# Holy Family Parish, Fernie

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# 11<sup>th</sup> November 2018

# **Sunday in Ordinary Time**

## From the Parish

# **Development and Peace**

The Fall Action for Development and Peace is to embrace the 68.5 million forcibly displaced children, women and men around the world by asking you to sign the Action Cards requesting our Prime Minister to provide aide and support in the quest for survival. The Mini Magazine which has been attached to the New Bulletin "Share the Journey. No one should be forced to flee their home.", and the website devp.org provides information on the topic. Please use the information to become informed. Next week there will be opportunity to sign the Action Cards in the foyer of the church after the Masses. Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Celia Roccamatisi (D&P Rep)

# **Mass Times**

# **Masses for Sunday**

Fernie:

5pm Saturday & 9am Sunday

Also:

Sparwood:

7pm Saturday & 11am Sunday

**Elkford:** 

4pm Sunday

# Weekdays Mass

11am Mass at Rocky Mountain Village

# Fall Tea

Thank you for your support with the Fall Tea. Attendance was only fair but those who came were very generous as were those who donated for items needed and to the different tables. \$1,120.00 was raised for parish needs.

# Potluck Saturday 17th November after the Saturday Night Mass

We are having this gathering to honour Cathleen and Vince Sonntag who have given exceptional service to our faith community. I am suggesting if your last name starts with an A-M bring an entrée and if it starts with the remaining letter of the alphabet please bring a salad and or dessert. If you bring your own dishes this facilitates cleanup. If you have any ideas for this celebration please call Celia at 250-430-7533. This is an event that the Sonntag's truly deserve so please help us make it a success.

## **Ministries**

# Saturday 17<sup>th</sup> November

### **Eucharistic Minister:**

Colin Lynch

### Reader:

Lisa Westhaver

#### **Greeters:**

Willie Oryschak

# **Sunday 18<sup>th</sup> November**

### **Eucharistic Minister:**

Geraldine Rocca

#### Reader:

Anne Majic

#### **Greeters:**

**Sharon Switzer** 

# **Church cleaning week starting Monday 5<sup>th</sup> November:**

G. Blakey & K. Smith

Finance – Collections: 3<sup>rd</sup>/4<sup>th</sup> November ......\$1240.60

# **Pilgrimage of Faith:** 2018/2019

Diocesan Goal.....\$12,150.00 Given to Date...... 1,950.00

# **CWL News**

This Tuesday, 13<sup>th</sup> November at 7 pm there is a CWL meeting at the Fernie Family Centre in the Coffee Room. There have been administrative changes and are as follows: Regina Vinge is the President and Celia Roccamatisi has become the Past President, Geraldine Rocca is the Treasurer, and Celia Roccamatisi is the Recording Secretary.

### **Facebook Page for Parish Choir**

For anyone who may be interested in helping out with the "music ministry" you can join the Facebook page by asking to join "Fernie Catholic Choir". You may email Rosanna at rosanna1@shaw.ca if you have any questions.

# The Salvation Army Christmas Kettle Campaign

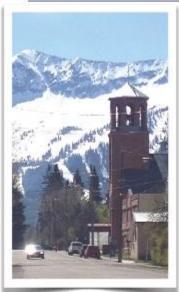
The Salvation Army is looking for volunteers to man the kettles for this year's Christmas Kettle Campaign. Please do read their letter that is attached to the newsletter with information on it.

# From the Diocese...

### **Catholic Mountain Star Submissions**

The Catholic Mountain Star is the diocesan newspaper and contains articles submitted by people from around the diocese. The deadline for the Christmas 2018 issue is Monday 19<sup>th</sup> November. If you wish to submit an item for consideration then please email your article or pictures to catholicmstar@gmail.com

Christmas Mass Times Fernie



# A Note to Our Visitors about the Christmas Masses

The times of our Christmas Masses here in Fernie are:

Christmas Eve at 5pm and Christmas Day at 9am.

Please invite all members of your family to be part of this together with any friends who might like to come. We look forward to welcoming them together with our seasonal resident and visitors to a joyful celebration of Christmas.

The weekend Mass times are unchanged both for the weekends before and after Christmas, that is, in Fernie at 5pm Saturday and 9am Sunday.

Sparwood will have a 10pm Mass on Christmas Eve and an 11am Mass on Christmas morning.