

March 29th, 2020 5th Sunday of Lent

"Show me your hands. Do they have scars from giving? Show

me your feet. Are they wounded in service? Show me your heart. Have you left a place for divine love?" ~ Ven. Fulton Sheen

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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Email: hsparish@holyspiritgf.org

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: PGMYJZ

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

Sunday 7 pm -- Tuesday 5 pm

Parish Staff: Fr. Doug Krings Pastor

Adult Formation, Fr. Garrett Nelson

RCIA (on leave)

Dcn Pete Woelkers Deacon Dcn Bill Medved Deacon

Mark Meyer Parish Administrator DRE, Worship, Aubrey Rearden

Youth Minister Christian Service Cindy Eultgen

Nick Wingerter On leave Kody Diekhans Music

Elem. Formation

Chuck Osterman Maintenance Mary Moore-Wingerter Administrative Asst. For all who have contracted coronavirus,

For those who are particularly vulnerable, We pray for safety and protection.

We pray for care and healing.

For all who experience fear or anxiety, We pray for peace of mind and spirit.

For affected families who are facing difficult decisions between food on the table or public safety, We pray for policies that recognize their plight.

For those who do not have adequate health insurance, We pray that no family will face financial burdens alone.

For those who are afraid to access care due to immigration status, We pray for recognition of the God-given dignity of all.

For our brothers and sisters around the world, We pray for shared solidarity.

For public officials and decision makers, We pray for wisdom and guidance. Father, during this time may your Church be a sign of hope, comfort and love to all.

Grant peace. Grant comfort. Grant healing. Be with us, Lord.

Amen.

Because there are no Masses, we also do not have the opportunity for Eucharist. This prayer may bring you comfort.

> My Jesus, I believe that you are present in the Most Holy Sacrament of your Body and Blood. I love You and desire to receive you. Since I cannot at this moment Receive You sacramentally, come spiritually into my heart. I embrace You and unite myself sholly to You. Never let me Be separated from You. Amen.

Weekly Happenings~

Mass Intentions:

Mass	<u>Intention</u>	Requested by
Mon 3/30-8:30 am	+Margot Mishel, +Leeza & +Manfred Bork	T Welsh
Tue 3/31-5:15 pm	+Patrick Lee	E Lee
Wed 4/1-8:30 am	+Gloria Secord Denny	L Borchert
Thu 4/2- 8:30 am	Nick Wingerter & family	J & M Wingerter
Fri 4/3- 8:30 (HF)	+Helen Rogers John Day, Dr. George Eusterman, Mary Cecilia Eusterman, Doug & Lorraine Mendenhall, George Nicholas, Garolyn Obenhoff, Bud O'Hare, Pat, Ryan and Nancy Sullivan, Cliff Theisen, and Mick Larkin	Depners School Mass Intentions
Sat 4/4- 4:30 pm	Jay Constantino & family	Andersons
Sun 4/5- 8:30 am -11:00 am	Susi Maki (sp. Int) Daniel Welsh (sp int)	M Swan T Welsh

Readings for next week~ Palm Sunday of the Passion of the

Lord

1st Reading: Isaiah 50:4-7 2nd Reading: Philippians 2:6-11 Gospel: Matthew 26:14--27:66

Coffee & Rolls Schedule~

Bus Schedule~

Calendar of events~

Sunday:	
Tuesday:	
Wednesday:	
Thursday:	
Friday:	
Saturday:	
Sunday:	



During these difficult times, please pray the Rosary. It is such a powerful prayer and the world, country, and our city.

Liturgical Ministers for

4:30 PM	8:30 AM	11:00 AM		
★ Sub requested ~ log in to Web Terminal and accept the sub				
		Holy Wash		
	Sacristan			
	Greeters	_		
	Ushers			
	Cross Bearer	•		
	Altar Servers			
	Readers	•		
	Gift Presenters			
	Ministers of the Eucharist	1		
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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	<u>Cardboard</u>
3rd (March 20-26)	OPEN	R. Schipley
4th (March 27 - April	2) D & P Birkenbuel	C. Nowak
1st (April 3 - 9)	K of C 9395	C. Jernigan
2nd (March 13-19)	K. Weinheimer	A. Fisher

School Newspaper: Thank you for volunteering!





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



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Youth Group Sunday Nights

OLIFETEEN 6-7:45 pm (note time change)



Youth Group is cancelled until further notice.

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)

Elementary Formation is cancelled until further notice.

Sacramental Preparation for receiving Reconciliation, Confirmation,

Sacramental Preparation

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and First Eucharist 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.

We are now registering for the 2020-21 school year and our lower

Holy Spirit School

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

grade classes are filling up quickly! We're looking forward to another amazing school year, and would love to have more Parish students in the seats. We invite you to come find out why parents (and students!) love it here! 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. We offer half and full day visits for prospective students, as well! We hope you'll visit us and find out why we're known for our tradition of excellent education. Please call the school to arrange a tour. 761-5775.

Mark your calendars for our next Mass with the Parish on Saturday, March 28th at 4:30 pm, and for Grandfriend's Day, happening on Thursday, April 9th!

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!

Food Bank Needs:

People who live day by day depend on our generosity to

Christian Service

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

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

help stock the local food banks. At this time they still need our help and your donations! Please bring any food/groceries to the church and put in the in the entrance of church.



At **THANKYOU** this time we are unable to visit the homebound due to the possible spreading of Coronavirus (COVID-19). As we all are 'homebound' in a sense, please reach out to one another especially over the phone (we have our parish directory to use). We are isolated,

> but not alone! As we take the responsibility to reach-out we care for one another and curb the loneliness that can set in.

Pregnancy Loss.....Miscarriage....No one

knows, it's hard to talk about, it is very personal, and specific to each person's situation....male or female. No matter how long it has been since your miscarriage / infant loss, we are here to listen. Parish Nurses, Compassionate Listeners, and Bereavement Team Members are present; someone to talk to, they have been through it. Please call Cindy at 452-6491, ext 208 to connect with a caring parishioner.

Please note, we are volunteers & not meant to substitute for counselors; we don't want to be perceived as anything more than fellow Catholics who want to walk with you during difficult times, following Jesus' mandate to "comfort those who mourn." Matthew 5:4

FOURTH WEEK OF LENT Meet Maria Ana Maria and her brothers who receive one meal a day at school. How was education important for your future? How can you we en-



sure that all young people have a chance to be educated? Visit crsricebowl.org Like CRS on Facebook!

Stewardship



Lent is referred to as a journey, a road, a walk. In the Family Promise Gospels for the 3rd, 4th and 5th Sundays of Lent, John shares powerful stories about Jesus. We continue to hear that our relationship with Jesus depends on LIS-

TENING. It takes an attitude of heart to hear what is being said. In the 3rd Sunday, the woman at the well found her conversion in listening and responding to Jesus. In the reading for the 4th Sunday, the blind man listened and responded to Jesus when he asked if the blind man believed in the Son of Man. In the 5th Sunday, Lazarus heard Jesus call him forth and responded by leaving the tomb. Our challenges in these readings from St. John allow us to learn to hear with an attitude of heart instead of the mindset of the logical brain. Family Promise offers compassion by listening to those who enter the program as homeless people. By the time they find their home, they have been respectfully honored by volunteers who willingly spend time caring for our homeless guests. Who knows how much of the work of the Kingdom has been accomplished!

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.

Ministry Schedules: Since our Masses are on hiatus, the

Worship

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

schedule for April through June will be sent out next week. Thank you for your patience during this crazy time!

Music

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No Choir practice!

Lent

Dcn. Pete 452-6491 ex. 204 <u>deaconpete@holyspiritgf.org</u>

CANCELLED UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE!

Milestones

Welcome to Jonathan Brey and Meaghan Gannon who recently joined our parish. Welcome to Holy Spirit!

Courtesy Announcements

Job opening in the Diocesan Chancery Office, Great Falls Executive Assistant to the Bishop - Please see full description on the Diocesan website diocesegfb.org and submit your application online. Please also email your resume to HR@diocesegfb.org.

ATTENTION PARENTS!



Great Falls Central Catholic High School is now accepting students for the 2020-21 school year. We have scholarships specifically for public school students interested in a MUSTANGS Catholic high school education as well as a sliding fee schedule of tuition. Driver's education will be offered to

all eligible students this fall. Priority deadline for all scholarships is April 1st 2020! Apply online at www.greatfallscentral.org or call Monica at 406-216-3344 for more information.

During this time of craziness with no Masses or other services, please check out FORMED at FORMED.org. There is so much content here to add to your day and your prayer time. There are also videos available to pray the Rosary (formed.org/the-traditional-catholic-rosary), the Divine Mercy Chaplet (formed.org/chaplet-of-divine-mercy-insong-by-vicki-kueppers), The Seven Sorrows of the Blessed Virgin Mary (formed.org/the-seven-sorrows-of-the-blessedvirgin-mary). I hope these few ideas bring you some peace.

For up to date information on Covid-19 please check out the CDC website: https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-nCoV/hcp/index.html For more information from the Diocese, or to see Bishop Warfel's Mass, please go to the Diocese website: diocesegfb.org.

The five vicariates Great Falls-Billings Diocesan Council of Catholic Women are awarding a \$500.00 scholarship to a graduating senior girl. Applications are available at the parish office. You may also contact Toni Ziegler at 406-654-1187. Deadline to apply is June 1, 2020.

> Saint Michael Radio ~ *FM 97.1 "Sharing the Splendor of Truth"