

THIRTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

HOLY FAMILY PARISH

INVITATION

Potluck farewell dinner for Father David

The day is drawing near that our beloved Fr. David and Thumper will be departing the Elk Valley and journeying to the island of Vancouver to begin a new mission. Therefore, next Saturday July the 8th after Mass all are invited into the hall next door, for a parish potluck farewell dinner.

Feel free to cook, bake, mix, stir and bring your favorite dish to share. We will reminisce over the last 7 years we have been blessed to spent with Father David, wish him well on his new ministry, and send him off with a full belly!



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WELCOME

Please give a nice welcome to Deacon Stephen who will be joining us this weekend.

“...and whoever does not take up their cross and follow me is not worthy of me.”
- Matthew 10:38



Gospel:

Matthew 10:37-42

Psalm 89

‘Forever I will sing of your steadfast love, O Lord.’

First Reading:

2 Kings 4:8-12, 14-16

Second Reading:

Romans 6:3-4, 8-11

MASS TIMES

Saturdays – 5:00 PM

Rocky Mountain Village - Wednesdays – 11:00 AM

Pastor - Fr. David John

for July 1-24, 2023

Zoom link for livestream Mass Saturdays 5:00 PM & Sundays 11:00 AM:

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/2504236127>

FINANCE REPORT

Contributions for the week of June 17, 2023

Actual: \$2,237.92

Budget: \$1,000.00

Difference: \$1,237.92+

Total Offerings YTD 2023

\$28,858.29

Pilgrimage of Faith 2023

As of May 31, 2023

Goal: \$21,650.00

Received: \$4,255.00

Needed to reach goal: (\$17,395.00)

VOLUNTEER SCHEDULE

July 1, 2023

LITURGICAL READER	SACRISTAN
Angelika Pace	Bob Sumka

July 8, 2023

LITURGICAL READER	SACRISTAN
Mike Delich	TBA

June 26 – July 9

CHURCH CLEANERS

Nermina DeGuzman, Veronica Eustace,
Anne Majic

SAINT OF THE WEEK

Saint Veronica Giuliani - Feast Day July 9

St. Veronica Giuliani was an Italian Capuchin nun and mystic who lived in the 1600s and early 1700s. Jesus gifted her with the stigmata and many visions. Veronica was born Orsola (or Ursula) Giuliani at Mercatello in the Duchy of Urbino on December 27th, 1660. She was the youngest of seven children, all daughters, three of whom became nuns. As early as three years old, she saved food from her meals and gave them to the poor and gave them some of her own clothes as well. Ursula's mother died when she was just seven years old. Gifted from an early age with devotion, Ursula was unrelenting when her family did not go along with all her religious practices. She became obstinate at 16 and showed her that her "heart of family to adopt all the practices she was but Ursula wanted to enter religious life, and was 17 years old, she went to the Capuchin the religious name "Veronica" in honor of St. Veronica who wiped Jesus' face while He carried the Cross. Her first years in the convent were difficult, with God letting her persevere and she would hold for the next 34 years. She became the novice mistress, a position she held for the next 11 years. Veronica was devoted to Christ crucified and in 1694, God gave her the five wounds that He Himself suffered on the Cross. Her bishop treated her stigmata with great skepticism: he separated her from her community and had her watched closely for signs of deception. Ultimately, however, he realized that her stigmata were authentic, and she returned to normal life in the convent. St. Veronica Giuliani died on July 9, 1727, at Citta di Castello. After her death, the shape of a cross was found imprinted over her heart. When examined later, her body was found to be incorrupt.



NEWS, EVENTS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS



Holy Family Parish would like to inform you of the ongoing fundraising recycling program. Everyone is welcome to participate and support the Fernie Family Garden. You can drop off pop/juice/beer and water bottles and cans anytime. Where: by the shed between the Church and the Family Centre. Thank you kindly for your donations.

A Congratulations and a Farewell

The Executive Assistant to the Bishop, Kim Jacobs, is retiring and her last day was on June 30, 2023. We wish her the very best. Thank you for the many years.

Congratulations to Heather Wipfli, who is the new Executive Assistant to the Bishop as of July 1, 2023. Heather has worked with us with the Pilgrimage of Faith Appeal over the years and helped introduce us to the DDMS system. We wish you the very best looking ahead.

A message regarding Our Pilgrimage of Faith Appeal

Success in the eyes of God is not about the quantity or the quality of our material goods. Instead, it is about how we use these goods. Our appreciation goes out to all parishioners who have made a gift to Our Pilgrimage of Faith Appeal. The Diocesan goal this year is \$565,000.00, our parish goal is \$21,650.00. To date, we have received gifts totaling \$4,255.00 from our parishioners. We still have \$17,395.00 to go to reach our goal. We did not meet our goal last year or the year before. Please help us meet our goal this year and continue to respond in prayer and generosity. For information on how to donate to our parish Pilgrimage of Faith goal, you can call the office or pop in, and we can let you know of the many ways you can help Holy Family make our goal this year! Thank you for your kindness and generosity.