

# Welcome to the Roman Catholic Parish of the Elk Valley



## HOLY FAMILY PARISH FERNIE, BC

521 4<sup>th</sup> Avenue

Mailing Address:

PO Box 519, V0B 1M0

Parish Office: 250-423-6127

Pastor Office: 250-425-6444

Email: [fernie@nelsondiocese.org](mailto:fernie@nelsondiocese.org)

Website:  
<https://hollyfamilyfernie.ca>

## Weekend Mass

Saturday - 5:00 PM

**New** Sunday 3:30 PM

## Weekday Mass

Wednesday - **Noon**

ROCKY MOUNTAIN VILLAGE

**Wednesday - 11:00 AM**

Confessions 30 minutes before Mass

Or by appointment.

Rosary 30 minutes prior to any Holy Mass

## ST. MICHAELS'S PARISH SPARWOOD, BC

129 Centennial Square

Mailing Address:

PO Box 167, V0B 2G0

Parish Office: 250-425-2327

Pastor Office: 250-425-6444

Email: [sparwood@nelsondiocese.org](mailto:sparwood@nelsondiocese.org)

Website: <https://stmichaelssparwood.org>

## Mass Services

Sunday - 11:00 AM

The Holy

Rosary is prayed 30 minutes before Mass.

Confessions 30 minutes before Mass or by appointment.

### Mass Intentions in Fernie

Saturday, June 29

Mass Intention M.S.T.

## ST. BERNARD'S MISSION ELKFORD, BC

800 Natal Road

Mailing Address:

PO Box 167, V0B 2G0

C/O St. Michaels Parish

Parish Office: 250-865-2711

Website: <https://stmichaelssparwood.org>

## Mass Service

Sunday - 1:00 PM

Pastor: Fr. Thomas Kakkaniyil

[elkvalley.pastor@nelsondiocese.org](mailto:elkvalley.pastor@nelsondiocese.org)

Fernie Office Hours

Wednesdays to Fridays

9:00 AM to 1:00 PM

Bookkeeper

Tuesdays 9:00 AM to 1:00 PM

### 13<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time

*Holy Family Parish extends a heartfelt thanks for your continued support to our faith community and to the Diocese.*

#### Holy Family Pilgrimage of Faith Appeal

##### Benefits

- Donations in excess of the additional 30% of the POF goal are kept by the Parish and recorded as taxable income.
- Capital and major maintenance projects are eligible for a 15% rebate.
- Pastoral Programs within the Diocese. Examples

Youth Ministry

First Nations Ministry

#### How to Donate

1. Interact transfer (*indicate what your donation is intended for*)

[etransfer.hfpfernie@nelsondiocese.org](mailto:etransfer.hfpfernie@nelsondiocese.org)

2. Square



## Thank You

1. Let me thank each one of you for your presence and contributions for celebrating my 45 years of Priesthood. It was a great occasion for me reflect of my past days and years of work as priest in different areas of work as a missionary as well as a pastor in different countries and parishes. If God wills, I will celebrate my 50 years of priesthood and will retire from my active ministry.

## New Sunday Mass in Fernie

Fernie 3:30 PM

- **Sparwood** at 9:30 am (potluck coffee and snacks)
- **Elkford** at 12:30 pm (potluck lunch)

Fr. Thomas Jubilee Celebration



### Sacraments

We are happy to assist you. Contact the Parish Office via email [fernie@nelsondiocese.org](mailto:fernie@nelsondiocese.org) and we will reply to your email request accordingly



## 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.

## Volunteer Opportunity

(Church Perennial Garden)

Connect to our community and make it a better place. Please join the Parish Garden volunteer group



Support natural beauty:

- Cutting down overgrown plants
- Weeding
- and disposing waste, when required.

Email [fernie@nelsondiocese.org](mailto:fernie@nelsondiocese.org)

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## WEBSITES TO KEEP YOU CONNECTED

- [Diocese of Nelson](#) [Click Here.](#)
- Canadian Conference of Catholic Bishops [Click Here](#)
- [Daily Mass readings](#) and the Breviary prayers for the hours throughout the day. [Click here](#)

- CWL Will be returning to normal gatherings on September 2024



SYMPOSIUM ON  
**PALLIATIVE CARE**  
*Towards a Narrative of Hope* 21-23 May 2024

- Press Release
- International Interfaith Symposium on Palliative Care [Click here](#)

### Catechism

Holy Family Parish continues to offer catechism program for children in home program with an online component. Please inquire at the parish office for information and books.

This program is looking for a volunteer to provide 2 to 3 hours of support per month. If you would like to offer your services to the parish in this way, please contact the parish office.

FINANCE REPORT



Contributions for the week of  
June 15, 2024

Actual: \$ 661.72

Budget: \$1,000.00

Variance: (- 338.28)

Total Contributions YTD  
\$25,331.32

Pilgrimage of Faith  
As of December 2024.  
Goal: \$20,000.00

Received May 2024: \$3,505.73

**Variance: \$16,494.27**

e-Transfer for Holy Family

[etransfer.hfpfernie@nelsondiocese.org](mailto:etransfer.hfpfernie@nelsondiocese.org)

All your donations are greatly appreciated. There are other methods to use for donation including e-Transfer and SAG (Stewardship (Pre) Authorized Giving. Enquire at the office for more information. Thank you for your kindness.

VOLUNTEER SCHEDULE.

Saturday, June 29, 2024, 5:00 PM

Liturgical Reader  
Patrice Oscienny  
Angelika Pace  
Sacristan  
Lucrecia Lynch

Saturday, July 6, 2024, 5:00 PM

Liturgical Reader  
Eunice Peterson  
Sacristan  
Bob Sumka

Sunday, July 7, 2024, 3:30 PM

Liturgical Reader  
Angelika Pace  
Sacristan  
Volunteer

Church Cleaners

June 24 to July 8, 2024  
Gary & Kathly Smith

