



Holy Spirit

Catholic Parish and School

October 3rd,, 2021

27th Sunday in Ordinary Time

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

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Holy Spirit Catholic School

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Check out FORMED.org.

"We are not the sum of our weaknesses and failures; we are the sum of the Father's love for us." ~ St. Pope John Paul II



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 8:30 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:

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

Mary Moore-Wingerter

Administrative Asst.

Elem. Formation

Molly Schmitz

Youth Minister

Tracy Tomich

Custodian



Diocesan Synod

The aim of the Synod is to assist Bishop Warfel in writing a pastoral letter to the entire Diocese, encouraging families particularly in their spiritual lives. The main theme "The Domestic Church in Easter Montana" has been divided into 4 main sections. The final section is: "The 4 Marks: One, Holy, Catholic, and Apostolic"

- Reflect on how the family is called to be one, and how trends in society help or hinder this oneness.
- Reflect on how the Christian family is called to be holy, as a family and as individuals, and on how society helps or hinders this holiness.
- Reflect on how the Christian family is called to be Catholic, living out their faith not only in private but everywhere and at all times.
- Reflect on how the Christian family is called to be apostolic, handing down to one another the Catholic faith they have received, particularly by encouraging consideration of the vocations to marriage, the priesthood, and the religious life.

Please pray for the success of the Synod. You may reach out to Vicar Forane, Father Alphonsus Enelichi with questions.

Weekly Happenings~

Mass Intentions:

Mass	Intention	Requested by
Sat 10/2—8:30 am —4:30 pm	+Stanley Baren Jerrel, Finn, & Leo Mathern (s. i.)	S Baren M Mathern
Sun 10/3—8:30 am 11:00 am	+Nora Gilligan +Marjorie Benner	K Walters J Benner
Mon 10/4- 8:30 am	+Sister Catherine Cook	Secular Franciscans
Tue 10/5- 5:15 pm	+Dave Kuglin	GFCC Class of '72 girls
Wed 10/6- 8:30 am	+Ted Olszewski	J Bliss
Thu 10/7- 8:30 am	+Mable Palagi	J & J Capp
Fri 10/8- 8:30 am	+Ed Shabelski Eugene Furlong, John Paul Gabriel, Alan Gallegos, Mrs. Ruth Gibbons, John Gilligan, Frank Hocevar, Kent & Chip Houseman, Patricia Conroy, and Lynn Sanders	D Hudson School Mass intentions
Sat 10/9- 8:30 am 4:30 pm	Parishioners +Dr. Russell Edwin	S Edwin
Sun 10/10- 8:30 am - 11:00 am	+Don Hogan Luella Kinzler	Bundis G Kinzler

Readings for next week~ 28th Sunday in Ordinary Time

1st Reading: Wisdom 7:7-11

2nd Reading: Hebrews 4:12-13

Gospel: Mark 10:17-30

Bus Schedule

Sunday, Oct. 3 Jan Olson and assistant needed!

Sunday: Oct 10 Roger and Kay Seilstad

Calendar of Events October 2nd—October 10

Saturday:	Daily Mass—8:30 am Sunday Vigil Mass—4:30 pm	
Sunday:	Mass- 8:30 & 11:00 am FALL FESTIVAL—4 PM Adoration—7:00 pm	
Tuesday:	Pastoral Council—6 pm	hall
Saturday:	Daily Mass—8:30 am Sunday Vigil Mass—4:30 pm	
Sunday:	Masses at 8:30 and 11:00 am Adoration—7:00 pm	



Please continue to pray the Rosary. Our parish, school, community and nation needs your prayers. We pray the Rosary here at the parish 1/2 hour before daily Mass, the 4:30 Saturday Mass and the 8:30 Sunday Mass. The Knights of Columbus lead the Rosary before the 11:00 Mass on the 5th Sundays. Please join us in person or in spirit!

Liturgical Ministers for Oct 9, 10

4:30 PM	8:30 AM	11:00 AM
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		Holy Wash
		P Fehres
Sacristan		
A Klundt	J Gort	K Krattiger
Greeters		
Ushers		
Cross Bearer		
Altar Servers		
Readers		
C Tucker	K Lakner	C Christiaens
Musicians		
Laura McCain	Joel Corda	Joel Corda
Ministers of the Eucharist		
P Hilgendorf R McDunn	P Woelkers J Stenzel	P Woelkers C Christeaens

Care for our Common Home!

Thank you for Recycling.



We cannot take pieces of steel or any metal other than Aluminum and tin cans.

Weekend Newspaper Cardboard

1st (Oct. 1—7)	K of C 9395	C. Jernigan
2nd (Oct 8—14)	K. Weinheimer	A. Fisher
3rd (Oct. 15-21)	OPEN	C. Nowak
4th (Oct 22—28)	D & P Birkenbuel	R. Shipley



**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 begin again on October 6th, at 6:45 am at Schultes. Youth group will be 6:30 pm at Peter and Paul. 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: mwingarter@holyspiritgf.org
406-452-6491, ex 201

Elementary Formation will meet Wednesday October 6th at 4:30 pm at Peter and Paul. Please return your registration form as soon as possible. If you need a form, contact Mary and she will send one to you.

Our 2nd grade formation class will be working with the *God's Gift* curriculum from Loyola Press. This is a preparation curriculum for receiving the Sacraments of Reconciliation, Confirmation and 1st Eucharist. If you have a child in 2nd grade please contact Mary and she will send you the forms needed to join this class. If you have a child older than 7 who wants to receive any of these Sacraments, please contact Nick.

Holy Spirit School

Melissa Hallahan, Principal, mhallahan@holyspiritgf.org
Jackie Wike, Robin Verzuh Administrative Assistants
Jenifer Thomas, Development Director
761-5775 www.holyspiritgfschool.org

We are so excited for the Fall Festival this Sunday! The middle schoolers' Service project this month has been making decorations for the Hayride. Pumpkins, garland and more!

If you have questions or want more information about Holy Spirit Catholic School, our Development Director, Jenifer, will have an information table at the Parish Fall Festival.

Gala preparations are in full swing! We are looking for bakers for our dessert auction table. If you are interested, please contact Jenifer at 761-5775 ext. 222.

Looking for flexible work hours? How about becoming a substitute teacher at Holy Spirit Catholic School? If interested, please contact the school office, 761-5775.



Volunteers and Christian Service

Cindy Eultgen 452-6491 ext. 208

cindy@holyspiritgf.org

Throughout the month of September, at the end of Mass, you have heard many of the staff talk about their ministries. We culminate our talks with the Fall Festival. But things don't end there! This is the time to move forward into church activity as you are comfortable. Here I outline some steps:

1. I encourage you to **Consider** your: experience, background, influences, and interests. What has shaped you as a person? And what direction would you like to move forward into your faith. What is stopping you?
2. **Pray** about your experience: bring it to Mass, the Sacraments. ask God for direction, have an open heart, listen throughout the days and weeks to come, talk to Fr. Doug, staff, spiritual friends, read Scripture....
3. All people are gifted by God to build the Kingdom here on earth and bring souls to heaven. **Discern** your gifts, what can you bring? What do you like to do? What brings you joy?
4. **Communicate** to the staff. This is what would be called Time and Talent. This year, there is a booklet. We are giving you more information about what is available as well as invitations! This year there are multiple ways to **Respond**. In addition to the page in the booklet (directions there) you may respond electronically (more info to come). In the meantime **Consider, Pray, Discern, and Respond in conversation!**

Stewardship

Needs and thanks for the Monsignor House: Thank you for the support you are giving to the Family Promise Great Falls program as it begins its return after 2020. Thank you for the phone calls on what to donate and where to take your donations. If you have questions regarding the House, feel free to call Kathie Malby at 406.781.5033. Please leave a message and she will return your call as soon as she can.

Monsignor House Reflection: The other day, after a conversation with an elderly wise woman, a friend said: *So, you had a little talk with God, huh?* Sometimes, the burdens we bear are lightened by the wisdom and simplicity of a person's words to us. It's like we get to experience "God with skin on." Let us all remember, in these times that are dark, that the light we shine into others' lives, especially for those whose lives are lived in the margins, can be the very lifeline that allows God to peek through and do His mighty work.

NEEDS for Family Promise Great Falls:

Family Promise is located at 1019 Central, 564-5267.

Family Promise could use help in these ways:

- Help at the Day Center Monday through Friday from 10 to 12. We need volunteers to supervise families taking showers and doing laundry. We need volunteers to provide hospitality to the families that are visiting the Day Center. Hospitality would include assistance with on-line applications for jobs and housing, mentoring, and general advice and support. We also need help cleaning the Day Center and shower area. Pick a day that works well for you!
- Bring frozen microwavable meals. We need meals that can be kept in the freezer and given to families who are staying at hotels, in campers, or with friends.
- Donate silverware. We need silverware for when families eat meals at the Day Center. Right now we only have 2 forks!

Worship

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

Our Time and Talent talks are in full swing! Please listen, discern and step forward to help with all the ministerial needs of the parish. It is so gratifying to serve your fellow parishioners as Eucharistic Ministers, Readers, Sacristans, Altar Servers, Choir. As we move into the holiday season and a new liturgical year, we would love to see your name on our ministry schedule!

Catechism Corner

What is the role of the Holy Spirit in the liturgy? (CCC 1108-1109, 1112) "The mission of the Holy Spirit in the liturgy of the Church is to prepare the assembly to encounter Christ, to recall and manifest Christ to the faith of the assembly, to make the saving work of Christ present and active by his transforming power, to make the gift of Communion bear fruit in the Church."

These four roles of the Holy Spirit within the Mass are experienced through all four parts: We respond to the Divine Call (Gather), are moved to love through the proclamation of the Word of God (Liturgy of the Word), encounter Christ and experience the Redemptive Sacrifice of Calvary (Liturgy of the Eucharist), and are sent forth to proclaim Christ to the world (Recessional).

Courtesy Announcements

In case you missed the last Virtual Retrouvaille Weekend in Montana, you have another opportunity for a Virtual Weekend from the Las Vegas Retrouvaille Community.

You Can Help Your Marriage—Do you feel alone? Are you frustrated or angry at each other? Do you argue...or have you just stopped talking to each other? Does talking about it only make it worse?

Retrouvaille (pronounced retro vi with a long i) has helped couples through difficult times in their marriage. This program has helped 10's of 1000's of couples experiencing difficulties in their marriage. For confidential information about or to register for the program beginning with a weekend on Oct 14-17 call 702-812-8873 or email retrouvail-lasvegas@gmail.com or visit our website HelpOurMarriage.org.

Powerful Tools for Caregivers Classes:

Are you caring for a loved one who is chronically ill? Do you feel that you are alone? MSU Benefis Sletten Cancer Institute and the Powerful Tools for Caregivers are hosting a six week class for caregivers. Join us for 2 hours each week to gain tools, knowledge, support, and resources to help you take better care of yourself and provide effective care for your care receiver. The class is taught by Jona McNamee and Katrin Finch. Dates for the classes are Oct. 19, 26, November 2, 9 16 in the Tobacco Room at Benefis Sletten Cancer Institute. Time for the classes is 1 to 3 pm. To register for the class call MSU Extension at 454-6980 or Sarah Grotbo at 731-8248.

Cum Christo Weekends in November!

Nov. 11-14 for Men; 18-21 for Women. Get your applications in soon so that plans can be made for this wonderful event at the Ursuline Centre. For more information go to bigskycumchristo.org and click on the Great Falls tab; or please contact John Tarnowski, 750-4774 or Mimi Mathson-Nadeau, 899-3383.

Natural Family Planning Class beginning soon!

Natural Family Planning (NFP) is fertility awareness. Couples will learn how to observe, record and interpret a woman's natural signs of fertility. The class also teaches about God's beautiful plan for married love. **The first class in a 3-part series will be taught online on Sunday, October 17 at 3:00 pm.** The class will be taught by Ben & Rita Pehl, from Sacred Heart Parish in Terry MT. Ben & Rita are a Certified Volunteer NFP Teaching Couple through the Couple to Couple League. There are also online class dates/times available by other CCL teaching couples. Contact Ben & Rita for more information: 406-600-3987 (Ben) or 402-640-9494 (Rita) or visit ccli.org.

The Emilie Center would like to say "Thank You!" for your generous donations. Some of you might not know we have reopened for Tuesdays and Wednesdays. Right now we are desperately in need of king and queen FITTED sheets. The only other thing we need right now is silverware. Thank you again and God bless you all!



Please continue praying to support life during this next 30 days! Here are some upcoming activities:

Mid-way ceremony: Wednesday Oct 13, 5:30-6:30 pm, procession from Our Lady of Lourdes to Planned Parenthood.

Closing Ceremony: Sunday Oct 31st. 2-3 pm; prayerful gathering at the Memorial for the Unborn; Mt. Olivet Cemetery.

Please call Jennifer at 559-246-4723 for more information. If you are interested in participating in the vigil hours, there are sign-up sheets in the back of the church.

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



**“For where two or three are gathered in My name,
there am I in the midst of them.” Matthew 18:20**

**Please join us October 6th for a beer with guest
speaker, and Chancellor, Darren Eultgen, where we
will be talking about the ins and outs of our home
Diocese. Downtown at Kellergeist, the meeting will
begin at 7:00pm!**

We hope to see you there!

**Further information can be located on our Facebook and
Instagram pages - @devotionsondraft_gf**



Announcing the 104th Anniversary 2021

PUBLIC SQUARE ROSARY CRUSADE

The world is at a crossroad. God is more offended than ever as people ignore Our Lady's maternal request to "stop offending God." Yes, we must listen to Our Lady's request and stop sinning if we hope to enjoy God's blessings and to avert His wrath. *He will hear us, if we pray through the intercession of His Blessed Mother.* That's why we're doing the 2021 Public Square Rosary Crusade.

In *The Secret of the Rosary*, Saint Louis Marie Grignion de Montfort said: "Public prayer is far more powerful than private prayer to appease the anger of God and call down His mercy, and Holy Mother Church, guided by the Holy Spirit, has always advocated public prayer in times of public tragedy and suffering."

JOIN THE 2021 PUBLIC SQUARE ROSARY CRUSADE TODAY!

What: *THE HOLY ROSARY*

Where: *Holy Family Church front steps*

When: *Sat. Oct. 16, 2021, 11:45 am*

For more information, contact:

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Phone Number: 406 750 0551



Coordinated nationally by Tradition, Family and Property and its *America Needs Fatima* campaign

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