

# Holy Family Catholic Church

104 E. Birch Street

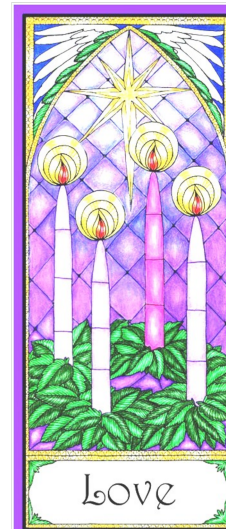
Three Forks, MT 59752

[www.holyfamilymt.org](http://www.holyfamilymt.org)

## December 18, 2022



**Fourth  
Sunday  
of Advent**



Let the  
Lord  
enter;  
He is  
king of  
glory.

### Christmas Mass Schedule

*Saturday, December 24th*

*Christmas Eve*

*4:00pm and 8:00pm SJV*

*Sunday, December 25th*

*Christmas Day*

*8:00am Holy Family*

*10:30am SJV*



*With the permission  
of Bishop Vetter, the  
Precious Blood will  
be offered at all  
Christmas Masses.*

### **Sacrament Schedule**

#### **Holy Family - Three Forks**

Sunday Mass ~ 8:00 am

Daily Mass 8:00 am Thur. and Sat.

Saturday Mass followed by Eucharistic Adoration  
and Confession until 9:30 am

#### **St John Vianney - Belgrade**

Sunday ~ 10:30am

Saturday Vigil ~ 5:00 pm

Adoration from Sunday after Mass until 7:00pm

Monday 7:00am until Noon

Confession: 3:00-4:30 pm Sat. or by appt.

Daily Mass Monday, Tuesday & Wednesday 12:05pm

Eucharistic Adoration Tuesday 7:00-8:00pm

**Baptism:** Please call the church

**Marriages** must be scheduled at least  
six (6) months in advance.

Call church office for more information

#### **Pastor: Father Eric Gilbaugh**

**Deacon:** Robert Lane 406-539-6693

**Church Office:** Mary Pendleton

Hours: Thursday 9:00am - Noon

406-285-3592

Email: [holyfamily@q.com](mailto:holyfamily@q.com)

*please always include your phone # when emailing the office*

**St. John Vianney Phone:** 406-388-1290

**Formed.org Parish Code:** d8b168

**Altar Society:** Rita Vander Vos  
406-539-8399

**Knights of Columbus:** DJ Jones  
406-580-4030

**Meal Train:** Kelli Stanley  
406-579-8157  
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**Prayer Line:** Kathie Satake  
[ksatake3@gmail.com](mailto:ksatake3@gmail.com)

# Parish Calendar



**Thursday, Dec. 22nd**

**Late Advent Weekday**  
8:00am Mass

**Saturday, Dec. 24th**

**Christmas Eve**  
\*Note\* No 8:00am Mass, Adoration or Confessions  
\*Note\* No 3:00pm Confessions at St. John Vianney

4:00pm Christmas Eve Mass at St. John Vianney

8:00pm Christmas Eve Mass at St. John Vianney

**Sunday, Dec. 25th**

**Christmas Day**  
8:00am Christmas Morning Mass intention: 'Pro populo'  
(‘For the people’ of Holy Family)  
Lector: Peter Nealen  
Servers: Henry and Calvin

10:30am Christmas Morning Mass at St. John Vianney  
\*Note\* No Adoration following Mass

**Monday, Dec. 26th**

**St. Stephen, The First Martyr**  
\*Note\* No Adoration or 12:05pm Mass at SJV and SJV Parish Office closed

**Tuesday, Dec. 27th**

**St. John, Apostle & Evangelist**  
\*Note\* No 12:05pm Mass at SJV and SJV Parish Office closed  
7:00-8:00pm Eucharistic Adoration

**Wednesday, Dec. 28th**

**The Holy Innocents, Martyrs**  
\*Note\* No 12:05pm Mass at SJV and SJV Parish Office closed

**Thursday, Dec. 29th**

**Fifth Day within the Octave of the Nativity of the Lord**  
**St. Thomas Becket, Bishop & Martyr**  
\*Note\* No 8:00am Mass and HF Parish Office closed

**Friday, Dec. 30th**

**Feast of the Holy Family**

**Saturday, Dec. 31st**

**Seventh Day within the Octave of the Nativity of the Lord**  
**St. Sylvester I, Pope**  
\*Note\* No 8:00am Mass, Adoration or Confessions  
\*Note\* No 3:00—4:30pm Confessions at SJV

**Sunday, Jan. 1st**

**Solemnity of Mary, the Holy Mother of God**  
**The Octave Day of the Nativity of the Lord**  
8:00am Mass intention: Pro Populo  
Lector: Shawn Wilcox  
Servers: William and Jase  
*Potluck Breakfast following Mass hosted by the Altar Society to celebrate the Feast of the Holy Family*



## Altar Society News

Many thanks to everyone who gave so generously to the recent collection.  
We gave over 119 lbs. of food to Headwaters Area Food Bank for their  
Christmas baskets.

Registration for Legendary Lodge camps open in January and fill up fast.  
Call Rita Vander Vos regarding financial support.

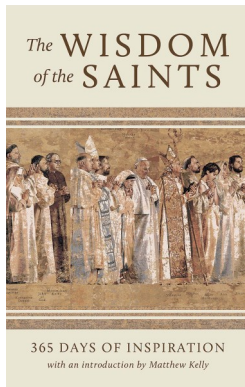
**Sunday, January 1st, to celebrate the Feast of the Holy Family,  
there will be a potluck breakfast after Mass!**

The next Altar Society meeting will be held **Wednesday, January 4th  
at 6:00pm** in the Parish Hall.

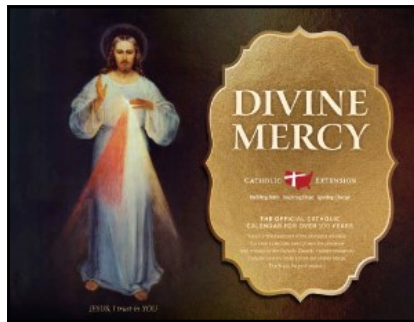




Please note that there will be no daily Masses at either St. John Vianney or Holy Family Monday, December 26 thru Saturday, December 30, as Father Gilbaugh will be on retreat. The offices will be closed in both parishes that week.



Need a last-minute gift? Take an extra copy of this year's free Advent book from the parish, 'The Wisdom of the Saints.'



Don't forget to get your free 2023 parish calendar, with beautiful images of the Divine Mercy devotion, available in the entryway.

*Celebrate the Feast of the Holy Family  
with your spiritual family!  
Sunday, January 1st  
Potluck Breakfast following the 8:00am Mass  
Hosted by the Altar Society  
All are welcome!*



## Pro-Life Corner...save the dates!

**Wednesday, January 11th**

Gallatin Valley Pro-Life Youth monthly meeting

**Friday, January 13th**

Montana State  
March for Life  
Capitol Rotunda, Helena

**Saturday, January 21st**

Bozeman March for Life  
Gallatin County  
Courthouse, Bozeman



## Parish Updates & Tidbits

Due to your generous tithing, the parish was able to give end-of-year gifts of \$500 to each of the following charitable organizations this December. Please consider them in your annual giving.

*haven*

Haven provides confidential support, legal advocacy, counseling, and a safe place to stay for anyone and everyone impacted by domestic violence, sexual assault, trafficking, and stalking. Haven served 12% more survivors this past fiscal year than the year before, an increase that outpaces even the high growth we all see in the Gallatin Valley.

<https://havenmt.org/>

The Bozeman Warming Center offers seasonal shelter to anyone in need, including families with children, single adults, and couples. The space provides each individual or group with separate sleeping areas, and trained staff and volunteers are on-site at all times during operating hours. The Warming Center now provides year-round service, and is committed to making a safe, warm space for guests while assisting them on their journey to self-sufficiency.

<https://thehrdc.org/housing/homeless-services/emergency-shelter/bozeman-shelter/>



### ENERGY SHARE OF MONTANA

Energy Share of Montana is a statewide, nonprofit organization dedicated to helping Montanans overcome energy emergencies and move toward self-reliance. This can include help with heating bills and furnace repair or replacement. Last year 1716 families were helped to stay warm, 33 households were assisted in making their furnace or water heater safer or more efficient, and 37 households were helped to weatherize their homes.

[www.energysharemt.com](http://www.energysharemt.com)

Food for the Poor is an interdenominational Christian ministry serving the poor in primarily 17 countries throughout the Caribbean and Latin America. They provide food, housing, healthcare, education, fresh water, emergency relief, micro-enterprise solutions and more. Every dollar donated by Dec. 31st will be matched.

[www.foodforthe poor.org](http://www.foodforthe poor.org)



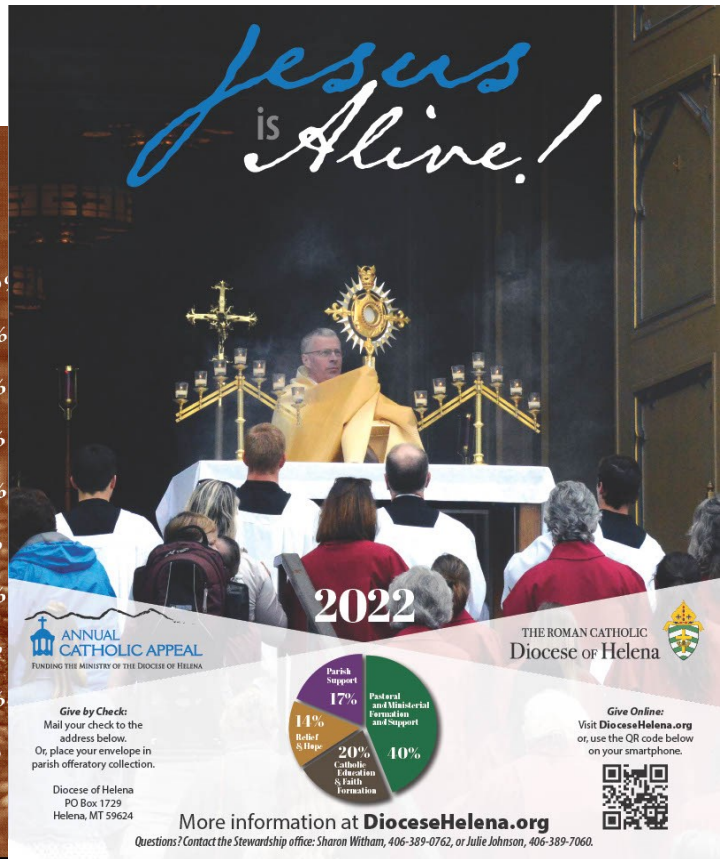
The Headwaters Area Food Bank connects food with those who need it in the Three Forks and surrounding areas. Their mission is not only to distribute food to the residents of the Headwaters & Three Forks area who are in need of emergency food services — but to treat those recipients with compassion and respect.

<https://thehrdc.org/food-nutrition/headwaters-food-bank/>





***Our Parish's contributions to  
this year's Annual Catholic  
Appeal to date***



Preschool through Grade 12  
www.dmamt.org

The school administrator should love and support the mission of DMA and should graciously and professionally attend to the various needs of teachers, families and the Board of Directors. Responsibilities include warmly greeting visitors, answering phones, assisting teachers with clerical or student needs, and managing office needs. Please visit our website for a full description.

This position is approximately 20 hours a week, with the possibility of growth. Hours are flexible within the school day and week.

*For information or to apply, email [board@dmamt.org](mailto:board@dmamt.org)*

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## Diocese of Helena's Youth Ministry Retreat

at Fairmont Hot Springs Resort  
January 6—7, 2023

<https://diocesehelen.org/youthministryretreat/>