
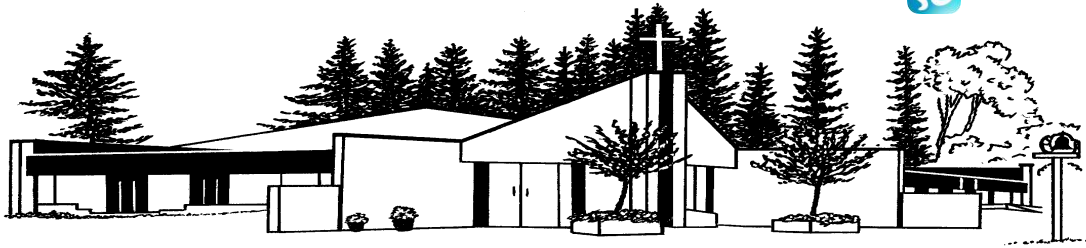


RISEN CHRIST CATHOLIC CHURCH

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MASS SCHEDULE

THIRTY SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME.....November 10, 2019

Saturday, Nov. 9, Mass for Monthly Intentions **5:00 pm**

Sunday, Nov 10, Mass for the Parish **9:30 am**

Monday, Nov. 11, Mass for the Soul of Jim Bray, rb Tim & Diane Slobojan **8:45 am**

Tuesday, Nov 12, Mass for the Int. of Helen Harris, rb Gillinghams' **8:45 am**

Wednesday, Nov 13, Mass for the Soul of Marge Gravelle, rb Diane Slobojan. **12:10 pm**

Thursday, Nov 14, Mass for the Soul of John Lavin, rb Jack & Anita Lavin..... **9:00 am**

Friday, Nov. 15 **No Mass**

Ministry Schedule, November 16 & 17, 2019

Ministry	Saturday	Sunday
Minister of the Plate	Jovita Kottraba	Roger Ackerly
Minister of the Cup	Vicki Walbruch	Kathie Ackerly
	Joe Riska	Neil Heino
		TJ Higgins
		Deacon Floyd
Lector	Carol Jellison	Jack Fallon
	Jennifer Hescher	Mike Hanson
Greeter	Don & Linda Zimmerman	Connie McCubbins/Fresa Tobiason
Server	Ron Boespflug	Leah McGraw
	Jessica Nease	Kellen Mouat

The Book of the Names of the Dead will be on display near the Baptismal Font During the month of November. Please enter the names of your deceased loved ones.

DATES TO REMEMBER

Nov	10	THIRTY-SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME
		Lector Training..... after Mass
	12	Pastoral Council 5:00 pm
		Knights of Columbus Ladies' dinner, Perkins Restaurant..... 6:00 pm
		Knights of Columbus Meeting 6:30 pm
		Choir 7:30 pm
	13	At Prayer with Mary, Ladies' Scripture Study..... 10:15 – 11:45
		Religious Formation, Grades K – 12 5:15 – 6:30 pm
	14	Food & Fellowship, Cislos 11:30 am
		Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament..... 12:00 noon – 6:00 pm
	15	CYRO Junior High Night, Pick's Bowling Alley 7:00 pm
	17	THIRTY-THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME
		Parish Breakfast sponsored by the Knights of Columbus..... after Mass
	19	Vigil Service, Bishop Vetter, Helena 6:00 pm
		Choir 7:30 pm
	20	Men's Prayer Group 8:00 am
		At Prayer with Mary, Ladies' Scripture Study..... 10:15 – 11:45
		Ordination and Installation of Bishop Vetter, Helena 2:00 pm
	21-23	NCYC..... Indianapolis, IN
	21	Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament..... 12:00 noon – 6:00 pm
	23	Turkey BINGO, sponsored by Knights of Columbus..... after Mass
	24	OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST, KING OF THE UNIVERSE
		Catholic Campaign for Human Development
		Thanksgiving food baskets for the needy delivered..... after Mass

Sacrament of Baptism by appointment

Sacrament of Reconciliation is Saturday, 3:45-4:30pm, or by appointment.

PARISH OFFICE HOURS

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

To be sure your announcement gets into the bulletin, please have your information in to the Parish office by noon, Wednesday.

The deadline for altar announcements is noon, Thursday

THANKSGIVING FOOD BASKETS FOR THE NEEDY



. We are once again collecting food to assemble food baskets for the needs this Thanksgiving. Please bring in your food items by November 23rd or 24th. The baskets will be put together after Mass on Sunday, November 24th and will go out to the needy that day.



Volunteers are needed:

- To separate food and fill up the baskets on Sunday November 24th after Mass.
- Drivers to deliver the food on Sunday November 24th at 11:30 am.
- Provide a turkey. Each basket gets one turkey. **Please call Julie Berquist @406 253-4842 if you can donate a turkey or know of a family in need**

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 2nd & 3rd, 2019

Sunday Envelopes	\$5154
Building Maintenance	1141
Mass & Stole Gifts	60
Holy Day Envelopes	450
Thanksgiving Envelopes	30
Total	\$6835

BISHOP-ELECT VETTER ORDINATION EVENT DETAILS

Solemn Vespers (open to all), November 19, 6:00 pm. Mass or Ordination and Installation (by invitation only), November 20, 2:00 pm.

Due to limited seating at the Cathedral of St. Helena, the ordination Mass is by invitation only.

The Solemn Vespers service at the Cathedral is open to all who are able to attend. There will be a light reception downstairs in the Brondel Center to follow.

Bishop Elect Vetter has invited all parishes to live stream the Vespers service and/or the Mass of Ordination and Installation as communities of faith.

After his Ordination and Installation, Bishop Vetter will visit each deanery of the diocese. Each visit will include a prayer service beginning at 7:00 pm followed by a reception. The visit to the Kalispell Deanery will be at St. Richard Parish 1210 9th W., Columbia Falls on Wednesday, December 11th.

Please join Risen Christ Parish as we will live stream the Mass of Ordination and Installation at 2:00 pm on November 20.

FORMATION FOR OUR SEMINARIANS AND CONTINUED FORMATION FOR OUR PRIESTS

Our sacrificial gifts to the 2019 annual Catholic Appeal help provide appropriate theological education and formation for our seminarians as well as continuing education/formation opportunities for our priests. Our prayers and generous contributions to the 2019 Annual Catholic Appeal are in response to our belief in Jesus’ promise of life in abundance. Our priests teach us about Discipleship and journey with us as we discern our calling to prayer, ministry and sacrifice.

Let us nurture vocations, sharing our gifts as we are drawn closet to God.

MASS INTENTIONS

FOR THE MONTH OF NOVEMBER, 2019

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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
John & Michael Culliton, rb Larry & Betty Visocan
Dennis Tobiason, rb Helen Tobiason
Ron Anderson, rb Andre Anderson**

FOR SPECIAL INTENTIONS

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**Robert C. Collins, rb Rayne Beach
Dennis Mason Tobiason, Garrett & Cecilia Dostal, rb Helen Tobiason**

**RISEN CHRIST MASS REQUESTS
FOR THE FOLLOWING SPECIAL INTENTIONS**

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**Shelley Hembd, Lavine Heuscher, Harry McAllister,
Joe Riska, Sherry Miller, Bob Neitzling, Tim Slobojan,
Larry Visocan, Mike Santacroce, Audrey Turner,
Mary Reckin, Mike O'Neil, Ron Frazier
Fr. Stan's Immigration Status**

FOR OUR SEMINARIANS

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**Dillon Armstrong
Matthew Christiaens
Tyler Frohlich
Kaleb Mitchell
Kyle Tannehill**

QUESTION OF THE WEEK

READINGS FOR THE THIRTY-THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

November 17, 2019:

Malachi 3:19-21 For you who fear my name there will arise the sun of justice with its healing rays.

2 Thessalonians 3:7-12 You know how you ought to imitate us.

Luke 21:5-19 By patient endurance you will save your lives.

“What are the ‘end times’?” Christopher H., 19

The “end times” are often considered the final period of human history, prior to the second coming of Christ. The Bible also speaks of the “last days”.

Are we living in the “last days”? Yes, and we have been for nearly two thousand years (Acts 2:17; CCC 670). The “last days” began with the death, resurrection, and ascension of Christ and the outpouring of the Spirit on Pentecost (CCC 670).

The Scriptures (and even some approved apparitions) see the end times as a period of tribulation, chastisement, purification, and eventual peace right before Jesus’ actual return (CCC 675).

For a concise overview of popular “end times” speculation and for the traditional Christian teaching on eschatology (Greek for the study of the “last things”), read *The Rapture Trap* by Paul Thigpen (Ascension Press).

Matthew J Pinto, Did Adam & Eve have Belly Buttons

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:

Judy Stack, 752-4411 and Vicki Walbruch, 758-0170

MARRIAGE MATTERS – A Match Made for Heaven

This weekend, Jesus is reminding us that our marriages are meant to point us toward eternity. Although many of us have a sense that we are supposed to help “get our spouse to heaven”, what does that actually mean? It does NOT mean dragging the other along, trying to shape them up through nagging or criticism. Rather, we accomplish this by:

- Being a mirror, through which our spouse can see how beloved he/she is to God,
- Modeling the mercy of God through repeated forgiveness,
- Taking our spouse’s faults to God in prayer, asking the Holy Spirit to do the heavy lifting!

NOTE: In a healthy marriage, these positive measures over time are very effective at helping both spouses grow in holiness. But if you suspect that your spouse may be abusive, please seek help: www.archkck.org/domestic-violence

CARROLL COLLEGE PARISH SCHOLARSHIP

Carroll College is pleased to offer a prospective student from Risen Christ Parish a Carroll College scholarship, named in memory of the deceased priests of the Diocese of Helena and the Diocese of Great Falls-Billings.

The scholarship which is funded by Carroll College, is \$1,000. The recipient is chosen by the parish.

Carroll requires that the recipient be a student planning to attend Carroll for the first time in the fall of 2020. A scholarship application is available in our parish office. The student should send the completed application to the Parish by no later than March 1, 2020.



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.

When you call me, when you go to pray to me, I will listen to you. Jeremiah 29:12

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.

LENDING LIBRARY

In the Social Area, you will find a shelf with Catholic books available to you. Feel free to borrow them to increase your knowledge of the Catholic faith. After you are done reading it, bring it back for others to use. If you have a book worthy of sharing, just place it on the shelf. We are grateful for our parishioner's generosity to make these books available to all our parish community.



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.

POP TOP TABS

We are collecting pop top tabs from aluminum beverage cans. This will benefit the Ronald McDonald House in Missoula. Please put them in the basket in the entryway.

BOX TOPS FOR EDUCATION

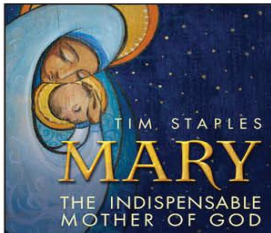
St. Matthew's school does collect box tops but not Campbell's soup labels. Please put them in the basket in the entryway to be taken to the school.

~~ God wants full custody, not just a weekend visit! ~~

PLEASE REMEMBER RISEN CHRIST PARISH IN YOUR WILL!

Mary: The Indispensable Mother of God

by Tim Staples



“Tim Staples gives inspiring and reliable examples of how to respond to common questions about Mary.”

—Charlie M., Winston-Salem, NC

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What role should Mary play in our lives?

Learn how correct knowledge of our Mother reveals our own identity in Christ, and empowers us to say, “Yes” to God!



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Fr. Stan

The Nazareth Page
A gospel meditation for your home
November 10, 2019 – 32nd Sunday in Ordinary Time
Luke 20:27-38

As each of us ages, we might not only call forth memories from our past, but also look to our futures in this life -- and in what follows. From today's gospel we learn that there was not agreement among the Jews at the time of Jesus about what awaits us after we die. Jesus, however, said that our lives will not end. He responded to their inquiries not by offering any details except the provocative words that for God "all are alive." That includes you and me. Now and forever.

There is no mention of pearly gates, angels strumming on celestial harps or streets paved with gold. But we can bank on one extremely important idea: we will be with God!

And added from our belief in the Communion of Saints, we can also conclude that we will also be with each other. And when you think about that, this is enough of a picture to give us not only hope for the future, but we can imaginatively forecast a bit of what it will be like. Our biggest clue for this comes from the Resurrection of Jesus.

Like Jesus our bodies will become "risen." That means we will probably not be invisible spirits but be bodily and remain fully human. Much like we are right now, but a whole lot better. There will be no sickness or suffering or sore backs. No unpaid bills or unfortunate circumstances wearing us down. No inconsiderate noisy neighbors; no more wars.

I like to imagine we will be reconnected with beloved family members, friends and people we knew during our earthly lives. And many others too. Pope Francis was once asked if our pets would be there too. While he was not offering formal apostolic infallible teaching, he did say, "Why not?"

During his lifetime on earth, there are many accounts of Jesus eating with others. After he rose from the dead, he appeared at the shore of Lake Galilee and prepared a breakfast for his followers. Will he be doing something similar in the next life? Will we be served the best wine like those at the wedding feast at Cana? Will he be sharing dinner with us like he did with Zacchaeus, which heard about in last Sunday's gospel? To all of these questions, I echo the pope's response, "Why not?"

But the very best part will be that we will be with God who has to be the most wonderful reality imaginable. No, beyond all imagination. And there will be no calendar or clock or even day and night. Total happiness, non-stop. And it will never end.

David M Thomas, PhD