

# Holy Family Parish, Fernie

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## Mass Time for 1<sup>st</sup> January 2019 New Year's Day at 9am

*Sparwood* will have Mass 11am on New Year's morning.

30<sup>th</sup> December 2018

## Holy Family of Jesus, Mary and Joseph

### *From the Parish*

#### Fr. David writes...

Firstly, thank you to everyone who worked so hard to make the Christmas Masses work so well. And what a crowd on Christmas Eve! And we had a decent turn out on Christmas morning as well.

#### Rest in Peace Marie-Claire Phillip

Marie-Claire Phillip's Funeral will be on Wednesday 2<sup>nd</sup> January at 1 pm in Holy Family Church with a reception to follow straight from the funeral as the burial will be Thursday 3<sup>rd</sup> January at 12 pm in Grasmere.

#### 2019 Church Envelopes

The 2019 church envelopes are in the foyer. Please pick up but do not use until next year. If you were not assigned a box, there are many "extra" boxes.

The Income tax receipts will be issued the middle of February. Please put your mailing address on the first envelope you use in order to upgrade our parish list. Thank you.

#### CWL Meeting

There is a CWL meeting on the 8<sup>th</sup> January at 7 pm in the Coffee room at the Fernie Family Centre. All ladies are welcome.

## Mass Times

### Masses for Sunday

#### **Fernie:**

5pm Saturday &  
9am Sunday

Also:

#### **Sparwood:**

7pm Saturday &  
11am Sunday

#### **Elkford:**

4pm Sunday

### New Year's Day Mass

See time on the left.

### Weekday Mass in Fernie

11am Wednesday at  
Rocky Mountain Village

Sanctuary Lamp burns for

Gaetano Polcino

Sunday 23<sup>rd</sup> December

to

Sunday 30<sup>th</sup> December

From Vince Polcino

## **Catechism Resumes**

Catechism will resume on Wednesday 9<sup>th</sup> of January.

## **Donations received at the Catechism Play**

Thank you to all who gave donations at the Catechism play. Donations totalled \$100 which will go to the Chalice Giving program.

### *Other news*

## **Message from Development and Peace – Caritas Canada**

“Whoever wants to be my disciple must deny themselves and take up their cross and follow me” (Matthew 16:21-27). Jesus invites us to follow His example and to think less about ourselves than about the people around us. He summons us to a life of service and invites us to orient ourselves towards His will so as to find our authentic fulfilment in Him. This year, the Development and Peace awareness-raising campaign is about the root causes of forced migration. We invite you to seize the opportunity to put your faith into practice and act in solidarity with our sisters and brothers from the Global South who are victims of armed conflict, large-scale development projects, climate change, and oil exploitation! Contact the Development and Peace representative in your parish or call 1-888-234-8533 to learn about the different ways to participate in the *Share the Journey campaign*.

## **Ministries**

### **Tuesday 1<sup>st</sup> January**

#### **Eucharistic Minister:**

Sharon Switzer

#### **Reader:**

Patrice Oscienny

#### **Greeters:**

Willie Oryschak

### **Saturday 5<sup>th</sup> January**

#### **Eucharistic Minister:**

Colin Lynch

#### **Reader:**

Colin Lynch

#### **Greeters:**

Willie Oryschak

### **Sunday 6<sup>th</sup> January**

#### **Eucharistic Minister:**

Eunice Peterson

#### **Reader:**

Anne Majic

#### **Greeters:**

Sharon Switzer

#### **Church cleaning week starting**

#### **Monday 31<sup>st</sup> December:**

L. Campisi and M. Scarpelli

#### **Finance – Collections:**

22<sup>nd</sup>/23<sup>rd</sup> December .....\$1596.60

24<sup>th</sup>/25<sup>th</sup> December.....\$7543.73

#### **Pilgrimage of Faith:**

Diocesan Goal .....\$12,150.00

Given to Date .....\$ 4,240.00