

# March 21st, 2021 5th Sunday in 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: 9:00-4, Fri: 9:00-noon

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Holy Spirit Catholic School

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Website: holyspiritgfschool.org

#### Check out FORMED.org.

#### Mass Schedule:

Weekend Masses:

Saturday 4:30pm

Sunday 8:30 am (live stream) & 11:00 am

Week day Masses:

Monday 8:30 am

Tuesday 5:15 pm

Wednesday 8:30 am

\*2nd Wed. Park Place, 2:30 pm (suspended)

\*3rd Wed. Highgate, 1:30 pm (suspended)

Thursday 8:30 am

Friday 8:45 am

Saturday 8:30 am

#### Reconciliation:

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



## Adoration:

Sunday 7 pm -- Tuesday 5 pm

#### Parish Staff:

Molly Schmitz

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

Aubrey Rearden Parish Administrator

Worship

Cindy Eultgen Christian Service

Nick Wingerter RCIA,

Adult Formation

Joel Corda Music Chuck Osterman Maintenance Mary Moore-Wingerter Administrative Asst.

> Elem. Formation Youth Minister

"...Fasting and almsgiving are 'the two wings of prayer' which enable it to gain momentum and more easily reach even to God." ~ St. Augustine

## I Join us on Fridays during Lent for

Stations of the Cross - 5:30 pm Good Fridays Series—6:00 pm



Holy Week and Caster Schedule:

- ~ Sunday March 28: Palm Sunday, regular Masses
- ~ Wednesday March 31: No Formation
- ~ Thursday April 1: Mass of the Lord's Last Supper, 6:00 pm
- ~ Friday April 2: Good Friday, Celebration of the Lord's Passion,
- 3:00 pm; Stations of the Cross, 5:30 pm; Good Friday series, 6 pm
- ~ Saturday April 3: Holy Saturday, Caster Vigil, 8:30 pm
- ~ Sunday April 4: Caster, Mass, 7:00, 8:30 and 11:00 am NO ADORATION
- ~ Monday April 5: NO MASS, Office Closed, NO ADORATION
- ~ Tuesday April 6: NO MASS, Office Closed, NO ADORATION



## "As for me and my household, we will serve the LORD."

Thank you to all who have responded so generously to the annual Care and Share Campaign. The success of this campaign depends on the faithful, steadfast and devoted members of our faith family both here in our parish and throughout the Diocese. Your support is greatly appreciated, for it is through your sacrifice and deep convictions that we may grow as a faith community and will continue Christ's work here in our parish and in the Diocese of Great Falls-Billings.

## Weekly Happenings~

#### Mass Intentions:

<u>Mass</u>	<u>Intention</u>	Requested by
Sat 3/20—8:30 am 4:30 pm	+Bob Trunkle +Dorothy Kuntz	A Trunkle Barochs
Sun 3/21—8:30 am _11:00 am	+Bob Zadick) +Dolores Lara	Barochs C Lara
Mon 3/22- 8:30 am	Stuart Anderson (sp int)	K Depner
Tue 3/23- 5:15 pm	+Neal Gray	M Gray
Wed 3/24- 8:30 am	+Sally Smith	J Bliss
Thu 3/25- 8:30 am	+Oscar & Jeanne Beigel	G Hansen
<u>Fri 3/26– 8:45 am</u>	+Mike O'Neill C Birkoff, Chuck Faulkner, Steven Gretch, John Hogan, Frank Knight, Gary macek, Ambrose Schumacher, and George Wald	Schwankes School Mass intentions
Sat 3/27- 8:30 am 4:30 pm	+William Verploegen Chuck Osterman (sp int)	A Verploegen E & I Kelley
<u>Sun 3/28– 8:30 am</u> - <u>11:00 am</u>	+John Culliton Lamar Francis (sp int)	B Culliton M Francis

<u>Readings for next week</u> Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord

1st Reading: Isaiah 50:4-7 2nd Reading: Philippians 2:6-11 Gospel: Mark 14:1-15:47

Coffee & Rolls Schedule~

No Coffee and rolls until further notice

Bus Schedule~

No bus service

## Calendar of events~March 20-28

Saturday:	Daily Mass—8:30 am Sunday Vigil Mass—4:30 pm Adoration begins at 7:00 pm	
Sunday:	Mass—8:30 am Mass—11:00 am Adoration begins at 7:00 pm	
Tuesday:	Bereavement—4 pm	hall
Wednesday:	High School Bible Study—6:45 am Elementary Formation—4:30 pm Youth Group—6:30 pm	Schultes Sts P&P Sts P&P
Friday:	School Mass—8:45 am Stations of the Cross—5:30 pm Good Friday Series—6 pm	hall
Saturday:	Daily Mass—8:30 am Sunday Vigil Mass—4:30 pm	
Sunday:	Palm Sunday: Masses at 8:30 and 11:00 am Adoration begins at 7:00 pm	

## Liturgical Ministers for March 27-28

4:30 PM	8:30 AM	11:00 AM			
★ Sub requested ~ log in to Web Terminal and accept the sub					
		Holy Wash			
	Sacristan				
A Klundt					
	Greeters				
	Ushers				
	Cross Bearer				
	Altar Servers				
	Readers				
K Shipley ★	T Cowhick	M Francis			
	Gift Presenters				
	Ministers of the Eucharist				
P Hilgendorf K Reed	T Cowhick P Woelkers	M Francis P Woelkers			

## **Care for our Common Home!**

Thank you for recycling. At this time the City of Great Falls does not recycle plastic. Please do not deposit plastic in the bins. Also, we cannot take pieces of steel. Aluminum and tin cans are ok.



Weekend	Newspaper	Cardboard
3rd (Mar 19-25)	OPEN	C. Nowak
4th (Mar 26–April 1)	D & P Birkenbuel	R. Shipley
1st (April 2—8)	K of C 9395	C. Jernigan
2nd (April 9-15)	K. Weinheimer	A. Fisher

School Newspaper: Thank you for volunteering!



February Recycling: 140 lbs. cardboard reported.

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

#### For all who seek to become Christian believers

Call Nick at the office, ext 205, or come Thurs. at 7 pm in the RCIA room (Sts. Peter and Paul Center) all year round.

## **Youth Ministry**

Molly Schmitz 452-6491 ext. 207 molly@holyspiritgf.org





**High School Bible Study** will meet on March 24th at 6:45 am at Schultes. **Youth Ministry** will meet on March 24th at 6:30 pm at Sts. Peter and Paul. Youth Group will meet at **5:30 pm on Wed. Feb. 17**, then attend 6:00 pm Mass together. Contact Molly at the parish office 452-6491, ex 207. Thank you!

#### **Elementary Faith Formation**

Elementary Formation (Pre-K - 6th Grade) & Sacramental Prep (2nd Grade) Mary: mwingerter@holyspiritgf.org 406-452-6491, ex 201

Formation will meet on Wednesday March 24th at 4:30 pm at Peter and Paul Center. NO Formation on March 31st for Holy Week.

#### **Sacramental Preparation**

Mary Moore-Wingerter, mwingerter@holyspiritgf.org 406-452-6491

We will have a retreat for the children preparing for Completion of Initiation and their families on April 10th. The 2nd graders from HSCS will receive their Sacraments on April 30th at the school Mass. The rest of the children will receive their Sacraments the weekend of May 8th and 9th during regular Mass times. Please keep these families in your prayers.

## **Holy Spirit School**

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

Holy Spirit Catholic School is now registering for next Fall! We offer programs and classes for 3 year olds through 8th Grade! Did you know we offer 10% off tuition for our Parish families? Call us for a tour today, we'd love to show you around!

We have had great success in staying healthy, and face-to-face! If you're thinking about a change for your child's education and making the switch to private...now is the time to inquire. Our class sizes are small enough to allow for safe distancing and mask-free instruction most of the time, and we still have room in some of our classrooms for the current school year! HSCS is known for our tradition of excellence in education...we'd love to show you around and fill you in on the benefits of a Catholic education. Prospective students and parents can schedule a tour of our facilities; just give the school a call or email Colette Lon-

gin, Development Director, at clongin@holyspiritgf.org for more information.

Interested in making HSCS a beneficiary of your charitable donations? There are many ways to make that happen! Through the Holy Spirit Catholic School Endowments at the Catholic Foundation of Eastern Montana, HSCS Endowment Trust, scholarships, Dare-To-Dream, and more you can make a difference in a child's life! Visit us online to donate, or for more information call Colette at the school.

#### **Christian Service**

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



**Bereavement Support Group** Tuesday, March 23 at 4 pm in the Parish Hall

**Facilitator:** Sharon Dalen **Topic:** Living with yourself and the surviving family

<u>Christian Service Commission</u>: Next meeting, with a new day to meet - **Wednesday**, March 24 at 6:30 pm. All are welcome.

#### February Parish Relief Report\*:

Recycling: 140 lbs. cardboard reported

St. Vincent de Paul: 173 lbs. Yellow Envelopes\*: \$2761

**Electronics:** \$251

THANK YOU!

\*What is the Parish Relief Report? These are your donations to the corporal works of mercy through Holy Spirit Parish for good of the Great Falls Community and beyond.

\*What are the Yellow Envelopes? In your envelope packet, there are different colors for different purposes. *Your contribution in the Yellow Envelopes* are distributed to



individuals and families on an as needed basis. I work with you, parishioners and school families, and with community organizations

such as Opportunities Incorporated for those who seek support with basic living needs. Parishioners and School families are welcome to call me at the parish office 452-6491 ext. 208. All work is confidential, we want to work with you for long term solutions and dignity of life.

FIFTH WEEK OF LENT Working together in Madagascar.

Poor nutrition can lead to devastating long-CERICE term consequences for individuals, commu-BOWL nities & entire countries. New planting & cooking techniques are helping many communities in Madagascar improve the health & wellbeing of their children. Visit crsricebowl.org.

#### Stewardship

**Monsignor House News**: <u>Spanish speaking parishioners</u> needed to help a young Honduran family here in Great Falls

- ~to accompany the family to Mass
- ~to drive family members to appointments and to translate for members at various appointments
- ~someone &/or a parish family to get acquainted and enjoy social interaction

Please call Elaine at 590-9944 for more details. Thank you! (all family members have had covid-19.)

Reflection question: The last sentence of our Gospel states: *Now many of the Jews who had come to Mary and seen what he had done began to believe in him.* Let's ask ourselves and reflect on our answer: When did I first begin to believe in Jesus and the works that he does in my life?

Thank you to the donor who gave many nice kitchen and bathroom things to our family in the Monsignor House. They are very grateful.

If you have any questions about the Monsignor House, please feel free to call or text Kathie at 781-5033. She will return your call or text as soon as she can.

## Worship

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

Our ministry volunteers have been doing a great job with the liturgy and all the extra guidelines we need to follow. It is truly a blessing to have ministers willing to help us during this transitional time.

We are working on the schedule for April 11-May 30. Please log into Ministry Scheduler to record your availability.

## **Milestones**



Welcome to **Brittney and Corey Lampert**, with their daughter **Penelope**, who recently joined our parish! Welcome to Holy Spirit!

## **Courtesy Announcements**

**St. Vincent de Paul is in need of diapers**, size 2 and up, as well as pull-ups. If you would like to donate diapers please bring to the church and put them in the wooden box in the foyer. Thank you!

Stress in Your Marriage? Retrouvaille is a program for married couples that feel bored, disillusioned, frustrated, or angry in their marriage. Most don't know how to change the situation or even communicate the conflicts with their spouse. Retrouvaille is NOT just for couples whose marriage is on the verge of divorce or considered irrevocably broken, it is for any couple who would like to rediscover their marriage and improve communication. For additional information please contact us at 406-761-4830 or visit HelpOurMarriage.org.

"Come to Me" ~ Matthew 11:28

#### **Helena Catholic Women's Conference**

Friday April 16, 2021 ~ 5:30 pm

Rosary and Mass offered for families, all are welcome
Cathedral of St. Helena

Saturday April 17, 2021 Women's Conference, Adoration,
Confessions, Vendors, Fellowship
Helen Civic Center, Visit Helenacwc.com



#### **Position Opening:**

HOLIC The Catholic Foundation of Eastern Montana is currently accepting applications for the full-time position of *Communications and Development* 

Specialist. This new staff member will focus on increasing awareness, knowledge, and support of the Catholic Foundation of Eastern Montana. For a complete job description, please visit catholic foundationmt.org.



#### **Knights of Columbus Fish Fry!**

March 26, 4:30-7:00 pm, 906 Central Ave W. Fine dinner of fresh baked/fried north Atlantic fish, fries, cole slaw, bun and a drink. Sit in or take out. Adults \$10 children under 12 years, \$5.



Now enrolling for 2021-22!

Did you know Central offers scholarships specifically for public school students?

**Flaherty Family Scholarship**: Deadline March 31. Applicant must:

- ~Enter 9th grade at GFCC fall 2021
- ~Demonstrate exemplary character

Commit to positively impacting their community

- ~3.5 GPA in core classes (English, Math, social studies, science)
- ~Family 2019 AGI not over \$75,000

ACE Scholarship—deadline April 1. Applicant must:

- ~Enter 9th grade at GFCC fall 2021
- ~Income level that would qualify student for free/reduced meals. Completion of FACTS Grant/Aid Application is required to be considered for scholarship/tuition reductions. Call 216-3344 or mwoelkers@greatfallscentral.org for more information.

The BALL Auction and Fundraiser for Great Falls Central Catholic and Our Lady of Lourdes Catholic schools is April 17 at 7pm. This year's event will be VIRTUAL and will include an online silent auction, live auction, fund-the-need, and a special presentation you won't want to miss! No purchase is necessary to register for the online event. Optional dinner delivery of Rikki's famous pasta, appetizer, salad, dessert and drinks from Mighty Mo and Elevation are available for \$60. Optional add-ons of specialty cocktails, beer growlers and more! Go to greatfallscentral.org or ollschoolmt.org and follow the links to the auction website to register.

For questions or information contact Wes Ross 216-3344 or Bekah Atkinson 452-0551.

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



Holy Spirit Parish is asking for Donations of white Easter Lily plants to use as decorations for our Easter Mass. These donations can be made in memory of a loved one or just as a gift from your family. Please have any lilies to the church social hall by Friday April 2 at noon.

In loving memory of: