We are Gifted and We are Called

Everything we are and everything we have belongs to God. We aren’t “owners” of anything, we are merely “stewards” of the gifts God has given each of us. All God is asking is that we give back a portion of what He gave us. This is the essence of Stewardship. God should be our first priority in everything. All else comes second.

Year of Prayer, Penance and Reparation

Bishop Warfel has declared a Year of Prayer, Penance and Reparation because of sins committed against children and youth by clergy and religious who served us here in the Diocese of Great Falls-Billings. The primary focus of this this year of prayer “is for healing for those harmed as well as healing for many of the faithful who feel discouraged and betrayed.”
Council of Catholic Women Fall Meeting

Sisters in Christ, you are invited to attend the fall Council of Catholic Women Vicariate meeting October 26 at St. Pius Parish in Billings. Registration is at 8:30. Lunch will be served. Contact Pam Berckmoes president, or any member of MQP CCW.

NEW HOURS! BIG SALE!

The SVPD Thrift Store at 3005 1st Ave. S. has expanded our hours to better serve our customers. In addition to our 9am-5pm Mon.-Fri., we are now open Sat. 9am-4pm. There is also a sale of up to 80% off everything in the store, as we prepare for some exciting changes in the near future. We thank you for supporting us. Every time you shop with us we are able continue to carry out our mission. Our staff is ready to assist you if you have any questions or concerns. We look forward to seeing you soon. 406-252-1855.

Sts. Cyril & Methodius

Craft bazaar is Saturday Nov. 9th from 9am to 2pm. To reserve a table, call Sue at 967-3747.

Enrich your spiritual life; get to know Jesus better

Marian Charismatic Prayer Group

The Marian Charismatic Prayer Group meets every Monday at 4pm at Mary Queen of Peace (3411 3rd Ave. South).

Rosary Wednesdays

Parishioner-led Rosary recital after every Wednesday morning Mass. Be part of a prayer devotion that makes a difference in our daily lives!

Eucharistic Adoration

Pope John XXIII was quoted as saying one ought to sit in Eucharistic Adoration in some church at least once a day. MQP offers Eucharistic Adoration, every Thursday following the 9:00AM Mass until 6:00PM.

Divine Mercy Prayer Group

The Divine Mercy Prayer Group meets the third Thursday of the month at 5:30pm at Mary Queen of Peace.

Cornerstone Prayer Group

We meet the first Tuesday of the month after 9am Mass in the lower parish hall.

TMIY That Man is You

Open to men of all ages, a weekly program on Thursdays, 6am, at SVPD (3005 1st Ave S). Addressing the pressures that face men in our modern culture. Breakfast included.

Understanding Climate Change

EcoAngela is hosting monthly discussions of the “10 Spiritual Disciplines of Laudato Si.” The purpose is to help attendees understand climate change and the positive personal and community actions recommended by Pope Francis in his 2015 encyclical, written for “all people of good will.” Each month will include ritual, art, a short presentation, sharing, and discussion. All are welcome! The next meeting date: October 24: Rediscover the Gospel of Creation 7:30-9:00pm. If you cannot make it on one month, please still join us for the next one! Each meeting is a different topic and you are welcome to join in on any or all of them.

Sisters of Charity and Community Crisis Center

The Crisis Center bridges the health care for individuals who need access to mental health, chemical dependency and social service assistance. As a catholic community our donations will help provide the daily needs of paper plates, napkins, plastic utensils (no knives), non-perishable food, sweat shirts & pants (adult sizes). One item donated per family would greatly help through the year. Collection of items will be October 19th & 20th at all the Masses. Your kindness was appreciated last year and it will make a difference again this year.
World Mission Sunday Collection

In 1926 Pope Pius XI instituted Mission Sunday for the whole Church with the first worldwide Mission Sunday collection taking place in October 1927. Next Sunday, The Mission Sunday collection will be taken up. That day is celebrated in all the local Churches as the feast of catholicity and universal solidarity so Christians the world over will recognize their common responsibility with regard to the evangelization of the world.

“Your toil is not in vain when it is done in the Lord”

“Therefore, my beloved brethren, be steadfast, immovable, always abounding in the work of the Lord, knowing that your toil is not in vain when it is done in the Lord.” Care and Share offers Catholics throughout our diocese the opportunity to assist in the support of critical ministries of our Church that will benefit the more than 38,000 Catholics and innumerable others throughout the 94,500 square miles of our diocese. Please prayerfully consider saying “yes” to supporting this year’s Appeal. Know that your generosity will serve to strengthen our Church and faith.

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Calendar of Weekly Events:

- 10-13 Consecration of the New Church Site on S. 27th St after 9:30AM Mass
- 10-14 NO Marian Charismatic Prayer Group
- 10-14 MQP-40 Days for Life – Noon to 6:00pm
- 10-16 MQP Fellowship Dinner 5:30pm Perkin’s 765 S. 20th St. West
- 10-17 Divine Mercy Prayer Group 5:30pm Upper Church

MQP RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Mondays 5-6:45pm Pre-K to 3rd Good Shepherd Program
Wednesdays 5-6:45pm Pre-K to 6th Good Shepherd Program
Thursdays 5-6:45pm RCIA
Youth Group contact Valerie Johnson 259-3389
Registration forms at entrance of church and on the website.
Contact Bill Kuzma for more info: 294-7607, mqp.dre@gmail.com
Fees for the year: $20 per family, $15 Bible

PBJs

CCW makes PBJ sandwiches on the **second Sunday of the month after the 9:30am Mass** for a donation to Salvation Army or St. Vincent de Paul. We make about 200 sandwiches each time. Your assistance with donations of **Smooth peanut butter and grape jelly would be most appreciated and there is always room around the table to help in the assembly of the sandwiches.**

Thankyou. MK Gartland-Lynaugh

If you or a family member are homebound, in the hospital or scheduled for surgery and would like the Sacrament of the Sick, please call Father José at the office @259-7611 #06.

Ministers Needed for Mary Queen of Peace

Mary Queen of Peace Parish is seeking additional ministers in the following areas: Altar Servers, Extra-ordinary Eucharistic Ministers, Greeters, Lectors, Ministers to the Homebound, and Sacristans. If you are called or you know good candidates contact Fr. Jose.

Annual Infant and Pregnancy Loss Prayer Service

On October 15th 2019 **Holy Cross Cemetery** will be holding their Annual Infant and Pregnancy Loss Prayer Service. The service will start around 2:00 pm. Fr. Tom Harney will be presiding at the prayer service. Refreshments and fellowship following the service.

Mary Queen of Peace Parish Stewardship Report

**Fiscal Year: July 1, 2019 thru June 30, 2020**

**Weekend of September 29, 2019**

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| Year-to-date Income Total: | 96,399 |
| Year-to-date Total Expenses Budget: | 102,244 |
| **Over (Short)** | (5,845) |

St. Agnes Parish Fall Craft Fair

St. Agnes Parish in Red Lodge is holding their craft fair and bake sale on Saturday October 19, 2019 in the Church hall at 1 North Word Avenue. Join us from 9am-4pm Come lunch and shop with us.

**Funerals:** Initial funeral planning:
Contact Fr. Jose Marquez, 294-7606