



Holy Spirit

Catholic Parish and School

January 21st, 2024

3rd 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: 8:00-noon

201 44th St S; Ph. 452-6491

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Website: holyspiritgf.org

Holy Spirit Catholic School

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761-5775; Principal: Melissa Hallahan

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Website: holyspiritgfschool.org

Reconciliation:

"A humble soul does not trust itself, but places all its confidence in God."

~ St. Faustina

Knights of Columbus Council #9395

CINNAMON ROLLS & BURRITOS!

Sunday January 21, 8-12.

Free Will offering.

Please join us!

Diocese of Great Falls-Billings
Annual Catholic Appeal

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

Commitment Weekend
Announcement:

The 2024 Annual Catholic Appeal
will begin with Commitment
Weekend on February 3-4, 2024.

Please watch your mail for more
information and a letter from
Bishop Fleming.



Go Make Disciples!

Giving is Safe,
Simple & Secure!



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to give electronically @
www.DioceseGFB.org/ACA



Mail To:
Diocese of Great Falls-Billings
Annual Catholic Appeal
PO Box 1399
Great Falls, MT 59403-1399



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Call the Mission Advancement
Office @ (406) 604-1854

Parish Staff:

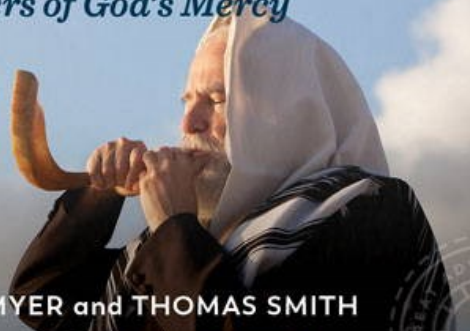
Fr. Doug Krings	Pastor
Dcn Pete Woelkers	Deacon
Aubrey Rearden	Parish Administrator Worship
Kimberly Gaa	Christian Service
Nick Wingerter	Catechesis & Evangelization
Mary Moore-Wingerter	Administrative Asst.
Abbie Greff	Elem. Formation
Brien Rosendale	Youth Minister Pre-Marriage
Tracy Tomich	Custodian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

Our books are here! Bible study will begin on
Sunday January 21 at 1pm.



The Prophets

Messengers of God's Mercy



SARAH CHRISTMYER and THOMAS SMITH

Weekly Happenings~

Mass Intentions:

Mass	Intention	Requested by
Sat 1/20 - 8:30am - 4:30pm	+Fern Phyllis Schreiner +Arlene Zaremski	K Gaa L & M Seitz
Sun 1/21 - 8:30am - 11:00am	+Mary Jane Lins Ezekiel Paul (sp int)	A Bafaro K Gaa
Mon 1/22 - 8:30am	+Dennis Mathson	M Mathson- Nadeau
Tue 1/23 - 5:15pm	+Pat Kapstafer	M Mathson- Nadeau
Wed 1/24 - 8:30am	Mark Mathson (sp int)	M Mathson- Nadeau
Thu 1/25 - 8:30am	+Karen Kelley	E & I Kelley
Fri 1/26 - 8:30am	+Deb Garrity	C Marceau
Sat 1/27 - 8:30am - 4:30pm	+Josy Slaymaker +Jackie Knox	L & M Seitz
Sun 1/28 - 8:30am - 11:00am	Parishioners +Ken Mathern	M Mathern

Coffee and Rolls

Sunday, Jan 21:	Knights of Columbus
Sunday, Jan 28:	School Breakfast

Calendar of Events Jan 20- Jan 28

Saturday:	Daily Mass - 8:30am Sacristan training - 3pm Sunday Vigil Mass - 4:30pm Eucharistic Minister training - 5:30pm	
Sunday:	8:30 and 11:00 Mass Knights of Columbus Burritos & Rolls Elem Formation - 9:45am Eucharistic Minister training - 9:45am Bible Study - 1pm Adoration - 7pm	
Monday:	Daily Mass - 8:30am	
Tuesday:	Daily Mass - 5:15pm	
Wednesday:	Daily Mass - 8:30am Coffee & Conversation, 9am Youth Group - 6:30pm OCIA - 7pm	Sts P&P Sts. P&P
Thursday:	Daily Mass - 8:30am	
Friday:	School Mass - 8:30am Metanoia - 6pm	hall
Saturday:	Daily Mass - 8:30am Sunday Vigil Mass - 4:30pm	
Sunday:	8:30 and 11:00 Mass HSCS breakfast Elem. Formation - 9:45am Altar Server training - 9:45am Bible Study - 1pm Adoration 7pm	hall

Liturgical Ministers for Jan 27, 28

4:30 pm	8:30 am	11:00 am
★ Sub requested ~ please log in to Web Terminal and accept the sub		
		Holy Wash
		C Fuhrmann
Sacristan		
A Klundt	J Gort	K Krattiger
Greeters		
C Munsterteiger B Munsterteiger	N McKelvey L O'Neill	S Wilson
Altar Servers		
C Polacek J Polacek	K Materson N McKelvey	R Gaa T Hansen
Readers		
K Goulet R Huntsinger	A Greff E Masterson	A McKinney M McFadden
Gift Presenters		
Fitzpatrick family	O'Neill family	M Lague
Music		
L McCain	J Jonasen	J Jonasen
Ministers of Eucharist		
K Weinheimer T Stukey T Gilligan P Hilgendorf L Hazelton S McKenna M Maxfield F Polacek T Grau	P Woelkers C McKelvey T O'Connell S O'Connell J Durocher L Durocher J Stenzel L Stenzel D Azar	P Woelkers W Newman R Seilstad S Harrington V Flick C Huber J Moonan S Dalen C Christiaens

Worship

Aubrey Rearden –Worship Coordinator

452-6491 ex. 1 aubrey@holyspiritgf.org

If you signed up for a liturgical ministry on your Time and Talent this year, please remember to attend one of the training sessions for your ministry. We will include all the people who attend in the new schedule for February and March.
Sacristan training: Saturday 1/20 at 3pm; Eucharistic Minister training: Saturday 1/20 at 5:30pm and Sunday 1/21 at 9:45am; Reader training: Saturday 1/27 at 3pm; Altar Server training: Sunday 1/28 at 9:45am.

Readings for next week 4th Sunday of Ordinary Time
1st Reading: Deuteronomy 18:15-20
2nd Reading: 1 Corinthians 7:32-35
Gospel: Mark 1:21-28

Music

Our next Choir rehearsal: Wednesday January 24 at 5:30pm. All are welcome! Questions? Please call or text Jen 406-799-0961 or Laura 406-868-4152.

Call Nick for information on OCIA or Adult Formation, 406-452-6491 ext 205

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

If you are looking for a way to get involved in youth ministry please contact Brien in the Parish Office.

January Calendar:

1/24

1/31

The Diocese of Great Falls-Billings is pleased to host the Diocesan Youth Event, Saints and Sacraments, in Lewistown, Montana at St. Leo's Catholic Church on March 16 th and 17 th , 2024. All high school youth are invited to attend this spiritually uplifting and engaging time. We are excited to welcome to the Diocese, Keynote Speaker, Dan Harms, from the Archdiocese of Richmond. Bishop Fleming will celebrate the closing Mass. Throughout the weekend, youth will learn about modern teens on their way to Sainthood, and how they incorporated the Sacraments into their holy lives. The cost is \$35.00 for all high school youth and chaperones. If interested please contact Brien.

Elementary Faith Formation

Elementary Formation (Pre-K - 6th Grade)
& Sacramental Prep (2nd Grade)
Abbie Greff, abbie@holyspiritgf.org, 452-6491 ext 209

Formation is Sunday, January 21 at 9:45am at Peter and Paul. Please stop in and see what we are up to. If you are interested in having your child join us, please contact Abbie.

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 held our annual Spelling Bee last Friday, and our students went for 17 rounds! Logan in 7th grade spelled the word "antonyms" to win the title of Spelling Bee Champ. Nolan in 6th grade took 2nd place and Augustine in 6th grade is our school alternate. Logan and Nolan will be competing in the Cascade County Spelling Bee next month. Good Luck boys!

Catholic Schools Week is a wonderful time of year to not only celebrate our Catholic Schools, but a time to celebrate the community that makes them. Please check our flyer of events that we would love to see our Parish community attend.

Enrollment for new families for the 2024-2025 school year will be mid-February. If you or know someone would like more information on HSCS, please call our Admission Director, Jenifer Thomas, at 406-761-5775.

Christian Service

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

Our Grief Support Group meets on
Tuesday, January 23 at 4:00pm.
All are welcome!



**Join us after Mass on
Wednesdays for Coffee and
Conversation, in the hall, 9am.**

Food Collections for December:

St. Vincent de Paul: 250 Gifts for giving tree,
3,220 lbs. for Christmas food bags, 289 lbs. in
the wooden box.

St Jude's: 120 lbs.

Thank you for your support of these ministries!

Courtesy Announcements

Saint Michael Radio Annual

Appreciation Dinner

Thursday February 8, 6:00pm

Holy Spirit Parish Hall

**Free spaghetti dinner with gifts
and witness talks**

Everyone is welcome!



Great Falls Big Sky Cum Christo

**"The weekend experience is an encounter with
Christ".**

MEN'S Weekend: February 22-25, 2024

Rector: Dan Wassmann, (406)452-3853

WOMEN'S Weekend: February 29-March 3, 2024

Rectora: Barb Schlecht-Gordon, (406)750-0551

Both at the Ursuline Centre

Holy Hour: 8:00 pm Feb. 23 and March 1

Mananitas: 6:15 am Feb 25 (men) and March 3 (women)

Closing Mass: 4:00 pm Feb 25 and March 3

Cum Christo is a 3-day period of spiritual renewal of your Christian Faith. This is NOT a retreat. You will have an opportunity to set aside your worldly activities and focus on your relationship with God and His church. You will live and study together in song, prayer, worship, and discussion. Please call Dan or Barb with questions. Applications are available on the website: www.bigskycumchristo.org. If your schedule allows, we pray you can join us.

*****DONATIONS to sponsor future candidates can be sent to:
PO Box 1248, Great Falls, MT 59403**

Annual Sweetheart Breakfast
Sunday February 11, 8am-1pm
Corpus Christi Church

Pancakes, French toast, Scrambled eggs, Hashbrown
 casserole, Biscuits & gravy, Sausage, ham
 Coffee and juice
Free-will offering

It's Fish Fry Season!

Join the Knights of Columbus for their *Len-*
ten Fish Fry Fridays: Feb 9th & 23rd and
March 8th and 22nd.

4:30-7:00pm

906 Central Ave W

Adults: \$15, Children 6-12 \$10



Great Falls Central Catholic HS is enrolling
for the 2024-2025 school year. We are com-
mitted to academic excellence and
developing the whole person – mind, body,
and soul. Encourage your child to find their passion
at Central! Go to greatfallscentral.org and apply
today. Scholarships and financial aid are available.
To schedule a tour, a student visit day or to ask ques-
tions, contact Monica at 406-216-3344 or
mwoelkers@greatfallscentral.org.

Family of Faith

A Family of Faith Monthly Devotions:

- **January** is the month of the Holy Name of Jesus. His identity becomes *the most important* question of faith which every one of us needs to answer (cf. Matt 16:16). Here are some ways to talk to your kids about Jesus:
 - We hear the story of Jesus' Baptism (Jan. 8); talk to your kids about baptism, their baptism day, and pray for the priest who baptized you.
 - Jesus is the Way, Truth and Life to Heaven (John 14:6). Talk about the role of Jesus in our lives: Savior, King, Son and God.
- The teaching focus for your family this month is How do we live like Jesus? What is Baptism. (CCC 512-16, 535-37, 567, 654).
- This month's community event is the **Priest Appreciation Dinner, 18 Jan at 6pm.**
- Next parent's meeting will be between the Masses (10-10:45) on February 4 in Sts. Peter and Paul, Adult Education room.

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

Monday, January 22nd, is the US Bishops' **Day of Prayer for the Legal Protection of Unborn Children.** Please consider



giving alms in addition to prayers for this important cause: protecting the most vulnerable people among us, the unborn. There are several endowments at the Catholic Foundation of Eastern Montana that will provide funding for pro-life causes *forever*: the *Bishop Schuster Endowment*, the *Catholic Social Services of Montana Endowment*, and many more. Visit www.catholicfoundationmt.org/endowments/ministry/ or contact the Foundation at 406-315-1765 or forever@catholicfoundationmt.org to learn more.



Worldwide Marriage Encounter Experience:

Jesus does not mince words in the Gospel as he calls us to conversion. Truth be told we are a work in progress and our marriage likewise is everchanging. The Marriage Encounter Experience is an opportunity to look at our expectations for marriage, our roots and formation and to plot a mutual course forward. You learn the language of feelings, how to listen beyond the words spoken, to let go of defenses and to be non-judgmental. It is a conversion of 2 hearts and a melding into one. Join us in Billings, Feb 2-4 or Elk Mountain, WY, April 12-14. To learn more, watch: <https://www.facebook.com/watch/?v=635747607124827> OR visit the website: wwme.org OR apply today by calling 307-215-9444

March 19th, celebrate the Solemnity of Saint Joseph, who chose to follow his faith and not fear, by joining us for this year's Annual Fundraising Banquet with guest speaker, Dave Vacheresse, author of Faith Over Fear: Lessons From My Life

with Mother Angelica. We invite you to host a table in 2024. We hope to have all our Table Hosts on board by January 31. Reserve your table today at billingscatholicradio.com.



The Knights of Columbus will be serving breakfast on January 28th from 8:00am-12:00pm at 906 Central Ave W. Please join us for a delicious breakfast!

Knights of Columbus, Council # 9395

Cinnamon Rolls & Burritos!
Sunday, January 21st.
Please come join us.

The Knights of Columbus are proud to announce: January Knight of the month, **Pat Holtzman**; and the family of the month, **Sly and Darlene Barros.**

Milestones

Congratulations to **Josie Ann** and **Coy Michael Briese**, children of **Adam** and **Kelsie**; and to **Nettie Grace Patterson**, daughter of **Justin** and **Sam**, who were baptized this weekend. Also, Welcome to **Jennifer Guiles**, and to **Joseph Gettis** who recently registered at Holy Spirit.



Catholic Schools Week 2024

Sunday, January 28th: HSCS Students & Staff are hosting a Parish Celebration Breakfast after each Mass. All are welcome!

Tuesday, January 30th: All Schools Mass held at Our Lady of Lourdes Parish starting at 12:30PM.

Friday, February 2nd: Family BINGO Night at the U of P, University Center. All are welcome! Doors open at 5:30PM with BINGO starting at 6:00PM. Entry is FREE and we will have great prizes. Home & School will be selling walking tacos and nachos.



Catholic Schools
United In Faith and Community