



Holy Spirit

Catholic Parish and School

May 29th, 2022

The Ascension of the Lord

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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761-5775; Principal: Melissa Hallahan

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Website: holyspiritgfschool.org

Check out FORMED.org.

"Out of compassion for us he descended from heaven and although he ascended alone, we also ascend, because we are in him by grace." ~ St. Augustine



Bishop Warfel will celebrate Mass on Memorial Day, 5/30/22, at the Mount Olivet Cemetery McLaughlin Chapel at 10:00 am. Everyone is welcome! No Adoration Memorial Day weekend No Daily Mass at Holy Spirit! Office is Closed!

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



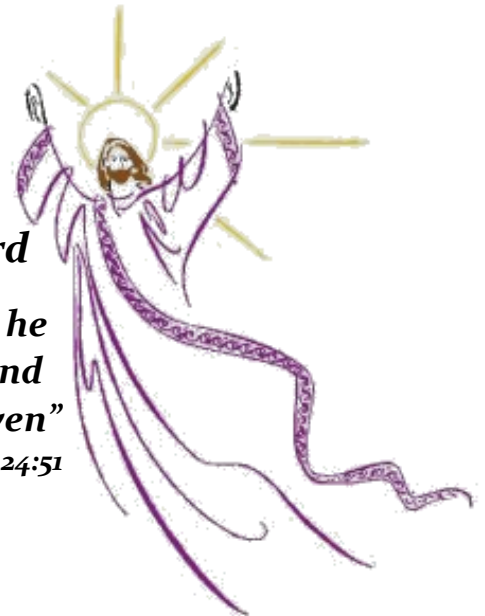
Adoration:

Sunday 7 pm -- Tuesday 5 pm

The Ascension of the Lord

"As he blessed them he parted from them and was taken up to heaven"

Luke 24:51



Parish Staff:

Fr. Doug Krings	Pastor
Dcn Pete Woelkers	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

The 2022 Annual Catholic Appeal calls each of us to step forward in our faith by sharing our gifts and blessings with our brothers and sisters in faith. If you have not already done so, please take this opportunity to prayerfully consider a contribution to aid in the support of the greater Catholic community of the Diocese of Great Falls-Billings. We have donation envelopes available near the office.

Weekly Happenings~

Mass Intentions:

Mass	Intention	Requested by
Sat 5/28—8:30 am —4:30 pm	+family members of Eckhart, Herzog, Olds and Jacobs families +Kathy Toavs	Family V & M Widhalm
Sun 5/29—8:30 am 11:00 am	Parishioners +Roni Jean	C Huber family
Mon 5/30- 8:30 am	No Mass	
Tue 5/31- 5:15 pm	+Bob Zadick	T Zadick
Wed 6/1 - 8:30 am	+Jo Ann Whitcomb	C O'Connell
Thu 6/2– 8:30 am	+Karla Sokoloski	M Wald
Fri 6/3– 8:30 am	Jerry & Paulette Lynn (sp int) Pete & Magdalene Brajcich, Alex Cote, Bonita Mather, Jens Bolstad, Paul Coolidge, and Florence Boysun	School Mass Intentions
Sat 6/4– 8:30 am - 4:30 pm	+Joe Spindler +Nora Gilligan	K & D Vincent McCabes
Sun 6/5– 8:30 am - 11:00 am	+Glenn & Dede Cook +Joe Spindler	Andersons C Atkinson

Readings for next week Pentecost Sunday

1st Reading: Acts 2:1-11
2nd Reading: 1 Corinthians 12:3b-7, 12-13 of Romans 8:8-17
Gospel: John 20:19-23 or John 14:15-16, 23b-26

Bus Schedule

Sunday, June 5 Cece Furrman and Help Needed
Sunday, June 12 Tom Balyeat and Senan Greene

Calendar of Events May 28-June 5

Saturday:	8:30 am Mass 4:30 pm Mass	
Sunday:	8:30 & 11:00 Masses NO Adoration	
Monday	Memorial Day Mass—10:00 am Office Closed!	Mt. Olivet
Wednesday:	Coffee & Conversation—9 am Garden Comm.—9:30am or 6:30pm	Hall
Thursday:	RCIA—7 pm	Sts. P&P
Friday:	8:30 am Mass	
Saturday:	8:30 am Mass 4:30 pm Mass	
Sunday:	8:30 & 11:00 Masses Adoration 7 pm	

Liturgical Ministers for June 4, 5

4:30 PM	8:30 AM	11:00 AM
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		Holy Wash
		T Dimke
Sacristan		
R Huntsinger	D Azar	K Krattiger ★
Greeters		
Ushers		
Cross Bearer		
Altar Servers		
A Fitzpatrick	A Donnelly N McKelvey	T Hansen T Hansen
Readers		
K Shipley	S Robinson	T Balyeat
Musicians		
L McCain	Joel Corda	J Corda
Ministers of the Eucharist		
A Klundt T Gilligan	P Woelkers S Greene	P Woelkers S Dalen

Care for our Common Home!

The money from these recyclables goes directly to Holy Spirit School. Thank you for recycling and supporting our school.



Weekend	Newspaper	Cardboard
1st (June 3-9)	K of C 9395	C. Jernigan
2nd (June 10-16)	K. Weinheimer	A. Fisher
3rd (June 17-23)	OPEN	C. Nowak
4th (June 24 - 30)	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 4, 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. 6 molly@holyspiritgf.org



Molly has left Great Falls to attend training for her next adventure as a FOCUS (Fellowship Of Catholic University Students) Minister. Please pray for Molly as she begins this new chapter of her life.

Vacation Bible School

Mary Moore-Wingenter, mwingenter@holyspiritgf.org

Vacation Bible School registration is open!

Please go to our website: holyspiritgf.org and follow the link on the home page.

Anyone interested in VOLUNTEERING can use the same link to register. We need many hands to make this event successful! Please consider sharing your talent!

Holy Spirit School

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

This week at Holy Spirit Catholic School was none other than busy. Our 4th and 5th Graders explored the First People's Buffalo Jump, Kindergarten students went to Gibson Park and met a pet snake, 2nd Graders toured local churches, and we held a cereal box domino run; to name a few of our events. Friday, we held an All-school BINGO game for our students who completed their First Communion and Confirmation.

On Thursday Holy Spirit Catholic School held our 8th Grade Graduation and Mass for our special 8th Graders. They have transitioned from students to HSCS alumni. We will them many blessings in their high school adventure.

Only one more week before we say good-bye for the summer. Next week will be a happy and sad week. We will see most of our students and staff in the Fall but some are leaving us for new beginnings. If you family wants more school choices, please give Jenifer a call at 406-761-5775 to schedule a tour of our wonderful school.

Volunteers and Christian Service

Cindy Eultgen 452-6491 ext. 7
cindy@holyspiritgf.org

April Parish Relief Report:

Recycling: 360 lbs. cardboard &
340 lbs. newspaper



St. Jude: 260 lbs. (*Kids & Cans Baskets at the front office & in the sanctuary for offertory*)

St. Vincent de Paul: 591 lbs. of food
(*wood bin at the front entrance*)

Yellow Envelopes: \$ 2279
Electronic Deposits: \$ 581

Disbursements: \$319.03 **water**, \$400 **heat**, \$1,1516.55 **emerg. housing**, \$325 **emerg. food**, \$290 **rent**, \$1000 **diapers & toiletries for St. Jude**, \$406.41 **Transportation**. Plus regular \$150 to each Echoz Pregnancy Care Center, St. Martin de Porres, Family Promise, and Rocky Boy.



Thank you for your generosity to the **Catholic Relief Services Rice Bowls: \$5,807.43**

Family Promise is Still Seeking Volunteers!



We need to build volunteers from Holy Spirit Parish for Family Promise! Please talk to Kathy Remington 799-3602 if you are interested in volunteering for Family Promise.

The annual Echoz Pregnancy Care Center Campaign has 4 more weeks. Please pick up a bottle by the Holy Water font, fill it with your donation and return to the parish by Father's Day, June 19th. Thank you very much!



Coffee & Conversation



in the Parish Hall (every week) on Wednesday @ 9:00 am after 8:30 AM Mass.
All are Welcome!

Stewardship

Reflection: As we celebrated the Ascension and this 7th Sunday of Easter, we are given many memories from our early Church. St Luke writes to Theophilus the background on Jesus rising from the dead, appearing to the Apostles and disciples, ascending into heaven and sending the Holy Spirit. We are continually reminded that He suffered, died, and rose from the grave. We hear this message so many times, throughout our Church life, sometimes we become dulled to the depth of it. We are called to follow the footsteps of Jesus so that we too, might be with him in the Kingdom. The early believers were persecuted and killed over and over because they believed and lived a message that was contrary to the times in which they lived. However, we can have the confidence that whatever we are called to in our life and our times, our Lord has covered us with His love as He prayed: *...the love with which you loved me may be in them and I in them.* We can be grateful for the early followers of Jesus who passed on to you and me, the message of His faith, His hope, and His love.

The Monsignor House : The family who lives in the Monsignor House continue to wait on the State for information on help with housing. Thank you Holy Spirit Parish for your prayers on their behalf. For any questions, please call Kathie Malby at 1.406.781.5033 and leave a message. She will return your call as soon as she can.

Worship

Aubrey Rearden –Worship Coordinator
452-6491 ex. 1 aubrey@holyspiritgf.org
Mary Wingerter—Ministry Scheduler

If you are scheduled for a time you can not make, please request a substitute in the Ministry Scheduler program.

Catechism Corner

Next in the Creed, we profess that On the third day He rose again. What does this mean? (CCC 638-655)
“We bring you the good news that what God promised to the fathers, this day he has fulfilled to us their children by raising Jesus.” (Acts 13:32-33) The Resurrection of Jesus is the crowning truth of the faith believed and lived as the central truth of the Paschal mystery, along with the cross. The mystery of Christ’s resurrection is a real event, verified in the New Testament. “Why do you seek the living among the dead? He is not here, but has risen.” (Lk 24:5-6) That empty tomb and the linen cloths was an essential sign for all, signifying that by God’s power Christ’s body had escaped the bonds of death and corruption. Its discovery by the disciples was the first step toward recognizing the very fact of the Resurrection. Mary Magdalene and the holy women were the first to encounter the Risen One, (Mk 16:1) thus being the first messengers of the Resurrection for the apostles. (Lk 24:9-10) By means of touch and sharing meals, the risen Jesus establishes direct contact with his disciples. This verifies that the risen body is the same body that had been crucified, bearing the signs of his Passion. (Lk 24: 30, 39-43) This Paschal mystery has two aspects: by his death, Christ liberates us from sin; by his Resurrection, he opens for us the way to a new life. (CCC 654) This new life is above all justification that reinstates us in God’s grace. The Justification consists in victory over the death caused by sin and a new participation in grace. (Cf. Eph 2:4-5) In Christ, Christians’ lives are swept up by Christ into the heart of divine life so that they may “live no longer for themselves but for him who for their sake died and was raised.” (2 Cor 5:15)

Courtesy Announcements

RELIQUARY OF ST. BERNADETTE~U.S. TOUR ‘22

Coming to Our Lady of Lourdes Parish

Wednesday, June 22nd—Friday, June 24th, 2022

Wed. 6/22:

- 8:30 Mass of Reception of the Relics with Bishop (with Sprinkling of Lourdes Water & Anointing of the sick)
- 10:00-1:00: Reconciliation, Visitation & Veneration of relics

Thur. 6/23:

- 8:00am Morning Mass
- 9:00-4:00pm: Visitation & Veneration of the Relics
- 6:00pm: Lourdes Virtual Pilgrimage Experience

Fri. 6/24:

- 8:00am Morning Mass
- 9:00—4:00pm Visitation & Veneration of the Relics
- 4:00-5:30 pm: Reconciliation
- 6:45pm: Candlelight Eucharistic Procession
- 7:30: Rosary; 8:00: Farewell Celebration Prayers



We offer you a Cum Christo, a three-day period of spiritual renewal of your Christian Faith. Please call Barry or Terri with questions. Applications are available in the rack by our front door. Our next Cum Christo is in Great Falls at the Ursuline Centre; Men’s weekend June 9-12, contact Rector Barry O’Connell 406-403-4803; Women’s weekend June 16-19, contact Rectora Terri Wassmann 406-868-0143.



Spread the word! The Catholic Foundation of Eastern Montana is now accepting grant applications for 2022. Any Catholic organization or ministry in our diocese can apply to receive a grant of up to \$5000. Visit www.catholicfoundationmt.org/grants-program/ to learn more and apply. Special thanks to the donors whose charitable contributions have allowed the Foundation to grant nearly \$170,000 in just three years! Please contact Anna at anna@catholicfoundationmt.org or 406.401.1767 if you have any questions or are able to help support this important program for the Church. **The application deadline is Friday, June 10, 2022.**

Knights of Columbus Breakfast! June 12, 8:30-12:30

Free will offering.

Proceeds go to the

Neocatechumenal Way Youth Pilgrimage to Israel.

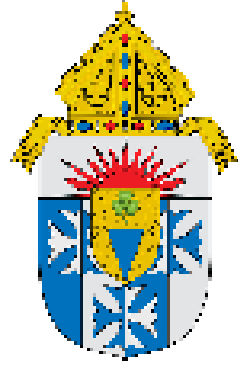
Knights of Columbus Hall, 906 Central Ave W.

Milestones



Welcome to **Michael Ruiz** who recently registered at Holy Spirit Parish. Also, congratulations to **Veronica Louise Rosendale**, daughter of **Brien and Katherine**, who was baptized last weekend.

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



In a spirit of joyful gratitude
The Church of the Diocese of Great Falls-Billings
invites you to celebrate

Solemn Vespers

anticipating the Episcopal Ordination of

The Most Reverend Jeffrey Michael Fleming

as the Coadjutor of the Diocese of Great Falls-Billings
and welcoming him to the local
Church of Eastern Montana

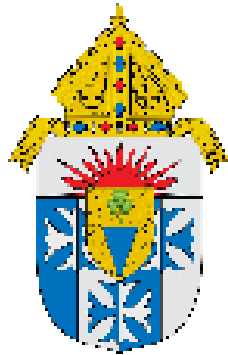


Tuesday, June 21, 2022
at six o'clock in the evening
St. Ann Cathedral
715 3rd Avenue North
Great Falls, Montana

Reception to Follow

RSVP

406-727-6683 or bhaacke@diocesegfb.org



In a Spirit of Joyful Gratitude
The Church of the Diocese of Great Falls-Billings
Invites you to

The Episcopal Ordination

of

The Most Reverend Jeffrey Michael Fleming

as the Coadjutor Bishop of the Diocese of Great Falls-Billings

His Excellency, The Most Reverend Michael W. Warfel

Bishop of Great Falls-Billings, Principle Consecrator

Co-consecrators

The Most Reverend Austin A. Vetter

Bishop of Helena

The Most Reverend George Leo Thomas

Bishop of Las Vegas

In the Presence of

The Most Reverend Christophe Pierre

Apostolic Nuncio to the United States of America



Wednesday, June 22, 2022

at two o'clock in the afternoon

Holy Spirit Catholic Church

201 44th Street South, Great Falls, Montana

Reception to Follow

Pentecost Sunday

June 4th , 5th

*Come Holy Spirit and fill the hearts
of your faithful.*



Eucharistic Procession at each Mass

Everyone please wear RED to Mass

Cake and beverages after Mass

Honoring our Graduates - 11:00 Mass

Please join us in celebration!



GREAT FALLS
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HIGH SCHOOL

Newcomer Night

June 8th, 5pm-7pm

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success!



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