



# Holy Spirit

*Catholic Parish and School*

*April 4th, 2021*

## *EASTER SUNDAY*

*We proclaim the resurrection of Christ when his light illuminates the dark moments of our existence.” ~ Pope Francis*



*...he saw and he believed. ~John 20:8*

**Divine Mercy Sunday, April 11, 2021**

*We will have a Divine Mercy Holy Hour at  
3:00 pm on Sunday April 11.*

*We will pray a Divine Mercy Chaplet, Confessions will be available and  
Adoration will begin. If you would like to pray the  
Divine Mercy Novena, a pamphlet is available on the table near the front doors.  
The Novena would begin on Good Friday.*

Weekly Happenings~

Mass Intentions:

Mass	Intention	Requested by
Sat 4/3 —8:30 am - —8:30 pm	No Mass Robert Linn (sp int)	
Sun 4/4—7:00 am 8:30 am 11:00 am	Parishioners +Mike O'Neill +Bill Verploegen	Barochs A Verploegen
Mon 4/5- 8:30 am	No Mass	
Tue 4/6- 5:15 pm	No Mass	
Wed 4/7- 8:30 am	+Gloria Secord Denny	W & M Secord
Thu 4/8– 8:30 am	+Vern Waldenberg	P Coolidge
Fri 4/9– 8:45 am	Tucker Hansen (sp int) John Day, George & Mary Cecilia Eusterman, Doug & Lorraine Mendenall, George Nicholas, Carolyn Obenhoff, Bud O'Hare, Pat, Ryan & Nancy Sullivan, Cliff theisen, and Mick Larkin	G Hansen  School Mass inten- tions
Sat 4/10- 8:30 am 4:30 pm	+Dennis Kranz +Bob Trunkle	J Kranz A Trunkle
Sun 4/11– - 8:30 am - 11:00 am	Frank & Karen Nowakowski (S I) +Jack Brady	K Meier M Miner

Readings for next week~ 2nd Sunday of Easter

1st Reading: Acts of the Apostles 4:32-35  
2nd Reading: 1 John 5:1-6  
Gospel: John 20:19-31

Calendar of events~ April 3-11

<b>Saturday:</b>	Liturgy of the Hours—9:00 am Easter Vigil—8:30 pm	
<b>Sunday:</b>	Easter Sunday: Masses at 7:00, 8:30, and 11:00 am No Adoration	
<b>Monday:</b>	No Mass, NO Adoration Office Closed	
<b>Tuesday:</b>	No Mass, NO Adoration Office Closed	
<b>Wednesday:</b>	High School Bible Study—6:45 am Elem. Formation—4:30 pm Youth Group—6:30 pm	Schultes Sts P&P Sts P&P
<b>Friday:</b>	School Mass—8:45 am	
<b>Saturday:</b>	Daily Mass—8:30 am Comp. of Initiation retreat—10 am Sunday Vigil Mass—4:30 pm	hall
<b>Sunday:</b>	Masses at 8:30 and 11:00 am Divine Mercy Sunday—3 pm Adoration	

**Worship Centers:**  
**Holy Spirit Catholic Church**  
201 44th St S; Great Falls, MT 59405  
**Parish Office:**  
Mon-Thur: 9:00-4, Fri: 9:00-noon  
201 44th St S; Ph. 452-6491  
Email: [hsparish@holyspiritgf.org](mailto:hsparish@holyspiritgf.org)  
Website: [holyspiritgf.org](http://holyspiritgf.org)  
**Holy Spirit Catholic School**  
2820 Central Ave, Great Falls, MT 59401  
761-5775; Principal: Melissa Hallahan  
Email: [mhallahan@holyspiritgf.org](mailto:mhallahan@holyspiritgf.org)  
Website: [holyspiritgfschool.org](http://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

**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!**

**Parish Staff:**

Fr. Doug Krings	Pastor	Dcn Pete Woelkers	Deacon
Dcn Bill Medved	Deacon	Aubrey Rearden	Parish Administrator
Mary Wingerter	Admin. Asst.		Worship
	Elem. Formation	Joel Corda	Music
Nick Wingerter	RCIA,	Molly Schmitz	Youth Minister
	Adult Formation	Cindy Eultgen	Christian Service

**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 April 7th at 6:45 am at Schultes. Youth Group will meet at **on April 7th** at 6:30 pm. 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](mailto:mwingerter@holyspiritgf.org)  
406-452-6491, ex 201

We will meet on April 7th at 4:30 pm at Sts. P&P.

**Sacramental Preparation**

Mary Moore-Wingerter, [mwingerter@holyspiritgf.org](mailto: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](mailto:mhallahan@holyspiritgf.org)  
Jackie Wike, Robin Verzuh Administrative Assistants  
Colette Longin, Development Director, [clongin@holyspiritgf.org](mailto: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 Longin, Development Director, at [clongin@holyspiritgf.org](mailto: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](mailto:cindy@holyspiritgf.org)



**Attend Fri., April 9 from 5:30-7:30 pm** with dinner in the parish hall. Please RSVP to the office.

*Action for Justice and Charity  
Throughout April—listen after Mass and  
Watch weekly for days and times:*

- Meet the people who are involved.
- Find out what is being done.
- Ask questions.
- How can you make a difference?

***Find your encounter with Christ!***

- > Bereavement Steering Team & Support Group
- > St. Martin de Porres, Emily Center, St. Jude
- > St. Vincent de Paul, St. Dismas
- > Walking with Moms in Need:
  - Mentors, Support, miscarriage, pregnancy
- > Communion to the Homebound & Nursing Homes
- > Community Garden
- > Great Falls Interfaith Association

**Currently we need volunteers in these areas:**

1. Birthday Ministry—card writing and phone calls
  2. Ministry to the Homebound—phone calls, etc.
  3. Walking with Moms in Need—child care Fridays
- Talk to Cindy for more details, 452-6491 ext 208.



**.HAPPY EASTER!** We prayed, fasted and gave alms—and now we rejoice because Christ is risen! Our Lenten journey with CRS Rice Bowl challenges us as we begin the Easter season to share the joy of having a loving God that is alive and accompanies us always. Let's do the same by continuing to be present to our global family by caring for their material and spiritual needs. **Please Return Your Rice Bowls** as soon as you can! You may convert your change to a check made out to Holy Spirit Parish with memo Rice Bowl. Drop in the mail, bring to church office, put in collection, or at the Rice Bowl Basket. Thank you in advance for your support!



## Stewardship

Alleluia! Easter! New LIFE! Hope! Resurrection! These words carry deep meaning for Christians and all over the world today, we claim our alleluias! We are an Easter people and the hope that is ours we share with each other. The Monsignor House continues its tradition of sheltering a family in need. In this season of great celebration, let us continue the joy of sharing with all of those in need...in our families...among our friends...in our communities....

**Monsignor House News:** Spanish speaking parishioners needed to help a young Honduran family 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.)

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 [aubrey@holyspiritgf.org](mailto:aubrey@holyspiritgf.org)

Mary Wingerter—Ministry Scheduler

The liturgy schedules for April and May are complete. Please check Ministry Scheduler to find your schedules. If you are not logged into Ministry Scheduler, your schedule will be mailed to you. Thank you for your willingness to help!

## Milestones

 Welcome to **Kevin and Marti Vining**, who recently joined our parish. Welcome to Holy Spirit! Also welcome to **Caine Noah Janes**, son of **Frank and Heather**, who was baptized this weekend; and to **Robert Linn**, who was fully initiated at the Easter Vigil. Congratulations!

## Knights of Columbus, Council # 9395

The Knights of Columbus would like to thank all who attended the Palm Sunday Breakfast last weekend. We had a great crowd and we appreciate your support.

## 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!

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](http://greatfallscentral.org) or [ollschoolmt.org](http://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.

Our Lady of Lourdes Parish and School is looking to fill an Administrative Assistant/Full Charge Bookkeeper position. This person would be responsible for Accounts Payable, cash tracking, financial statements, cash flow, Annual Budget, banking, guiding/admitting vendors as needed, mail sorting, phone answering, and welcoming visitors. They must be able to take care of multiple department record keeping for nonprofit and trust accounting. They will prepare financial reports for and attend monthly Finance Council meeting as well as possibly other meetings at the Pastor's request. Pay would depend on experience and quality of work based on reference contacts. Please send resume with references to Fr. Alphonsus Enelichi, MSP can be delivered to the parish office at 409 13th St S, or email to [pastoral.asst@ollparishgfnt.org](mailto:pastoral.asst@ollparishgfnt.org).

Saturday, March 27, 2021, one of Our Lady of Lourdes Parish & School families, Tyler & Jen Weir and their children Wyatt (4<sup>th</sup> gr), Weston (2<sup>nd</sup> gr), and Wakely (K) were in a tragic highway accident. Tyler & Wyatt died in the accident and Jen, Weston, and Wakely are currently hospitalized with critical injuries. Jen is currently at Benefis and the two children are at Harborview Medical Center in Seattle, WA. As well as being parishioners at Our Lady of Lourdes Parish, Jen is one of our teachers and all three children are students at our school. Tyler was full-time at Montana Air National Guard and both Tyler and Jen were volunteers with the Cascade County Search & Rescue. Prayers are needed! If you can help financially, that would be a blessing as travel & medical expenses will continue to add up for this family. Monetary Donations can be made to a bank, to an online link or through Venmo. Prairie Mountain Bank: account "Weir Warriors", Venmo donations: @Weir-Warriors, Online: <http://www.facebook.com/donate/452411319150274/452415019149904/>,

You can call the OLL School office at (406) 452-0551 for information about donated items needed.

\*The Knights of Columbus will be holding a fundraiser breakfast from 8:30am to Noon on Divine Mercy Sunday, 4/11/21, with all proceeds going to the family.

Other business are putting together fundraising efforts also.

\*Our school parents have created a fundraiser called **Weir Warriors T-Shirts!** The logo and sizing information can be found on our school website or the Facebook link to Weir Warriors. The cost is \$25/shirt. Orders are due by April 23, 2021.

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