

# Holy Family Parish, Fernie

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



November 7, 2021

32<sup>nd</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time

Dear Parishioners and Friends of Holy Family Parish  
Welcome to our Parish.

## Pilgrimage of Faith

The Pilgrimage of Faith endeavour supports HFP projects and the operation of Diocese of Nelson.

Capital and major maintenance projects completed at HFP are eligible for a 15% rebate grant to a maximum rebate of \$100,000. All rebates must be claimed by the end of the calendar year following the completion of the project.

### Pilgrimage of Faith Appeal 2021

**Our Goal: \$17,250.00**  
**Year -to-date: \$5,345.00**  
**31% of YTD target**  
**Shortfall: \$11,905.00**

The parish Council is asking all Parishioners to donate in November and achieve our goals towards this worthy endeavours.

## Fernie Community Garden

Fernie Community Garden has exciting plans for 2022.  
More details of their plans will follow.



## Finance-Collections

October 31, 2021

Actual Year-to-date: \$46,110.99

Target Year-to-date: \$53,600.00

Achieved: 86% of YTD target



## Endowments

Holy Family has established an endowment Fund to help fund the upkeep our landmarked building in Fernie. We depend on the generosity of the congregation. If you would like to pledge or make a donation to worthy projects that are planned in 2022.

Please contact:

Mary Giuliano at [maryg2@telus.net](mailto:maryg2@telus.net) or Anne Magic at [anne.majic@gmail.com](mailto:anne.majic@gmail.com)

## Ministries

Saturday 6<sup>th</sup> November

**Reader:**

Theresa Cole-Smith

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**Church cleaning:**

1<sup>st</sup> Nov to 15<sup>th</sup> Nov:

Anne Magic

M. BeGuzman

Veronica Eustace

## CWL November Monthly Meeting

All women of the parish are invited to the April meeting of the CWL. Feel free to invite a friend.

**When:** Tuesday, November 16, 2021

**Time:** 7:00 PM

**Location:** Fernie Family Centre



## Volunteers



Holy Family needs individuals to help with the spiritual guidance of the church:

- Eucharistic Ministers
- Readers
- Greeters
- Church Cleaners
- Maintenance and Landscape support
- Individuals with previous digital communication knowledge and backgrounds in systems

**D&P Message for Newsletter Please make it continuing for the rest of Nov and December**

The Fall Campaign is “People and Planet First”.

Please go to [dev.org](https://dev.org) and choose “People and Planet First” from the menu, learn more and sign the petition. Canadian companies who have work projects in the Global South need to do better human rights and environmental diligence. The Petition is calling on the House of Commons to pass due diligence legislation to support human rights and to safeguard the environment.

## Fernie Family Centre

The Fernie Family Center continues to be a key area for youth in the community. At present two classrooms operate.

LittleMe program is intended for children ages 3-5.

Kindergym encourage physical activity, parents and caregivers with children aged 5 and under are welcome. Kindergym will resume the program on October 18, 2021. This program has been operating for thirty-two years

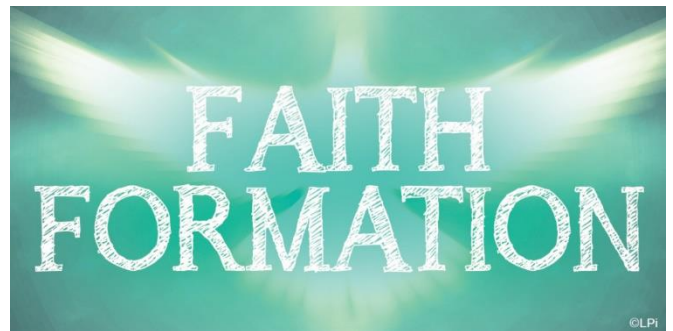
Additional rooms are available for lease, please contact the Parish Office for further information.



## Catechism Classes Announcement

### Calling all Parents of School Age Children

Alive in Christ is a family/ parish catechism program that allows students to join in person or online in a thoughtful and accepting format. It is age appropriate and can easily be taught in a classroom situation or else with parental support at home. The student book is comprehensive with stories, games, and questions. Please register your school aged children for catechism classes and offer to volunteer to teach a class by phoning the parish office (250-423-6127).



## Mass time in Fernie. Saturdays at 5pm

 Broadcasted at the same time.

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

## Interested in Good Vibrations. Join Holy Family Choir.

Holy Family Parish is happy to say the choir practice has started once again for Fernie  
We would love to have you onboard. All singers and instrumentalists are welcome.  
Fernie Catholic Choir on Facebook has the list of upcoming music.  
For further information call or text Rosanna Alseldo at 250-423-7290.



## Holy Family Parish. Interac e-transfer Donations.

When you are sending an Interac e-Transfer donation.  
Please send them to:

[etransfer.hfpfernienelsondiocese.org](mailto:etransfer.hfpfernienelsondiocese.org)

Please include your envelope #

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.  
Password is NOT required to make the transfer.

## Classroom Space Available for Rent Fernie Family Centre

Clean, bright, windows, air conditioned, private.



Room 5 400 square feet

Room 22 580 square feet

Room 23 610 square feet

Call (250) 4236127 for a viewing and details.

## The Fernie Family Garden Recycling Program

Holy Family Parish would like to inform you about the outgoing fundraising recycling program.

Everyone is welcome to participate and support the Fernie Family Garden.



**Beer/Pop/Juice/Water  
Bottles and Cans**

Drop off any time

**Where:** Shed besides the church. Place the recycling by the shed.

## The Fernie Family Garden (Produce Clean-up)

**Sacraments:** Contact the Parish Office via email [info@holyfamilyfernie.ca](mailto:info@holyfamilyfernie.ca) and we will reply to your email request accordingly.

