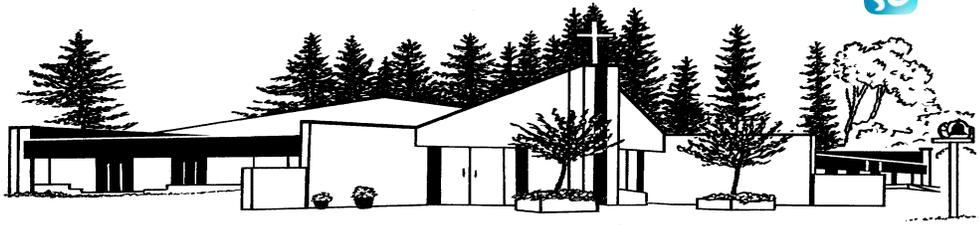


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MASS SCHEDULE

OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST, KING OF THE UNIVERSENovember 25, 2018
Saturday, November 24, Mass for the November Monthly Intentions **5:00 pm**
Sunday, November 25, Mass for the Parish..... **9:30 am**
Monday, November 26, Mass for the Soul of Dick Brennan, rb The Bauers..... **8:45 am**
Tuesday, November 27, Mass for the deceased in our Book of the Dead..... **8:45 am**
Wednesday, November 28, Mass **12:10 pm**
Thursday, November 29, Mass..... **9:00 am**
Friday, November 30, **NO MASS**

Ministry Schedule, December 1 & 2, 2018

Ministry	Sat., Dec. 1, 5:00 pm	Sun. Dec. 2, 9:30 am
Minister of the Plate	Suzanne Johnson	Tom Berquist
Minister of the Cup	Maureen Neitzling	Julie Berquist
	Deacon Floyd	Sandie Eckelberry
		Matthew Brockman
		Deacon Floyd
Lector	Andrea Wright	Kim Wakefield
	Mike Santacroce	Alan Ruby
Greeter	Lee & Vicki Walbruch	Arleen Hughes
		Kathleen Cotner
Server	Mike Wright	Jamie Miller
		Kaitlyn Brockman

DATES TO REMEMBER

Nov.	25	OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST, KING OF THE UNIVERSE	
	26	RCIA	6:30-8:00 pm
	27	Choir	7:00 pm
	28	Luke: My Spirit Rejoices! - RENEW Scripture Series for Women	10:15 am
		Religious Formation Grades K-12	5:15-6:30 pm
Dec.	1	CYC Board #3.....	Missoula
		Chaplet of Divine Mercy	4:40 pm
	2	FIRST SUNDAY OF ADVENT	
		Chaplet of Divine Mercy	9:10 am
		Coffee Hour after Mass	
		Evening Prayer	6:30 pm
	3	RCIA	6:30- 8 pm
	4	Choir	7:00 pm
	5	Luke: My Spirit Rejoices! - RENEW Scripture Series for Women	10:15 am
		Religious Formation Grades K-12	5:15-6:30 pm
	8	The Immaculate Conception of the Blessed Virgin Mary	
		Chaplet of Divine Mercy	4:40 pm
	9	SECOND SUNDAY OF ADVENT	
		Chaplet of Divine Mercy	9:10 am
		Religious Retirement Collection	
		Evening Prayer	6:30 pm

ADVENT WREATH LIGHTING

Once again we are inviting families, friends and loved ones to take part in the lighting of the candles in the advent wreath. We begin advent on Saturday, December 1 and continue every Saturday and Sunday for 4 weeks. We would love to have you join us by picking a date that works for you. There will be 8 times we will need volunteers. Please sign up in the social area after Mass or call me, Anne Mahoney, at 257-2731 if you would like to light one of the candles. Thanks for making the advent season a blessing by participating.

ADVENT OPPORTUNITIES

The Chaplet of Divine Mercy will be prayed 20 minutes prior to Saturday and Sunday
During advent sponsored by the Knights of Columbus
Please sign up in the social area if you would like to lead the Chaplet.

There will be Evening Prayer at 6:30 pm on Sunday evenings during Advent - no incense

1st Week – Dec. 2	Prayer for the Selection of Our New Bishop
2nd Week – Dec. 9	Prayer for Vocations
3rd Week – Dec. 16	Prayer for the Successful Resolution to Fr. Stan's Immigration Status
4th Week – Dec. 23	Prayer for All Who Are Recovering From the Sex Abuse Scandal

Advent Penance Service—With Individual Confession, December 13, 7:00 pm

OUR GIFT TO GOD ~

“Above all, let your love for one another be constant, for love covers a multitude of sins. Be mutually hospitable without complaining. As generous distributors of God’s manifold grace, put your gifts at the service of one another each in the measure he has received.”
(1 Peter 4:8-10)

Thanks to everyone who so generously supports our parish.
Your financial support enables us to continue the on-going work of our ministry.

November 17 & 18, 2018

Sunday Envelopes	\$4644
Building Envelopes	100
Holyday Envelopes	50
Thanksgiving Envelopes	140
Total	\$4934



**For everything is from You and we only give You
that which we have received from You. ~ 1 Chronicles 29:14**

a Tradition
of Giving



CATHOLIC CAMPAIGN FOR HUMAN DEVELOPMENT

Thank you for your generous support last week to the collection for the Catholic Campaign for Human Development! As a parish, we raised \$555 to support those on the margins who are living in poverty in the United States. If you missed the collection, it’s not too late to give! Visit www.usccb.org/nationalcollections, and click on “How to Give” on the left.

**Sacrament of Baptism by appointment
Sacrament of Reconciliation Saturday, 3:45-4:30pm, or by appointment,**

FOR OUR YOUTH
CYRO Weekly Bible Study
Thursday, 7:00 am @ Wheat Montana, Kalispell

NEW TO OUR PARISH?

We would like to welcome you into our community. If you would like a registration form, they are available in the side pocket on the literature rack in the church entrance.

PARISH OFFICE HOURS:

Monday through Thursday, 10:00-12:00pm and 1:00-3:00pm

To be sure your announcement gets into the bulletin, please have your information in the Parish Office by noon, Wednesday. The deadline for altar announcements is noon, Thursday.

MARRIAGE MATTERS

Are you still eating turkey? The first turkey sandwich the day after Thanksgiving is great, but if you were forced to eat nothing but leftovers until Christmas, the menu would get old fast. There are times in marriage, such as immediately following the birth of a child, or while the family is dealing with a loss, that we need to give our spouse our "leftover" time, energy and attention. While this is understandable, if it becomes a habit our spouses will begin to feel unimportant.

To keep this from becoming a bad habit, try:

- * Sharing your feelings regularly
- * Intentionally showing physical affection.
- * Praying together.
- * Expressing gratitude to and for your spouse.

These small gestures do not take a lot of time and effort, but can go a long way to help you stay connected when life gets crazy!

WORD OF LIFE

"Let us rededicate ourselves this year to recognizing the reign of Jesus Christ and his Sacred Heart in every aspect of our lives."

USCCB Office of Religious Liberty

A STEWARDSHIP MOMENT

The exchange between Jesus and Pilate in today's Gospel is, arguably, the most important exchange in all of literature. Pilate asks Jesus: "What have you done?" Jesus replies that he testifies to the truth. In the second reading we are reminded of the essence of that truth: Christ, ruler of all, loves us, liberates us from the bonds of sin, makes us into new kingdom. As we approach the Advent season, this week would be a good time to reflect on the question: What have we done in our daily lives, in our actions, words, private prayer, and in our interaction with others, to testify that Jesus is Lord?

MASS INTENTIONS

FOR THE MONTH OF NOVEMBER, 2018

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FOR THE FAITHFUL DEPARTED

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Howard and Lorraine Carter, rb Kimberly Carter

Jim Thomas, rb Bobbie Thomas

Poat & Roberts Family, rb Chris Beyer

Jim Jensen, rb Jackie Jensen

Karel, David & Terry Barrett, rb Ken Barrett

Gary Luther, rb Bruce & Carol Trimble

Clarice Luther, rb Bruce & Carol Trimble

Ron Anderson, rb Andre Anderson

Andy H. & Constance M. Visocan, rb Larry & Betty Visocan

Marc West, rb The Gillingham Family

Kathy Taylor, rb Risen Christ Parish

FOR SPECIAL INTENTIONS

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Emmett Lee Ireland and his parents, rb Risen Christ Parish

RISEN CHRIST PRAYER LINE



Call **Lavine Heuscher**, 752-4007, to ask the Risen Christ Prayer Line to pray for individuals or community intentions or to join this important ministry.

FORMING A COMPASSIONATE COMMUNITY

If there is a birth, a sickness or a death in our parish community, or that of someone you know, please call **Mary Sonju**, 250-8610. She will send a card, or a card and flowers if they're in the hospital. But we can't do it, unless you let us know.



RISEN CHRIST GIFT SHOP



Your Risen Christ Gift Ministry has gifts available for Confirmation, Baptism and First Communion such as small scapulars, cross necklaces, rosaries, key chains, and holy water fonts. Check it out for yourself! Please see Andrea Wright or Connie McCubbins before or after weekend Masses, or the office during the week.

ATTENTION PARISHIONERS

SAFETY PRECAUTION

Due to safety concerns, we invite you always to come to Mass on time because beginning December 1st, the entry door to the church will be locked 5 minutes after Mass begins and remain locked during Mass. When the door is locked, you can always get out but if you come late for mass or have to leave and come back, a designated person will be at the door to let you in.

THE PASTORALS ON SUNDAY

A week-by-week resource from the Pastoral Letters of the Bishops' of Rome, of the Second Vatican Council, and of the Bishops' Conference of the United States

FIRST SUNDAY OF ADVENT

Jeremiah 33:14-16 A just shoot shall do what is right and just in the land.
1 Thessalonians 3:12-4:2 May the Lord make you overflow with love for one another.
Luke 21:25-28, 34-36 Be on guard. Pray constantly to stand securely.

As we begin the Advent season, we find we are not unlike the houses of Israel and Judah. We are waiting and watching for a day when peace will reign and justice will prevail—a time when “our ransom” is at hand.

We must pray for and earnestly desire a sense of urgency regarding our missionary task. This sense of urgency flows from the demands of being faithful disciples of Jesus, from our responsibility to share his gospel and from a concern that all our brothers and sisters participate as fully as possible in his life and saving mystery. We see this urgency in the life of Jesus, God's beloved Son, who was sent to proclaim the good news of the kingdom: “This is the time of fulfillment; the reign of God is at hand! Reform your lives and believe in the gospel!” (Mark 1:15)

♦To the Ends of the Earth, 23

FINANCE COUNCIL

Our Finance Council members are:

**Roger Ackerly, Peg Gebhardt, Christopher Gill, Loren Vranish
Wally Walbruch and John Gunnerson**

PASTORAL COUNCIL

Your Pastoral Council is always interested in your concerns. Take your questions about the future of the parish, your hopes and needs, to a Pastoral Council member:

Jamie Miller, 257-9636 and Mark Fredenberg, 756-6142

THANK YOU LITURGICAL MINISTERS

Fr. Stan and the Liturgy Committee and the Pastoral Council have decided that we need more emphasis on our Liturgical Ministers. We will recognize a select ministry each week. This week we recognize all **Lectors**. We are very grateful for your commitment and dedication to your ministry. Please accept a big THANK YOU from Fr. Stan, the Liturgy Committee, the Pastoral Council and members of Risen Christ Parish for your efforts in making our Mass celebration more reverent and beautiful.

**Jack Fallon, Jim Galvin, Peg Gebhardt, Mike Hanson, Pati Heath, Paul Heath,
Betty Heino, TJ Higgins, Gene Jellison, Carol Jellison, Jacqueline Jensen,
Suzanne Johnson, Sam Loudon, Anne Mahoney, Leah McGraw, Maureen Neitzling,
Mary Reckin, Dixon Rice, Joe Riska, Alan Ruby, Mike Santacroce, Kathy
Shanahan, Diane Slobojan, Kim Wakefield, Vicki Walbruch, Andrea Wright**



Founded by Father Michael J. McGivney to provide financial aid to immigrants and families suffering from the death of the breadwinner, the **Knights of Columbus** has grown to over 15,000 councils and 1.9 million members.

In 2017, the Knights donated 75.6 million hours of service and set a record of \$185,600,673 to charitable and benevolent causes, sponsoring projects to benefit their church, communities, councils, Culture of Life, families and youth.

Consider Joining the Knights of Columbus, Council #8329.

For more information about membership please contact:

BJ Hattel 406-471-1805,
Wally Walbruch 406-758-0170,
or Mike O'Neil 406-253-1464



SPARROW'S NEST OF NORTHWEST
MONTANA



“When the Night Comes”

Please join Sparrow's Nest of Northwest Montana for their biggest fundraiser of the year, “The 5th Annual, When the Night Comes”, Saturday, December 8, 2018 at Trinity Lutheran Church, 400 W. California Street, Kalispell. This year features a free soup kitchen provided by the FVCC Culinary Institute and a homeless high school student awareness presentation, all beginning at 5:00 pm. If you would like to participate in the sleep out, 7 pm-7 am, please register at www.sparrowsnestnwmt.org Just click on the “When the Night Comes” link to get started. If you would like to help get the word out, or donate, feel free to take a flier and/or donation envelope for your business, available in the social area. For more information, please call 406-309-5196 or visit the website. Hope to see you on the 8th!

THE HEART LOCKER

The Heart Locker provides clothing and hygiene items to school children who are in need. If you want to make a donation of soaps, shampoo, toothpaste and/or deodorants, you can bring it to the church, and it will be delivered to the Heart Locker. If you wish to take the items yourself and have a chance to see the Heart Locker, it is at 504 E. Washington. The donation hours are Mondays and Tuesdays, 8am to 10am and Wednesdays from 3 to 6 pm.

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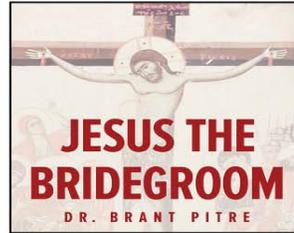
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Fr. Stan