



Holy Cross Parish Bulletin

P.O. Box 610 (101 S. Walnut)
Townsend, Montana 59644

TWELFTH SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME

June 25, 2017

Fr. David Severson Pastor, Fr. Richard Kluk Parochial Vicar,

Both in residence

Office: 266-4811 Fr Richard Cell 406-459-8924

Weekend Mass Schedule: Holy Cross

Confession: Saturday 5-5:30 pm or by appointment

Saturday Vigil Mass: 6 pm

Sunday 9 am

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Website: holycrossmt.org

Office Hours: Monday, Tuesday, Thursday 9:30am to 2:30pm; Friday 9:30am-1:30pm

Bulletin Deadline: Thursday 10 am

Mass Schedule

Monday, June 26, 2017	No Scheduled Mass
Tuesday, June 27, 2017	Rosary Daily Mass 9 am Jill Menard RB Connie Miller
Wednesday, June 28, 2017	Rosary Daily Mass 6 Pm Margaret & Alex Frei RB Joe & Roxie Nistler
Thursday, June 29, 2017	Rosary 8:30 am Daily Mass 9 am Fatima Presentation 9:30 Private veneration & prayer until 1 pm Joey & Stacy Nistler RB Joe & Roxie Nistler
Friday, June 30, 2017	Daily Mass 9am Adoration 9:30-10:30 am Leah Masonheimer RB Marie Hankins
Saturday, July 1, 2017	Confession 5-5:30 pm Vigil Mass 6 pm Joe & Roxie Nistler
Sunday July 2, 2017	Mass 9:00 am PARISH FAMILY

Quote of the week:

"None of us is an island, autonomous and independent from others. We can only build the future by standing together, including everyone"- Pope Francis June 19, 2017

Announcements:

Holy Cross to host the Fatima Centennial U.S. Tour for Peace

The world-famous International Pilgrim Virgin Statue of Fatima is on an historic 2-year tour of America to commemorate the 100th anniversary of the apparitions at Fatima, and is coming to our parish!

Holy Cross will host the tour on Thursday June 29, 2017 9:30 am Fatima presentation by statue custodian. Private veneration and prayer until 1 pm. It will be an extraordinary occasion of healing, hope and grace. Please join us that day to hear the story of Fatima and venerate this beautiful statue that set out from Fatima in 1947 to bring the graces of Fatima to all who might not ever be able to make a pilgrimage to Fatima, Portugal. We bring the pilgrimage to you!

Hundreds and favors and graces, including cures, and countless conversions are associated with the image. The presence of this special Statue (sculpted according to the description of Sister Lucia, the Fatima seer) is a great gift to our community. Learn more about the tour and the statue at www.fatimatourforpeace.com.

Sponsored by the World Apostolate of Fatima, USA, a Public Association of the Faithful under the Vatican.

- Knights of Columbus will be hosting coffee following Mass on Sunday June 25.
- We will be welcoming Father Micah, after Mass on Sunday July 2.

Pray for vocations to the Priesthood and Religious Life.



PRAY FOR OUR SEMINARIANS

Lord Jesus, we ask your special blessing on those preparing for the priesthood in our seminaries. We pray that they will grow in faith, hope and love. Give them courage and perseverance and be their constant companion as they prepare to serve you and your people with the fire of your love. Make them holy as you are holy. Amen.

Mount Angel Seminary, St. Benedict, OR, Shannon Augare.

St. John Vianney Seminary, Denver, CO, Matthew Christiaens, Tyler Frohlich, Codi Krueger. Nathan Scheidecker.

Spirituality Year: Joshua Harrison, Nicholas Modrow, and Kyle Tannehill.

- Youth summer Quilting Class will be July 10, 11, & 12; 9 am-1 pm. Any youth third grade and up who are interested, please contact Sharon O., 266-5724 or Anita K., 266-3831.



Ministry Schedule
Saturday July 1, 2017
6:00 pm

Greeters : *The Masolo Family*
Lector: *Felicia Head*
Gifts: *he Masolo Family*
EM: *Steve Kitt & Jill Menard*
Servers: *Cubby & Riley Richtmyer*

Ministry Schedule
Sunday July 2, 2017
9:00 am

Greeters : *The Eichinger Family*
Lector : *Robin Kirscher*
Gifts: *The Hohn Family*
EM: *Claudette Hohn & Jerry Solwey*
Servers: *Jade Martin & Sierra Slyker*
Music : *Mary Garman*
Home Ministry: *Pat McNeive*
Money Counter: *Kristi Gersch & Julie Lethert*

Holy Cross Mission Statement

Holy Cross parish is a Roman Catholic Parish that serves Christ the King, under the protection of the Blessed Virgin Mary with the Intercession of the communion of Saints. We are in union with the Roman Pontiff and the Bishop of Helena. Our faith, hope and love flow from the center of our parish family's life: The Holy Sacrifice of the Mass. From there we are compelled to love God, love our neighbor as ourselves and "Go make disciples..." (Matt 22:37 and 28:19-20)

Infant Baptism:

Parents are to be registered, active, practicing parishioners. Parents are required to attend a baptism preparation class offered by the parish. Dates are to be confirmed by the parish office prior to making any arrangements.

Weddings:

Six months notice required. Wedding date availability are to be confirmed by the priest prior to booking any reception venues.

Christian Burial:

Notice should be made with the priest before arrangements are made with the funeral director. A funeral Mass will replace the daily scheduled Mass.

Social Hall:

Our Social Hall and kitchen may be rented out for special events.

Please call the office for information for any of the above notices, 406-266-4811.

Stewardship of Treasure
6/17-18/2017

Holy Cross	
66 HC Envelopes	\$1,745.70
Loose	\$ 80.00
3 Youth	\$ 11.50
1 Sacristy	\$ 30.00
1 Stipend	\$ 200.00
1 Peter's Pence	\$ 5.00
2 Salary Reimbursement	\$2,087.20
Total HC	\$4,670.20

Holy Cross Parish Endowment Fund:
 \$21,046.32 as of 03/31/17

Cemetery 06-25-2017
 Outstanding Pledges
 \$1,150.00

Cemetery Fund Donations	
Beginning Balance	\$ 12.44
Misc. Donations	\$ 319.50
Gravesites	\$ 3,700.00
Donations	\$14,170.00

Total in Cemetery Acct \$6,878.46

Cemetery Endowment Fund
 Foundation to 3/31/17 \$31,365.69

THANK YOU!



Prayer Chain

Gene Determan,
 Jerri Thueson, Karen Lebahn, Joanie Pritchard, Doug Thomas, Mona Maddox, Elaine Gravely, Kristen Johnson, Ron Shupe, Madison McCauley, Pat Montonario's

granddaughter Zoe, Marie Hoeffner, Hazel Jean Bayers, Donna Wise, Dick & Iva Eggar, Fran Wright, Alan Young, Kathy Harrington, Sherry Clayburn, Randy Dooley, Jack & Pat Mahon. Kelly Flynn, Billie Thorne

Latin Low Mass
Latin High Mass In
Extraordinary Form
 at SS. Cyril & Methodius, East Helena
 12:30 p.m.
 Sunday, July 9
 Sunday, August 13
 Rosary at 12:00 p.m.

Congratulations to Father Kirby Longo and Father Joe Paddock on their recent ordination.



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The Foundation for the Diocese of Helena, Inc., a nonprofit organization serving Catholic parishes and ministries with endowment and planned giving services, seeks a part-time bookkeeper/office manager. Starting salary \$17/hour. This is a unique opportunity to serve the Catholic Church in a professional capacity. More information about this position is available at <http://fdoh.org/>. To apply, please send a cover letter and resume to The Foundation for the Diocese of Helena, PO Box 1729, Helena, MT 59624.

JOURNEY 2017

What are YOU looking for?

Join us for a Catholic Journey Spiritual Weekend

All are invited ~ All are welcome

Looking for a weekend to deepen your spirituality? Give yourself a 3 day gift. This new Catholic Journey is for Catholics who are seeking a deeper understanding of and commitment to their role as laity in the church. We also invite fallen away Catholics, non-Catholics of other Christian denominations, and even those of non-Christian faith or no faith to attend. It is an opportunity to experience a weekend of Catholic spirituality as lived in a group of Catholic laity, who share with them the Catholic Community, reflections on the Catholic faith and Catholic prayer and spirituality.

Weekends will be held at SS. Cyril and Methodius Catholic Church, East Helena, MT.

*** Women's weekend-Sept 14-17, 2017 (Contact Carol, 431-5733)**

*** Men's weekend- Sept 21-24, 2017 (Contact Tony, 431-6602)**

Weekends begin at 7:00 PM Thursday evenings and end about 4:30 PM on Sunday afternoons

Catholic Social Services of Montana (The Dioceses of Great Falls-Billings & Helena) has an immediate opening for the Executive Director. Catholic Social Services of Montana is a licensed adoption agency providing adoptive services throughout Montana.

As the Executive Director of CSSM you will be responsible for overseeing the adoptive process for families all across Montana. You will work closely with adoptive counselors and an administrative team to ensure families are respected, valued and guided through this journey in a timely and positive manner. From monitoring cases to ensuring legal validity, you are the guiding force that addresses cultural understanding, good judgment and ethical considerations. You are passionate about the positive contribution local adoption can have in the community.

Success in this role involves using your strong leadership and communication skills to promote CSSM, run multiple projects at the same time, and apply your expertise in problem-solving to issues as they arise.

You must possess a Master's degree in Human Services or related field plus at least two years of experience in a position requiring administrative skills. A combination of education and experience will be considered.

You must possess the following skills and characteristics:

A committed and practicing Catholic with knowledge of the Catholic church at the diocesan and parish level

Working knowledge of Human Resource law and practices in the state of Montana

Demonstrated leadership and communication skills

Ability to work collaboratively

In addition to a competitive salary, a comprehensive benefits package, including medical, dental, vision, life and long term disability insurances and a 403(b) retirement plan are included.

Interested candidates should submit a cover letter and resume, and three employment references to:

Carmae Fawaz

cfawaz@diocesehelena.org

(406) 442-5820

This position will remain open until July 2, 2017.