

Welcome to the Roman Catholic Parish of the Elk Valley



HOLY FAMILY PARISH FERNIE, BC

521 4th Avenue

Mailing Address:

PO Box 519, V0B 1M0

Parish Office: 250-423-6127

Pastor Office: 250-425-6444

Email: fernie@nelsondiocese.org

Website:
<https://holyfamilyfernie.ca>

Mass Services

Saturday - 5:00 PM

Wednesday - 12 Noon

ROCKY MOUNTAIN VILLAGE

Wednesdays - 11:00 AM

Confessions 30 minutes before Mass

Or by appointment.

Rosary 30 minutes prior to any Holy Mass

ST. MICHAELS'S PARISH SPARWOOD, BC

129 Centennial Square

Mailing Address:

PO Box 167, V0B 2G0

Parish Office: 250-425-2327

Pastor Office: 250-425-6444

Email: sparwood@nelsondiocese.org

Website: <https://stmichaelssparwood.org>

Mass Services

Sunday - 11:00 AM

The Holy

Rosary is prayed 30 minutes before Mass.

Confessions 30 minutes before Mass or by appointment.

Mass Intentions in Fernie

Saturday, April 13

Mass Intention for Repose of the soul of Phyllis Shatosky

Requested by Louise Wick

ST. BERNARD'S MISSION ELKFORD, BC

800 Natal Road

Mailing Address:

PO Box 167, V0B 2G0

C/O St. Michaels Parish

Parish Office: 250-865-2711

Website: <https://stmichaelssparwood.org>

Mass Service

Sunday - 1:00 PM

Pastor: Fr. Thomas Kakkaniyil

elkvalley.pastor@nelsondiocese.org

Fernie Office Hours

Wednesdays to Fridays

9:00 AM to 1:00 PM

Bookkeeper

Tuesdays 9:00 AM to 1:00 PM

3rd Sunday of Easter

1. Fr Thomas will be back to normal on April 13, 2024. Fr. Thomas is on holydays.

2. **2024 Pilgrimage of Faith Goals**

- ❖ St. Bernard's Mission \$1,650.00
- ❖ St. Michael's Parish \$5,950.00
- ❖ Holy Family Parish \$20,000.00

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Please visit our website
Holyfamilyfernie.ca

Please Find inside the Church main entrance
The Catholic Answers.com booklets
Please share them, bring them back if you would like.
Free will offering accepted.

Obituary

Dephine Marie 'Bella" Kennelly
[Delphine Marie \(Bella\) Kennelly. 1936-2024](#)
[The Free Press](#)



Catechism

Holy Family Parish continues to offer catechism program for children in home program with an online component. Please inquire at the parish office for information and books.

This program is looking for a volunteer to provide 2 to 3 hours of support per month. If you would like to offer your services to the parish in this way, please contact the parish office.

THANK YOU to the members of CWL, Holy Family Parish, St. Michael's Parish, and the Community at large for your overwhelming support of the CWL Lenten Soup and Bun effort!

Your participation and generosity are appreciated. All profits in the amount of \$2,840.00 will be paid to Development and Peace. Watch for the event again during lent 2025!

Contact the Parish Office at fernie@nelsondiocese.org

- If you are new to the Parish
- If you would like your email address to be removed from our mailing list.
- Comments are welcome.
- Contact information update.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

FINANCE REPORT

Contributions for the week of
March 30, 2024

Actual: \$1,272.57

Budget: \$1,000.00

Variance: (+272.57)

Easter & Good Friday Collections

\$2,400.00

Total Contributions YTD

\$15,489.65

Pilgrimage of Faith

As of December 2024.

Goal: \$20,000.00

Received: \$2,195.73

Variance: \$17,804.27

e-Transfer for Holy Family

etransfer.hfpfernie@nelsondiocese.org

All your donations are greatly appreciated. There are other methods to use for donation including e-Transfer and SAG (Stewardship (Pre) Authorized Giving. Enquire at the office for more information. Thank you for your kindness.

Pilgrimage of Faith



Or e-transfer:

etransfer.pof@nelsondiocese.org
Please include your name, address and parish on the message area.

VOLUNTEER SCHEDULE.

April 13, 2024

Liturgical Reader

Angelika Pace

Patrice Oscienny

Sacristan

Bob Sumka & Diane Slywka

April 20, 2024

Liturgical Reader

Colin Lynch

Marilyn Brushetta

Sacristan

Lucrecia Lynch

Church Cleaners

April 15 to April 29, 2024

Lina Campisi & Maria Scarpelli

Donations to Holy Family. Find the displayed QR around inside the Church.

Thank you in advance for your support.



****Diocesan Finance Policy Change**

A parish may raise an additional 30% of their annual POF goal, which will not be subject to Cathedralricum. Donations in excess of the additional 30% of the POF goal are kept by the Parish and recorded as taxable income.



Offering Envelopes Available

Donation envelopes are available inside the church on top of the side table. Please contact the parish office if you need further assistance.



“RENEWING GOD’S FIRE WITHIN US”

We invite **ALL** Catholic women to join us for spiritual nourishment and opportunities to be our Lord’s eyes, hands, feet, and voice.

PRESENTATIONS:

Our Role: Preventing Sexual Exploitation & Trafficking Young Persons
(Friday afternoon)

Protecting Each Other from MAiD
(Saturday afternoon)

Living in Christ & Living Rosary – (Saturday morning)

Workshop –The Three Core Values (Friday morning)


WHERE: Holy Child Parish, 14010 Rosedale Avenue, Summerland, BC

WHEN: Friday, May 3rd and Saturday, May 4th

COST:
1 day - \$15
2 day - \$25

CONTACT: Debbie Cloutier – debcloutier27@gmail.com

NELSON CWL 88TH ANNUAL CONVENTION



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For more information or to preregister: debcloutier27@gmail.com

KEYNOTE PRESENTATION:

Preventing Sexual Exploitation of Youth - Friday at 12:30
by BRAVE Education Panel Members and Facilitators:

- Alyssa Favro, MA RCC, Counsellor and Educator
- Brenna Wallace, Experiential Spokesperson and Educator
- Bryna Ari, Investigator, RCMP Serious Crimes Unit
- Kelly Schuler-McDonald, Executive Director

...activities include: Presentations, Film, Facilitated Discussion, Detective Game

WHEN: 12:30 Friday, May 3rd 2024
WHERE: 14010 Rosedale Ave, Summerland BC
Donations to NDCWL are appreciated