



# Holy Spirit

Catholic Parish and School

July 24th, 2022

17th 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: Closed this summer

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### Holy Spirit Catholic School

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Check out FORMED.org.

"Spread love everywhere you go. Let no one ever come to you without leaving happier." - St. Mother Teresa of Calcutta

## Baptism Preparation Sessions



*If you are expecting a child or recently had a baby and would like that child baptized at Holy Spirit, you must attend our two Baptism Preparation Sessions.*

*Our next sessions will be:  
Sunday July 24 at 1:00 pm at Peter and Paul*

## 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

Lord, teach us to

PRAY... (Luke 11:1-13)



## Parish Staff:

Fr. Doug Krings	Pastor
Dcn Pete Woelkers	Deacon
Aubrey Rearden	Parish Administrator
	Worship
Kimberly Gaa	Christian Service
Nick Wingerter	RCIA,
	Adult Formation
Joel Corda	Music
Mary Moore-Wingerter	Administrative Asst.
	Elem. Formation
	Youth Minister
Tracy Tomich	Custodian



As we begin to wrap up the Annual Catholic Appeal, thank you for your prayers and your donations. For those of you who have given, your money is already being put to work for our Catholic family in eastern Montana. Remember that we reap what we sow, and in giving blessings are returned. Please keep the Appeal and the work of the Church in your prayers, and if you have not yet given, please prayerfully consider a gift today. The Annual Catholic Appeal is a diocesan Appeal. Please give directly to the diocese.

Weekly Happenings~

Mass Intentions:

Mass	Intention	Requested by
Sat 7/23—8:30 am —4:30 pm	+Fr. Martin Burke +Ernesto Esperanueve	J Bliss L Esperanueve
Sun 7/24—8:30 am 11:00 am	+Betty Hogan Ryan Marie Hurley (sp int)	B Munsterteiger J & C Root
Mon 7/25- 8:30 am	Mike & Veronica Axelson (s. i.)	W Axelson
Tue 7/26- 5:15 pm	+Harry Tholen	N Loncki
Wed 7/27- 8:30 am	+Tony & Mary Ellen Bauer	G Huber
Thu 7/28— 8:30 am	+Don Garberg	N Loncki
Fri 7/29— 8:30 am	+Ken Huber, Alice May Huber & Tawni Huber	G Huber
Sat 7/30— 8:30 am - 4:30 pm	Walker & Abbie McKitrick (s i) +Irene Throckmorton	J Bliss A Dougherty, H & V Throckmorton
Sun 7/31— 8:30 am - 11:00 am	+Mary Bubnash +Marjory & Willy Benner	J Holman J Benner

Readings for next week 18th Sunday in Ordinary Time  
1st Reading: Ecclesiastes 1:2, 2:21-23  
2nd Reading: Colossians 3:1-5, 9-11  
Gospel: Luke 12:13-21

Bus Schedule

Sunday, July 24 Jan Olson and Laurie Kessler  
Sunday, July 31 Cece Fuhrman and Senan Greene

Calendar of Events July 23-31

<b>Saturday:</b>	8:30 am Mass 4:30 pm Mass	
<b>Sunday:</b>	8:30 & 11:00 Masses Baptism Prep—1:00pm Adoration, 7pm	
<b>Tuesday:</b>	Grief Support—4 pm	Hall
<b>Wednesday:</b>	RCIA—7pm	Sts. P&P
<b>Friday:</b>	8:30 am Mass Office Closed	
<b>Saturday:</b>	8:30 am Mass 4:30 pm Mass	
<b>Sunday:</b>	8:30 & 11:00 Masses Adoration 7pm	



Please join us to pray the Rosary at 1/2 hour before every Mass time. All are welcome to join us. If you can’t join us, please pray the Rosary on your own.

Liturgical Ministers for July 30, 31

4:30 PM	8:30 AM	11:00 AM
★ Sub requested ~ log in to Web Terminal and accept the sub		
		Holy Wash
		S Mohler
Sacristan		
S Mohler	J Gort	M Francis
Greeters		
Ushers		
Cross Bearer		
Altar Servers		
A Fitzpatrick	D Azar A Donnelly	
Readers		
K Shipley	F Fitterer	M McFadden
Musicians		
L McCain		
Ministers of the Eucharist		
K Weinheimer D Stukey	P Woelkers ★ L Fitterer	P Woelkers ★ W Newman



Care for our Common Home!

This has been a terrific ministry for our parish.  
We appreciate your time spent in this ministry.  
If you have any items for recycling, please take them directly to Pacific or Steel Etc.

**Call Parish Office for information on Adult Disciple Apprenticeship, or Adult Formation**

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

Call Nick at the office, ext 4, or come **Wednesdays**. at 7 pm in the Adult Education room (Sts. Peter and Paul Center) all year round.

**Youth Ministry**

452-6491 ext. 6



**Vacation Bible School**

Mary Moore-Wingenter, [mwingenter@holyspiritgf.org](mailto:mwingenter@holyspiritgf.org)

**Thank you to all the parishioners who lent us items for our VBS this year. If you loaned us an item, you can pick it up in the parish office.**

**Holy Spirit School**

Melissa Hallahan, Principal, [mhallahan@holyspiritgf.org](mailto:mhallahan@holyspiritgf.org)  
Jackie Wike, Robin Verzuh Administrative Assistants  
Jenifer Thomas, Development Director  
761-5775 [www.holyspiritgfschool.org](http://www.holyspiritgfschool.org)

Boy, has the summer heat hit! Stay safe when outside or inside if you don't have air conditioning. We are working on some beautification projects at Holy Spirit Catholic School that we will be excited to show-off next month.

Our Development Director is starting to plan our biggest fundraiser of the year, Gala! She might be a bit crazy, but she is looking to make this year outshine last year. We are asking now if any of our supportive Parish members have sports tickets, vacation rentals, or fun auction items they would like to donate. Please contact Jenifer Thomas at 406-761-5775 or [jthomas@holyspiritgf.org](mailto:jthomas@holyspiritgf.org) for more information.

Looking for a more meaningful school experience for your children or a career change, please contact Holy Spirit Catholic School at 406-761-5775 or email Jenifer Thomas at [jthomas@holyspiritgf.org](mailto:jthomas@holyspiritgf.org).

**Christian Service**

Kimberly Gaa, 452-6491 ext 7  
[kimberly@holyspiritgf.org](mailto:kimberly@holyspiritgf.org)



**Coffee and Conversation** will continue for July and August after Wednesday morning Mass each week. Come join us!

**The grief Support Group meetings are every fourth (4th) Tuesdays at 4pm in the Parish Hall. The next meeting is Tuesday July 26th. If you have lost a loved one, and are interested in support and fellowship, please come and join in. All are welcome to participate.**



Interpreters Ministry Meeting is scheduled for Monday August 1st at 6:30pm in the hall. If you are currently providing interpreter services or you are interested in providing interpreter services, then this meeting is for you. Come join us to discuss this important ministry for our hearing impaired parishioners. If you have questions, please contact Kimberly in the parish office.

Homebound Ministry meeting is scheduled for Thursday, August 11th at 4:30pm in the parish hall.



If you are currently providing Communion to homebound parishioners, or if you are interested in volunteering to visit and provide Communion to parish homebound folk, we invite you to come to this meeting. Please come join us! If there are questions, please contact Kimberly at the parish office.

## Worship

Aubrey Rearden –Worship Coordinator  
452-6491 ex. 1 [aubrey@holyspiritgf.org](mailto:aubrey@holyspiritgf.org)  
Mary Wingerter—Ministry Scheduler

The new schedule is done! Please log in to the Ministry Scheduler and check out your schedule. If there is a service you are scheduled for but can not make, please request a sub.

## Milestones

Congratulations to **Jet William Greff**, son of **AJ and Abbie**; **Brady Kate Stenzel**, daughter to **Jess and Bailey**; and **Isabelle Kay Hodges**, daughter of **Mike and Laurell** who were all baptized this weekend.

Also congratulations to **Aaron and Lindsay Morse** who were united in

Holy Matrimony this weekend.

And welcome to **Blaise Gilbride** who recently registered at Holy Spirit.

## Catechism Corner

Why does the Church attach such high value to good morals? (CCC 1703-1719)

“Living a moral life bears witness to the dignity of the person” (1706). The human creature is the only being in creation God specifically willed for its own sake. Created in the divine image, our bodies are endowed with a spiritual and immortal soul, and our soul yearns for “eternal beatitude”(1703). Participating in the light and power of the Spirit, man recognizes the laws and patterns of nature and builds himself up towards the Creator “in seeking and loving what is true and good” (1704). Though handicapped by original and personal sin, in union with Christ’s death and resurrection, man attains the “perfection of charity” through grace which makes him capable of good works (1709). Jesus’ core message to humanity, how to live our human lives, is found in the Beatitudes (Matthew 5:3-12), which transcend our temporal existence that we may perceive with the eyes of faith our eternal home (1716). These beatitudes reveal the way of the Christian life: perseverance in suffering, and sustained hope in the promise of Christ, despite one’s circumstances, realized in the lives of the saints (1717). Finally, these behaviors point us in the direction of our true hearts’ desire– happiness, and more, divine happiness, namely, the *beatific vision*. The desire of every human heart is toward God: “I seek a happy life, let me seek you so that my soul may live”- St Augustine of Hippo (1718). The Beatitudes are the means towards the divine goal of every human desire (1719).

## Courtesy Announcements



Promise Place, Family Promise Great Falls’ Shelter for families, has served four families and eight children since opening its doors. Volunteers have delivered over 57 dinners to the families staying at the Shelter. Many businesses have stepped up with matching grant funds, corporate funds and food. Please see the flyer on our bulletin board for more information.

Family Promise shared a list of current needs:

Sanitizing wipes  
New pillows  
Macaroni & cheese microwave cups  
8 1/2” by 11” manilla envelopes  
New socks, all sizes  
Beanies  
Chef Boyardee (pulltop lids)  
Soup (pulltop lids)  
Laundry detergent pods  
Bath towels

Backpacks  
8 1/2” by 11” office paper  
Ramen  
Toilet Paper  
Saltine crackers  
Decaf coffee pods  
Light gloves  
Deodorant (men/women)  
Coffee pods  
Bottled water

If you purchase any items through Amazon Smile, Amazon donates a percentage to Family Promise Great Falls. Items should be taken or sent to Family Promise at 1019 Central Ave, Great Falls, 59401.

## Sister’s Corner

Praised be Jesus Christ...now and forever...and in all things!

Dear Friends in Christ,

Consecration and the Holy Habit: part 2... Each particular piece of the Holy Habit is significant and is donned with a prayer. Dress: Wedding gown: *I rejoice heartily in the Lord, In my God is the joy of my soul; For he has clothed me with a robe of salvation, And wrapped me in a mantle of justice, Like a bride bedecked with her jewels* ( Isaiah 61:10) Collar: Surrender to God. *Lord, lead me along the path that pleases you... Come to me, all you who labor and are burdened, and I will give you rest. Take my yoke upon you and learn from me...* (Mt 11:28-30 ) Belt: Chastity, fortitude, and obedience. *Do not be afraid of them; the LORD your God himself will fight for you.*” (Deut. 3:22) and Eph 6: 10-18: “...*the belt of truth...*” Scapular: Protection of the Blessed Virgin Mary: *Mother Mary, cover me with the mantle of your love and protection. Transform me into the likeness of your Son, Who is love and mercy itself.* Crucifix: Kiss the floor while saying: *For you Lord, save souls, Jesus, I trust in You.* Veil: We belong only to the Lord: *Jesus, You are my only love.* Reflection: How do I clothe myself in Christ each day? Does what I wear witness to the sacredness of my body and reverence for Almighty God, especially in Church? What prayer can I offer as I dress each day?

In amore Iesu Christi,

Reverend Mother Mary Paul of the Sacred Heart of Jesus, SDG

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



## Honoring our priests on August 4!

As Catholics, we know how important priests are in our lives. They baptize us, bless us, wed us, absolve our sins, nurture us with the Holy Eucharist, and much more. They consecrate their lives to God; they make countless sacrifices, seen and unseen, to be able to offer us the Sacraments and their pastoral care. Good priests are truly one of God's greatest gifts!

If your life has been touched by one of our many good shepherds, whether past or present, we invite you to thank him with a gift in his honor—or memory—through the Catholic Foundation of Eastern Montana's St. John Vianney Tribute on Thursday, August 4. St. John Vianney is the patron saint of parish priests! It would be a perfect day to support an endowment that provides for our priests' needs, forever.

**Very special for our priests:** on August 4, St. John Vianney's feast day, our diocese's new Bishop Coadjutor Fleming will pray for all the priests whom you and others have honored through this tribute in the most Catholic way possible: by offering the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass.

**Your reply is needed by Wednesday, August 3! Please complete the information below and mail it, with your gift, to the Catholic Foundation of Eastern Montana, PO Box 1345, Great Falls, MT 59403.**



## St. John Vianney Priest Tribute

*Please be sure to print clearly so that we will be able to send your message!*

I would like to make a gift in honor/memory (circle one) of:

Please send a card to:

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Include the following message:

\_\_\_\_\_

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\_\_\_\_\_

Your gift amount will not be mentioned.

*If you would like more than one card sent, please attach a separate sheet of paper with the above information. We already have contact information for all priests from the Diocese of Great Falls-Billings, so you only need to include contact information for priests in other dioceses.*

Name	<input type="checkbox"/> Mr. <input type="checkbox"/> Mrs. <input type="checkbox"/> Ms. <input type="checkbox"/> Mr. and Mrs. <input type="checkbox"/> Rev. <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____
Phone	_____
Email	_____
Street address and apartment number	_____
City, state, and ZIP	_____
Parish name	_____
<input type="checkbox"/> Enclose a receipt <input type="checkbox"/> Mail me a receipt <input type="checkbox"/> Don't send a receipt	

Enclosed is my gift of \$ \_\_\_\_\_

*Please make check payable to the Catholic Foundation of Eastern Montana. The Foundation is a 501(c)(3) nonprofit and donations are tax-deductible.*

I want my gift to support:

- ☐ Priest Retirement Endowment  
☐ Caring for our Priests Endowment  
☐ Seminarian Education Endowment  
☐ Other endowment: \_\_\_\_\_



You can also donate online!  
[www.catholicfoundationmt.org/priest-tribute](http://www.catholicfoundationmt.org/priest-tribute)

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*Thank you for supporting our priests!*

St. John Vianney, pray for our shepherds!