



# Holy Spirit

*Catholic Parish and School*

**September 16, 2018**

**Worship Centers:** Holy Spirit Catholic Church, 201 44th St. South      Holy Family Chapel, 2800 Central Ave.

**Parish Offices:** 201 44th St. South Great Falls, MT 59405      Phone: (406)452-6491

**Parish Office hours:** Monday – Thursday 8:30 a.m. – 4:00 p.m., Friday 8:30 a.m. – Noon  
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**Check out FORMED.org. Our parish code is PGMYJZ**

*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.*

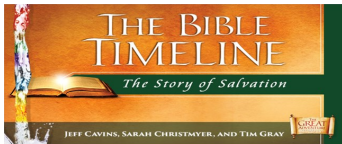
*:Whatever God does, the first outburst is always compassion." ~ Meister Eckhart*

## Time and Talent Weekend~ Look for your form in the pews!

### **Fellowship Dinner**

**Saturday September 22nd**

Join us for a delicious Pulled Pork dinner  
Please see the sign-up sheet in the hall



### **The Bible Timeline Study will resume**

**Sunday, Sept. 16th at 1:00 pm**  
in the social hall.

Interested in joining the group?

Stop in on that day!

Questions? Please contact Fr. Doug  
or Dcn. Pete at the parish office.

### **Baptism Prep sessions~**



*If you are expecting or recently had a baby and would like the baby baptized at Holy Spirit, You must attend our Baptism Prep. classes.*

*The next session will be:*

*Sun, 9/16 at 3:00 pm, both at Sts. P&P*

### **Have you signed up yet for a "Living Your Strengths" small group?**

Now forming! Small groups (6-8 people) to discover our God-given talents and learn to turn them into strengths. Join us! Men and women alike - all are welcome! Just five weekly sessions, beginning in September or October. Meeting days and times will be determined by each individual group. To sign up please call Mary Wingerter at the office, 452-6491.

Here are some testimonials from the summer group:  
"The most helpful thing about the Strengths group was understanding why I was the way I was and not feeling guilty about it." ~Barb Schlecht

"Bonding with other parishioners was my favorite thing." ~Pam Noble

"I enjoyed listening to insights from other participants, plus reading the material opened new avenues of thought and understanding of different talents and gifts." ~Kathy Nyman-Wendt

"I think this is a valuable tool and would be an asset to any group at Holy Spirit. Each small group will have a different flavor and outcome, so it will be fresh and dynamic." ~Mary Dupuis

# Twenty Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time, September 16, 2018

## Holy Spirit Parish Weekend Mass Schedule

Saturday – 4:30 p.m.  
Sunday – 8:30 & 11:00 a.m.

## Daily Mass Schedule

### Holy Spirit Day Chapel:

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

**Park Place** (3200 15<sup>th</sup> Ave. S) **2nd** Wednesday each month 2:30

**Highgate** (3000 11th Ave S) **3rd** Wednesday each month 1:30

**Holy Family Chapel** (2800 Central Avenue) Fridays 8:30 a.m.

**Reconciliation:** Saturdays - 2-4 pm, Wednesdays 5:30-6:30 pm  
or by appointment with a priest.



**Holy Spirit Chapel is open for prayer before the Blessed Sacrament:** Monday - Thursday 8:30 a.m. - 4 pm  
Friday 8:30 - 12.

## Mass Intentions:

Mon., 9/17- 8:30 am -No Mass  
Tue., 9/18- 5:15 p.m.-+Lloyd Strosnider r/b Maronicks  
Wed., 9/19- 8:30 am - +Anne Trunkle r/b A Verploegen  
Highgate - 1:30 pm- +Mary Philipps r/b T & D Murphy  
Thu., 9/20- 8:30 am - +Patty Johnson r/b M Lacher  
Fri., 9/21- 8:30 am, HS - +Colleen Campanella r/b J Knox  
Sat., 9/22- 4:30 p.m.- +Russell & Mary Ann Burt r/b Hogans  
Sun., 9/23- 8:30 a.m.- +Mike Rearden r/b J Gannon  
- 11:00 a.m.- Parishioners

## Readings for next week: 25th Sunday in Ordinary Time

1st Reading: Wisdom 2:12, 17-20

2nd Reading: James 3:16-4:3

Gospel: Mark 9:30-37

## Coffee & Rolls Schedule

Sept 16: Knights of Columbus

Sept 23: Holy Spirit School



## Bus Schedule:

Sept 22: Jan Olson and NOT FILLED  
Sept 23: Jan Olson and Caleb Schaeffer

## What's Happening This Week...

**Sunday:** Time and Talent

Parish Nurses - 9:45 am con. rm.

Bible Timeline - 1 pm hall

Baptism Prep - 3 pm Sts P&P

**Tuesday:** Christian Service Comm - 6:30 pm Sts P&P

**Thursday:** RCIA - 7 pm Sts. P&P

Knights of Columbus Mass & induction- 6:00pm

**Saturday:** Fellowship dinner - 5:30 pm hall

**Sunday:** Bible Timeline - 1 pm hall

*As a **Stewardship Parish** we are grateful to have parishioners give generously from their heart. This allows us to have **no fee** for **all** of our sacramental and formation programming for our parishioners. It is through your generous **weekly** giving that we are able to offer quality religious formation opportunities to everyone from womb to tomb.*



## PARISH STAFF

Fr. Doug Krings	Pastor
Dcn. Bill Medved	Deacon
Dcn. Pete Woelkers	Deacon
Mark Meyer	Parish Administrator
Aubrey Rearden	Worship, DRE/ Youth Ministry
Cindy Eultgen	Christian Service
Nick Wingerter	RCIA, Adult Ministry
Kody Diekhans	Elem. Formation, Music
Mary Moore-Wingerter	Administrative Assistant
Chuck Osterman	Maintenance

## Liturgical Ministers for September 22, 23

	4:30 PM	8:30 AM	11:00 AM
★ Sub requested ~ log in to Web Terminal and accept the sub			
<b>Bread Baker</b>	C Hauk E Kasayka		
<b>Holy Wash</b>		C Fuhrman	
<b>Sacristan</b>	S Mayernik	M Nickol	G Miller
<b>Greeter</b>	D Medvec, V Pedro, S Dunston R Olmstead	D & N Rooney, P Ford, D Koth	S & D Wilson J & H Houghton
<b>Usher</b>	T Tomich D Hogan	S Schnider K McGuire	C Christiaens ★ C Rostad N St. Claire
<b>Cross</b>	C Hallahan	T Donnelly	B Mignery
<b>Altar Servers</b>	Em. Shepherd L Fitzpatrick	E Donnelly J Donnelly	M Mignery D Blair
<b>Reader</b>	B Medvec M Leach	K Nyman-Wendt T McGonigal	A Mignery L Glatzmaier
<b>Gifts</b>	Hauk family	Dean family	Harrington family
<b>Extra-ordinary Ministers of the Eucharist</b>	B Medved J Shepherd J Fitzpatrick S McKenna J McKenna B Hogan R Kuka R Kuka D Maronick B Maronick K Reed T Gilligan F Polacek R McDunn M Lacher	P. Woelkers C Nunez M Hunt J Bumgardner B Schlecht ★ C Schnider C Ingman Sr. R Kohut ★ C Mee L O'Neill S O'Rourke J Stenzel D Wilkins H Smith D Barros	P. Woelkers A Bulger V Flick H Houghton K Baker C Paul T Paul P Byrne K Byrne ★ J Byrne N Donisthorpe S Donisthorpe V Donisthorpe D Miller T Balyeat

## Care for Creation by Recycling

Thank you for being a steward of the Earth!



Weekend	Newspaper	Cardboard
1st (Sept. 7-13)	K of C 9395	C. Jernigan
2nd (Sept. 14-20)	K. Weinheimer	K. Sanders
3rd (Sept 21-27)	G. Kushnak	R. Shipley
4th (Sept 28-Oct. 4)	D. & P. Birkenbuel	C. Nowak
School Paper: Greg Bonilla		
Week starts on Friday		

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

**RCIA** (Learning to be Disciples of Christ / Becoming Catholic) every **Thursday, 7:00PM, at the Sts. P&P Center**. This week: *Back to Mark ~ rules and regs*. **Team members:** Greg Kushnak and Kathy Nyman-Wendt. For initial contact, call Nick Wingerter at the parish offices 452-6491, ext. 205.

**RCIA Adapted for Children:** for children age 7 or older who are not baptized, or baptized in another faith tradition: contact Nick Wingerter at the parish offices 452-6491.

**Youth Ministry**

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

**Youth Group Sunday Nights:**  
**Mass 6:00pm Youth Group 7:00-8:30 pm**



**Youth Ministry Parent Meeting: Sunday September 30, 2018 7-8pm in the main church.** If you have a 7th - 12th Grade youth, please join us for a parent meeting to discuss this year's youth group.



**Youth Group Registration:** Registration packets were mailed & emailed out this week and can be turned in the weekend of Sept. 8 & 9 and Sept. 15 & 16. We will also have a registration table in the entrance of the church on those weekends, stop by and say hi! **Youth Group begins October 7 w/ 6pm Mass!**



High School Bible Study meets each Wednesday @ Schulte's Coffeehouse from 6:45-7:30am, everyone is welcome!

**Elementary Faith Formation**

Kody Diekhans 452-6491 pianokody@holyspiritgf.org  
Elementary Formation (Pre-K - 6th Grade)  
& Sacramental Prep (2nd Grade)  
**Sunday 9:45-10:45am or Wednesday 6:15-7:15pm**

**Elementary Formation Registration:** Registration packets were emailed out this week and can be turned in the weekend of Sept. 8 & 9 and Sept. 15 & 16. We will also have a registration table in the entrance of the church on those weekends, stop by and say hi! **Elementary Formation begins Sun. Oct. 7 & Wed. Oct. 10. Parent meeting Wednesday Oct. 3rd 6-7 in the main church (this meeting is for both Sun. & Wed. Parents)**



**IS GOD CALLING YOU?**

If you are a current Elementary Catechist and would like to continue serving in the ministry or are feeling pulled to ministry with children, please join Kody **Sunday September 16 from 9:45—10:45am** in Classroom #2 @ Sts. Peter & Paul Center for an information meeting and planning session.

**Young Adult Ministry**

Nickolas Wingerter ext. 205 nickw@holyspiritgf.org  
406-868-4770

**Hops and Hope**

With summer brings a break to our regular Thursday gatherings. If you are interested in hosting a summer young adult event please contact Nick at the parish office and we will help you get the word out.

**Holy Spirit School**

Jim Wichman - Principal Melissa Hallahan, Vice-Principal  
Jackie Wike, Administrative Assistant

**SUMMER HOURS!** June 4-August 10. Our front office is open Monday-Thursday from 10:30 am-1:30 pm. EXCEPT for the week of July 4th! Normal hours (7:30 am-3:30 pm, Mon-Fri) resume on Monday August 13th. School tours are always available by appointment, at any time of the day...just call the school to set one up! 761-5775.

Are you wondering about a new school experience for your child? HSCS could be the ticket! We have so many opportunities for students, including competitive sports programs, Science Club, Junior Toastmasters, and field trips for all ages! We enjoy weekly Mass, community service projects, praying together and playing together! Our students head into High School with the foundations of faith, knowledge, and service from their well-rounded education at HSCS. And, with smaller class sizes, our teachers really get to know their students! We have an amazing village of parents, staff, students and alumni and we invite your child, and you, to come be part of it! For more information on the school, please visit our website holyspiritgf-school.org.

**Christian Service**

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

**Stop in the Parish Hall** to talk to someone on how you can **share your strengths and gifts!**



- Ministry to the Homebound,
- Fellowship Dinners and/or Lunch,
- Interpreting for the Deaf,
- Driving the Parish Bus or assisting,
- Social Justice,
- Recycling,
- Fair Trade Connections,
- Parish Nursing,
- Bereavement Ministry,
- Advent Giving Tree,
- Catholic Relief Services (Rice Bowl)



**Christian Service Meeting Tuesday, Sept. 18  
@ 6:30 pm in the RCIA room.**

**Christian Service Commission Mission:**

*Share God's love through action, education,  
and community building.*



**Fellowship Dinner** Next Saturday, Sept 22 after Mass.

Stay and get to know someone better over a meal! Serving will begin after the closing song, and takeouts are for bus riders and previously arranged. Please contact Pam Noble at 788-2564.





## Stewardship



There are volunteers who have signed up to participate in the Family Promise program and have never been called. You are needed and you have a place in the volunteers at the Monsignor House. Give a call to Kathie Malby at 781-5033 or Kathy Hodges at 453-5674. Please leave your name and number and that you are calling to help with Family Promise and one of us will call you back...OR watch the bulletin for days and times that the Monsignor House is open and stop in for a cup of coffee and visit about our program or the needs of the Monsignor House...OR plan on talking with Kathy Hodges at the sign-up table which is available after the Masses 3 weeks BEFORE we host again. You are appreciated, you are needed, you have a place. Today St. James has a clear message for us regarding faith and works. We are expected to provide for the physical needs of others. the sharing of our temporal gifts gives witness to the faith we live and the faith we profess. In Mark's Good News we are challenged with Jesus' question to His disciples "Who do people say that I am?" and then the most important question is asked, "But who do you say I am?" Jesus gives us our purpose for caring for those in need and bearing the burdens of others. If you have been thinking about helping with Family Promise but need to ask some questions please call Kathie Malby and leave a message at 781-5033.

## Worship

Aubrey 452-6491 ex. 207 [aubrey@holyspiritgf.org](mailto:aubrey@holyspiritgf.org)

### **Healing Ministry: Marriage Resolution in the Catholic Church.**

A covenantal marriage, in the eyes of the Church, meets certain criteria, deeper and more rooted in Christianity, than its secular equivalent. The Church requires that a couple be prepared well, that they are in this for the good and growth of one another, that they enter freely, and are open to God's gift of children. That being said, couples married in a secular ceremony may firmly believe that their civil marriage does indeed have those characteristics. They have a strong marriage, based on a faith in God's presence in their lives, and are committed to their partner, permanently and in fidelity. They are truly blessed in this time and culture. Should they feel that they would like the church to recognize their union, and make it *sacramental*, they may have their marriage blessed in the Catholic Church through the processes of either *convalidation* or *sanation*; their baptismal records will reflect their decision and they will have what the church may call a regular marriage.

When a marriage fails, there may have been conditions at the time of the wedding that hinder or preclude any of the conditions that the Church deems crucial to a sacramental covenant. The process of annulment is provided for such situations. Sometimes referred to as a "Catholic divorce", marriage annulment (decree of invalidity) is connected, at the same time, far from, the civil process. By considering the attitudes and circumstances of the couple at the time of the marriage, the diocesan office of marriage, the Tribunal, makes a determination of whether those circumstances were enough to negate the covenantal nature of the marriage. There are sometimes obvious impediments, but often, hidden and dark. Back to the "Catholic divorce" moniker ~ those who work for the diocese, including the office at the chancery and those who act as advocate-procurators, consider their work to be not a paper-pushing formality, but rather a *healing ministry*. Walking *with* a person through the process, listening to and guiding them, is a privilege and an honor; the trust is both necessary and treasured. The process of examining one's life and choices is difficult and valuable, no matter the outcome of the petition. A key part of this ministry is the recognition of God's presence in everyone involved.

**If you are interested in exploring the ministry of Advocacy**, attend a training session for Tribunal Advocates on Thursday, Sept. 27, from 8:00AM-5:00PM, at the Ursuline Centre Gold Room. (Lunch is provided.) You will learn: Why a process is necessary / Different types of cases / How to assist. Lay persons must have the permission of their pastor to attend. To Register (asap): call Terri at (406)727-6683 ext 127, or email her at [terri@diocesegfb.org](mailto:terri@diocesegfb.org).

## Parish Council of Catholic Women

Our Lady of the Snows Circle will meet on Wednesday, September 19 at 7:00 in the conference room. Pat Hilgendorf will be the hostess and bring the dessert, Cece will bring the door prize.

**Save the date!** The PCCW card party is scheduled for Tuesday, October 9th.

**Save the date~** Diocesan Council of Catholic Women's Convention will be held Oct 12-13 in Miles City. We include all the parishes in the Great Falls-Billings Diocese. If you or your business would like to place an ad in our program please contact Alice Klundt, [aliceklundt@msn.com](mailto:aliceklundt@msn.com). Prices are: Full page ad \$100, half page \$50, business card \$25. Please include a business card. The convention is in Miles City this year and Great Falls Next year.

## Milestones

Welcome to Connor McQuillan; Michael and Anna Whetston and their children Lily and Anderson; and Christopher and Moon Funk with their children Teodir and Timothy who have recently joined our parish.

Also welcome to Liberty Ann Larson, daughter of Jay and Lesley, who was baptized recently. Congratulations and welcome!

## Courtesy Announcements

The Public Square Rosary Crusade will be leading the Rosary on Saturday October 13 at Holy Family Chapel at 12:00 pm. Please call Barb Schlecht at 750-0551 for more information.



**Marriage Encounter** - Married couples - consider doing something great for yourselves and your marriage. A Marriage Encounter weekend involves 15-20 couples. A series of presentations are given by a team of Catholic couples and a priest. The focus of the weekend is the couple, NOT group sessions. The presentations allow each couple a rare opportunity to look at themselves as individuals, at their marriage and relationship to each other, and at their relationship to God, the church, and the world. Upcoming Marriage Encounter dates: 9/29-30 in Helena; 11/2-4 in U-Cross WY; 1/25-27, 2019 in Billings. Visit [www.wwme.org](http://www.wwme.org) for info.

Journey with Christ...Darren Eultgen will be leading the group for 5 sessions this fall. Attendance is required on Sept 25th for the introduction to reading the Bible in order to participate in subsequent talks on each Gospel, Oct 9 and 30 and then Nov 13 and 27. Please contact Pam Noble 788-2564 or [pjnoble@yahoo.com](mailto:pjnoble@yahoo.com) for more information or join us on the 25th.

40 Days for Life Fall Campaign will run from Wed. 9/26 - Sun/ 11/4. Our kickoff is Sun. 9/23 at Sts. Peter and Paul from 2-4 pm. Our theme is a baby shower and baby item donations are appreciated for mothers in need. Also, at the kickoff will be sign up sheets and basic training for 40 days. For sign up hours, visit <https://40daysforlife.com/local-campaigns/greatfalls/>. For questions please contact Melissa Frazier-Harris at 406-249-7949 or [mommyplaysbest@gmail.com](mailto:mommyplaysbest@gmail.com).

**Cum Christo/Cursillo ULTREYA** - 2nd Tuesday of every month with a witness speaker. Save the dates: 9/11, 10/9, 11/13, and 12/11. Join us for a night of music, inspiration, and fellowship, 7-8:30 pm at the Ursuline Center. Call Barb Schlecht for more info., 406-750-0551.

## Saint Michael Radio ~ \*FM 97.1

## *Holy Spirit Columbarium/ Memorial Garden*



*Holy Spirit has a peaceful haven right in our own backyard. The Columbarium/Memorial Garden, located outside our backdoor, is a beautiful, serene oasis. Many volunteers laid sod, installed fencing, planted flowers and pulled weeds to create this garden. As a parish we provide grieving families a lovely place to bury their loved one.*

*This is stewardship, this is family, this is community.*

*This weekend is Time and Talent Weekend with our Ministry Fair! We are always looking for people to help with projects around the church property. Do you have a love of gardening? We can always use more hands helping with the upkeep. Check out the Time and Talent form or come see us in the hall.*





## **NEW MASS TIME: SUNDAY AT 6PM**

**Starting October 7<sup>th</sup> Holy Spirit will be offering a 6PM Sunday night Mass! This Mass is open to the entire community and will make it easy for our youth group to attend Mass before youth group. This Mass is NOT replacing any of our other masses, our Mass times are still as follows:**

**Saturday: 4:30pm, Sunday: 8:30am, 11:00am and 6:00pm**

**If you are interested in ministering at this Mass please mark that on your Time and Talent sheet!**

## **Are you being call to be a catechist?**

**The Elementary Faith Formation and Sacrament Prep. programs are still seeking catechists and assistants! To continue this ministry for our kiddos I urge you to prayerfully consider, we especially need Wednesday night catechists. If you have any questions don't hesitate to find me after mass or contact me!**

**Thank you, Kody Diekhans**

**e: [pianokody@holyspiritgf.org](mailto:pianokody@holyspiritgf.org)**

**p: 406.452.6491**