



Holy Spirit

Catholic Parish and School

March 1st, 2020

1st Sunday of Lent

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

201 44th St S; Ph. 452-6491, Fax 452-6495

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Website: holyspiritgf.org

Holy Spirit Catholic School

2820 Central Ave, Great Falls, MT 59401

761-5775; Principal: Melissa Hallahan

Email: mhallahan@holyspiritgf.org

Website: holyspiritgfschool.org

Check out FORMED.org.

Parish code: PGMJYZ

"Lent is a time of going very deeply into ourselves...What is it that stands between us and God? Between us and our brothers and sisters? Between us and life, the life of the Spirit? Whatever it is, let us relentlessly tear it out, without a moment's hesitation."

~ Catherine Doherty



Baptism Preparation Sessions

If you are expecting a child or recently had a baby and would like that child baptized at Holy Spirit Parish, you must attend our **two** baptism preparation sessions.

Our next sessions will be:

Sunday March 1 at 1:00 pm at Sts. Peter and Paul

Sunday March 8 at 1:00 pm at Sts. Peter and Paul

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

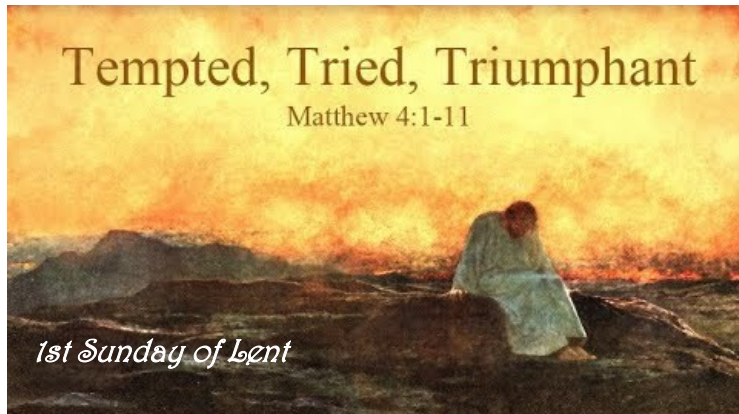
Reconciliation:

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



Adoration:

Sunday 7 pm -- Tuesday 5 pm



Care and Share 2020

"Now you are Christ's body and individually parts of it."

The 2020 Care and Share Appeal begins this week offering Catholics throughout the diocese the opportunity to Care and Share in the support of critical ministries of our Church that will benefit the more than 38,000 Catholics and innumerable others throughout the 94,500 square miles of our diocese. Please prayerfully consider saying "yes" to supporting this year's Appeal, when you receive your appeal packet later this week, knowing that your generosity will serve to strengthen the Body of Christ.

Parish Staff:

Fr. Doug Krings

Pastor

Fr. Garrett Nelson

Adult Formation,
RCIA (on leave)

Dcn Pete Woelkers

Deacon

Dcn Bill Medved

Deacon

Mark Meyer

Parish Administrator

Aubrey Rearden

DRE, Worship,
Youth Minister

Cindy Eultgen

Christian Service

Nick Wingerter

On leave

Kody Diekhans

Music
Elem. Formation

Chuck Osterman

Maintenance

Mary Moore-Wingerter

Administrative Asst.

Weekly Happenings~

Mass Intentions:

| Mass | Intention | Requested by |
|-------------------------------|--|---|
| Mon 3/2-8:30 am | +Gene Boland | P Boland |
| Tue 3/3-5:15 pm | +Marni Constantino | Wingerters |
| Wed 3/4-8:30 am | Kenadee Depner (sp int) | K & K Depner |
| Thu 3/5- 8:30 am | +John Houghton & family | H Houghton |
| Fri 3/6- 8:30 (HF) | +Kenneth Depner Ester Magliano, Elsie Power, John & Betty Taylor, Beth Trunkle, Julie Uhlenkott, and Barb Lockman | H & D Wilkins School Mass Intentions |
| Sat 3/7- 4:30 pm | +Steve Pedro | V Pedro |
| Sun 3/8- 8:30 am -11:00 am | +Theresa Gunnett +Trevor Semenza | P Ford N Frame |

Readings for next week~ 2nd Sunday of Lent

1st Reading: Genesis 12:1-4a

2nd Reading: 2 Timothy 1:8b-10

Gospel: Matthew 17:1-9

Coffee & Rolls Schedule~

Mar 1: 8:30 ~ Mike O’Neill family; 11:00 ~ Newman family

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Bus Schedule~

Mar 7: **Help needed** and Therese Griffith

Mar 8: Jan Olson and Laurie Kessler

Calendar of events~

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| Sunday: | Elem. Formation - 9:45 am Bible Study - 1 pm Baptism Prep - 1 pm Youth Group - 6 pm Adoration | Sts. P&P Hall Sts. P&P Sts. P&P |
| Tuesday: | Fellowship lunch - 12 pm Pastoral Council - 7 pm Choir | Hall Con rm. |
| Wednesday: | High School Rosary - 6:45 am Ministry to the Divorced - 6 pm | Chapel Con. Rm. |
| Thursday: | RCIA - 7 pm | Sts. P&P |
| Friday: | Stations of the Cross - 5:30 pm Soup & Bread, “The Mass” - 6:00 pm | |
| Saturday: | Fair Trade Coffee sales | |
| Sunday: | Fair Trade Coffee sales Elem. Formation - 9:45 am Parish Nurses - 9:45 am Bible Study - 1 pm Baptism Prep - 1 pm Youth Group - 6:30 pm Adoration | Sts. P&P Con. Rm. Hall Sts. P&P Sts P&P |

 Please join us to pray the Rosary at 8:00 am Mondays, Wednesdays, Thursdays (Holy Spirit) and Fridays (Holy Family); 4:45 pm Tuesdays; 4:00 pm on Saturdays and 8:00 am on Sundays. The Knights of Columbus Council #9395 will lead the Rosary before the 11:00 Mass on the 5th Sundays. If you can’t join us, please pray the Rosary on your own.


Liturgical Ministers for March 7, 8

| 4:30 PM | 8:30 AM | 11:00 AM |
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| ★ Sub requested ~ log in to Web Terminal and accept the sub | | |
| | | Holy Wash |
| | | P Fehres |
| Sacristan | | |
| S Mayernik | J Gort | K Krattiger |
| Greeters | | |
| Polacek family ★ L Korst | R & F Olszewski T & C Nunez | M & E Balyeat H Houghton, S Wilson |
| Ushers | | |
| F Handwerk J Tamowski | S Barros C McKelvey | N St. Claire |
| Cross Bearer | | |
| R Moog | N McKelvey | |
| Altar Servers | | |
| L Moog G Moog | N McKelvey L Donnelly | Q Blair M Kambic |
| Readers | | |
| C Tucker K Shipley | K Nyman-Wendt T Katz | M Francis L Francis |
| Gift Presenters | | |
| R & K Shipley B Lorenz | Puckett family | Secord family |
| Ministers of the Eucharist | | |
| M Handwerk D Stukey T Stukey T Hopkins ★ S McKenna J McKenna R Olmstead P Hilgendorf T Gilligan K Reed T Ewalt M Lacher F Polacek R McDunn K Leggett | P Woelkers N McGonigal D Barros K Puckett D Dickman F Olszewski P Ford K Lakner G Matsko S McAllister C Nunez B Cook C Harant I Kelley D Wilkins | P. Woelkers W Newman T Balyeat H Fehres S Fehres W Fehres T Paul C Paul R Ryan D Nickolson M Francis L Francis G Hooks Z Stimac |


Care for our Common Home!

Our goal is to help you to be responsible with the earths resources; 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 be involved in this issue call Cindy!

| Weekend | Newspaper | Cardboard |
|-------------------------|------------------|-------------|
| 4th (Feb. 28 - March 5) | D & P Birkenbuel | C. Nowak |
| 1st (March 6 - 12) | K of C 9395 | C. Jernigan |
| 2nd (March 13-19) | K. Weinheimer | A. Fisher |
| 3rd (March 20-26) | OPEN | R. Schipley |



School Newspaper: OPEN



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

For all who seek to become Christian believers

Call Fr. Doug at the office, ext 203, or come Thurs. at 7 pm in the RCIA room (Sts. Peter and Paul Center) all year round.

Youth Ministry

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



Youth Group Sunday Nights
6-7:45 pm (note time change)



Youth Group this Sunday March 1, 2020 see you @ 6pm.



High School Bible Study transforms for Lent... In lieu of coffee and bible study at Schulte's we will be gathering at the chapel at Holy Spirit parish from 6:45-7:30am to pray the Rosary together on the Wednesday's during Lent. Come pray with us.

Elementary Faith Formation

Kody Diekhans 452.6491 pianokody@holyspiritgf.org
Cell 799.2626

Elementary Formation (Pre-K - 6th Grade)
& Sacramental Prep (2nd Grade)

+Please find registration forms and calendars in the entry-way by the front doors of the building!

Sacramental Preparation

Kody Diekhans 452-6491 ext. 206 pianokody@holyspiritgf.org
Cell 799.2626

Sacramental Preparation for receiving Reconciliation, Confirmation, and First Eucharist began Sunday September 22nd. This is geared toward children in 2nd grade, those who have not received these sacraments, or those children who have not been confirmed. If you have questions, please call Kody or Aubrey.

Confirmation is scheduled for April 25th at 11:00 am here at Holy Spirit. First Eucharist will be the same weekend.

Holy Spirit School

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

Do you have a child starting Pre-School? Thinking about making an education change? Our small class sizes are a perk, and the faith component is so beneficial to our young people. Come find out why parents (and students!) love it here! Stop by anytime and take a look around! New families can register any time. We hope you'll visit us and find out why we're known for our tradition of excellent education!

Thank you to everyone who came out and supported The BALL! We had a great turnout and a wonderful night celebrating our Catholic Schools!

Sign up for Amazon Smile and the all-new Box tops app, and name Holy Spirit Catholic School your beneficiary! If you are already shopping, don't let your money go to waste! We get a small percentage back of all sales (Amazon Smile) or funds (through Box Tops) to use in the classroom!

Christian Service

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

Mission: To share God's love through action, education, and community building

Hunger in Our World When Jesus fed the 5,000, he said, "Give them some food yourselves." Reflect on the challenge of global hunger. How can you contribute to support the hungry in your community?

Pick up your family's CRS Rice Bowl on the way out of church today! Log onto the website crsricebowl.org to help you 'practice' lent.



The Christian Service Commission will be collecting Toiletries during Lent. Did you know that these basic personal hygiene items are not covered with food stamps?

Fellowship Lunch, this Tuesday, March 3 in the Parish Hall at noon. Free will offering.



Fair Trade Chocolate, coffee, and tea, sales next weekend, March 7 & 8. Profits from our sales go to Fr. Andrew and students in Uganda. Plan to stop in the parish hall after Mass next week to see our selection. Volunteers: 4:30 pm Lorraine Jenkins & OPEN 8:30 am Joanne Cilkosz & OPEN 11:



Catholic Ministry to the Divorced: Sessions begin this week, March 4th from 6-7 pm every Wednesday in the conference room. All are welcome—just walk in, Don and Barb are awesome facilitators! The experience of divorce does not begin or end with the divorce decree. Sharing in the commonality of recovering from the wounds of divorce toward peace. This is the place to ask Why did God allow this to happen? What does the church teach? Can I go to communion?

Parish Nurses meet next Sunday, March 8 @ 9:45 am in the conference room.



Fellowship Dinner Saturday, March 21 after 4:30 pm Mass



Stewardship



A retreat is being offered, March 24, from 5:30 pm-8:00 pm for coordinators and volunteers in the Family Promise of Great Falls program. The location is still to be determined. The Family Promise Center, downtown, needs a headcount for all of us who are going - that includes all of Holy Spirit Parish because as a community we are all committed to the homeless families program. Please sign up, on line, by emailing: alyssragsdale@familypromisegf.com or by calling 406-866-0288.

“Do whatever he tells you.” - Mary, the mother of Jesus.

The Family Promise Center, located downtown, known as the HUB, provided the following services the week of February 17-21: 4 referrals; 6 cold-weather kits; 4 bus passes; 1 HUMI deposit; 1 presentation to GFMA; 4 guests in our rotational program @ New Hope Lutheran. This week (February 23-March 1) our guests are located at Bethel Lutheran. Thank you to all of you who continue to volunteer offering donations to the Monsignor House or to the HUB.

If you want to know more about the Family Promise program at Monsignor House Holy Spirit, or you want to use the home for a meeting, 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

Ministry Schedules: Please be sure to log in to Ministry Scheduler to update your upcoming availability. If you do not have digital access to the program please call Mary Wingerter in the parish office to confirm your availability.

Music

Kody 452-6491 ex. 206 pianokody@holyspiritgf.org
Cell 799.2626

**Choir practice Tuesday March 4 at 6:00 pm --
ALL ARE WELCOME!**

Lent

Dcn. Pete 452-6491 ex. 204 deaconpete@holyspiritgf.org

Join us this Lent for Friday Evening Soup & Bread and Bishop Robert Barron’s presentation “The Mass”.

“The Mass will help you understand how to fully, consciously, and actively participate in the source and summit of the Christian life.

Friday evenings come on into the hall following the **5:30 pm Stations of the Cross**. *If you would like to help with soup or bread on one of the Friday evenings, contact Mary or Deacon Pete. See you there!*

Courtesy Announcements



Marriage is an adventure...See where it will lead!

Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend, April 17-19, 2020 in Rock Springs Wyoming. Visit wwme.org or call Dan & Clare at 406-697-3275 for more information.

“Come to Me” Please join us for the Catholic Women’s Conference, April 18, 2020 at the Civic Center in Helena Montana. Registration information is available www.HelenaCWC.com. There is a poster on the bulletin board and pamphlets available in the office.



Montana Catholic Men’s Conference

“In the Steps of St. Joseph”, March 21, 2020 8:30 a.m. to 4:00 p.m., Cathedral of St. Helena, Brondel Center (downstairs)

Men, strengthen your faith and the faith of your brothers at the 2020 Catholic Men’s Conference on March 21st at the Cathedral of St. Helena. This year’s theme is “In the Steps of St. Joseph.” Register at www.mtcatholicmen.org, Contact: Dan Bartleson | 406-475-0308 | dbartleson@diocesehelena.org

FISH FRY SEASON IS HERE!

The Knights of Columbus are back with their Lenten Tradition...the Fish Fry! The deliciousness takes place at the Knights of Columbus Hall, 906 Central Ave W.,

February 21, March 6, March 20, and April 3 from **4:30-7:00 pm**
Adults are \$10.00, Kids 6-12 \$5.00 and 5 and under are free. Please come join us!



Help! We are trying to update our Parish records!!!

Please update your information with the parish.

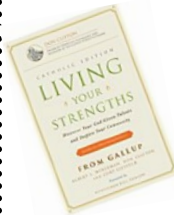
Have you dropped your land line?

Have you changed your address?

Do you have a new email address?

Please call the parish office with any changes, 452-6491, or email hsparish@holyspiritgf.org

New groups are forming for the Living Your Strengths Program



Would you like to be a part of a small group that will meet to discover our God-given talents and learn to turn them into strengths? The “Living Your Strengths” program is breathing fresh air into Catholic churches throughout our country.

New groups are forming now! Each group will meet for 5 weekly sessions. Judy Held will lead a group Wednesdays at 1 pm beginning in February; and Dawn Collins will lead a group evenings in March. If you are interested in signing up, please call Mary at the office, 452-6491.

Saint Michael Radio ~ *FM 97.1 “Sharing the Splendor of Truth”



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**JOIN US FOR OUR
MARCH BINGO NIGHT!**

**SATURDAY MARCH 7 AT 5:30 PM
(AFTER MASS)**

BINGO CARDS ARE FREE!!

GREAT PRIZES!!

CONCESSIONS AVAILABLE!!