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SUNDAY MASS

Saturday 5:15 pm

Sunday 9 am, 11:15 am, 6:30 pm

WEEKDAY MASS

Monday, Wednesday, Friday 8:30 am

Tuesday 12:15 pm and 5:15 pm

Wednesday 12:00 noon on Campus

Thursday 12:15 pm

RECONCILIATION

Saturday 4:30 pm

Thursday 5:45 pm

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Lent
40 days of preparation

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This Week @ CTK

Sunday, February 25

Explorations & Inquiry: 10 am – Lower Center
1st Eucharist Class: 12:30 pm – Romero Rm
High School YG: 4:30 pm – St. Anthony's
Catholicism 401: 8 pm – Rm 215

Monday, February 26

Alpha: 5:30 pm – Romero Rm

Tuesday, February 27

Martha Ministry: 9 am – Lower Center
UNite: 6 pm – Lower Center

Wednesday, February 28

Rediscover Jesus Book Group: 9:30 am –
Rm 215
Soup, Bread & Study: 5:30 pm – Lower Center
RCIA: 7 pm – Rm 217
Choir Practice: 7 pm

Thursday, March 1

Faith & Practice: 10:30 am – Romero Rm
Adoration: 5:30 pm

Friday, March 2

Parish Office Closed
Strengths Marriage Group: 5:30 pm –
Lower Center

Prayer

(The upcoming month of March is dedicated in our Church to St. Joseph. The following prayer requests his aid to conform ourselves to God's will.)

Great St. Joseph, to whose will the Savior subjected himself, obtain for me the grace to subject myself in all things to the will of God.

Through the merits you obtained when in the darkness of night you obeyed the angel's commands, ask for me this grace, that nothing may detain me from fulfilling the will of God with perfect conformity. In the stable of Bethlehem, on the flight to Egypt, you recommended yourself and those dear to you to divine providence.

Ask for me this same grace to conform myself to the will of God in discouragement and despondency, in health and sickness, in happiness and misfortune, in success and failure so that nothing may disturb the tranquility of my soul in obediently following the way of God for me.

Amen

A Note From Father Jeff

Welcome to Our Team!

It is a pleasure to announce that we have hired Marin Sewell as our Music Ministry Manager. Or maybe I should say, reintroduce. Marin is no stranger; she has been leading our 6:30 pm Mass Worship Band for almost 2 years and she helped us out last summer with our music ministry.

Marin is a student at the University of Montana, studying vocal performance. She is a gifted vocalist and plays the guitar and piano. She is from Deer Lodge, Montana. She just recently starred as the lead in the UM Opera Theater & Symphony Orchestra's performance of Handel's Julius Caesar.

As our Music Ministry Manager, among other duties, Marin will help in the selection of music for our liturgies. She will be a resource for each of our choirs and will lead our Wednesday choir practices. She will join me and Fr. Cody on our Liturgy Team. She is looking for new vocalists and instrumentalists to join our music ministry.

As we welcome Marin, I want to also take a moment and thank all of our music ministers for their tremendous ministry, hard work and dedication. They truly help us celebrate and give praise and worship to our God. They are awesome!

So, take a moment and introduce yourself to Marin! And consider sharing your musical gifts with our parish.



Catholic Campus Ministry

For the University of Montana

Upcoming CCM Events:

Spring Search

Are you seeking to deepen your relationship with Christ? Are you thirsting for an amazing experience of God's love? Then join us for the Search Retreat, April 6th-8th! More information will come as the date gets closer. Please contact a Peer Minister or our CCM Manager, Derek, for more information!

Many of our students and young adults are attending the Vocations Retreat in Helena this weekend. Please keep them in your prayers as they explore the paths that lie before them, and learn more about what God is calling them to!

OTHER CCM HAPPENINGS

Weekly opportunities to grow in faith and fellowship



Mass on Campus

Come and celebrate the Sacrament with us on Wednesdays at Noon in UC 207.



UNite

Join us Tuesday evenings for food and fellowship! We begin with dinner at 6:00 and end by 7:30 pm at Christ the King Newman Center.



Catholicism 401

Discover the nuances and intricacies of the Catholic faith. Join us every Sunday night at 8 pm.



Men's & Women's Groups

Coming together to grow in faith. Join us every Thursday at 6:30 PM. Meet in the Student Lounge.

Stay Connected with Us:



Meet Our New CCM Interns!

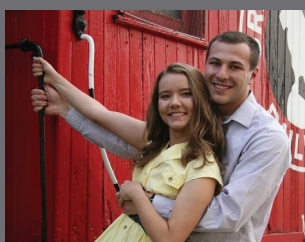


Hannah DeBellis

Freshman Psychology Major
Hometown: Lake Arrowhead, CA

Hi! My name is Hannah! I am from Lake Arrowhead, California... & yes, I am adjusting to the lovely Montana cold quite well. I am currently a freshman and I intend to get my degree in Psychology and a

minor in Philosophy. In my free time I usually read or watch Netflix. I play on the intramural innertube water polo team and I also work at the UMPD as a member of the Griz Walk Team. I was raised Catholic and attended Catholic school my entire life. In moving to Montana, I really wanted to find my faith early, while being away from home. I started attending Unite and going to mass. Now, I am very blessed to be an intern for CCM. I am very passionate about my faith because I have had to depend on it a lot in my life. My goal is to try and inspire and be a messenger of God's Word!



Colton Kremer

Junior Pharmacy Major
Hometown: Helena, MT

Hey! I'm Colton; 1 part crazy, 2 parts student, 4 parts outdoor enthusiast, and 9 parts disciple. Originally from Helena, Montana, I studied pre-pharmacy at Carroll College and currently working on my Pharmacy degree at the University of Montana. With encouragement from my friends and family -- especially my grandpa-- I investigated Catholicism and was inflamed with love for our Lord at a young age. I have always tried to keep my faith near and dear. In my free time, I like to explore the beauty that God has created by hiking, skiing, dirt biking, kayaking, pedal biking, snowmobiling, and anything with my fiancée, Kathryn. I am grateful for an amazing community where I am hoping to give back to God's kingdom and bring the joy of Christ to the ends of the earth.

Discipleship

Formerly Faith Formation



Alpha

Bring your questions and bring a friend to Alpha. A great place for those who have been away for a while, have never really been part of a church, or don't feel like they belong. Everyone is welcome to Alpha!

Mondays from 5:30-7:30. Dinner and childcare provided. Please register online for food count. All are welcome. For more information, head to our website at www.ckmsla.org/Alpha.



VBS for Pre-K- 5th Graders is June 18-22.

Watch our website and bulletin for more information to come. There is a planning meeting for anyone interested in helping with VBS - Youth and adults - on March 13 at 6:00 PM in the Lower Center.

Grow in Faith as a Family



Presented by
**David &
Deidre
Casey**

STRONG CATHOLIC FAMILIES: STRONG CATHOLIC YOUTH

Learn about the critical role you - parents and grandparents - possess in how faith is lived in your home and especially in your children's and grandchildren's lives.

Join with other parents and grandparents from the Missoula area for an engaging presentation using contemporary research and practical application.

**Sunday
March 18, 2018
12:45-4:30 pm**

Lunch & childcare included.

Hosted by Missoula area Catholic parishes
at Christ the King Parish
1400 Gerald Ave

**Please Register at:
ctkmsla.org/discipleship
or call 406-728-3845 ext. 228**





SOUP & BREAD

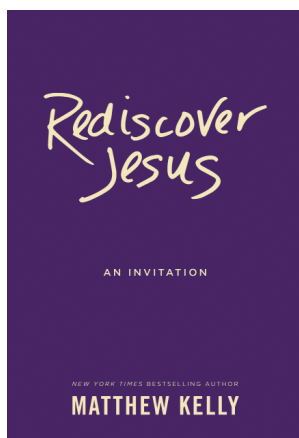
& Study

EVERY WEDNESDAY OF LENT FROM 5:30-7:00 PM

Join us for a soup & bread meal, followed by a reflection on the upcoming Sunday readings, led by one of our very own CTK parishioners. Sign up to bring a pot of soup or loaf of bread or rolls online at: <https://goo.gl/roFgnL>, or contact Kirsten or Patti in the parish office.

March 21 we will do Stations of the Cross led by Carolyn Snively, parishioner and author of "We Walk With Jesus: A Personal Way of the Cross"

Don't miss it!



Rediscover Jesus Book Discussion Group

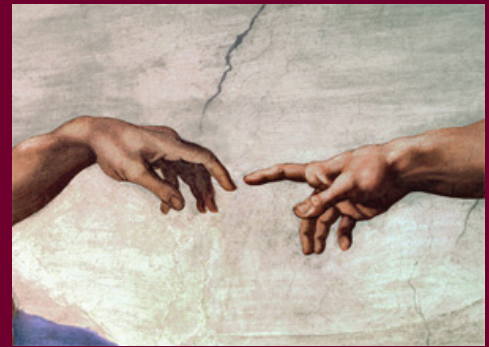
Meets Wednesdays at 9:30 am in Room 215.

Register on our website or just show up. All are welcome.



All high school students are invited to a weekend of fun, celebration, prayer, and encounter with Jesus. Get in touch with Derek, our Youth Minister, for more information. There's still time to register!

Fr. Cody's Corner



Our God is a personal God. And, yes, that means its personal. But what does this mean? Our God is not in the abstract. For instance, I would not say that I took reason to the park and we had a fun time playing in the sand. No, I would say, I went with Jacob to the park and we swung on the swings. The same works for God. Our God is not in the abstract, which is very difficult to relate to. Our God is a person, someone like us whom we can call by name. Think about this for a moment. When I want to pray to God, I can call him by name: God, Father, Jesus, Holy Spirit, Almighty One. Yet, we are not limited to only these titles. When you pray, use titles that make sense and help you to understand God. For our goal is to be able to talk directly with God.

Years ago I was reading a book in preparation to be ordained a deacon. In the book the author encouraged us to call God our Father and to speak to him in that way: "Father, I need your help right now." I took this idea to heart and tried to speak more directly and to use this title. It was hard. I struggled with that title for quite a while because it felt weird to make God so personal. I sense that many of you will feel the same way. Once we make God personal, relate to him as a person, the whole character of the relationship changes. God becomes real. He becomes like me. So, when you pray, take the time to be direct. Address God like you are talking to a friend. If it feels weird and challenging, good, keep at it. God wants to hear from you.

Fr. Cody Williams

Sacraments

and Resources



Why Go to Confession?

(From GoodConfession.com)

1. It helps us overcome vice - The grace we receive from the Sacrament of Confession helps us combat our faults and failings and break our habits of vice much more easily and expediently than we could otherwise do without the sacramental grace.

2. It helps us become more like Jesus - Jesus was perfectly humble, perfectly loving—perfectly everything! Don't you wish you could be as humble, generous, patient, and loving as Jesus? Saints throughout history have felt that way too, and they have frequented the Sacrament of Reconciliation to help transform them into people who are more like Christ. Little images of Christ—that's what saints are!

3. It brings us peace - Guilt from the sins we commit can make us feel all mixed up inside and cause us to lose our peace and joy. When we hear God's forgiving words to us from the lips of the priest in Confession, a burden is lifted off our shoulders. With this sacrament, we can again feel the peace of heart and soul that comes from being in a good relationship with God.



Do you take
Communion to...
The homebound?
A loved one?
A neighbor?

Please allow us to remember and
pray for those who are not able
to celebrate with us.

We have a new process for those taking Communion to others:

1. Please notify the priest when you arrive.
2. Take your pyx to the gifts table and put in as many hosts as you'll need from under the table.
3. Place your pyx on the plate with the bread.

After Communion the priest will call
you forward to receive your pyx
and offer a prayer.

* PLEASE make sure the bottom of your pyx is
marked with your name.



**CATHOLIC
TRIVIA**

Terms to Know from TeamRCIA.com

Candidate: a baptized Christian who is preparing to become a Catholic; in the Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA), the term "candidate" is also used to refer to the subjects of a rite, which includes catechumens and inquirers.

Our Candidates are Michael Delaney and Annie Jeffries.

Elect: name given to catechumens chosen by God and affirmed by the Church as ready to celebrate baptism, confirmation, and Eucharist at the next Easter Vigil; catechumens who have gone through the Rite of Election or Enrollment Rite on the first Sunday of Lent; the elect are those who are involved in immediate preparation for initiation at the upcoming Easter Vigil.

Our Elect is Meaghan Nelson. See her picture and bio on the back wall in the Church!

Election: the formal liturgical act of choosing those who have been called by God to celebrate the initiation sacraments; the election is proclaimed by the Bishop of a diocese.

Enrollment of names: another name for the Rite of Election; the formal liturgical act of gathering and recording the names of those ready to be initiated at the next Easter Vigil.

Guatemala Moment



Decades ago, Fr. Jim Hazelton recognized the importance of basic education in the lives of the young. He founded La Asuncion School twenty years ago, providing a passport from poverty to some of the neediest Guatemalan youth.

The school presently has an enrollment of 275 students who are receiving an education for little or no cost. The student body has a somewhat higher number of female students, who rarely have the opportunity for education beyond middle school.



The unemployment rate in Guatemala has been exacerbated by the mechanization of sugarcane harvesting and a highly competitive coffee bean market.



In hopes of creating new job opportunities for the Guatemalan youth, the school administrators are planning an innovative vocational curriculum that includes computer education, sewing and tailoring, welding and car repair; all highly marketable skills.

Please consider making donation to this effort through CTK's Take Out for Guatemala program. You can also scan this QR code with your smart phone's camera for a link to donate. **Thank You!!**

-Excerpt retrieved from DoH Newsletter, Feb. 2018



*Mass Intentions
for the Week*

Saturday, March 3rd

5:15 PM – In Memory of Florence Reilly

IN GRATITUDE

To all of the amazing souls who volunteer in some way to make our parish home a true family of faith. From Liturgical ministers to envelope stuffers... From making salads for funeral lunches to writing to our sick and homebound... From meal preparers to religious ed teachers... And everyone in-between...



WE LOVE YOU AND APPRECIATE ALL YOU DO!

PRAYER OF VOLUNTEERS

Loving God,

I cannot single-handedly save the world. But I can affect peoples' lives one at a time. Let me know that in doing so, my efforts are not in vain. If I can touch one life, I have made the world a better place for all. Let me resolve today to be your instrument. I need not look far to find someone who is in need. If I can help in some small way, let me do so, and know that I can make a difference. For it is in these single acts of compassion and humanity, that when totaled, create a kinder and gentler world.

Amen

Ways to Stay Connected

We want to communicate effectively with you. We utilize a number of tools to make it easy for you to control what types of announcements you get from us and how you are notified when we make them. It's totally free for you to use and it allows you to stay plugged in to the ministries and groups that you care about via text message or email. Don't worry, your information is completely safe and secure. It will, of course, not be sold or rented to third-parties. And you can unsubscribe at any time!



FlockNote: text the letters CTKMSLA to the short 5-digit phone number: 84576.

Flocknote will send you back a confirmation message AND another message asking you to CLICK a link to give your name and email address, and join our groups and ministries.



We also have an App. Yep, there is an App for that! **MyParish App** gives you access to our calendar and bulletin, the daily readings for Mass, parish information including Mass times, and a variety of prayers. Download the app by texting APP to 88202.

Thank you for reading our BIG Bulletin! Watch out for our next edition in March!

If you have any questions or want more information about our parish, feel very free to chat with one of our Parish Ambassadors after Mass. They are wearing those bright yellow vests.



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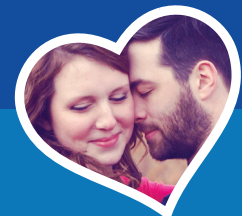
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