Time and Talent Weekend September 24-25.

Look for the Time and Talent forms in the pews.

Please return them to the parish office, in the collection basket or in the basket at the back of the church!

Please prayerfully look over the form and see where you can share your talents with this faith community!!



Extra Parish Directories!

There are extra directories for those parishioners who did not have a photo taken. Please stop by the office if you would like to have a directory. There are a limited number so get them while you can!



Are you a registered member of Holy Spirit Parish?

Do you receive regular mailings for religious formation and socials, etc., envelopes or year-end statements?

If not, you are probably not in our computer! Registration forms are available in the entryway, download from the parish website, or fill out the form below and drop it in the collection basket.

We will send you a registration form.

Name: _____

Address: _____ Phone: _____

Twenty-Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time - September 18, 2016

Holy Spirit Parish Weekend Mass Schedule

Saturday – 4:30 p.m.

Sunday – 8:30 & 11:00 a.m. - 4th Sundays, 5:00 p.m., Spanish Mass

Daily Mass Schedule

Holy Spirit Day Chapel:

Tuesdays 5:15 p.m. & Thursdays 8:30 a.m.

Park Place (3200 15th Ave. S) Wednesdays 2:30 p.m.

Holy Family Chapel (2800 Central Avenue) Fridays 8:30 am

Reconciliation: Saturdays - 4 pm Holy Spirit or by appointment



Holy Spirit Chapel is open for Adoration Monday - Thursday from 8:30 a.m. - 4 p.m. and Friday from 8:30 - Noon.

Mass Intentions:

Tues., 9/20 - 5:15 p.m. - +Barbara Olds r/b J & J Bundi
Wed., 9/21 - 2:30 p.m. - Park Place - Word & Communion
Thur., 9/22- 8:30 a.m. - +Ben DeLeo r/b K Walters
Fri., 9/23 - 8:30 a.m. - Holy Family - +Charles Jedrzejewski r/b M Jedrzejewski

Sat., 9/24 - 4:30 p.m. - +Walt O'Fallon r/b S Dunston
Sun., 9/25 - 8:30 a.m. - +Jack Knox r/b J Knox
11:00 a.m. - +Rhonda Rangel r/b T & D Murphy

Readings for next week: 26th Sunday in Ordinary Time

1st Reading: Amos 6:1a, 4-7

2nd Reading: 1 Timothy 6:11-16

Gospel: Luke 16:19-31



Coffee & Rolls Schedule

September 18: Knight of Columbus Council #9395

September 25: Holy Spirit School

Bus Schedule:

September 24: CeCe Fuhrman, Therese Griffith

September 25: Roger & Kay Seilstad

What's Happening This Week...

Sunday: Parish Nurses - 9:45 a.m. Conf Rm
Sacramental Prep - 1:00 p.m. Sts. P&P

Tuesday: Worship Comm. - 6:30 p.m. Conf Rm
Formation Comm. - 7:00 p.m. Sts. P&P

Wednesday: Y. M. Team Training - 6:30 p.m. Sts. P&P

Thursday: RCIA - 7:00 p.m. Sts. P&P

Christian Service Comm. - 6:30 p.m. Conf Rm

Saturday: Fellowship Dinner - after Mass Soc Hall



The deadline for the bulletin is on Wednesday at Noon.
Requests may be emailed to hsparish@holyspiritgf.org

This month's Fellowship Dinner will be hosted by the St. Dismas Jail Ministry on Saturday, September 24th after the 4:30 Mass. They will be serving breakfast casserole, yummy potatoes, and other evening brunch items. Come and enjoy good food and company!!




Invitation: Please join us to pray the Rosary at 4:45 p.m. on Tuesday at Holy Spirit, 8 a.m. on Thursdays at Holy Spirit, 8 a.m. on Fridays at Holy Family and 4:00 p.m. on Saturday at Holy Spirit. The Knights of Columbus Council #9395 will lead the Rosary before the 11:00 a.m. Mass on the 5th Sundays of the month.

PARISH STAFF

Fr. Dick Schlosser	Pastor
Dcn. Mark Zenner	Deacon
Dcn. Bill Medved	RCIA/Adult Formation
Dcn. Pete Woelkers	Deacon
Mark Meyer	Parish Administrator
Mary Dupuis	Worship
Aubrey Rearden	DRE/Youth Minister
Cindy Eultgen	Christian Service/Elementary Formation
Karyn Jenkins	Administrative Assistant
Mary Wingerter	Volunteer Coordinator
Chuck Osterman	Maintenance

Liturgical Ministers for September 23,24

	4:30 PM	8:30 AM	11:00 AM
 Holy Spirit <i>Catholic Parish</i>	★ Sub requested ~ see Web Terminal		
Bread Baker	Marie Stimac T. Watson		
Holy Wash		C. Fuhrman	
Sacristan	S. Mohler	Monique Nickol	K Krattiger
Greeter	Handwerks L. Howard V. Pedro	D. Dickman Nunez Family	G. Saunders Schaffers
Usher	M. Thompson A. Toeckes	D. Erickson C. Munsterteiger	ME Francis L. Francis P. Jones
Cross	C. Polacek	T. Gardner	B. Lorenz
Alter Servers	R Bowman C. Schnider	J. Donnelly E. Donnelly	Ethan Vincent Elijah Vincent
CLW		C Lyerly NOT FILLED	K. Stimac NOT FILLED
Reader	M. Johannes P. Molloy	C. Jackson M. Bahnmler	A. Standley M. Woelkers
Gifts	R. Olmstead KSchumacher E. White ★	Cook Family	Donisthorpes S. McAllister
Euch. Ministers	S. Edwin Hans Fehres T. Gilligan M. Gondeiro G. Howard ★ Rita Kuka Rich Kuka J. McKenna S. McKenna B. Medved S. Pedro F. Polacek M. Taylor A. Trunkle K Weinheimer	S. Bahnmler J. Bomgardner B. Duke C. Ingman T. Jones ★ E. Kelley S. Krogstad ★ G. Matsko S. O'Rourke K. Prinzing B. Schlecht K. Wichman Diane Wilkins M. Zenner J. Zenner	K. Allen K. Baker A. Bulger C. Good C. Nicholson S. O'Connell T. O'Connell K. Rearden J. Schmit M Sitzmann R. Vincent D. Walczak B. Williamson V. Williamson P. Woelkers

Recycling

Call Cindy for more information. (Shifts run Fri. to Thurs.)

Weekend Newspaper Cardboard

3rd (Sept 16) Kushnak Shipley

4th (Sept 23) Matsko, J. Schumacher & Nowak

School Newspapers—Monica Barlow



**Call Parish Office for information on RCIA,
Adult Formation or Marriage Preparation**



RCIA: The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults is the way our parish prepares people to become Catholic. We meet every Thursday from 7:00 —8:30 pm in the Sts. Peter & Paul Center.

“**Sunday by Sunday**” is a wonderful ongoing program that meets Wednesday night to study the upcoming scriptures for the weekend Mass. This group will meet Wednesday Aug. 31 at 7 PM in the conference room of the Church. For more information call Tom 761-6963 or Marilyn 315 -1504.

Young Adult Ministry

Aubrey Rearden 452-6491 ext. 207 aubrey@holyspiritgf.org
Cell Phone: 868-6713 (call or text)

Looking for an opportunity to spend time in faith with other young adults? Contact Aubrey Rearden information above to be added to our Young Adult mailings & texts.

Youth Ministry

Aubrey Rearden 452-6491 ext. 207 aubrey@holyspiritgf.org
Cell Phone: 868-6713

**Youth Group Sunday Nights 6:30-8:15pm
@ Sts. Peter & Paul Center**



Get Registered...fall registration



packets for Youth Ministry have been mailed out and are available in the book rack at the church. Please fill out your registration form and return to the parish office ASAP, you may also drop in the collection basket. Can't wait for a great year of Youth Group! Youth Group begins **Sunday September 25th.**



Youth Ministry Team Meeting!

Both the Edge (Middle School) & Life Teen (High School) Core Teams will meet on Wednesday September 21 @ 6:30pm in the

Youth Room @ Sts. Peter & Paul Center.

COLOR RUN!!!



Get ready to kick off the year of Youth Group with a Color Run!!! On Sunday September 25, 2016 we will be having the **1st Annual Holy Spirit Youth Group Color Run.** Come dressed in white that you don't mind getting rainbow colored, prizes to be awarded to the most colorful, least colorful, Best “Squeaky-Clean” Before Picture, Best Sport, Race Winner. Bring a friend! (*Youth Group is open to all 7th—12th Grade Youth*).



Bibles & Brew High School Bible Study Every

Wednesday morning from 6:45-7:30am @ Schulte's Coffeehouse.

Elementary Faith Formation

Pre-K thru 6th gr.

Sun or Wed Starts Oct 2 or 5

Cindy Eultgen 452-6491 ext. 208 cindy@holyspiritgf.org

Registration for children PreK-6th gr. Choose either Sun. or Wed. Volunteers needed in all areas. Questions call Cindy 452-6491.

Sacramental Preparation

1st Eucharist, Reconciliation, and Confirmation (2nd gr—6th gr.)

Cindy Eultgen 452-6491 ext. 208 cindy@holyspiritgf.org



**Orientation Sunday, Sept. 18 from 1-2:30 pm at
Sts. Peter & Paul Center.**

Holy Spirit School

Jim Wichman - Principal - Melissa Hallahan, Vice-Principal

Judy Flint & Robin Verzuh, Administrative Assistants.

761-5775

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Holy Spirit Catholic School is looking for a few good FAMILIES! We would love to show off our sparkling clean building to you. Our small class sizes & weekly Art, Music, PE, & computer application classes provide learners a superior education. Holy Spirit also has up to date classroom technology with one to one iPads in our K-8th grades. Give us a call at 761-5775 or stop by for a visit at 2820 Central Avenue. We are open regular hours from 7:30 am to 3:30 pm daily M-F. If you know of any families who would benefit from a Catholic education in our parish school, please forward their names and addresses to Colette Longin at 2820 Central Avenue, Great Falls, MT. Or email that information to clongin@holyspiritgf.org. We would love to send out our information package.



Please continue to save Box Tops as we start our new year. We appreciate you helping with this program for our school.



Part-time Position Opening: Holy Spirit Catholic School/Extended Care is looking for a part-time child care aide/provider. CPR & 1st Aid, and one year experience working in an early childhood setting. Must have (or be willing to obtain) training and keep up with updated licensing requirements. Applicant must be a high school grad or have a GED. Please contact Brenda Meyer at Holy Spirit Catholic School, 761-5775 x 208 or HSCS 2820 Central Ave. for an application.

Christian Service

Cindy Eultgen 452-6491 ext. 208 cindy@holyspiritgf.org

August Report:

Kids N Kans: for St. Martin de Pores: 125 lbs

Wood Bin: for St. Vincent de Paul: 177 lbs

Parish Relief : Yellow envelope \$ 1,110

Electronic contributions \$279 Dispersed \$1182 for utilities, rent, Echoz Pregnancy Center, Family Promise, St. Martin de Porres, and Rocky Boy.

Fair Trade Coffee: July sales \$369 September \$148

Grace Home Grand Opening! All are welcome

**Saturday, September 24 at 2 pm
2211 5th Ave. N**

Be there for the raising of the flag to honor those who fought for our freedom

Call 761-0111 for more information or contact

Deborah Kottel deborah.kottel@ugh.edu

or Phil Wells phil.wells@svdpncmt.org



Ready to be a homeowner? Habitat for Humanity can help. Free workshop Tuesday, Sept. 20 from 12-1 pm at 905 1st Ave. North. Call 453-5972 for more information.

Life Issues Forum free and open to all: Wednesday, Sept 21 at 6:30 pm at University of Great Falls Theater. See flier on bulletin board.

Catholics Care. Catholics Vote. Form your conscience.

In their statement on *Forming Consciences for Faithful Citizenship*, the U.S. Catholic bishops urge Catholics to form their consciences through being open to truth, studying Scripture and Church teaching, examining facts and background information, and prayerful reflection (no. 18). Visit

www.faithfulcitizenship.org to learn about the steps you can take to form your conscience, watch videos and access other great resources on conscience formation for faithful citizens.

How do we engage more compassionately with people on the margins? What is Just Faith?

We start the week of Sept 18. Information and sign-up this weekend at all Masses



Mark Your Calendar! Sunday, October 2 for the Mike Davis Memorial Men's Day of Prayer. More information to come.



Stewardship



Thank you to all who are willing & able to bring in the cots for Sun, Sep 25 & take out cots on Sun, Oct 2!! We are so blessed to have the Monsignor House. The home-

less families who stay @ the Monsignor House love it there because it is a home to stay in. Thank you to every volunteer who keeps this Family Promise program alive in Great Falls & to all of you @ Holy Spirit who willingly keep it alive for our Monsignor House. We still need volunteers to spend the night during the week of Sept 25- Oct 2. We need couples for Wed Sep 28, Thurs Sep 29 & Fri Sep 30. To volunteer please call Kathie @ 781.5033.

Pope Francis states that the family's role in society "is the first essential cell of human society." Our call in Family Promise is to strengthen & ensure a quality of life for each homeless family that reaches out to us seeking a home in which to raise their family. If you have questions about donating or want to visit about Family Promise please come over to 2810 Central Avenue on **Thursday, September 15 from 9:00-11:00** or call & leave a message for **Kathie @ 781.5033.**

Next weekend will be the collection for the **Catholic University of America**. This collection provides funding for academic scholarships at the university. It is the only U. S. university with Pontifical faculties. Students are enrolled from all 50 states & almost 100 countries. Envelopes are available by the Parish Office.

Worship

Mary Dupuis 452-6491 ex. 206 mdupuis@holyspiritgf.org



Musicians Rehearse on Wednesdays, in the church.

7-7:45: Weekend music / 7:45-8:30: Choral with

parts. (Enter through the side door, around to the right.)

All voices and most instruments are welcome to help lead the music. Call Mary Dupuis for details.

Liturgical Tidbits: Distractions by Paul Turner

"Don't pray at Mass. Pray the Mass." That piece of advice disoriented many Catholics in the 1960s when the church invited us to take a different role at Mass. Catholics used to go to church carrying prayer books and rosaries so they could say their own prayers while Mass was going on. They were asked to set aside many of the prayers they used to say privately in order to take part in the prayer going on around them publicly. When you visit someone, you do not immediately pick up the phone to visit someone else. Having a conversation is good, but having the

wrong one will distract us. While at Mass we don't avoid prayer; we take part in a *specific* prayer—the Liturgy.

Distractions come in many other forms, too. You will find people reading the bulletin, balancing their checkbook, cutting their nails and adjusting their makeup during the homily, the scripture readings or the eucharistic prayer. Occasionally a cellular phone rings. Sometimes it belongs to the priest! If he answers it, you know that distractions have gotten way out of hand.

Sometimes we bring our own distractions. You may come to church with the intention of joining in the prayer, but your mind begins to wander to the events of the day ahead, the memory of the day past, the fears you harbor, the loves you enjoy, the appearance of the church or the behavior of worshippers.

Nonetheless, our common goal is to pray the Mass. It is hard, but two activities will help: preparation at home and concentration at church. At home you can prepare for Mass by reading the Scriptures beforehand and making time for personal prayer. Then when you arrive at church, the skills you honed at private prayer will enhance your communal prayer. During the Mass, concentrate on the texts you say or sing. Think about the meaning of the words. Listen attentively when one of the ministers speaks. Observe the silences with reverence. Distractions will be fewer when our preparation and concentration grow stronger.

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Courtesy Announcements



Spirits of Central Wine and Beer Tasting. Great Falls Central Catholic Stampede Club is hosting a wine and beer tasting event September 30th at 7pm. Tickets can be purchased at the school office in advance for \$25 or at the door for \$30.



Worldwide Marriage Encounter: Jesus wants us to put others first and to treat them with kindness, respect, love and compassion. Allow Jesus to transform your marriage and show you how to truly love your spouse. The next

Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend is on Oct. 21-23rd in Great Falls, Jan. 27-29th in Billings, and Feb. 10-12th in Miles City. or more

information, contact Jim and Daphne at 406-850-3174 or dcspro-jim@gmail.com. Check out our website at www.wwme.org.



ATTENTION ENGAGED COUPLES!!! The next Catholic Engaged Encounter weekend is October 7-9, 2016 in Great Falls. Sign up now!! **Deadline to register is September**

25th. Information and registration is available online at

WWW.GREATFALLSCEE.ORG. Call Terry and Dave Stukey at 406-452-3542 or Brenda & Bill Chafin at 406-771-8658 for more information. A Wedding is a Day: A Marriage is a Lifetime!

Stress in Your Marriage? - There is less than a week left to sign up for Retrouvaille. Retrouvaille is a program for married couples that feel bored, frustrated, or angry in their marriage. Some experience coldness and simply shut down. Others experience conflict and arguments in their relationship and don't know how to change the situation or even communicate with their spouses about it. Retrouvaille is for any couple who would like to rediscover their marriage and improve communication. For more information about an upcoming Retrouvaille Weekend program for couples, contact registration team: at 1-800-470-2230 or visit our website:

www.retrouvailleMT.org or www.HelpOurMarriage.com



St. William's Fall Festival - September 25th at the Dutton Legion Hall in Dutton - 11:30 ~ 2:30. Turkey & Ham Dinner with all the trimmings. Adults (11 & up) \$10, Children \$5. Raffle to be held. Come join the fun!!