



Holy Spirit

Catholic Parish and School

September 18th, 2022

25th 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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"A good heart is always strong, it suffers, but with tears it is consoled by sacrificing itself for its neighbor and for God." ~ St. Padre Pio

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 Sept 18 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

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

Bible Study begins this Sunday, 9/18!

Thank you for your patience as we waited for our materials to come in!

The Knights of Columbus Breakfast is back!

They are serving burritos, cinnamon rolls & hashbrowns on Sunday Sept 25.

Free will offering.

Please join us!

Please take home a ministry/volunteer booklet and prayerfully consider how you can share your Talents & Time with our parish community!

Parish Staff:

Fr. Doug Krings

Pastor

Dcn Pete Woelkers

Deacon

Aubrey Rearden

Parish Administrator
Worship

Kimberly Gaa

Christian Service

Nick Wingerter

RCIA,
Adult Formation

Mary Moore-Wingerter

Administrative Asst.

Abbie Greff &
Mary Proud

Elem. Formation

Brien Rosendale

Youth & Young Adult
Pre-Marriage

Tracy Tomich

Custodian

Janet Knutson

Funerals/Weddings



Fall Fest Help needed!

Thank you to all who have signed up, provided supplies, asked questions. We appreciate your help!

Please check out the table in the hallway and help wherever you can!

Weekly Happenings~

Mass Intentions:

Mass	Intention	Requested by
Sat 9/17—8:30 am —4:30 pm	Mari Anderson (sp int) +Carol Glaeske	K Walters D Glaeske
Sun 9/18—8:30 am 11:00 am	Andre & Michelle Jezewski (s i) +Ted Sokoloski	Sisters of Divine Grace G Sokoloski
Mon 9/19- 8:30 am	+Don Garberg	Barochs
Tue 9/20- 5:15 pm	+Betty Hogan	M Gray
Wed 9/21- 8:30 am	+Gene & Alice Meyer	Meyer kids
Thu 9/22– 8:30 am	+Frances Lewis	J Martin
Fri 9/23 – 8:30 am	+Mary Licht	J Fitzpatrick
Sat 9/24– 8:30 am - 4:30 pm	+Sam Whitcomb Karen Corda (sp int)	C O’Connell K Walters
Sun 9/25– 8:30 am - 11:00 am	+Norman Adams +Bob Lemoine	J Holman M Michaels

Readings for next week 26th Sunday in Ordinary Time
1st Reading: Amos 6:1a, 4-7
2nd Reading: 1 Timothy 6:11-16
Gospel: Luke 16:19-31

Bus Schedule

Sunday, Sept 18: Jan Olson & Swap Requested!
Sunday, Sept 25: Sylvester Barros & Pam Noble

Calendar of Events Sep 17-25

<u>Saturday:</u>	8:30 am Mass 4:30 pm Mass	
<u>Sunday:</u>	8:30 & 11:00 Masses Coffee & Rolls Baptism Prep—1:00pm Bible Study—1:00pm Adoration—7pm	Sts. P&P Hall
<u>Tuesday:</u>	Bereavement team—4pm Christian Service mtg—6: 00pm	hall Hall
<u>Wednesday:</u>	Mass at Highgate—1:00pm RCIA—7pm	Sts. P&P
<u>Thursday:</u>	Fall Fest funal mtg! 0 6pm	hall
<u>Friday:</u>	School Mass—8:30 am	
<u>Saturday:</u>	8:30 am Mass 4:30 pm Mass	
<u>Sunday:</u>	8:30 & 11:00 Masses Knights of Columbus breakfast Bible Study—1:00pm Adoration 7pm	Hall



Please join us to pray the Rosary 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 Sep 17, 18

4:30 PM	8:30 AM	11:00 AM
★ Sub requested ~ log in to Web Terminal and accept the sub		
		Holy Wash
		C Fuhrman
Sacristan		
A Klundt	J Gort	T Balyeat
Greeters		
Ushers		
Cross Bearer		
Altar Servers		
A Fitzpatrick	D Azar B Figarelle	T Hansen T Hansen
Readers		
K Shipley	J Van Heel	A McKinney
Musicians		
L McCain	J Jonasen	J Jonasen
Ministers of the Eucharist		
M Handwerk D Stukey	P Woelkers J Durocher	P Woelkers S Harrington

Worship

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

We are heading into September and the end of our current ministry schedule is in sight! Please log into the Ministry Scheduler and update your information including dates you will be gone. We will schedule just October and November at this time. Beginning our new Liturgical Year we will add the new ministers and ministries.

Music

Upcoming choir practice:
September 21st at 5:30pm. Any questions, call or text Laura 868 -4152 or Jen 799-0961. All are welcome!

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

Brien Rosendale
452-6491 ext. 6; brien@holyspiritgf.org

Brien is still in need of volunteers. If you want to participate in the faith formation of the teens of Holy Spirit Parish please contact him. The calendar of events is complete and was mailed last week. Starting in October, High School Youth Group will gather Sunday afternoon in Sts. Peter and Paul after the 11am Mass, lunch will be provided. High School Bible Study will meet Thursday evenings at Schultes from 6:30-7:30pm. Middle School Youth Group will gather in Sts. Peter and Paul on Friday evening from 6:30-8pm, dinner will be provided. **Our Parish Mission is coming up next week. Sunday Sept 25 the youth are asked to help serve ice cream to the participants. This will take place at 3:00pm. Please contact Brien if you can help.**

Young Adult Ministry

Brien Rosendale
452-6491 ext. 6; brien@holyspiritgf.org

Young Adults! Brien will continue to gather at Schulte's for coffee/breakfast and share the word of God.

Marriage Preparation

Brien Rosendale
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Brien will be meeting with the current married couples, who have mentored our engaged couples in the past, on Thursday Sept 22 at 6pm in the conference room. If you are a married couple and would like to serve in this ministry please attend this meeting.

Elementary Faith Formation

Elementary Formation (Pre-K - 6th Grade)
& Sacramental Prep (2nd Grade)

Holy Spirit Parish is excited to announce our new Elementary Formation Coordinators, Abbie Greff and Mary Proud. Both ladies are moms of young families and are excited to begin the program. All families with children Pre-K through 12th grade, should have received a packet in the mail. If you did not get one, contact us!

Holy Spirit School

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

Holy Spirit Catholic School has been quiet this week as we started our MAP testing of our K-8th graders to assess their educational progress. This test will help teacher tailor their lesson plans and help students who may need an extra boost.

Our Development/Admissions Director has started the planning process for Gala. Gala will be held Friday, November 11th at the Newberry. Look for more information to come! There are a few ways to support our biggest fundraiser of the year. You can donate an item to be auctioned, for example box seats at a sporting event, vacation rental, and so on. You can be an event sponsor and get some great advertising. And of course, you can attend the event! For more information please contact our Development/Admissions Director Jenifer Thomas at 406.761.5775 or jthomas@holyspiritgf.org.

Looking for flexible work hours? How about becoming a substitute teacher at Holy Spirit Catholic School? If interested please contact the school office at 406.761.5775.

Christian Service

Kimberly Gaa, 452-6491 ext 7
kimberly@holyspiritgf.org

The Bereavement Team meetings are on the 3rd Tuesday of each month at 4pm in the parish hall.



The Grief Support Group meetings are every month on the fourth Tuesday of the month at 4pm in the Parish Hall. If you, friends, or family members are grieving a loss, please come join in for conversation, sharing, support, a listening ear, and prayer. Our next meeting is **Tuesday September 27th**.



We are in need of people for our Homebound Ministry. If you are interested in this beautiful ministry, please call Kimberly at the office.

We are in need of help for our parish bus. We need Drivers and Assistants to help transport some of our elderly parishioners to 11:00 Mass. Please contact Kimberly for more information.



Christian Service Commission Meeting September 20th at 6:00 pm.

Knights of Columbus, Council # 9395

*The Knights of Columbus fantastic breakfast is back!!
They will be serving Burritos, hash browns and cinnamon rolls.
Free will offering.
Sunday Sept 25th.
Please join us!*

Courtesy Announcements

The Franciscans of Montana are presenting Fr. M. J. Groark OFM Cap as retreat master with the theme: "TRANSITUS—OUR GOING BACK TO THE FATHER." This retreat will be 9/30, 10/1 and 10/2, at the Ursuline Centre in Great Falls. For more information call Linda at 406.656.8989 or Kay at 406.452.4142.

Knights of Columbus Council 1493 will conduct their 5th annual "Share warmth and comfort" project of collecting and distributing new warm socks, mittens and gloves for those children who may be ill prepared to endure the chill of autumn and winter. There will be a container in the entryway September 23 through mid November when the contents will be sorted and distributed. Thank you for your support of this program.

Catechism Corner

Is there a basic concept from which all Catholic doctrine is derived? (CCC 1-3)

"God, infinitely perfect and blessed in Himself, in a plan of sheer goodness freely created man to make him share in His own blessed life. For this reason, at every time and in every place, God draws close to man. He calls man to seek Him, to know Him, to love Him with all his strength. He calls together all men, scattered and divided by sin, into the unity of His family, the Church. To accomplish this, when the fullness of time had come, God sent his Son as Redeemer and Savior. In His Son and through Him, He invites men to become, in the Holy Spirit, His adopted children and thus heirs of His blessed life." (CCC 1). God moves toward His creation, constantly calling us to respond in kind and grow into deeper unity with Him. Every move He makes demands a response from man, either full, active, conscious acceptance of his love, or denial. The first paragraph of the Catechism is what the Church has called the *kerygma*, or the basic proclamation of the Gospel. The very first apostles took this basic proclamation out into the known world and through their bold witness slowly began the process of converting the world to Christ, accomplishing his Great Commission (Matthew 28:18-20) (CCC 2). Each Confirmed Catholic is called to share this message, the *kerygma*, in turn with those who seek truth, to bring them to Christ who is the way, the truth and the life (John 14:6) (CCC 3). Essentially, the Church calls each of us to witness Christ to the world both through word and deed, to announce the Good News of our redemption.



Retrouvaille helps couples through difficult times in their marriages. It is designed to provide the tools to help get your marriage back on track, the opportunity to rediscover each other, and examine your lives together in a new and positive way. This program has helped 10's of 1000's of couples. Retrouvaille is for any couple who would like to rediscover their marriage and improve communication. Our next program begins October 28, 2022. . For more information about an upcoming Retrouvaille Weekend program for couples, contact registration team: at 1-800-470-2230 or visit www.HelpOurMarriage.com Not counseling or group therapy. All contacts and names held in strictest confidence.

Harvest Breakfast!

Sunday October 9; 8:00-1:00

Corpus Christi Parish. All are welcome; freewill offering
Sponsored by Corpus Christi city –wide Adoration Society

Sister's Corner

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

Sister Agnes and I engage in a lot of spiritual work and study since, of course, that is our job. We have found that the topic of negativity and renewal of the mind pops up quite often in the literature. After recently watching an interview with Fr. Chad Ripperger, a well-known exorcist, who explained why one would want to drop the negativity, I thought I would share a bit about it. St. Paul speaks a lot about renewing our mind in Christ and about negativity. It is an ancient vice.

In a nutshell, our negative thoughts open the "door" of our mind, providing plenty of room for the demons to enter in and proceed to distort our thoughts further. Before very long at all there is no room for God. The negativity is contrary to His very nature. The *darkness cannot coexist with the light*. It is the goal of the demon to alienate us from God.

When we become aware of a negative thought, any negative thought about ourselves or others, no matter how big or small, immediately turn to God's goodness and thank and praise Him. Saying the words restores us in God, renews our mind, and drives away the demons. The *darkness cannot coexist with the light*. After a time, we find that our negative thoughts have greatly diminished, and we notice that we feel a lot better. How wonderful if we all would renew our minds in Christ!

In amore Iesu Christi,

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

Milestones



Congratulations to **Kali & Nick Meadors;** and **Summer & Kellen Whelan** who were married this weekend.

Parish Council of Catholic Women

The Holy Spirit PCCW will have a meeting **Monday September 19 at 1:00pm** in the parish conference room. All are welcome!

Saint Michael Radio ~ FM 97.1



This is My Body

Holy Spirit Parish is looking for volunteers to provide
childcare throughout the Parish Mission:

Sunday Sep 25 1-3pm (Ice Cream Social to Follow)

Monday Sep 26 6-8pm

Tuesday Sep 27 6-8pm

Please contact the parish at 406-452-6491

Holy Spirit Parish Presents

Fall Fest 22

OCTOBER 2ND, 3PM

FOOD+FUN+FRIENDS+FAMILY

Invite your friends, neighbors and family,

ALL ARE WELCOME

No price for admission, but if you are able, we
sure would appreciate donations of canned
food for the St. Jude's and St. Vincent de Paul
Food Pantries.

