



# December 27, 2015

## The Holy Family of Jesus, Mary and Joseph

His parents found him in the temple, sitting among the teachers.  
 Luke 2

### MASS TIMES

Monday to Friday ..... 8:30 am  
 Saturday ..... 5:00 pm  
 Sunday ..... 8:30am, 10:30am & 7:00 pm  
 Praise & Worship at 6:45 pm

**Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament** after 8:30 am Mass every  
*First Friday* of the month.

### RECONCILIATION

Saturday ..... 4:30—4:45 pm  
 Sunday ..... 8:00—8:15 am & 10:00—10:15 am

### ALSO BY APPOINTMENT

**BAPTISM**—Baptisms take place during one of the weekend Masses. Our diocesan policy is to do Baptism Preparation for the first two children. Please contact us a month in advance of desired date.

**MARRIAGE**—Please contact our Parish Office at least 6 months in advance for potential booking—250-860-6776 or email: [charlesgarnier@gmail.com](mailto:charlesgarnier@gmail.com)

### CONTACT US:

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**Website:** [www.stcharlesgarnier.ca](http://www.stcharlesgarnier.ca)

**Pastor: Pat Monette**  
 Pastor's direct line: 778-478-6288

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**Catechism Coordinator:** Leslie Piasentin  
 Email: [children@stcharlesgarnier.ca](mailto:children@stcharlesgarnier.ca) or  
[leslie@stcharlesgarnier.ca](mailto:leslie@stcharlesgarnier.ca)

### MINISTRY COORDINATORS

If you wish to become involved contact the Parish Office 250-860-6776 or:

- Altar Servers .....Renae Clarkson 250-769-7979
- Campus Ministry ..... email: [ubco.focus@gmail.com](mailto:ubco.focus@gmail.com)
- Children's Liturgy .....
- Eucharistic Ministers ..... Patti Cook 778-478-6563
- Hospital Visitation & Eucharist. .Ethel Robidoux 250-860-2101
- Music .....JoAnn Young 250-764-0485
- Readers. .... Karen Sanesh 250-763-4618  
 or email: [karen.sanesh21@gmail.com](mailto:karen.sanesh21@gmail.com)
- Sacristans ..... Flo Pasutto 250-764-8716
- Safe Environment Coordinator—Bob Fortier 250-861-8709  
 or email: [frolics41@yahoo.ca](mailto:frolics41@yahoo.ca)
- Security Patrol.....
- Ushers ..... Gino Servedio 250-764-3182

### CONTACT NUMBERS

- CLUBHOUSE DAYCARE ..... 250-860-4393
- CREIGHTON MODEL FERTILITY CARE ..... 250-491-1088
- CURSILLO ..... John or Gail Schlosser. .... 250-764-7007
- DIOCESE OF NELSON—Catholic Pastoral Centre ..... 250-448-2725
- ELIZABETH SETON HOUSE OF PRAYER ..... 250-764-4333
- FREEDOM'S DOOR ..... [freedomdoor@shaw.ca](mailto:freedomdoor@shaw.ca) ..... 250-717-0472
- GRIEF TO GRACE ... [www.GriefftoGrace.org](http://www.GriefftoGrace.org) ..... 250-878-7603
- KELOWNA RIGHT TO LIFE ..... 250-862-8202
- PREGNANCY CARE CENTRE ..... 250-763-2112
- RACHEL'S VINEYARD .... [rvnelsondiocese@shaw.ca](mailto:rvnelsondiocese@shaw.ca) ..... 250-762-2273
- REACH OUT YOUTH COUNSELLING & FAMILY SERVICES 250-763-7892

### PARISH ORGANIZATIONS

- BICYCLES FOR HUMANITY ... Keith Germaine ..... 250-764-2942
- CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE  
 Meet second Tuesday of the month at 9:30 am  
 President: ... Diane Cey. .... 250-868-9636  
 Membership inquiries: ... Benita Spencer ..... 250-868-8608
- DEVELOPMENT AND PEACE ..... Mary Lou Johnson .. 778-478-0620
- KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS [www.stcharleskoc.com](http://www.stcharleskoc.com)  
 Meet second Thursday of the month at 7:30 pm.  
 Grand Knight: ... Rob Grifone ..... 250-862-9354  
 Email: [rgrifone@stcharleskoc.com](mailto:rgrifone@stcharleskoc.com)  
*Last Sunday of each month—Knights Breakfast after a.m. Masses*
- FR. PANDOSY 4TH DEGREE ASSEMBLY—Knights of Columbus  
 Inquiries ..... Gino Servedio. .... 250-764-3182
- PRAYER TO ST. PEREGRINE  
 If you have friends or family members with cancer, add them to our list, as we pray daily for them. Contact:  
 Alice 250-860-3541—email: [alicemccrea@shaw.ca](mailto:alicemccrea@shaw.ca) or  
 Christine 250-768-5274—email: [cbreevesac@shaw.ca](mailto:cbreevesac@shaw.ca)
- SECULAR FRANCISCAN ORDER .... Alice. .... 250-860-3541  
 Email: [alicemccrea@shaw.ca](mailto:alicemccrea@shaw.ca)
- SOCIETY OF ST. VINCENT de PAUL  
 Meet second and fourth Wednesdays at 9:00 am. .... 250-860-2536  
*Last Sunday of each month—SSVP donations*

## WEEKLY MASS INTENTIONS

<b>Monday</b>	Dec. 28	8:30 am	✠ John Lloyd Portz
<b>Tuesday</b>	Dec. 29	8:30 am	Int. Kathleen Fergusson
<b>Wednesday</b>	Dec. 30	8:30 am	✠ Marie Jeanne Evans
<b>Thursday</b>	Dec. 31	5:00 pm	Int. Kevin & Nancy McKinnon
<b>Friday</b>	Jan. 1	10:30 am	✠ Parishioners of SCG
<b>Saturday</b>	Jan. 2	5:00 pm	✠ Maria & Wladyslaw Plachta
<b>Sunday</b>	Jan. 3	8:30 am	✠ Carl Roth
		10:30 am	✠ Barbara Schepenski
		7:00 pm	Parishioners of St. Charles Garnier

### PASTORAL CARE OF THE SICK

If you are hospitalized, please be sure to identify yourself as Catholic when being admitted. Family members are also asked to notify the parish office of shut-ins and hospitalized parishioners.

For emergencies *while you are a patient in the hospital*—call the Chaplaincy Phone 250-878-1502.

GUIDE TO GIVING	2015 YTD	2014 YTD
<b>Collections</b>	\$ 469,242	\$ 474,230
<b>Building Fund</b>	\$ 46,617	\$ 91,199

### NEXT WEEK'S READINGS:

1st Reading:	Isaiah 60:1-6
2nd Reading:	Ephesians 3:2-3a, 5-6
Gospel:	Matthew 2:1-12

### REMEMBER OUR CATHOLIC SCHOOLS!

St. Joseph Elementary and Immaculata High provide the Catholic families of our parish (and many others) a superior Catholic educational experience for all grades K-12.

If providing a Catholic education for your family matters, go to [www.kelownacatholic.org](http://www.kelownacatholic.org) for more information.

### CATHOLIC SCHOOLS INFO.

S.C.G. School Board Rep.	Rita Smith
Immaculata High	250-762-2730
St. Joseph Elementary	250-763-3371
Our Lady of Lourdes Elementary School	250-768-9008
Kelowna Catholic Independent Schools	250-448-2725 or 250-762-2905

Fax: 1-866-964-3858 Website: [www.kelownacatholic.org](http://www.kelownacatholic.org)

## PILGRIMAGE OF FAITH



We have raised \$ 76,290. This is 100% of our Diocesan goal and 28.8% of our Parish goal. All further contributions will go directly to our Parish goal and will be refunded to our Parish. We thank those who have contributed to date and encourage all parishioners to participate in this program which is vital to our Diocese and our Parish. If you did not receive a package in the mail please pick one up from the ledge in the foyer.

## BAPTISM

*Baptized in our parish this weekend*

**Ella Dawn Provost**

*Daughter of Lindsay Knitter  
&  
Richard Provost*



## 2016 BOOK OFFERING ENVELOPES

The **2016 offering envelopes** are available for pick up from the tables in the Parish Hall. Please note that the information shown on the label is what will be printed on your tax receipt. Please check this carefully and let us know of any errors or changes as soon as possible. If you are participating in the monthly SAG (preauthorized giving) **you will still need to pick up your envelopes** as you will want to use your envelopes for the Special Collections not covered by your regular SAG donation.

### **VERY IMPORTANT:**

Please **DO NOT** use your new envelopes **before 2016!**

Your envelope number **changes each year.**

Using envelopes from other than the current year could result in confusion and not receiving proper tax credit for your donations.

ST. CHARLES GARNIER PARISH  
(Dedicated to the memory of Father Charles Pandey)  
3645 BENVOLIN RD  
KELOWNA BC V1W 4M7



*My Offering*

To: \_\_\_\_\_  
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## ST. JOSEPH BOTTLE DRIVE

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Please spread the word—kind request to save your empties from Christmas season festivities, and encourage your friends and neighbours to save theirs too.

St. Joseph Elementary School is hosting a post-Christmas bottle drive, to help raise needed funds for new technologies, extend the computer lab for our kids! Any returns accepted at the bottle depot (beverage cans, bottles, jugs, tetra packs) are welcome. Please drop-off all donations at St. Joseph School parking lot (839 Sutherland Ave.) Sat. January 9th, 2016 starting at 9:30AM.

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## AN EVENING OF MUSIC, PRAYER & HEALING

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The early church taught that prayer offered in faith brings restoration and healing. The Lord healed the weary and the sick then. He still heals today.

Tuesday, Jan. 12, 7:00 pm at Our Lady of Lourdes Parish, 2547 Hebert Road, West Kelowna.

*Come for the music.  
Come for the blessing.  
Come for the healing.*



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## ST PEREGRINE PRAYER GROUP

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The St Peregrine prayer group is cancelled for this month. We will resume the last Monday of January at 7:00 pm. **New location St. Charles Garnier Church.** Contact Christine 250-768-5274, cbreevesac@shaw.ca or Alice 250-860-3541, alicemccrea@shaw.ca.

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## KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS BURSARY

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Bishop Thomas J. Lobsinger, OMI Memorial Bursary Program Underway

The annual British Columbia and Yukon Bursary Program is known as the Bishop Thomas J. Lobsinger, OMI Memorial Bursary Program. The 2016 program is now receiving applications. Once again we are privileged to offer thirty bursaries of \$500.00 each to Catholic students across the Province of British Columbia. These bursaries are made available on a one-time-only basis to young practicing Catholic students who are in their second or subsequent year of post secondary education at a recognized institute of higher learning within the Province. Applications are accepted from January 1<sup>st</sup>, 2016 until June 30<sup>th</sup>, 2016 with the bursaries being awarded in the fall. The Terms of Reference can be found on our web site at [http://kofcbe.org/files/2013/08/Bursary\\_2015-16.pdf](http://kofcbe.org/files/2013/08/Bursary_2015-16.pdf).

Requests for applications should be addressed to:

Knights of Columbus BC & Yukon  
Attn: Koon Ming Lau, Bursaries Chairman  
2456 E.20<sup>th</sup> Avenue  
Vancouver, BC V5M 2T6



We would like to once again congratulate the many recipients over the past years and look forward the opportunity to assist many more young people in the advancement of their education.

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## MASS AT BIG WHITE

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Mass will be held at Big White every Sunday @3:30PM, starting Sun., Dec. 20th & concluding on Sun., March 27th (Easter Sunday).  
Mass will be held at the Real Estate Office (same place as last year).



Mass will also be celebrated on New Year's Day @3:30pm



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## NEW YEARS MASS TIMES

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### MASS TIMES FOR THE FEAST OF MARY, THE MOTHER OF GOD

Thursday, December 31st—5:00 pm

Friday, January 1st—10:30 am

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## CATHOLIC MOUNTAIN STAR PICK UP

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For those of you who indicated that you would like to pick up your copy of the Catholic Mountain Star from your parish, your copy has arrived. Please pick them up from the ledge in the foyer. Your name is on the label.

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## MIDNIGHT UNDER THE STARS

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WYD New Year's Eve dinner & dance - Thurs., Dec. 31, 2015, 6:30 pm at Our Lady of Lourdes parish centre in Westbank. Dinner, dance, door prizes & midnight snack! **FINAL DAY FOR PURCHASING TICKETS** is Sun., Dec. 20. You can get your tickets at Our Lady of Lourdes, Westbank parish office, or by calling Christine at [250-768-0284](tel:250-768-0284). Only \$45 a ticket. It's going to be a great evening! Hope to see you there :)

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## MASTERPIECE CAMPAIGN CHRISTMAS GIFT FOR THE CHILDREN

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Help frame the future of Catholic Education. Please give a Christmas donation now to build a new St. Joseph Elementary School scheduled to start June 2016. Gifts of \$20 or more will receive a tax receipt for the 2015 year. This gift will impact our faith community for generations to come. Pledge cards are available in the pews or on the Masterpiece Campaign table at back of church. Pledge envelopes can be placed in the collection basket or mailed to the address provided. For more information please contact Holly Routley, Development Coordinator, 250-575-6996 or email: [hroutley@cisnd.ca](mailto:hroutley@cisnd.ca)



## Rachel's Corner

"For 42 years I have had an infected body. When I looked in a mirror I would see my ugly face. I was always told how ugly I am. People made fun of me for being ugly. I could only see who I wished I could be. Now I know I am pretty!! I am healed! My wounds are not infected anymore! It is all gone! God has shown me how much He loves me"

- Testimonial from a retreat

Come on a Rachel's Vineyard™ Retreat and discover the beauty in you that God sees and let Him whisper words of healing to your soul.

[info@rachelvineyardkelowna.com](mailto:info@rachelvineyardkelowna.com)

250-762-2273

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

Like us on Facebook: Rachel's Vineyard Kelowna

### FAIR TRADE GOODS

Will be on sale the **first Sunday** of each month. Please sign up for membership in Development and Peace at the same time.



**FILIPINO MASS**—will be held the first Sunday of the month at **St. Theresa's** Church starting at 5:30 pm. The mass is followed by a pot luck dinner.

**PERPETUAL ADORATION** Chapel Group at ICC would like to request anyone who will be willing to spend at least one hour a week in our Adoration Chapel to please call Betty Chipeur at 250-860-6444. We need more people who are willing and generous for night time Adoration from 8:00 p.m. to 6:00 a.m.

### KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS BREAKFASTS MONTHLY SCHEDULE—September through June

<b>First Sunday of the Month</b> <i>Immaculate Conception Church and St. Theresa Parish</i>	<b>Second Sunday of the Month</b> <i>St. Pius X Parish</i>
<b>Third Sunday of the Month</b> <i>Our Lady of Lourdes Parish</i>	<b>Last Sunday of the Month</b> <i>St. Charles Garnier Parish</i>

### PEOPLE OF FAITH CHARISMATIC PRAYER GROUP

Come on out and join us as we gather together to Praise and Worship our Awesome God! Tuesday evenings 7:00 pm at St. Pius X—enter through side off of Fuller Ave. For more info please call Piera 250-762-6150.

### SECULAR FRANCISCAN ORDER

"The Little Flowers of St. Francis Fraternity" meets every 3rd Sunday at 12:30 pm in the meeting room at the Catholic Pastoral Centre. All are welcome to attend. Contact: Alice 250-860-3541 [alicemccrea@shaw.ca](mailto:alicemccrea@shaw.ca)

**ST PEREGRINE PRAYER GROUP**—We, Secular Franciscans are holding prayer sessions for those afflicted with cancer and other diseases on the last Monday of each month 7-8pm at St. Charles Garnier. All are welcome. Contact Christine 250-768-5274, [cbreevesac@shaw.ca](mailto:cbreevesac@shaw.ca) or Alice 250-860-3541, [alicemccrea@shaw.ca](mailto:alicemccrea@shaw.ca).

### Please remember:

OUR CHURCH IS A **SCENT-FREE ZONE!**

*Avoid wearing perfume, after-shave or heavily scented personal care products*



**DEADLINE FOR SUBMITTING ITEMS TO BE INCLUDED IN THE BULLETIN IS THURSDAY NOON.**

## WELCOME NEW PARISHIONERS!

Please complete this form and leave it in the collection basket or at the Parish Office.

Name(s): \_\_\_\_\_ **New Parishioner:**  **Information Change:**   
 Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Postal Code: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

### CHILDREN

Name(s)	D.O.B.— (yyyy/mm/dd)

Would you like to be contacted by one of our parish groups?

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|------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------|
| <input type="checkbox"/> CWL                         | <input type="checkbox"/> Music         |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Knights of Columbus         | <input type="checkbox"/> Reader        |
| <input type="checkbox"/> St. Vincent de Paul         | <input type="checkbox"/> Usher         |
| <input type="checkbox"/> R.C.I.A.                    | <input type="checkbox"/> Altar Servers |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Sacristan (Set up for Mass) |                                        |

Would you like to pick up Sunday Offertory Envelopes from the ledge in the foyer next week? **Yes**  **No**

*The label will have your name on it, the number identifies you and a tax receipt will be sent to you at the address that you registered with.*

You may also register on-line @ [www.stcharlesgarnier.ca](http://www.stcharlesgarnier.ca) where you can sign up for the bulletin to be **emailed to you each week.**