

March 7th, 2021 3rd 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** 201 44th St S; Ph. 452-6491, Fax 452-6495

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Holy Spirit Catholic School

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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

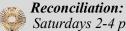
*2nd Wed. Park Place, 2:30 pm (suspended)

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

Thursday 8:30 am

Friday 8:45 am

Saturday 8:30 am



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

Adoration:

Sunday 7 pm -- Tuesday 5 pm

Parish Staff:

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

Molly Schmitz Youth Minister

"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



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 are:

March 7 at 1:00 pm at Sts. Peter and Paul March 14 at 1:00 pm at Sts. Peter and Paul

I Join us on Fridays during Lent for

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



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

The 2021 Care and Share Campaign begins this week offering Catholics throughout the Diocese the opportunity to support the critical ministries of our Church that will benefit the more than 33,000 Catholics and innumerable others throughout the 94,500 square miles of our Diocese. Please prayerfully consider saying "yes" to supporting this year's Campaign, when you receive your campaign packet later this week, knowing that your generosity will serve to strengthen the Body of Christ.

Weekly Happenings~

Mass Intentions:

Mass	<u>Intention</u>	Requested by
Sat 3/6—8:30 am —4:30 pm	Joe Bodner (sp int) +Roy Dee Meyers	A Verploegen M Lacher
Sun 3/7—8:30 am 11:00 am	+Luella Kinzler +Luz Ordillas Badar	G Kinzler C Lara
Mon 3/8- 8:30 am	+Bruce Vanica	A Watt
Tue 3/9- 5:15 pm	+Betty Swartz	Barochs
Wed 3/10- 8:30 am	+Armando Palagi	J Capp
Thu 3/11- 8:30 am	+Rick Marble	J Bliss
Fri 3/12– 8:45 am	Anderson family (sp int) Matt & Ida Boysun, Dick Pompa, Burton Van Pelt, John & Margaret Welsh, Billie Warner, Mathias & Loretta Widhalm, Audrey Wilson, Virginia & Conrad Winjum, Vernon Zerahn, Tony & stella Heser, andTheresa Woolsey	H Houghton School Mass intentions
Sat 3/13- 8:30 am 4:30 pm	+Sandie Jaegar +Joe Stranieri	C Eultgen Classmates
Sun 3/14– 8:30 am - 11:00 am	Beaumont family (sp int) Kody Diekhans (sp int)	J Gregori Baroochs

Readings for next week~ 4th Sunday in Lent

1st Reading: 2 Chronicles 36:14-16, 19-20

2nd Reading: Ephesians 2:4-10

Gospel: John 3:14-21

Coffee & Rolls Schedule~

No Coffee and rolls until further notice

Bus Schedule~

No bus service

<u>Calendar of events~ March 6-March 14</u>

Saturday:	Daily Mass—8:30 am Sunday Vigil Mass—4:30 pm	
Sunday:	Mass—8:30 am Mass—11:00 am Adoration begins at 7:00 pm	
Wednesday:	High School Bible Study—6:45 am Elementary Formation—4:30 pm Youth Group—6:30 pm Knights of Columbus—6:30 pm	Schultes Sts P&P Sts P&P hall
Friday:	School Mass—8:45 am	
Saturday:	Daily Mass—8:30 am Sunday Vigil Mass—4:30 pm	
Sunday:	Masses at 8:30 and 11:00 am Adoration begins at 7:00 pm	



Please continue to pray the Rosary. Our parish, school, city, country and world need prayers now more than ever. We pray the Rosary at the parish 1/2 hour before each Mass. You are welcome to join us in person or in spirit!

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			
Care for our	Common Home	,		

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
1st (Mar 5-11)	K of C 9395	C. Jernigan
2nd (Mar 12- 18)	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 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 10th at 6:45 am at Schultes. **Youth Ministry** will meet on March 10th 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 10th at 4:30 pm at Peter and Paul Center.

Sacramental Preparation

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

Our Completion of Initiation students are well into the First Communion portion of their preparation. Please keep them in your prayers as they complete this last leg of their journey to Confirmation and 1st Eucharist.

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-race! 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 Longin, 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

Montanans know the importance of water for livelihood and recreation. There is a delicate balance for farming and ranching. Our mountains, streams, rivers, and lakes bring opportunities for relaxation, exercise, sports and tourism.

Drought has become a big problem across El Salvador, making it difficult for farmers to produce enough crops to support their

families. But new farming techniques-and a new generation of young farmers-are making a difference.

What would you do if your livelihood was threatened? How can you support young people in your community and around the world? Visit crsricebowl.org to learn more.

Please support the CRS Rice Bowl as we celebrate the THIRD WEEK OF LENT where SUSTAINABLILITY IN EL SALVADOR has been a challenge. Visit crsricebowl.org or our Face-



book page.

What does Christian Service look like?

How does it happen?

How do I get over

my fears?

Can I really make a difference?



Answer these questions and more at the **Good Friday**

Series, every Friday after **Stations of the Cross** in the parish hall with physical distancing. *Encounter* stories, learn how to become *Engaged*. After Easter we will continue with workshops to *Go Forth* on Mission into our community.

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.

Thank you for the donation of the electric blanket to keep the bed in the back bedroom at the Monsignor House warm. Having both an electric mattress pad and an electric blanket will assure whoever sleeps in the back bedroom of staying warm. Reflection question: In his letter to the Romans, St. Paul reminds them and us...hope does not disappoint BECA USE the love of God has been poured out into our hearts through the Holy Spirit who has been given to us. We are reminded, once again, that our sacrament of Baptism gave to us God's own Holy Spirit. Pope Francis, in the book of reflections on Beautiful Hope, begins the introduction with: hope never disappoints. Optimism disappoints, but hope does not! How do I share the Light of the Holy Spirit with those who feel powerless and discouraged?

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.

The schedule through February is available online and has been mailed to those scheduled. If you need to swap days with someone please do so through Ministry Scheduler, if you are not able to find coverage please call the office ASAP and let Mary know so we can schedule a sub.

From the Office of the Bishop

The Diocese of Great Falls-Billings will be holding a Diocesan Synod, an official canonical process that will provide parishioners and their pastors an opportunity to advise the Bishop. Bishop Warfel will have an article about the Synod in the January/February issue of The Harvest. We invite all of you to read the article. Meanwhile, Bishop Warfel has given us a Prayer to the Holy Family, included here. What better time than at Christmas and the Feast of the Holy Family to begin this prayer? There are also copies available at the entrance to the church. Please watch this space in the bulletin for more information on the upcoming synod.

Prayer to the Holy Family:

Jesus, Mary and Joseph, in you we contemplate the splen-

dor of true love, to you we turn with trust.

Holy Family of Nazareth, grant that our families and households, the domestic churches of Eastern Montana, may be places of communion and prayer, of love and mercy; authentic schools of the Gospel.

Holy Family of Nazareth, may our families and households never experience violence, rejection or division; may all who have been hurt or scandalized find ready comfort and healing.

Holy Family of Nazareth, may the approaching Synod of our Diocese make us once more mindful of the sacredness and inviolability of the family; the domestic church, and its beauty in God's plan.

Jesus, Mary and Joseph, graciously hear our prayer! Amen

Lenten Retreat 2021
Directed by Bishop Michael Warfel
Each Thurday throughout Lent, 7:00 pm
At the Poor Clares of Montana Monastery
3020 18th Ave S
Registration is limited to 30 people
Call 727-6683 3xt 110
Sessions will be available on Friday morning on YouTube.

Courtesy Announcements

A VIRTUAL ONLINE Retrouvaille marriage help program starts Thursday evening, April 22nd. The Retrouvaille Community of Montana has been invited to join with California's Santa Cruz/ Monterey Community in offering this online weekend. The virtual program is Thursday and Friday evenings and a full day on Saturday and Sunday, April 22-25, 2021. The weekend will be followed by a series of virtual Post Weekend Sessions. There is a \$175 registration fee. Please know that no one is turned away because of the inability to pay. 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
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