



Holy Cross Parish Bulletin

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

FOURTEENTH SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME

July 9, 2017

Fr. David Severson Pastor, Fr. Micah Bagayang Parochial Vicar,

Office: 266-4811

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

Bulletin Deadline: Thursday 10 am

Mass Schedule

Monday, July 10,, 2017	No Scheduled Mass
Tuesday, July 11, 2017	Rosary Daily Mass 10 am Bishops Intentions
Wednesday, July 12, 2017	Rosary Daily Mass 6 Pm Seminarians
Thursday, July 13, 2017	Rosary 8:30 am Daily Mass 9 am The Unborn
Friday, July 14, 2017	Daily Mass 9am Adoration 9:30-10:30 am Bernard Menard RB Connie Miller
Saturday, July 15, 2017	Confession 5-5:30 pm Vigil Mass 6 pm Homebound Parishioners
Sunday July 16, 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



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)

Announcements:

- 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.
- Thank you for your generous support in last week's Peter's Pence Collection! As a parish, we collected \$581. Our contributions will be combined with those from our brothers and sisters around the world to help Pope Francis provide essential relief to people in need. If you missed the collection, it is not too late to give, visit www.usccb.org/nationalcollections, and click on the "How to Give" link on the left.

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 Augere.

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

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





Ministry Schedule
Saturday July 15, 2017
 6:00 pm

Greeters : Monte & Cathy Armstrong
Lector: Robin Kirscher
Gifts: Vince & Clara Boster
EM: Chris Wright & Jerry Solwey
Servers: Aspen & Sierra Slyker

Ministry Schedule
Sunday July 16, 2017
 9:00 am

Greeters : Allison, Alex & Anders Bakken
Lector : Gay Ann Masolo
Gifts: Coralee Horne & Jill Menard
EM: Jill Menard & Buffy Woodring
Servers: Kennedy Vogl & Zoey Wickens
Music : Men's Choir
Home Ministry: Jean Boucher
Money Counters: Pat Montonario & Lorraine Woodring



Prayer Chain

Gene Determan,
 Jerri Thueson, Ka-
 ren Lebahn, Joanie
 Pritchard, Doug
 Thomas, Mona Mad-
 dox, Elaine Grav-
 eley, Kristen John-
 son, 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

Holy Cross recommends that the following be followed:

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
 7/1-2/2017

Holy Cross	
55 HC Envelopes	\$2,394.50
Loose	\$ 43.00
Youth	\$ 00.00
1 RG	\$ 200.00
2 Peter's Pence	\$ 70.00
Total HC	\$2,707.50

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

Cemetery

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

ACA

ACA: Goal	\$21,800
Pledged	\$15,556
Paid	\$14,461
Outstanding Pledges	\$ 1,095
% of Goal	71%
Outstanding Donors	10
Total Donors	70
Registered Households	105
% Participation	66.67%

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.

JOURNEY 2017

What are YOU looking for?

Join us for a Catholic Journey Spiritual Weeknd

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



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Matrimony: A calling to forgive! "Mercy is the force that reawakens us to new life and instills in us the courage to look to the future with hope."

Retrouvaille offers a welcoming and loving space to couples who have been living with the misery of a failing marriage. Retrouvaille offers hope: hope that it is not too late, hope of a different and better marriage. Retrouvaille helps couples to show each other mercy through the opportunities it provides to listen, to forgive, to be reconciled and to move into their futures believing that God loves them and with His help and their efforts, their marriages can be healed and restored. Retrouvaille provides help for marriage problems/difficulties/crises. For more information about an upcoming Retrouvaille Weekend program for couples, contact registration team: at 1-800-470-2230 or visit our website: www.retrouvailleMT.org or www.HelpOurMarriage.com