



Holy Spirit

Catholic Parish and School

August 18th, 2019
20th Sunday in Ordinary Time

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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Holy Spirit Catholic School

2820 Central Ave, Great Falls, MT 59401

761-5775; Principal: Melissa Hallahan

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Website: holyspiritgfschool.org

Check out FORMED.org.

Parish code: PGMYZJ

Mass Schedule:

Weekend Masses:

Saturday 4:30pm

Sunday 8:30 & 11am

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

Saturday 8:00 am; Poor Clares

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 Meyer

Parish Administrator

Aubrey Rearden

DRE, Worship,

Youth Minister

Cindy Eultgen

Christian Service

Nick Wingerter

Adult Formation,

RCIA

Kody Diekhans

Music,

Elem. Formation

Chuck Osterman

Maintenance

Mary Moore-Wingerter Administrative Asst.

“Happy are those who concentrate on following the will of God in all their actions. They will enjoy a deep peace because they find their happiness in doing God’s will.”.

~ St. Jane Frances de Chantal



Baptism Prep Sessions

If you are expecting a baby or recently had a baby and would like the baby baptized at Holy Spirit, you must attend our baptism Prep. Classes.

The next sessions will be:

Sun. 9/8 @ 1 pm at Sts. P&P

Sun. 9/15 @1 pm at Sts. P&P



“I have come to set the earth on fire...” – Luke 12:49

Weekly Happenings~

Mass Intentions:

Mass	Intention	Requested by
Mon 8/19-8:30 am	Jonathan Perez (sp int)	S Garcia
Tue 8/20-5:15 pm	+Lexi Hager	A & R Selensky
Wed 8/21 - 8:30 am	Gina Hansen (sp int)	J Muretta
1:30 pm Highgate	+Amy Bertus	T Engert & D Bertus
Thu 8/22 - 8:30 am	Geri Luhr (Sp int)	
Fri 8/23 8:30 am HF	Russ & Marcia Bowman (sp int)	Andersons
Sat 8/24 - 4:30 pm	+Ronny Knutson	N Udall
Sun 8/25 8:30 am	+Judy Christensen	CCHS class of '59
11:00 am	Gloria Denny (sp int)	

Readings for next week~ 21st Sunday in Ordinary Time

1st Reading: Isaiah 66:18-21

2nd Reading: Hebrews 12:5-7, 11-13

Gospel: Luke 13:22-30

Coffee & Rolls Schedule~

Aug 18: 8:30 ~ Knights; 11 ~ No-host coffee available

Aug 25: 8:30 ~ Holy Spirit School; 11 ~ No-host coffee available

Bus Schedule~

Aug 24: Andre and Michelle Jezewski

Aug 25: Jan Olson and Laurie Kessler

Calendar of events~

Saturday:	Fellowship dinner - 5:30 pm	Hall
Sunday:	Adoration	
Tuesday:	Steering Comm. - 6:00 pm	Sts. P&P
Thursday:	RCIA-7 pm	Sts. P&P
Sunday:	Adoration	

As a **Stewardship Parish** we are grateful to have parishioners give generously from their heart. This allows us to have **no fee** with **all our** sacramental and formation programs 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.


My Offering

When you give your offering, please place it in the offering box.

Name

Address

Amount



Please join us to pray the Rosary at 8 a.m. Mondays and Wednesdays, 4:45 p.m. Tuesdays at Holy Spirit, 8 a.m. Thursdays and Sundays at Holy Spirit, 8 a.m. 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 Mass on the 5th Sundays of the month.

Liturgical Ministers for August 24, 25

4:30 PM	8:30 AM	11:00 AM
★ Sub requested ~ log in to Web Terminal and accept the sub		
Bread Baker		Holy Wash
	M Frazier-Harris R McNamee	C Fuhman
Sacristan		
S Mohler	M Nickol	M McFadden
Greeters		
Schuler family	Cook family	D Linn, S Wilson Not Filled
Ushers		
A Klundt ★	G Drake J Collins	L and M Francis
Cross Bearer		
L Moog	L Donnelly	A Devlin
Altar Servers		
B Lorenz R Moog	N McKelvey T Donnelly	P Devlin T Devlin
Readers		
K Bernhardt T Gilligan	T Katz C McKelvey	M Leaf T Lorang
Gift Presenters		
Polacek family	Fauque family	M & L Francis S Dalen ★
Ministers of the Eucharist		
T Rigor H Fheres K Weinheimer B Polacek B Thelen E Becker S Mayernik M Lacher A Trunkle M Miner K Reed M Frenick R McDunn T Grau M Kasuske	P Woelkers V Donisthorpe S Donisthorpe C Neu T Neu K Donnelly L O'Neill C Kommers B Cook P Ford C McKelvey N Polk G Matsko M Moore-Wingerter L Stenzel	P. Woelkers V Flick G Boysun H Boysun K Krattiger S Dalen ★ C Paul E Miller ★ A Bulger ★ C Huber M Stimac Z Stimac R Seilstad ★ R Ryan T Paul

Care for our Common Home!

Thank you for being a steward of the Earth!



Our goal is to help you recycle; we do not make a profit on these materials. If you are able to take the materials to the community recycling (Steel Etc. or Pacific Steel & Recycling), it saves us a step. Be a part of the conversation & solution there are other ways to help call Cindy!

Weekend	Newspaper	Cardboard
3rd (Aug. 16-22)	OPEN	R. Shipley
4th (Aug 23-29)	D & P Birkenbuel	C. Nowak
5th (Aug. 30-Sept 5)	K of C 9395	K of C 9395
1st (Sept 6-12)	K of C 9395	C. Jernigan
2nd (Sept 13-17)	K. Weinheimer	S. Lind
School Paper: Greg Bonilla		



**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. **Aug. 22:** *Last will be first, first will be last;* Pat Cahill.

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

Youth Group Sunday Nights Beginning September 22, 2019
Youth Group 6:30-8:30 pm



Have you always felt a “tug” to lend your talents to the Church. We are looking to add to our dynamic Youth Ministry Team!

If you are interested please reach out to Aubrey (406) 868-6713 for more information.

I know I know...”NOT YET!”...but it is time to start thinking about gearing up for Youth Ministry! Our kick off will be Sunday September 22nd @ 6:30pm, location & activity TBA. Watch the mail for a calendar & registration materials.



Parents Mark Your Calendars! We will have a parent dinner/information night for Youth Ministry on Sunday September 15 6-7:30pm in the social hall at the church. You can RSVP to Aubrey (868-6713) anytime between now & September 13.

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

Elementary Faith Formation will begin again on Sunday, September 22nd at 9:45 between Masses.

***Please note Elementary Formation will only take place on Sundays from 9:45am - 10:45am this semester!**



If you feel that you are being called to work with our young people, I am in need of Catechists!! Please give me a call with any questions!

Holy Spirit School

Melissa Hallahan, Principal, mhallahan@holyspiritgf.org
Jackie Wike, Robin Verzuh Administrative Assistants
Colette Longin, Development Director, clongin@holyspiritgf.org

Register now for the Third Annual Mike Diekhans Golf Memorial Tournament happening on Friday, September 6th at the Meadowlark Country Club! Great Falls Catholic Schools invites you to come enjoy a day of golf on one of the more beautiful courses in Montana! Various levels of sponsorship are also available. Mike Diekhans' passion for golf was only surpassed by his love of his family and his deep Catholic faith. He was a strong supporter of Catholic education in Great Falls, having attended Our Lady of Lourdes in his youth, and sending his four children to Catholic schools from Kindergarten through 12 grade. Mike enjoyed playing in the Great Falls golf league with his friends. He would be honored that his love of golf is benefiting the athletic programs at the Great Falls Catholic Schools. Find all information on our website, or email Colette Longin for more information. This event sells out every year...we hope you'll join us! This event benefits the Booster/sports programs of our 3 Catholic Schools!

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. Call the school for a tour today!

Christian Service

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

Coming Soon....Ministry to the Divorced

There frequently is uncertainty about the status of the newly divorced Catholic person relative to the Church, the sacraments, and even attendance at Mass. It is our hope that through this ministry we can help each other resolve these concerns. The experience of divorce does not begin or end with the divorce decree. The process of healing after the trauma of divorce takes time. This is an opportunity to share in the commonality and the companionship of those who have experienced it. Stop by the parish hall after Mass to visit with a facilitator. We are wearing name tags. We seek to support individual men and women who have obtained a civil divorce and wish to bring hope and healing to their Catholic faith life after divorce. Themed discussion will begin mid September.



Bereavement Support Group: August 27 at 4 pm and 7 pm in the conference room, just past the office on the right. **Quotes from participants:** “Many times at Mass...it hits me...it doesn't have to be a new loss...certain things will come up...this is a good place to say what has been brewing inside; then its gone.”

Please feel free to contact the parish office or any team member.

Do you know someone who..... is homebound?.....hasn't been to Mass because of illness? Please have them contact us! We want to stay in touch and bring the sacraments to those who are unable to come to Mass. 452-6491.



Stewardship

“Though I am afflicted and poor, yet the Lord thinks of me.” -Psalm 40. Our God loves and cares for each and every human, whether old or young, poor or rich, healthy or sick. The “cry of our poor” matters so much to Jesus that He challenges you and me to be the hands and hearts to care for our homeless brothers and sisters. Although we can go miles out of our ways to serve the needs of the poor, oftentimes it is the needs of those in front of us that He challenges us to feed, clothe, and house. Thank you to everyone who donated items for the Monsignor House and thank you to the Fehres family for bringing in the cots for our hosting week. Your ministry to the Family Promise program is appreciated so much. Our family or families arrive on Sunday evening August 18.



The Monsignor House is available for all parishioners. It is our own home for those who are homeless families with the Family Promise Great Falls Program or for those parishioners who want to meet as a small study group. We are located at 2810 Central Avenue. If you want to know more about the Family Promise program at Holy Spirit, please 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 aubrey@holyspiritgf.org
Mary Wingerter—Ministry Scheduler
452-6491 mwingerter@holyspiritgf.org

ADORATION NOTES



Substitutes: Summer is in full swing, please be sure to find a “sub” for your hour if you are unable to make it.

Opportunity: Have you been praying about taking part in our Adoration here at Holy Spirit? We are looking to fill a few vacated hours and to add more people to the covered hours. Please see the sign up table beginning the weekend of August 11 in the entrance of the church. Add your name to a covered hour or put your name in an empty hour, more information will follow once you have added your name to the schedule.

Parish Council of Catholic Women

The PCCW thanks Holy Spirit parishioners for all the salads and desserts donated for funerals. The families we serve are so thankful for all you do.
Please check our collection of bowls, pans and other containers and take all yours home. They can be found on the shelf in the social hall.

Milestones

Holy Spirit Parish welcomes Letti Isabella Watt, daughter of Jeremiah and Brooke, who was baptized this weekend. Congratulations!

Courtesy Announcements

The **Ursuline Centre** is looking to fill a part-time cook position. The hours include a combination of days, evening and some weekends. Cooking or restaurant experience and background check required. Please submit resume to: Ursuline Centre 2300 Central Ave., Great Falls, 59401, or call 452-8585 ex 104.



Early Bird Registration ending soon!

Billings Catholic Radio is pleased to announce **BEHOLD THIS HEART, *Reparation to the Sacred Heart of Jesus***, A conference to be held in Billings, October 4-5, 2019. Featuring **Fr. Wade Menezes**, a host of several televised series for EWTN and host of “Open Line” heard on Billings Catholic Radio is the featured guest speaker, with Catholic recording artist **Donna Cori Gibson** also deepening the event through her songs, sung prayers, and meditations. The Conference is open to anyone interested in the treasures of the Sacred Heart of Jesus, and promises to be spiritually enriching. Don’t miss the discounted registration available through August 31. Visit kjccradio.com to register or call 406.294.5250 for more information.

Cum Christo Renewal Weekend Retreat - For men and women

October 18-20, 2019, Sacred Heart Parish in Glendive MT. We invite all men and women who have experienced a Cum Christo, Curcillo or Journey weekend to join us at 4 pm on Friday Oct 18 - Sunday Oct 20 for a Cum Christo Renewal Retreat. The theme this year is “Jesus, I trust in You.” For more information please contact Dean Mindt, 406-939-1619 or at 406-687-3818. Registration forms are available in the parish office or at bigskycumchristo.org.

On Tuesday August 20th following noon Mass at St. Ann’s Cathedral, The Legion of Mary will say the Rosary and enjoy a pot luck lunch. Fr. Silvester will join the Legion of Mary for this special event. All are invited to come and bring a friend. For more information call Marie Gray 454-1495.



Marriage Encounter Weekend: Married couples... Getting ready for school means a lot of time spent on your children. After school begins why not give yourselves some time together. This weekend is the perfect opportunity to reconnect, improve communication and fall more deeply in love. Weekend dates: Bozeman, 10/4-6; Chadron NE, 10/18-20; and Ucross WY, 11/1-3. for more information and to apply visit www.wwme.org or call Paul & Tracy 307-689-2820.

SAVE THE DATES for these Cum Christo events:

1. Renew Retreat: 20-22 Sept, 2019 (4th day men & women)
 2. Men’s Cum Christo Weekend 9-12 Jan 2020
 3. Women’s Cum Christo Weekend 16-19 Jan 2020
- All three events will be held at the St. Ann’s Heisey Center.

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“Sharing the Splendor of Truth”

BIBLE STUDY TIME Coming Soon!!!

The Story of How Christ Established His Kingdom



The *Matthew: The King and His Kingdom* study program shows how Jesus fulfills God's promises to Israel and establishes his kingdom on earth. Through references to the Old Testament promises of God to his people and the messages God sent them through the prophets, the *Matthew* Bible study program provides the key to understanding the rest of the New Testament and Christ as the fulfillment of God's plan.

Matthew portrays Jesus as the true King who fulfills the Law the people of Israel have failed to keep and who introduces the new law that will accompany the New Covenant. In this 24-part study of the Gospel of Matthew, presenter [Jeff Cavins](#) explains how Jesus is challenging and empowering us to a new level of holiness and shows how we must be thoroughly immersed in the kingdom of heaven on earth, the Church, to live it.

The study will include a series of twenty-four videos presented by Jeff Cavins. Each video will be preceded by a lively group discussion. Everyone who participates will receive the *Matthew Study Kit*.

Holy Spirit Parish will begin the Matthew Study on **15 September at 1:00PM**. This study will be led by **Father Doug** and **Deacon Pete**. For more info or to register for the study visit the registration table after Mass or contact Deacon Pete at 899-7383 or deaconpete@holyspiritgf.org

Cum Christo 4th Day Renewal Weekend

20-22 September 2019, St Ann's Cathedral Heisey Center



"Jesus told his disciples, 'If any want to become my followers, let them deny themselves and take up their cross and follow me.'" Mt 16:24

After the hustle and bustle of the summer and feeling the need for a spiritual recharge, come to the Cum Christo Renewal weekend, September 20-22, 2019, for both men and women who have made a Cum Christo or Cursillo weekend. We are trying to energize our movement in Great Falls for Men's and Women's Weekends in January 2020. We hope you can spare a couple of days with your fellow 4th Dayers for a Spirit filled weekend which begins at 4 pm on Friday and ends about 1 PM on Sunday. You can stay overnight at the Heisey Center at St Ann's or at your OWN HOME. All meals will be provided at the retreat. We will listen to talks and have discussion about "the Cum Christo Experience", Eucharistic adoration, Mary, Jesus, Changing Sense of Sin, Healing and Forgiveness, Why Pray, Evangelization, and the Holy Spirit. We will have Mass each day as well as other spiritual activities. Come spend this weekend with the team of experienced Cum Christo presenters and from across the diocese.

It is never too soon to sign up!! Don't let procrastination and a worldly apathy get in your way. Take charge and be recharged in your Spirit-filled walk with Christ.

NAME _____ Phone _____

Address _____ e-Mail _____

City _____ Zip _____

Staying OVERNIGHT at Heisey Center Yes _____ No _____

Year & Location of your Cum Christo Weekend _____

PLEASE NOTE: Suggested donation is \$50 per person. Make checks payable to: GF Big Sky Cum Christo. Please mail your completed form to Big Sky Cum Christo Renewal, PO Box 1399, Great Falls, MT 59403

For More Information Contact Deacon Pete Woelkers at (406) 899-7383 or pwoelkers@diocesegfb.org

Holy Spirit Parish Gardens

The Holy Spirit Community Garden is located behind Peter and Paul. We have raised beds and grow many different vegetables along with pots of flowers. It is a beautiful garden! Most of the vegetables on our sharing table by the front doors come from this garden.



The Holy Spirit Memorial Garden and Columbarium are located out the back doors of the church. Many volunteers planted the perennials, laid sod, and built the fence. The Patterson family purchased and planted the flowers for the pots this year.

Do you have a green thumb?
Is gardening your passion?
If so, we can use your help!

TIME AND TALENT WEEKEND
SEPTEMBER 7 & 8



Youth Formation

Is this your calling?



Elementary Formation and Sacrament Prep.

(Pre-k–6th Grade, Sacraments–2nd grade)

Elementary formation and Sacrament Prep meet every Sunday between Masses (9:45–10:45).

For Sacrament Preparation (Reconciliation, Confirmation and First Eucharist) we use an AMAZING program called “Blessed”. For our other Elementary Formation classes we use Gospel Weeklies, where the children will be reading about and learning about the Sunday readings!! **Register your kiddos today!!**

Are you being called to minister to our youth in the Church? Have you considered Youth Formation as your ministry? Whether you have or have not, please pray about it and ask questions!! I am always looking for more Catechists and Assistants, if you are interested or have question please contact **Kody Diekhans–406.799.2626**



Have you always felt a “tug” to lend your talents to the Church. We are looking to add to our dynamic Youth Ministry Team! Our Youth Ministry program serves the youth of our parish in grades 7-12. We gather at Sts. Peter & Paul Center on Sunday evenings from 6:30-8:30pm. Our teams gather once a month to plan for our Sunday nights.

We are looking for a few people in each of the following areas.

7th & 8th Grade Youth Group Team Members

9th–12th Grade Youth Group Team Members

Sunday night Snack Coordinator

If you are interested please contact **Aubrey Rearden (406) 868-6713** , we’ll go have coffee and discuss the opportunities!