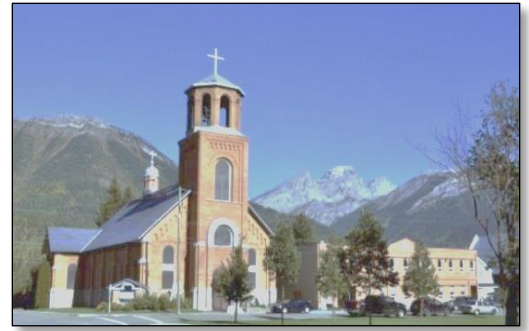


Holy Family Parish, Fernie

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

11th June 2017 Trinity Sunday

From the Parish...

CWL Windup – This Tuesday

Celia Roccamatisi writes... The CWL windup is this Tuesday, 13th June, at 7pm. We have wine from the Convention to drink and refreshments will be provided. All Christian women in Fernie are invited. Bring a friend. You may phone to give me an indicator of how many. My number is [250-430-7533](tel:250-430-7533). Given I learn how, we will play Banco, a dice game which I hear is fun, and of course listen to Sax Playing Fil who plays the Beatles, Queen and Hollywood Favourites well. Please come.

Weekday Masses

Fr. David has to be away for three days this week dealing with other church business, this means that there will be no Mass here in Fernie on Tuesday or Wednesday.

The parish council will be discussing the Tuesday morning Mass at their next meeting with the view to suspending it during the summer.

Parish Pastoral Council Meeting – Tuesday 20th

To avoid a clash with the CWL bun-fight the parish council meeting will now be on Tuesday 20th June at 7 pm. Hopefully all parish council members can attend.

Development & Peace's 50th Anniversary

Celia Roccamatisi writes... Development and Peace is celebrating its fiftieth anniversary this year by giving free membership! You are invited to join the group that is in solidarity with their brothers and sisters in the Global South. D&P wants to extend its listening audience and have their prayers. Of course, donations are always welcomed but there is no pressure. Emailing is the means of communication (devp.org.com) but there are also mail-outs. To assist you in making this decision, Sandy and Celia are distributing D&P Timelines in the foyer of the church that chronicles the major events of this organisation through the decades since 1967. It was the response of the Canadian Council of Bishops to Pope Paul VI's encyclical *Populorum Progressio* to be more efficient in supporting the world's poor that D&P came into existence. Please give D&P's invitation your consideration.

Mass Times

Masses for Sunday

Fernie:

5pm Saturday &
9am Sunday

Also:

Sparwood:

7pm Saturday &
11am Sunday

Elkford:

4pm Sunday

Weekdays Masses

Please see text.

ProLife

Please find attached to the bulletin a letter sent to members of Elk Valley Pro Life.

Volunteers needed

The garden in front of the Fernie Family Centre has several perennials and can really add a colourful accent to the building. However, we are in need of volunteers interested in tending it this year; both with donations of more perennials and volunteer time. Please contact Regina at 250-423-9154.

100 Years Since Fatima Miracles

To celebrate 100 years since the Fatima miracles the church will be open for a synoptic reading of the miracle followed by a recitation of the rosary on the following dates: 13th June at 6pm; 12th July at 7pm; 18th August at 7pm; 13th September at 7pm and 13th October at 7pm.

From the Diocese...

Pastoral Appointments

There have been a few more pastoral appointments announced by the Bishop's Office – or to put it in more familiar terms, it has been announced which priests of this diocese are moving parishes this summer.

It is with great sadness that we note that three of our active priests are having to retire this year on health grounds: Fr. Conrado, Fr. Sebastian and Fr. Dave DeSouza. We do promise them our prayerful support and recognise that this is a great loss to the diocese.

You might like to note that Fr. Peter Tompkins will be leaving Cranbrook and moving to Osoyoos – so he can look forward to a change of climate! He will be replaced by Fr. Aaron DeDios, a young and energetic priest from the Philippines who was previously in Revelstoke. Also Fr. Bart will be moving from Trail to Kelowna. In the autumn Fr. Marcel will be assigned to the Catholic Pastoral Centre in Kelowna.

The full details of the moves are available at the back of the church.

Catholic Mountain Star

The Catholic Mountain Star is the diocesan newspaper and contains articles submitted by people from around the diocese. If you wish to submit an item for consideration then please email your article or pictures to corpuschristikelowna@shaw.ca by the deadline of Monday, 19th June.

Second Annual Bishop's Dinner

For those with some disposable income that they want to dispose of by giving to the diocese, the second annual Bishop's Dinner is on Saturday 24th June in Kelowna. The ticket price is \$200 per head but you will get a tax receipt for \$100. Full details are on the table in the entrance of the church.

Ministries

Saturday 17th June

Eucharistic Minister:

Ewa & Adam Langer

Reader:

Colin Lynch

Greeters:

Willie Oryschak

Sunday 18th June

Eucharistic Minister:

Glenn Carter

Reader:

Adele Minto

Greeters:

Benny Mangone & Sam Caravetta

Church Cleaning for this week:

B. Coultry, G. Kitchen, C. Sonntag
& R. Anselmo

Finance

Collections:

3rd/4th June.....\$1434.40

Our Pilgrimage of Faith 2017:

Given to date.....\$ 8,545.00

Our Diocesan Goal..... \$11,600.00

*To donate to the Fernie Refugee Fund
please go to our website:*

www.holyfamilyfernie.ca

*and there is a link on the home page. You
will receive a charitable receipt for any
donation from Canada Helps.Org*

Suggested Websites:

Diocesan Website:

www.nelsondiocese.org

Catholic Women's League:

www.cwl.ca

Knights of Columbus:

www.kofc.org

Development & Peace:

www.dev.org

Canadian Conference of Catholic

Bishops: www.cccb.ca