

ST. MATTHEW'S ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH

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Mon - Fri 8:00 am - 4:00 pm www.stmatthewskalispell.org

May 28, 2017

Dare to be a Saint

Eucharistic Celebrations:

Saturday Mass: 5:00 pm
Sunday Masses: 8:00, 9:30, & 11:00 am
Weekday Masses:
Tues. & Thurs 12:10 pm
Wed. 7:15 am
Fri. 8:45 am
Reconciliation: ··· Sat. 3:00 - 4:00pm or by appointment
11:00am - 11:50pm - 1st & 3rd Tuesdays

Sacraments:

Baptism and Marriage Prep: by appointment 752-6788
First Communion and Confirmation 752-6788

Parish Staff:

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Charlie Sherrill, *Secretary* 752-6303

St Matthew's Catholic Early Learning Center:

Roseann Herne *Director* 756-6807

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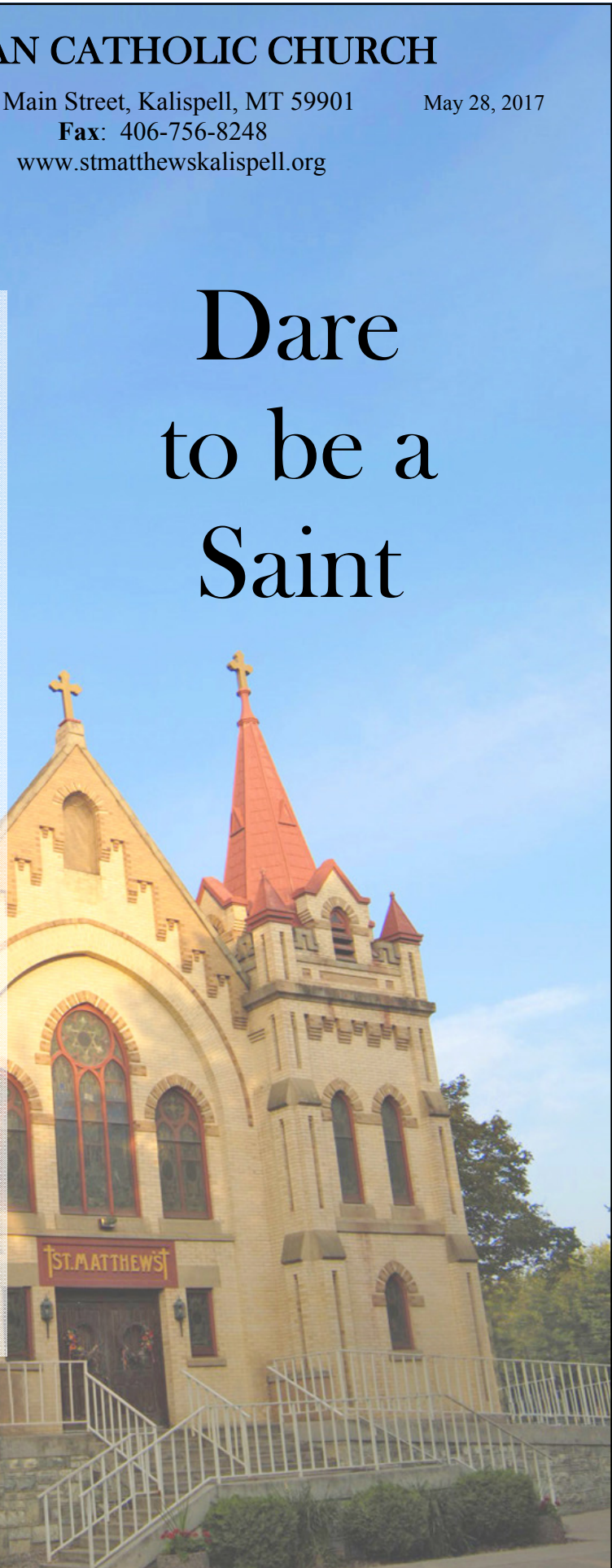


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MASSES
SUNDAY 8:00 AM, 9:30 AM, 11:00 AM
MON. & THURS. 12:10 P.M.
TUES. & WED. 7:15 A.M.
FRIDAY 8:45 A.M.
RECONCILIATION SAT. 3:00-4:00 P.M.
11:00 AM - 11:50 PM - 1st & 3rd Tuesdays

Ministry & Prayer Schedule

Adoration Tues 12:45 pm - Midnight
 Weds 7:45 am - 6:30 pm
 CCW 1st Thurs..... Doran Center
 Choir Practice Wednesdays 7:00 pm... Church
 Daughters of Isabella.....Every 4th Monday 6pm Doran Center
 Knights of Columbus 1st Thursday 6:00 pm Social,
 6:30 pm dinner,7:30 pm meeting..... RMC
 Praise & Worship Thurs. 7:00 pm..... Church
 Rosary Tue & Thu 11:25 am.... Church
 RCIA Tues. 7:00 pm RMC
 Women of Grace Tues 10:30 am..... Apt. 30
 Wed 4:00 pm Apt. 30
 Wed. 7:00 pm..... Apt. 30
 Thurs 1:00 pm....Doran Center
 Fri 9:30 am..... Doran Center
 Faith Formation K-5 R.E/Saints..... 4-5:15 pm on Wednesdays
 Faith Formation 6-8...Edge.....7-8:30 pm on Wednesdays
 Faith Formation 9-12 YDisciple.....7-8:30 pm on Wednesdays

Parish Gifts of Treasure

Stewardship Report Fiscal Year 7/1/16-6/30/17 05/14/17

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| 05/14/17 Collection Total | \$ 11,856.94 |
| Weekly Budgeted | \$ 11,289.20 |
| Over (Short) | \$ (567.74) |
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| 07/01/16 to Date | \$ 622,850.92 |
| Total Budgeted | \$ 668,975.39 |
| Over (Short) | \$ (46,124.47) |



Advertiser of the Week

**Dickerson Counseling
 Laura Dickerson**

See Ad on the Back of the Bulletin

This Week's Daily Readings

Mon. 05/29/17 - Seventh Week of Easter
 Acts 19:1-8; Ps 68:2-3ab,4-5acd,6-7ab; Col 3;1; Jn 16:29-33

Tue. 05/30/17 - Seventh Week of Easter
 Acts 20:17-27; Ps 68:10-11,20-21; Jn 14:16; Jn 17:1-11a

Wed. 05/31/17 - Feast of the Visitation of the Blessed Virgin Mary
 Zep 3:14-18a; or Rom 12:9-16; Isaiah 12:2-3,4bcd,5-6; Lk 1:45;
 Lk 1:39-56

Thur. 06/01/17 - Memorial of St. Justin
 Acts 22:30; 23:6-11; Ps 16:1-2a,5,7-8,9-10,11; Jn 17:21; Jn
 17:20-26

Fri. 06/02/17 - Seventh Week of Easter
 Acts 25:13b-21; Ps 103:1-2,11-12,19-20ab; Jn 14:26;
 Jn 21:15-19

Sat. 06/03/17 - Memorial of St. Charles Lwanga and Companions
 Acts 28:16-20,30-31; Ps 11:4,5,7; Jn 16:7,13; Jn 21:20-25

Sun. 06/04/17 - Pentecost Sunday
 Acts 2:1-11; Ps 104:1,24,29-30,31,34; 1 Cor 12:3b-7,12-13
 Jn 20:19-23

INTRODUCING...

FLATHEAD VALLEY CATHOLIC YOUNG ADULT MINISTRY

Who we are: Young adults in our 20's and 30's, single and married, who are seeking fellowship with other Jesus-lovin' Catholics and those seeking to learn more about the Catholic faith.

Join us on Sunday, June 11th - 2:00 pm at Lawrence Park in Kalispell for our first event!

ICE CREAM SOCIAL & GAMES IN THE PARK

For more information on our new group and this event, check us out on the web: www.fvyacatholic.weebly.com
 Facebook page: "Flathead Valley Catholic Young Adults" or call/text to 406-962-6876

We look forward to getting to know you as we continue to plan for future events!

School Announcements



"Your Word Is A Lamp"

Psalm 119

SCRIP NEWS

Beginning May 29th, the Scrip Office will be open on Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday only. We will be closed on Fridays thru the summer months.



School is almost out! You still have until June 30th to have Scrip credits applied to next years' tuition!!!

HELP WANTED

We need a kitchen helper for the 2017/2018 school year. It would be 3 days a week, from 8:30 am to 1:15 pm. Please call the school @ 752-6303 if you are interested.

SOFTBALL

It's softball season. If you are interested in playing, please contact Roseann at 756-6807 for more information.



Social Concerns

FRED'S PANTRY

Pantry Needs

A stand alone **freezer** and a stand alone **refrigerator**. We have, unfortunately lost some food due to each of them failing.

An **enclosed utility trailer** for picking up Food Bank deliveries and other various duties serving our Parish is needed.

We had a couple of real busy days serving our clients with large families. Our food reserves are now lower than we like.

Any donations of food, personal care items, paper goods, dish & laundry soaps, and of course cash are needed.

We are very grateful and proud of our Catholic Community's generosity.

Office Hours: Tuesdays & Thursdays
10:00 am - Noon & 2:00 - 4:00 pm
or by appointment - 752-6402

SPARROW'S NEST

Volunteer Opportunities

- **Life Skills Classes: Volunteers need to help teach life skills
- **Foster Grandparent program
- **Skilled laborers
- **Yard and maintenance

Call 406-309-5196

A Race to Remember

Gene Boyle-A Race to Remember, An ALZHEIMER'S AWARENESS Event, will be held on June 3rd at 8:30 am at Legends Field in Kalispell

General Announcements

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ADORATION

Have Faith in Jesus' Real Presence

Just before His Ascension, Jesus told the Apostles two things: to make disciples of all nations and to teach them "all I have taught you." Note the two words "disciples" and "teach." This is the final mandate of our Savior to the Apostles and to all of us. We must make disciples of all nations. What is a disciple? A disciple is one who have learned, whose mind has been instructed and whose intellect has been enlightened. Then Christ told the Apostles, "teach all nations all that I have taught you." Among the truths Christ taught the Apostles, none is more fundamental than the fact that God became man, that He died for the world's salvation and that this god-become-man is in the world in the Eucharist.

We who see this should weep over the emptiness of so many Catholic minds which do not grasp what Christ has revealed. Is there anything more important than to know that Christ, who redeemed the world, is in the world today?

The implications are obvious. We Catholics have a divinely given duty to understand what we believe about the Blessed Sacrament. Yes, we have an obligation to grow in all the virtues, but the most basic Christian virtue is faith. If we do not grow in the faith, we will not grow in any other virtue. Growing in the faith means growing in understanding and in the intelligibility of our faith and in the meaningfulness of our faith.

Closing observation: In the *Tantum Ergo*, we sing "*praestet fides supplementum sensuum defectui*, which means "let faith supply for what is wanting in the senses." We are asking that our believing mind may be deepened in its grasp of what our senses do not convey, that behind what our eyes can see, behind the physical properties of bread and wine, is the living God who became man.

Sign up for Adoration by calling Ruthann at 756-8551.

***A sub is needed on Wednesdays, for the summer, from 1-2:00 pm

***A permanent person is needed on Tuesdays from 5-6:00 pm

St. Matthew's Catholic Early Learning Center's 5th Annual Parking Lot Sale Saturday, June 10th 7:30 am - 2:00 pm

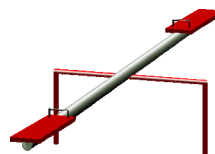


Are you spring cleaning and want to make extra summer spending money? This is a perfect opportunity for you. \$10.00 buys you a parking lot spot to host your own rummage sale. We do all the advertising. Spaces are limited so call and reserve your spot today. If you don't want the hassle of your own rummage sale, the Early Learning Center is accepting donations to sell at their parking lot spot. Call Roseann at 756-6807 for more information.

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SALES

Donations will be accepted beginning the week of June 5th.

****We plan to buy new equipment for the playground with the money earned by the sale.



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“Date Night”

“How To Get Past The Speed Bumps In Marriage”



Guest Speakers From Lethbridge Canada

Peter & Linda Kish



Saturday, June 10, 2017

In The Doran Center

6:00 - 6:45 pm Social

Pig Roast Dinner & Program To Follow

RSVP Deadline is Wednesday, June 7, 2017

RSVP with the My Parish App or call the Parish Office

Free will offerings are greatly appreciated