

Welcome to the Roman Catholic Parishes of the Elk Valley



HOLY FAMILY PARISH FERNIE, BC

501 4th Avenue

Mailing Address:

PO Box 519, V0B 1M0

Parish Office: 250-423-6127

Pastor Office: 250-425-6444

Email: fernien@nelsondiocese.org

Website:

<https://hollyfamilyfernien.ca>

Pastor's Email:

elkvalley.pastor@nelsondiocese.org

Pastor: Thomas Kakkaniyil

Mass Times

Saturday - 4:00 PM

Sunday 11:00 AM

ROCKY MOUNTAIN VILLAGE

Wed -11 am

Confessions 30 minutes before Mass
or by appointment.

Rosary 30 minutes prior to any Holy
Mass

Finance Council: Colin Lynch,
Angelika Pace, and Wayne Warner.

Property Manager: John Pallone.

Farish Council Chair: Sharon Hecker

Parish Council Vice Chair: Frank
Galway

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>

Pastor's Email:

elkvalley.pastor@nelsondioces.org

Mass Times

Saturday - 6:00 PM

Sunday - 9:00 AM

Monday - No Mass

Tuesday 6:00 PM

Thursday 9:00 AM

Lilac Terrace

Friday - 11:00 AM

Mass at Lilac Terrace

The Holy

Rosary is prayed 30 minutes before
Mass.

Confessions 30 minutes before Mass
or by appointment.

ST. BERNARD'S MISSION ELKFORD, BC

800 Natal Road

Mailing Address:

PO Box 167, V0B 2G0

C/O St. Michaels Parish

Parish Office: 250 -425-2327

Website: <https://stmichaelssparwood.org>

Pastor's email:

elkvalley.pastor@nelsondiocese.org

Mass Service

Sunday - 1:30 PM

Rosary is prayed 30 minutes before
Mass.

Confessions after Mass or by
appointment.

Fernie Office Hours

Tuesdays to Fridays

9:00 AM to 1:00 PM

Bookkeeper

Tuesdays 9:00 AM to 1:00 PM

July 26, 2026.

Replacement Priest Schedule

Deacon Peter D'Aoust

Will stay in the rectory and do communion.

July 25 & 26

Fr. Julian Studden

Will stay in the Rectory and will do the weekday Mass, from 3 to 7.

August 1 & 2

August 8 & 9.

No care home Mass



1. If there are many who still want a change of time for Sunday Mass or swap the Sunday Mass time between Sparwood and Fernie, I am ready to do it after three months. I would like to get your suggestions. Send your suggestions to the parish offices as early as possible. Decision and action on this matter will depend on your positive suggestions in both parishes.

The proposed Sunday Mass time for Fernie will be 9.30 am and Sparwood at 11.30 am.

Floor Hall Replacement

We are planning the replacement of the lower hallway floor in The Fernie Family Centre. Approximate expenses will be almost \$24,500/=. If we are able to exceed the Pilgrimage of Faith Goal, that money will be used for this repair. So, the Diocesan goal is \$16,500/= and the Family Parish Goal is \$24,500/+ Total \$41,000/= to be collected within December 31, 2026, if possible. We will begin this project in the Month of August.

Gathering in the Spirit 2026

September 16-19 Seton House of Prayer, Kelowna, BC.

Contact for information & registration

ndccrs2020@gmail.com

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**PARISH OFFICE
CLOSED**

July 28, 29, 30, and 31.

Aug 4, 5, 6, and 7.

Donations to Venezuela since the earthquake. Development and Peace is handling donations for the area. We won't be doing a special collection but encourage those who inquire to donate via Development and Peace

[Click here](#)

Holy Family Pilgrimage of Faith



Total Contributions YTD 2026

As per June 30, 2026

\$7,227.72

POF Goal \$16,500.00

Finance Report

Contributions for the week of

July 19, 2026

Actual: \$887.06

Budget: \$1,150.00

Variance: (-\$262.94)

Total Contributions YTD

\$41,339.45

e-Transfer for Holy Family

etransfer.hfpfernie@nelsondiocese.org



Thank you
for your donation

Volunteer Schedule

Saturday, July 25, 2026, 4:00 PM

Liturgical Reader

Sharon Hecker

Extraordinary Eucharistic Minister

Volunteer (s)

Sunday, July 26, 2026, 11:00 AM

Liturgical Reader

Marilyn Bruschetta

Extraordinary Eucharistic Minister

Volunteer (s)

Saturday, August 1, 2026, 4:00 PM

Liturgical Reader

Anne Majic & Hamaica Tabamo

Extraordinary Eucharistic Minister

Diane Slywka

Sunday, August 2, 2026, 11:00 AM

Liturgical Reader

Angelika Pace

Extraordinary Eucharistic Minister

Volunteer (s)

Church Cleaners

July 20, 2026, to August 3, 2026

Angelika Pace, Sue Marcellus, and Sophie Perrault.



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Pre-Authorized Giving Form

[POF 2026 Appeal Brochure Fillable.pdf](#)



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