



# Holy Spirit

Catholic Parish and School

October 1st, 2023

26th Sunday in Ordinary Time

## Worship Centers:

### Holy Spirit Catholic Church

201 44th St S; Great Falls, MT 59405

### Parish Office:

Mon-Thur: 8:00-4, Fri: Closed 6/9-8/11.

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### Holy Spirit Catholic School

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761-5775; Principal: Melissa Hallahan

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Website: [holyspiritgfschool.org](http://holyspiritgfschool.org)

## Reconciliation:

Saturdays 2-4 pm; Wednesdays 5:30-6:30 pm

## 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, 2:00 pm

\*3rd Wed. Highgate, 1:30 pm

Thursday 8:30 am

Friday 8:30 am

Saturday 8:30 am



## Adoration:

Sunday 7 pm -- Tuesday 5 pm

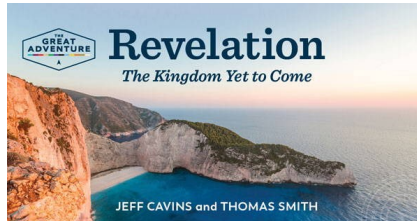
## Parish Staff:

Fr. Doug Krings	Pastor
Fr. Dave Wilkins	Sacramental Minister
Dcn Pete Woelkers	Deacon
Aubrey Rearden	Parish Administrator Worship
Kimberly Gaa	Christian Service
Nick Wingerter	Catechesis & Evangelization
Mary Moore-Wingerter	Administrative Asst.
Abbie Greff	Elem. Formation
Brien Rosendale	Youth Minister Pre-Marriage
Tracy Tomich	Custodian
Janet Knutson	Funerals/Weddings
Joe Durocher	Maintenance

*"We should ever be grateful for and love the vocation to which God has called us. This applies to every vocation because, after all, what a privilege it is to serve God, even in the least capacity!" ~ Bl. Solanus Casey*

## Time and Talent!!

*Our Ministry and Volunteer Booklet and Time and Talent forms are available in the back of the church. Please prayerfully consider ways you can minister/volunteer in our parish. Please return your Time and Talent form in the collection baskets, or in the basket by the font, mail it in, or drop it off at the office.*



**Revelation Bible Study begins this Sunday at 1pm in the social hall. Please join us!**

## Funerals this week:

Thursday October 5: Roger Peterson, 11am.

No 8:30am Mass.

Thank you! Thank you! Thank you!

*Thank you to all who helped with Fall Fest 2023. We had a perfect day for our event and lots of folks join in.*

*Thank you to the Knights of Columbus for manning the grill. Thank you to all our chili chefs. Thank you to all who donated baskets for Heads and Tails. Thank you to Sharon, Mimi, Ashley and everyone who kept the food tables stocked, and the water jug full. Thank you to Conn for driving the Hay Ride, and bringing the hay and trailer, and to the Newmans who lent us the straw. Thank you to the students from Holy Spirit for manning the games. And thank you to all who set up, cleaned up, donated items and attended! We have a great community at Holy Spirit!*



Weekly Happenings~

Mass Intentions:

Mass	Intention	Requested by
Sat 9/30 - 8:30am - 4:30pm	Sharon Dalen (sp int) Parishioners	J & L Stenzel
Sun 10/1 - 8:30am - 11:00am	+John, Jeanne & Jim Moore +Lurene McCoy	Wingerters K DeLong
Mon 10/2 - 8:30am	+Bette Grant	T Zadick
Tue 10/3 - 5:15pm	+George Bustruck	B & C O'Connell
Wed 10/4 -8:30am	+Dan Jewett +Dot Maronick	J Jewett P Coolidge
Thu 10/5 - 11:00am	Funeral Mass, Roger Peterson	
Fri 10/6 - 8:30am	+Harry & Ted Tholen	J Tholen
Sat 10/7 - 8:30am  - 4:30pm	+Duane & Carolyn Harper  Karen Corda (sp int)	Funeral lunch ladies K Walters
Sun 10/8 - 8:30am - 11:00am	+Neil Michaels Parishioners	M Michaels

Bus Schedulę

Sunday, Oct 1 :	Tom Balyeat & Senan Greene
Sunday, Oct 8:	Cece Fuhrman & Pam Noble

Coffee and Rolls

Sunday, Oct 1:	Tony Rausch & Irene Kelly
Sunday, Oct 8:	Barb Schlecht, John Gordon, Sharon Kougł

Calendar of Events Sep 30-Oct 8

<b><u>Saturday:</u></b>	Daily Mass - 8:30am Sunday Vigil Mass - 4:30pm	
<b><u>Sunday:</u></b>	8:30 & 11:00am Masses Coffee & rolls Elem Formation - 9:45am Bible Study, 1pm Adoration - 7pm	Sts P&P hall
<b><u>Monday:</u></b>	Daily Mass - 8:30am	
<b><u>Tuesday:</u></b>	Daily Mass - 5:15pm Pastoral Council - 6:15pm	
<b><u>Wednesday:</u></b>	Youth Group - 6:30pm OCIA—7pm	Sts P&P Sts P&P
<b><u>Thursday:</u></b>	Daily Mass - 8:30am	
<b><u>Friday:</u></b>	School Mass - 8:30am	
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Liturgical Ministers for Oct 7, Oct 8

4:30 PM	8:30 AM	11:00 AM
★ Sub requested ~ please log in to Web Terminal and accept the sub		
		Holy Wash
Sacristan		
A Klundt	D Azar	K Krattiger
Greeters		
B Munsterteiger ★ C Munsterteiger	D McGuire L O'Neill	Barros family ★
Gift Presenters		
Fitzpatrick family	Wingerter family	S Dalen
Altar Servers		
E Johnson ★ C Polacek	N Puckett G Puckett	T Hansen R Gaa
Readers		
K Shipley P Kolar	N Wingerter K Lakner	C Tucker T Balyeat
Music		
L McCain	J Jonasen	J Jonasen
Ministers of Eucharist		
R Huntsinger T Gilligan K Weinheimer S McKenna C McCain D Stukey T Jones F Polacek K Reed	K Lakner K McGuire S O'Connell T O'Connell J Durocher L Durocher K Puckett C Mee S Bahnmliller	C Christiaens W Newman T Balyeat C Huber V Flick M Francis S Harrington M McFadden ★ J Moonan

**Worship**  
Aubrey Rearden –Worship Coordinator  
452-6491 ex. 1    [aubrey@holyspiritgf.org](mailto:aubrey@holyspiritgf.org)

Please look over the Volunteer/Ministry booklet and see how you can help out in our parish. We are in need of additional Ministers for the Liturgy. We will have trainings for all the dif-ferent Ministries then schedule new folks in December. You can fill out your Time and Talent form and put them in the collection basket, mail them to the office, or drop it off during office hours. Thank you all for your ministry to our parish!

Readings for next week 27th Sunday in Ordinary Time

1st Reading: Isaiah 5:1-7  
2nd Reading: Philippians 4:6-9  
Gospel: Matthew 21:33-43

Music

Our next Choir rehearsal: Wednesday October 18 at 5:30. All are welcome! Questions? Please call or text Jen 406-799-0961 or Laura 406-868-4152.

**Call Parish Office for information on OCIA 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

Welcome back for another year of Youth Ministry. We will meet this Wed Oct 4. All students grades 6-12 are invited to participate. This year both middle school and high school will continue to gather on Wednesday from 6:30-8 P.M.

**I am always looking for adults who want to engage with the Youth Ministry.** I need help from the **parents** to provide meals for our weekly gatherings. I also need **adults** who want to **share their faith** with teens. Please contact Brien at the Parish Office. Middle school youth: we have the Jr. High rally in Helena on Oct 28. If you are interested in either of these events, I need to know so we can fundraise to offset the costs of these trips!

See you on Wednesday!

October gatherings:

October 4

October 11

October 25

**Elementary Faith Formation**

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

Abbie Greff, abbie@holyspiritgf.org, 452-6491 ext 209

Our Elementary Formation program is gearing up for another year beginning this Sunday. If you are interested in helping with our Young Church, there is no better way than to be a Catechist. Please contact Abbie if you are interested.

**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 excels in bringing new programs to encourage our students to grow their love for learning. This past week Mrs. Holtzmann's 1<sup>st</sup> Graders had a hands-on weather lesson with KRTV Meteorologist Ryan Dennis. They held wind and air pressure experiments and ended the lesson with a "snowball" fight! Next week our 8<sup>th</sup> Graders will be continuing their English/Literature career lesson while attending the 2<sup>nd</sup> annual World of Works Expo. We are looking forward to hosting the Space Public Outreach Team and Shakespeare in the Park actors in the coming weeks.

Looking for a fun night that benefits HSCS? Look no farther than Gala 2023, held on Friday, November 10<sup>th</sup>! Tickets for our annual dinner and auction event will be starting early October. Want to be a Gala sponsor and have your business advertised at the event and on social media, then please contact Jenifer Thomas at 406-761-5775 more details.

Holy Spirit Catholic School has an opening for a School Bus Driver. We offer great benefits, a family-centered work environment, and an amazing tuition discount. If you or know of anyone interested, please contact Principal Melissa Hallahan at 406-761-5775 for more information.

**Christian Service**

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

**August Food Collection**

**St. Vincent de Paul:                      355 pounds**  
**St. Jude:                                      82 pounds**

*Thank you for your support of these ministries!*

**40 days for Life: Sept 27 - Nov 5**

**Midway Event:** Sunday Oct 15th at 2pm Our Lady of Lourdes

**Closing Ceremony:** Sunday Nov 5 at 2pm at Mt. Olivet.

Holy Spirit will take Thursdays for prayer hours at Planned Parenthood. This is in pairs. Sign-up sheets are in the back.

***Please see the flyers on the bulletin board for more information.***

*Quilt Raffle!*



Tickets are available in the office for this beautiful Christmas quilt! All proceeds go to the Holy Spirit School toward new risers.

Tickets are 1 for \$1 or 6 for \$5  
Come to the office to get your tickets.  
Drawing will be October 31.

**Courtesy Announcements**

**St. Ann's Soup Kitchen Fundraiser**

This ministry is 100% supported by donations and needs your financial support. The Stadium Sports Bar, 1121 5th St S, is donating \$1 for every pint, glass of wine, or mixed drink purchased from 6-9pm on October 17th. Please stop by the soup kitchen at 715 3rd Ave N and meet the devoted volunteers, enjoy a delicious lunch and drop off a free will offering.



**Practical Christianity Classes**

Learn to: "Live in Peace with God" Sponsored by Cum Christo Classes dates:

10/3: Scripture

10/17: Sin

11/7: Prayer

11/21: Vocation

Time - 7pm to 8:15pm

Ursuline Centre 1st floor West Room. Everyone is welcome!



**Worldwide Marriage Encounter Experience:** : A good marriage does not come easy. A good marriage takes work. Not unlike the command given to all of us to work in the Vineyard. Come to the Vineyard at The Ranch at Ucross, November 3-5 and work alongside other couples and priests who desire a deeply satisfying relationship with their spouse or the people they have been called to serve. The Experience is private, but many walk away with a profound sense of community, that we are not alone on this journey. The application fee is \$100. To learn more, watch: <https://www.facebook.com/watch/?v=635747607124827> OR visit the website: [wwme.org](http://wwme.org) OR apply today by calling 307-215-9444

***The Emilie Center is looking for Volunteers!***

The Center is open Tuesday - Thursday 9am-3pm  
Volunteer hours are flexible to fit your schedule.  
Please Stop by at 1920 10th Ave S to see what we are about.  
Call Pam at 406-788-2564 or call the center 406-771-6695  
for additional information or to sign up!

**Catechism Corner**

**What is the effect of Baptism? (CCC 1262-1274)**

In Baptism we die to sin with Christ. We emerge from the waters a new life in the Holy Spirit. In our Baptism all of our sins, original and personal, are forgiven. This does not, however, resolve the unnatural effect of original sin, namely *concupiscence* or the innate inclination to sin. Our Lord tells us that he “makes all things new” (Rev. 21:5). So we are made a new creation in Baptism, adopted children of God who have been grafted into the divine nature. As a gift on this joyful occasion, the Blessed Trinity grants sanctifying grace, which justifies us for salvation. This grace enables us to live according to the theological virtues in accordance with the Divine Will, to cooperate with the Holy Spirit, and to grow in goodness. Additionally, Christ initiates us into His Body, the Church, through the sacrament. This initiation inaugurates the evangelical offices of every Christian: to live as priests, prophets, and kings. As such it is the birthright of every Christian to proclaim the Gospel in all places and all times. This sacrament binds all Christians together in fraternal charity, even those who remain separated by doctrinal error. Finally, through Baptism Christ bestows on us an indelible mark of belonging to him. It is this sacramental character that enables and commits the Christian faithful to participate fully and actively in the liturgy. The mark of faith is the seal of eternal life and is the expectation of the beatific vision of God. By grace God calls all who trust in Him by faith to the waters of Baptism, and thus inaugurates the great adventure towards Christ in eternal life.



Need more movement? Join us next door  
M-Th at 9:30am, or at 4:30pm on  
Monday. Our Fall Sale is now available. Jazzercise is an inclusive woman-owned fitness company dedicated to helping people live healthier, happier lives. For more information find us on Facebook at Jazzercise Great Falls or sign up at [jazzercise.com](http://jazzercise.com). Parishioners receive 20% off!

Bishop Vetter and Bishop Fleming will be celebrating a **Red Mass** at the Cathedral of St. Helena on Wednesday, October 4 at 12:00 noon. Following Mass, there will be a luncheon in the Brondel Center of the cathedral. A special invitation is extended to all judges, lawyers, legislators, government officials and law school students. Registration is required for the luncheon and the deadline is Monday Sept. 25.  
To register contact Matt at the Montana Catholic Conference at 406-442-5761 or [director@montanacc.org](mailto:director@montanacc.org). Please register with your name, phone number, email address and number attending.



If you are writing or updating your will, please consider permanently endowing a gift for Holy Spirit Parish. It’s simple to add a codicil to an existing will. By doing so, you will greatly bless our church—forever! What a wonderful legacy for you and a solid testimony to your faith! For a free “will planning” guide, or sample wording to include in your will, please contact the Catholic Foundation of Eastern Montana at [forever@catholicfoundationmt.org](mailto:forever@catholicfoundationmt.org) or (406) 315-1765.

**Knights of Columbus, Council # 9395**

Into the Breach: A call to battle for Catholic men, urging them to embrace masculine virtues in a world at crisis.  
Sts. Peter and Paul, rm 6, Sundays at 3pm 9/3-12/17/2023  
Contact Tom Grau, 406-761-6963.

**Milestones**

WELCOME to **Ian Gesell** and **Paige Kiechlin**; and **Matthew and Melissa Fauberg**, with their children **Owen, Maryanne, Hattie and Easton**, who recently registered at Holy Spirit Parish.

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





# October 2023

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
<b>1</b> 8:30 & 11am Mass Coffee & Rolls Elem Formation, 9:45am, P&P Bible Study, 1pm Adoration, 7pm	<b>2</b> 8:30am Mass  Adoration	<b>3</b> 5:15 Mass  Pastoral Council, 6:15, Con Rm  Adoration	<b>4</b> 8:30am Mass Coffee & Conversation, 9am Mass Park Place, 2 Confessions 5:30pm Youth Ministry, 6:30pm, P&P OCIA, 7pm P&P	<b>5</b> Funeral Mass, Roger Peterson, 11am No 8:30 Mass	<b>6</b> 8:30am School Mass	<b>7</b> 8:30am Mass 2-4pm Confession 4:30 Mass
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<b>15</b> 8:30 & 11am Mass Knights of Columbus cinnamon rolls Elem Formation, 9:45am, P&P Bible Study, 1pm Adoration, 7pm	<b>16</b> 8:30am Mass  Adoration	<b>17</b> 5:15pm Mass Christian Service Comm., 10am  Adoration	<b>18</b> 8:30am Mass C & C, 9am Mass Highgate, 1:30 Confessions 5:30pm OCIA 7pm P&P Knights of Columbus, 7 pm P & P	<b>19</b> 8:30am Mass	<b>20</b> 8:30am Mass	<b>21</b> NO 8:30 Mass 2-4pm Confession 4:30pm Mass
<b>22</b> 8:30 & 11am Mass Coffee & Rolls NO Elem. Formation Bible Study, 1pm Adoration, 7pm	<b>23</b> 8:30am Mass  Adoration	<b>24</b> 5:15pm Mass Grief support, 4pm, hall Adoration	<b>25</b> NO 8:30am Mass C & C, 9am Confessions 5:30pm Youth Ministry 6:30pm, P&P OCIA 7pm, P&P	<b>26</b> 8:30am Mass	<b>27</b> 8:30am School Mass	<b>28</b> 8:30am Mass 2-4pm Confession 4:30pm Mass
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