

April 14th, 2019 Malm Sunday

Worship Centers:

Holy Spirit Catholic Church

201 44th St S; Great Falls, MT 59405

Holy Family Chapel

2800 Central; Great Falls, MT 59401

Parish Office:

Mon-Thur: 8:30-4, Fri: 8:30-noon

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Check out FORMED.org. Parish code: PGMYJZ

Mass Schedule:

Weekend Masses:

Saturday 4:30pm

Sunday 8:30 & 11am, 6pm

Week day Masses:

Monday 8:30 am; Holy Spirit Tuesday 5:15 pm: Holy Spirit Wednesday 8:30 am: Holy Spirit

*2nd Wed. Park Place, 2:30 pm

*3rd Wed. Highgate, 1:30 pm

Thursday 8:30 am: Holy Spirit

Friday 8:30 am: Holy Family Chapel

Reconciliation:

Saturdays 2-4 pm; Wednesdays 5:30-6:30 pm



Adoration:

Sunday 7 pm -- Tuesday 5 pm

Parish Staff:

Fr. Doug Krings Pastor Dcn Bill Medved Deacon Dcn Pete Woelkers Deacon

Mark Mever Parish Administrator

Aubrey Rearden DRE, Worship,

Youth Minister

Christian Service Cindy Eultgen Nick Wingerter Adult Formation.

RCIA

Kody Diekhans Music,

Elem. Formation

Maintenance Chuck Osterman Mary Moore-Wingerter Administrative Asst.

"There are many kinds of alms, the giving of which helps us to obtain pardon for our sins; but non is greater than that by which we forgive from our heart a sin that someone has committed against us.

St. Augustine of Hippo



Lenten Activities

Please join us for Stations of the Cross Fridays at 5:30 pm followed by soup and the Diving Mercy Series



Holy Week Schedule

Thursday 4/11: Reconciliation Service ~ 6:00pm Sunday 4/14: Palm Sunday, regular Mass Schedule Thursday 4/18: Mass of the Lord's Supper ~ 7:00pm Friday 4/19: Celebration of the Lord's Passion ~ 3:00pm Stations of the Cross ~ 5:30pm

Saturday 4/20: Easter Vigil ~ 9:00pm

Sunday 4/21: Easter Masses - 8:30 & 11:00am NO 6 pm

NO Adoration

Monday - Wednesday 4/22-24: Office Closed, No Masses

6pm Mass Announcement

After much prayer and discernment we will be putting the 6:00pm Sunday Mass **on hiatus** after this Sunday (Palm Sunday). It has been a wonderful addition to our weekend Mass schedule however at this point it is a bit taxing on the energy of those who are involved in the planning and carrying out of the actual liturgy. Thank you to everyone who has volunteered to minister and worshipped with us this year.

Weekly Happenings~

Mass Intentions:

Mass	<u>Intention</u>	Requested by
Mon 4/15-8:30 am	+Judy Christensen	K & J Jorgensen
Tue 4/16-5:15 pm	+John Culliton	D Cullition
Wed 4/17 - 8:30 am 1:30 pm Highgate	Lady of Snows Circle (sp int) Evan Beck (sp int)	
Thu 4/18- 7:00 pm		
Fri 4/19 3:00 pm		
Sat 4/20 - 9:00 pm	Catechumens	
Sun 4/21 - 8:30 am -11:00 am - 6:00 pm	+Greg Thelen Parishioners No Mass	B Thelen

Readings for next week~ Easter Sunday

1st Reading: Acts of the Apostles 10:34a, 37-43

2nd Reading: Colossians 3:1-4

Gospel: John 20:1-9

Coffee & Rolls Schedule~

April 14: Knights of Columbus breakfast! **April 21**: No Coffee and Rolls ~ Happy Easter!!

Bus Schedule~ April 20: No Bus April 21: No Bus

Monday:

Calendar of events~

Saturday:	Palm Sunday Bake Sale	hall
Sunday:	Elem. Formation – 9:45 am Bake Sale & Breakfast! Bible study - 1 pm Youth Group - 7 pm	Sts. P&P Hall hall Sts. P&P
Wednesday:	Elem. Formation - 6:15 pm	Sts. P&P
Thursday: Friday: Saturday:	The Lord's Passion - 3 pm Stations of the Cross – 5:30 pm Divine Mercy Program – 6 pm	
Sunday:	HAPPY EASTER! No 6 pm Mass, No Adoration	

Stewardship Report: March 31

Office Closed, NO MASS,

No Adoration

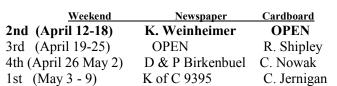
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	Month	year to date
Envelope donations	\$76,032.64	\$641,793.41
Loose cash	\$2,987.00	\$29,106.00
Total Operating	\$79,019.64	\$670,899.41
Required	\$78,812.50	\$709,312.50
Net Excess (shortfall)	\$207.14	(\$38,413.09)
Total Operating Required \$79,019.64 \$670,899.41 Net Excess (shortfall) \$207.14 \$709,312.50 Building Donations/Vision \$38,413.09		
Contributions needed	\$12,082.00	\$108,738.00
Contributions received	<u>\$11,106.00</u>	\$128,819.00
Net Excess (shortfall)	(\$976.00)	\$20,081.00

Liturgical Ministers for April 20, 21~

9:00 PM	8:30 AM	11:00 AM	6:00 PM			
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Greeters						
Help Needed!	Cook family	J Baje Nicholsons ★				
	Ushers					
Help needed!	M Nickol C McKelvey	N St. Claire Help needed!				
	Cros	s Bearer				
	L Hellyer	N Stimac				
	Altar	Servers				
Help Needed!	N McKelvey K Trottier	D Dimke ★ J Stimac				
	Re	aders				
No Readers for this service	T Rausch J Wingerter	M Woelkers A Mignery				
	Gift P	resenters				
Help Needed!	Nickol family	Ryan family				
	Ministers o	f the Eucharist				
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Care for our Common Home!

Thank you for being a steward of the Earth!



School Paper: Greg Bonilla

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Week starts on Friday



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

For all who seek to become Christian believers

Call Nick 868-4770 or come Thurs. at 7 pm in the RCIA room (Sts. Peter and Paul Center) all year round. 4/18: Holy Thursday Mass~7:00 pm

WANT TO KNOW MORE ABOUT CATHOLICISM?

Come support the RCIA program and grow your faith as well.

Open to all parishioners at 7 pm Thursdays meet every week in the RCIA room for prayer and discussion with others who are also curious about our faith.

Youth Ministry

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



Our next Youth Group will be our end of the year gathering on May 19, 2019. Watch this space and your mail for details and location!



INTO THE DESERT: High School Bible Study Wednesday Mornings from 6:45-7:30am @ Schulte's Coffeehouse. Our last Bible study will be this Wednesday April 17, join us as we wrap up our Lenten Journey and head into the Triduum.

May Day Freshman Class Gathering @ Howard's Pizza

Calling all current Freshman! Come have pizza and catch up with each other and Aubrey @ Howard's Pizza on **Wednesday May 1 @ 6:30pm**. Bring a friend, please RSVP to Aubrey 868-6713 by Tuesday April 30th.





GRADUATION MASS & BRUNCH

Mark your calendars Class of 2019! The parish will be Celebrating you on May 19th @ the 8:30am Mass followed by a brunch for you and your family served by the Junior Class.

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

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Sunday: 9:45-10:45am Wednesday: 6:15-7:15pm

Vacation Bible School

Kody Diekhans 452-6491 ext. 206 pianokody@holyspiritgf.org



VBS DATE: June 24th—28th

Registration is OPEN!! Go to our website and click on the ROAR button! Check out the "ask tree" and the posters in the hallway for ways that YOU can help!!

Anything is much appreciated!

Amazon Asks

Since most of the Amazon Asks are decorating supplies, if you have those in please drop them off as soon as possible. THANK YOU SO MUCH FOR YOU DONATION!!

VBS Decorating Supplies Ask!!

We are no longer in need of coffee cans, large plastic snack barrels, small boxes or plastic bottles. We are still in need of very large boxes; fridge, washer, etc. Thank you to all who have donated!!!

Holy Spirit School

Jim Wichman - Principal Melissa Hallahan, Vice-Principal Jackie Wike, Robin Verzuh Administrative Assistants
Colette Longin, Development Director, clongin@holyspiritgf.org
761-5775 www.holyspiritgf.org

Our annual Spring event, Cow Pie Moolah, is coming up on Sunday, May 19th! Buy a chance to win \$10,000...it all depends where our guest Cow decides to drop the pie! Join us for a fun-filled day, including a carnival for the kids. BBQ dinner, beer garden for the adults and so much more! Buy tickets (\$2) from your favorite HSCS student...all proceeds benefit our local, Catholic schools! You can also call or stop by the HSCS office to purchase. 761-5775;

Grandfriend's Day is Thursday, April 18th...we look forward to celebrating our special guests!

We are still registering for the 2019-2020 school year! We invite you to come see for yourself why we're known for our tradition of excellence in education. Our smaller classes mean teachers can accommodate all learning levels and give special attention where needed, while supporting the spiritual growth of their students...and fostering and encouraging the same principles your family values at home. Questions? Please call Colette Longin, 761-5775, or email clongin@holyspiritgf.org.

Did you benefit from the gifts of a Catholic education? Consider making HSCS the beneficiary of a charitable donation today, and help continue the gift for another generation of students! You can even donate online at our website: www.holyspiritgfschool.org.

Christian Service

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

March Parish Relief Report

Newspaper Recycling 1860 lbs reported Equal Exchange Chocolate, Tea, and Coffee Sales:

\$360.75 Six Scholarships given to Fr. Andrew \$ 990

Kids N Kans: 125 lbs

Yellow Envelopes: \$ 1046 Electronic Deposits: \$ 1726

Dispersals: \$ 1,1550 and \$600 to Rocky Boy Food Bank, St. Martin de Porres, Echoz Pregnancy Care Center, and Family Promise. **Thank you for your generosity; because of you we are able to assist individuals and families in our community!**



<u>Tuesday, April 23</u> Bereavement Support Group at 4 pm & 7 pm in the Parish Conference Room / Hall <u>May 1</u>—The Real Presence Conversation and Minister to the Homebound Training

HANK YOU



Where and When do I turn in Rice Bowl Donations? Bring to Holy Thursday Mass and place in the baskets during the offertory. Donations of change can be converted to a check.

Palm Sunday- Encounter our Neighbors

We encounter Jesus this week in Jerusalem, a community he knew well. We prayerfully enter

our own communities too, encountering those who are hungry and thirsty, and those who need our help. How does our Lenten journey motivate us to serve those we meet in our daily lives? Visit crsricebowl.org to see their impact!

Stewardship



Thank you so much to the Knights of Columbus and all the others who came on Saturday morning to do spring cleaning inside and outside the Monsignor House. Thank you to all of you who consider this

clean up as part of your ministry for Family Promise Great Falls.

Our young family of 4 found a home and work. We celebrate this wonderful news for them!

Our next hosting for Family Promise is: Sunday May 5 - Sunday May 12. Thank you for all of you who signed up to serve that week. In our 2nd reading this weekend we hear the truth of being a disciple. Our Lord yielded to God in God's call for him. Whatever Jesus was called to we are called to as well. Mother Theresa directed everyone who asked to look into their own families and minister to whoever or whatever was present in their lives. She is credited with saying a prophet is not called to be successful but to be faithful. Our service to the poor comes to us in the form of homeless families. It is our call. It is our yielding to God's direction for our lives.

We know homeless families are out there and they need homes. Please pray they find their way to this program. If you would like to take a tour of the Monsignor House at 2810 Central, or want to learn more about Family Promise Holy Spirit give Kathie Malby a call at 781-5033 and leave a message. She will return your call as soon as she can.

Worship

Aubrey Rearden – Worship Coordinator 452-6491 ex. 207 <u>aubrey@holyspiritgf.org</u> Mary Wingerter—Ministry Scheduler 452-6491 <u>mwingerter@holyspiritgf.org</u>

Triduum & Easter Sunday Ministry Sign Up: We are still in need of help with the Triduum Liturgies and Easter Sunday. Please log in to the Ministry Scheduler to sign up for ministries for the Triduum. You can also add your name to the schedules on the table outside of the Sacristy.

Music

Kody 452-6491 ex. 206 <u>pianokody@holyspiritgf.org</u>



Choir practice: Wednesday at 7:30 pm

Mass parts can be found in the white pamphlet in the pews!

You can also LISTEN to the Mass parts on our website!

Milestones

Holy Spirit welcomes **Barbara Lafrantz** who recently joined our parish. We offer congratulations to **Evie Thomas Wilson**, daughter of Mike and Brittany; and **Nolan Thomas Wackerle**, son of Curtis and Erin, who were baptized recently. Congratulations!

Parish Council of Catholic Women

The PCCW invites you to attend their April 30th Card Party in the parish hall beginning at noon. A salad buffet luncheon will be served with prizes for Bridge and Pinochle. The cost is \$10. For reservations, please call Therese 453-8544 or Marcia 771-0209. Non card players are welcome to join us for lunch and door prizes.

Our Lady of Snows Circle will hold their annual Palm Sunday Bake Sale the weekend of April 13 & 14. We will raffle a carved egg with the Holy Family inside. The egg was carved in the Holy Land. Tickets are \$5 each and the drawing will be at 1 pm on April 14.



The five vicariates of the Great Falls-Billings Diocesan Council of Catholic Women are awarding **one** \$500 scholarship to a high school graduating senior girl. Applications are available in the parish office. Deadline to apply is June 1, 2019.

Courtesy Announcements

Save Date "A Spa Day for the Soul"
Catholic Women's Conference
"Come to me all you who labor and are burdened, and I will give you rest." - Matthew
11:28

April 27th, 2019
Marriott-Colonial, Helena MT
Visit HelenaCWC.com
for more information and registration.

FOR RENT: 1 bedroom apartment at the Stites lay apartment complex in Great Falls. If interested please contact Jerry Horton, Property Manager, Diocese of Great Falls-Billings at 727-6683, ext. 139 or 750-2653 or email at jhorton@diocesegfb.org.

Flyers are available in the parish office.

Part-time position open at the Chancery Office - Diocese of Great Falls-Billings Title: Administrative Support Staff Purpose: To provide support to the Director of Safe Environment Primary Duties: Working with internet data base; Assessing compliance with Adult Safe & Sacred Training; Communications with Parishes and Schools; Back-up duties to receptionist. For full job description go to "employment" at www.diocesegfb.org.

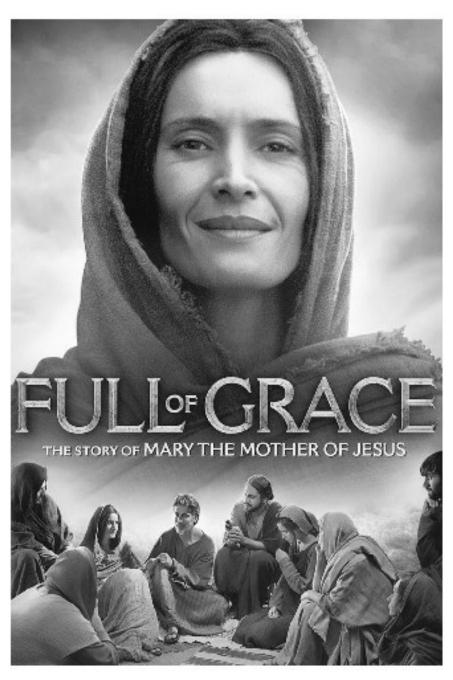
The Pastoral Assistant position at Our Lady of Lourdes parish will become vacant by March 29, 2019. Interested persons are invited to submit their applications to the pastor's office no later than April 19. Persons who are interested must be ACTIVE CATHOLICS. Details of the job description will be discussed on individual bases.

Saint Michael Radio ~

*FM 97.1

"Sharing the Splendor of Truth"

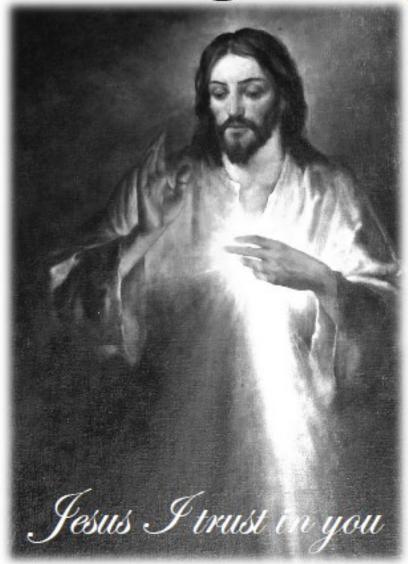




Share a night of movie and reflection with the parish community. Dinner will start at 6:45; movie will start at 7:30 on the evening of Friday May 10th. Free Will Offering will benefit future ODB Films projects. Please visit their website for details. Film is not rated; excellent for believers 10 years and older. Great kick-off event for Mothers' Day weekend!

Friday, May 10th, 6:45-10:00PM Holy Spirit Parish Social Hall 201 44th Street South

Pray with us Novena to the Divine Mercy



The Novena covers the nine day period from Good Friday to Divine Mercy Sunday.

Take a red Divine Mercy pamphlet from the table near the main entrance of the church.

We will pray a Divine Mercy Holy Hour together on Divine Mercy Sunday at 3pm.

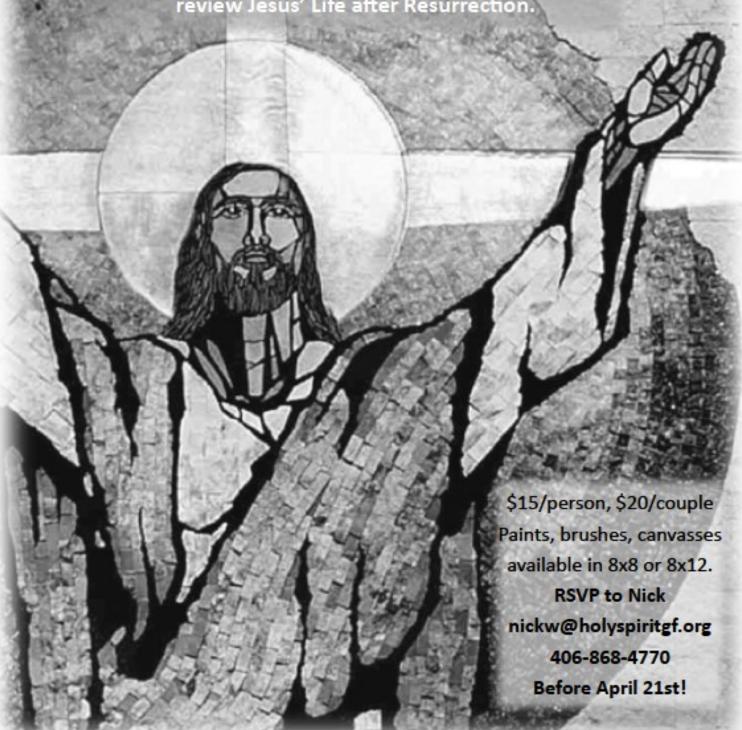
"Eternal God, in whom mercy is endless and the treasury of compassion inexhaustible, look kindly upon us and increase your mercy in us, that in difficult moments we may not despair nor become despondent, but with great confidence submit ourselves to your holy will, which is love and mercy itself."

-St. Faustina Kowalska's diary

He IS Risen!

Holy Spirit Paint Night + 7:00 PM Saturday April 27th

Create your own unique Easter Season painting as we review Jesus' Life after Resurrection.



Register for VBS

Registration Open!!

The "MANE" event this summer!

Holy Spirit Catholic Church
June 24–28, 2019, 8:30 AM to Noon
For children going into pre-K to 5th grade.
Deadline for a t-shirt is May 31st.
For more details and to register visit:
holyspiritgf.org and click on the ROAR! icon.

