



Holy Cross Parish Bulletin
P.O. Box 610 (101 S. Walnut)
Townsend, Montana 59644

FOURTH SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME

February 03, 2019

Fr. David Severson, Pastor

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Weekend Mass Schedule: Holy Cross

Confession: Saturday 4:15–4:45 pm; or by appointment

Saturday Mass 5 pm

Sunday Mass 10 am

Understand your worth. Value your life. Appreciate your blessings.

Office Hours: Tuesday-Friday 9:30am to 12:00 pm

Bulletin Deadline: Wednesday 10 am

Mass	Schedule
Sunday Feb. 3 2019	Mass 10am Parish Family
Monday Feb. 4 2019	No scheduled mass Office closed
Tuesday, Feb. 5 2019	Daily Mass 5:30pm Marion Oldham RB Debbie Miller
Wednesday, Feb. 6 2019	Rosary Daily Mass 9:00am Youth
Thursday, Feb. 7 2019	Rosary Daily Mass 9:00am Adoration 5:00-6:00pm Homebound Parishioners
Friday, Feb. 8 2019	Daily Mass 9:00am Adoration 9:30-10:30am David and Pam Masolo RB The Masolo's
Saturday Feb. 9 2019	DRILL WEEKEND NO SCHEDULED MASS
Sunday Feb. 10 2019	Mass 10:00am Parish Family KoC hosting Delgado/Garcia benefit breakfast after mass

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

Announcements:

- RE is February 6th.
- Options Baby Bottles need to be returned to the parish office no later than February 10th.
- The 2018 contribution statements are on the table in the Narthex.
- The new lector workbooks are on the table in the Narthex.
- The Knights of Columbus will be hosting a benefit breakfast for the Delgado/Garcia family after mass February 10th.
- The newcomers will be welcomed and given their cookies at the breakfast on February 10th.
- It's time for the annual Sweetheart dinner sponsored by the parish youth on Sunday, February 17th. The youth have been calling to invite those who have attended in the past. If you have not been called or have not attended in the past and would like to join us please contact Shawna Wickens at 459-7273 by February 8th. Cost is \$50 per couple and the dinner consists of a choice of steak or stuffed salmon with sides and a dessert. The proceeds from the dinner go to our Youth Group Fund and assist our youth in attending Legendary Lodge, CYC and other fun activities.



ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

When we say "Give us this day our daily bread," by "this day" we mean "at this time," when we either ask for that sufficiency, signifying the whole of our need under the name of bread, which is the outstanding part of it, or for the sacrament of the faithful, which is necessary at this time for attaining not so much this temporal as that eternal happiness."

- St. Augustine

Scripture Readings 2-3-19
Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time
Jeremiah 1:4-5, 17-19 (72C)
Psalm 71:1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 15, 17
1Corinthians 12:31-13:13 or 13:4-13
Gospel Luke 4:21-30

Applications for the Carroll College scholarship for all high school seniors planning to attend Carroll in Fall of 2019 are available in the Parish office. The completed application needs to be returned to the Parish office no later than March 1, 2019.

STEWARDSHIP

01-20 & 26-27-2019

Holy Cross

88 HC Envelopes	\$5,949.50
Loose	\$ 99.00
1 Restricted Gift	<u>\$ 150.00</u>
Total HC	\$6,198.50

Holy Cross Monthly Expense:

Northwestern Energy \$1,880.78

Diocesan Assessment \$1,363.55

Holy Cross Parish Endowment Fund:

12-31-2018 \$55,745.77

Cemetery

01-31-2019

December Balance \$17,827.32

January Donations \$ 00.00

Open Gravesite \$ 00.00

Gravesites \$ 00.00

Expenses <\$1,100.00

Total in Cemetery Acct \$16,727.32

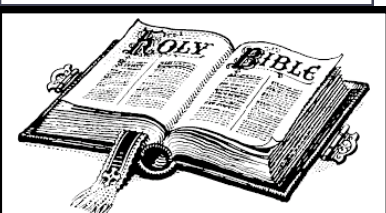
This includes the \$14,000 needed for the sprinkler system.

Cemetery Endowment Fund

12/31/18 \$42,779.48

Please consider a memorial for your loved ones to the Holy Cross Cemetery instead of flowers.

THANK YOU!



Scripture Readings 2-10-19

Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Isaiah 6:1-2a, 3-8 (75C)

Psalms 138:P1-2, 2-3, 4-5, 7-8

1Corinthians 15:1-11 or 15:3-8, 11

Gospel Luke 5:1-11

Communion Antiphon:

Let them thank the Lord for his mercy, he wonders for the children of men, for he satisfies the thirsty soul, and the hungry he fills with good things.

Ministry Schedule

Saturday Feb. 9, 2019

5:00 pm

**DRILL WEEKEND
NO SCHEDULED
MASS**

Ministry Schedule

Sunday Feb. 10, 2019

10:00 am

Greet: Chuck and Lisa Larson
Lector: Gay Ann Masolo
Gifts: John and Missy Rauser
EM: Tom and Julie Lethert
Servers: Abby Wickens and Sierra Slyker
Music: Mary Garman
Home Ministry: Jill Menard
Money Counters: Jill Menard and Pat Montonario

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.

Dillon Armstrong, Matthew Christiaens, Tyler Frohlich, Deacon Nathan Scheidecker, and Kyle Tannehill.

Pray for vocations to the Priesthood and Religious Life.

Prayer Chain

Unless requested otherwise after one month prayer request names will be removed from the prayer chain:

Gene Determan, Father Byrne, Joanie Pritchard, Elaine Graveley, Marie Hoeffner, Fran Wright, Kelly Flynn, Elaine Severson, Ed Boucher, TJ Graveley, Marj Kohn, Jill (Johnson) Amsk & Ava Amsk, Caroline Schnur, Jean Boucher, Mary Alice Upton,



Holy Cross recommends that the following be respected:

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 is 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.

Finance Council members: Juanita Bray, Brian Hohn, John Rauser-Chair, Steve Visocan, Vince Vogl, meet quarterly.

Pastoral Council members: Bernadette Swenson-Chair, Shari Toney, Shawna Wickens & Chris Wright, meet first Wednesday of the month, Sept-May.

Cemetery Committee: Paul Latka, Terry Love, Rich Majszak-Chair, Gay Ann Masolo, Doris Mingay and Missy Rauser.

Annual Catholic Appeal

Goal	\$22,300.
Pledged	\$ 11,060.
Paid	\$ 8,635.
Outstanding Pledges	\$ 2,425.
% of Goal	50%
Outstanding Donors	7
Total Donors	38
Registered Households	95
Participation % of Households	

Upcoming Events

February 22-24, 2019



Ursuline Centre – Great Falls, Montana

Not willing to let go of your marriage? Many couples continue to struggle in a marriage, but are not willing to give up on each other. There is hope. Retrouvaille is a program designed to help struggling marriages regain their health. It helps a husband and a wife rediscover or re-awaken the love, trust and commitment that originally brought them together. The program is highly successful in saving hurting marriages, even bringing reconciliation to couples who have already separated or divorced. Retrouvaille is a peer ministry of volunteer couples that can help you learn the tools of healthy communication, build intimacy and heal, just as they have done in their own marriages. 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

Montana CATHOLIC WOMEN'S CONFERENCE

“Come to Me!” Matt 11:28

April 27, 2019, Delta Hotels by Marriott, Helena, MT

www.helenacwc.com / 406.677.7772

Lord Jesus, thank you for the constant love you have for me. Thank you for the gift of life and the gift of faith. Today, take me into your Sacred Heart and renew me. I open my heart to your grace, to be healed where healing is needed. Replace any wounds or worries with your peace and joy. Send your Holy Spirit into my whole being: body, mind and soul. Guide me to be the woman you have created me to be: your beloved daughter, disciple, and friend. Please remove any obstacles which keep me from living this way. Make me a woman of faith, hope and charity. Lord, pour out your grace upon the upcoming Catholic Women's Conference, upon the planning efforts, and upon many women that they may hear your invitation and say "yes." May the conference be a time of spiritual renewal, healing, reconciliation, and joy for all who attend. Thank you Lord Jesus for all this, I pray in your sweet name. **Mary Mother of God, pray for us!**



Mary, Queen of the Family, I entrust myself and family to you. Your simple and loving home life with Joseph and Jesus is an example for all families. I pray for unity and strong enduring family love like yours. May our home be filled with joy, sincere affection, patience, respect and mutual honor. May your Son's grace and peace be with us and when we are tested, give us a generous heart to want and do the Will of God. Keep us all in your Immaculate Heart and the Sacred Heart of your Son Jesus and make us a holy family. **Mary, Queen of the Family, pray for us! St. Therese of the Child Jesus, pray for us!**