

Holy Family Parish, Fernie

Pastor: Fr. David John Office Administrator: Lucrecia Lynch

Church: 501- 4th Avenue, Fernie

Parish Office and Family Centre: 521 -4th Avenue, Fernie

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Holy Family Parish is organized together with St. Michael, Sparwood and St. Bernard's Elkford.



December 18th, 2022

4th Sunday of Advent

Mass Services for Christmas & New Year

Christmas Eve (Saturday,
December 24th)

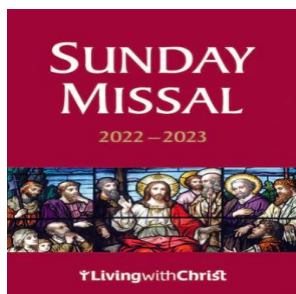
5:00 PM Fernie
8:00 PM Elkford
10:00 PM Sparwood

Christmas Day (Sunday,
December 25th)

9: 00 AM Sparwood
11:00 AM Fernie

New Year's Eve (Saturday)
5:00 PM Fernie

New Year's Day (Sunday)
9:00 AM Sparwood
4:00 PM Sparwood



Sunday Missals 2022-2023 available in the Parish office by donation.



Church Christmas Choir Rehearsal this Week

Monday, December 16th

Time: 4:00 PM

Children from the Parish are invited to join the Holy Family Parish Christmas Choir

Fernie Community Christmas Choir



Fernie Christmas Choir

When: Friday, December 16th

Time: 6:45 PM

Location: Holy Family Church
501 - 4th Avenue

Tickets available at the door \$10.00

Obituaries



Steve BEZAK [Click here](#)

Troy "Bubba" COOK [Click here](#)

Ruth QIODRAVU [Click here](#)

Catechism Program

Holy Family has an enthusiastic group of participants attending this year in the catechism program. We are thankful for the support of parents and caregivers.



Parish Mailing List (Contact Information) and Updating



Dear friends of Holy Family Parish

Please contact the

Parish office via email or by telephone if you would like to update your contact information.

Send an email with your full name and email address at info@holyfamilyfernie.ca

Please keep it in mind that subscribers can unsubscribe at any time.



Mass time in Fernie. Saturdays at 5pm



Communion after Mass in Fernie for those who cannot join Mass inside the Church 6:00pm to 6:30 pm

Saturday 17th, 2022

Liturgical Readers

Angelika Pace

Sacristan

Lucrecia Lynch

Church Cleaners

December 12 to December 26

Regina V. and G Hughes

Finance

December 10th, 2022

Weekly Donations

\$1,554.00

Goal

\$1,300.00

Your continued support for the Parish is very much appreciated and needed as expenses continue to increase and rise.

Thank you

Fernie Family Garden

The Fernie Family Garden has a new look please stop by and enjoy the new pathway.



Family Parish. Interac e-transfer Donations

When you are sending an Interac e-Transfer donation.

Please send them to:

etransfer.hfpfernienelsondiocese.org

Indicate clearly to which fund the donation is to be directed in the **message box** of the e-transfer. For example: *Sunday Offering, Special Church Care, Christmas, New Years, and/or one of the Ordered Collections, or if is to be split between two or more of these.* Donations will be automatically deposited directly in the Holy Family Parish bank account when the transfer is made.

Office Space Available
Please contact the Parish office at (250) 423-6127

OFFICE SPACE FOR RENT

Commercial Kitchen in the Parish Hall

If you are interested or know someone interested in renting our Parish Commercial Kitchen.

Please contact the Parish office for more information

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Holy Family Church is looking for janitorial services to clean the Fernie Family Centre. Please contact the Parish office during office hours for details.



From the Diocese of Nelson

Looking ahead, the Pastoral Care Outreach Training Series

It will be offered again in fall 2023, from September 23 – November 25 (with no session on October 7 for Thanksgiving).

- A memo with information about the program
- Descriptions of the nine sessions
- Sample bulletin ads to promote the sessions
- A poster to promote the sessions
- A registration sheet, which must be returned to our Pastoral Care Training Program contact person, Moira King (moiraking@shaw.ca), by **January 18, 2023**.

Rachel's Vineyard Quotes for Sunday Bulletins, December 18, 2022, to January 8, 2023

Rachel's Corner

"In the dark night of the soul, bright flows the river of God". - St. John of the Cross-feast day, December 14

Has it been a very long dark night of the soul for you since your loss due to an abortion decision? One that has not been shared or expressed, thinking that no one would understand? Join us on a Rachel Retreat, and find that you are heard and understood, and can be free of the pain hidden deep inside.

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