



ST. CHARLES GARNIER PARISH

November 24, 2013
CHRIST THE KING
34th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Jesus, remember me when you come into your kingdom.
 Luke 23

MASS TIMES

Monday to Friday 8:30am
 Saturday 5:00pm
 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 our Director of Formation
 a month in advance of desired date - Kevin Kishor @
kevin@stcharlesgarnier.ca

MARRIAGE—Please contact our Parish Office at least 6
 months in advance for potential booking—250-860-6776 or
 email: charlesgarnier@gmail.com
 Contact our Director of Formation: kevin@stcharlesgarnier.ca
 for Marriage Prep.

Contact us:

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Website: www.stcharlesgarnier.ca

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 Pastors' direct line: 778-478-6288

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 Email: kevin@stcharlesgarnier.ca or
ubco.focus@gmail.com

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 Andrea Kouwenhoven
 Email: children@stcharlesgarnier.ca
youth@stcharlesgarnier.ca or
youngadults@stcharlesgarnier.ca

PARISH ORGANIZATIONS

CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE

Meet second Tuesday of the month at 9:30 am
 President: Judy Boyczuk 764-6335
 Membership inquiries: Benita Spencer 868-8608
DEVELOPMENT AND PEACE . . . Keith Germaine . . . 764-2942

FRIENDS IN FAITH (SINGLES MINISTRY)

Inquiries Kolleen O'Shea . . . 469-0679

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS www.stcharleskoc.com

Meet second Thursday of the month at 7:30 pm.
 Grand Knight: Rob Grifone 862-9354
 Email: 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 . . . 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 each one of them by name.

Betty - 868-9151 Email: heinzk@shaw.ca or Alice - 860-3541
SECULAR FRANCISCAN ORDER Alice—860-3541
 Email: alicemccrea@shaw.ca

SOCIETY OF ST. VINCENT de PAUL

Meet second and fourth Wednesday at 9:00 am. 860-2536
Last Sunday of each month—SSVP donations

MINISTRY COORDINATORS

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

Altar Servers Renae Clarkson 769-7979/Louise Reeve 979-0315
 Children's Liturgy Kevin Kishor 863-4296
 Eucharistic Ministers . . . Murdo & Alanet MacKinnon 717-1993
 Guardians of God's Creation . . Alda Berneaud-daRosa 764-7224
 Hospital Visitation & Eucharist. Ethel Robidoux 860-2101
 Music JoAnn Young 764-0485
 Readers Keith Germaine 764-2942
 Sacristans Flo Pasutto 764-8716
 Security Patrol
 Ushers Gino Servedio 764-3182

CONTACT NUMBERS

CLUBHOUSE DAYCARE 860-4393
CREIGHTON MODEL FERTILITY CARE 491-1088
CURSILLO John or Gail Schlosser . . . 764-7007
DIOCESE—Catholic Pastoral Centre 448-2725
ELIZABETH SETON HOUSE OF PRAYER 764-4333
GRIEF TO GRACE . . . www.GriefftoGrace.org 878-7603
KELOWNA RIGHT TO LIFE 862-8202
PREGNANCY CARE CENTRE 763-2112
RACHEL'S VINEYARD 762-2273

PARKING LOT SECURITY SCHEDULE

Sat. Nov. 30	5:00 p.m.	<i>Please volunteer</i>
Sun. Dec. 1	8:30 a.m.	Steve Biollo
	10:30 a.m.	Reg Humphries
	7:00 p.m.	Frank Richter

MUSIC MINISTRY

Sat. Nov. 30	5:00 p.m.	Ingrid & Group
Sun. Dec. 1	8:30 a.m.	Ingrid & Group
	10:30 a.m.	Maureen & JoAnn
	7:00 p.m.	Youth

GUIDE TO GIVING	2013 YTD	2012 YTD
Collections	\$ 407,558	\$ 403,761
Building Fund	\$ 112,495	\$ 70,810

WEEKLY MASS INTENTIONS

Monday	Nov. 25	8:30 am	Jack & Anne Hoffart ☩
Tuesday	Nov. 26	8:30 am	Andrew Hurst ☩
Wednesday	Nov. 27	8:30 am	Doug Campbell ☩
Thursday	Nov. 28	8:30 Am	Ed Lansdowne ☩
Friday	Nov. 29	8:30 am	Joe Flegel ☩ & Fam.
Saturday	Nov. 30	5:00 pm	Ron Campbell & Clara Erasmus ☩
Sunday	Dec. 1	8:30 am	Agnes Murphy ☩
		10:30 am	Rose Hoplock ☩
		7:00 pm	Parishioners of St. Charles Garnier

DON'T FORGET OUR 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 for more information.

CATHOLIC SCHOOLS INFO.

S.C.G. School Board Rep. Rita Smith

Immaculata High	762-2730
St. Joseph Elementary	763-3371
Our Lady of Lourdes Elementary School	768-9008
Kelowna Catholic Independent Schools	448-2725
Fax: 1-866-964-3858 www.kelownacatholic.org	

5:00 pm MASS NEXT WEEK

READERS	Keith Germaine Ted Randles
EUCCHARIST	Helen Wiltzen, Benita Spencer Bert Wolf, Karen Krout Bonnie Cunningham [L]
USHERS	John Polman, Loretta O'Brien Mike Dagenais, Tony Volk
ALTAR SERVERS	Elijah

8:30 am MASS NEXT WEEK

READERS	Kathleen Baldwin Leona Stocker
EUCCHARIST	Irene Thomas, Kevin Schmidt [L] Marg Lockhart, Patti Cook
USHERS	Guy Douville, Tom Phillip James Atzesberger, Laura Christie
ALTAR SERVERS	<i>No schedule yet</i>

10:30 am MASS NEXT WEEK

READERS	Cheryl Spelliscy Dan Spelliscy	
EUCCHARIST	Alda Berneaud-daRosa Alanet & Murdo MacKinnon [L] Christine Bryant Jan Schredl	
USHERS	Walter Schredl Elizabeth Koller Richard Bryant JohnMolinar	}
		Children's Liturgy
ALTAR SERVERS	<i>No schedule yet</i>	

7:00 pm MASS NEXT WEEK

READERS	Becca & Frank
EUCCHARIST	Dave, Tyler & Andie
USHERS	<i>Please volunteer</i>
ALTAR SERVERS	<i>No schedule yet</i>

NEXT WEEK'S READINGS:

1st Reading:	Isaiah 2:1-5
2nd Reading:	Romans 13:11-14
Gospel:	Matthew 24:37-44

ADVENT 2013 RECONCILIATION RITES

Immaculata High School	Wednesday	Dec. 4	10:30 —2:00
St. Joseph Elementary School	Tuesday	Dec. 10	10:30 a.m.
St. Edward Parish	Tuesday	Dec. 10	6:30 p.m.
Our Lady of Lourdes School	Wednesday	Dec. 11	1:00 p.m.
St. Theresa Parish	Wednesday	Dec. 11	6:30 p.m.
St. Pius X Parish	Thursday	Dec. 12	6:30 p.m.
Holy Spirit Parish	Monday	Dec. 16	6:30 p.m.
St. Charles Garnier Parish	Tuesday	Dec. 17	6:30 P.M.
Our Lady of Lourdes Parish	Wednesday	Dec. 18	6:30 p.m.
Immaculate Conception Parish	Thursday	Dec. 19	3:30 p.m.

PARISH COUNCIL

The November Parish Pastoral Council meeting will be on Thursday, Nov. 28th at 5:00 in the Parish Office.

CWL/KofC ANNUAL APPRECIATION DINNER

Attention Knights of Columbus and CWL members. Last weekend to get your tickets for our annual appreciation dinner. Tickets will be for sale in the hall after all the masses. Tickets are \$25.00 each and must be paid for in advance of the dinner. The dinner with entertainment will be on November 29th beginning with Social at 6:00 pm followed by dinner at 7:00 pm at St. Charles Garnier hall.



BREAKFAST

Knights of Columbus breakfast this Sunday, November 24th at St. Charles Garnier. Everyone welcome.

Knights breakfast at ICC next week, Dec. 1st.

ITALIAN MASS



Due to unforeseen circumstances the date for Bishop John to celebrate **Mass in Italian has been changed to Thursday, December 5th @ 5:30 pm** at St. Charles Garnier. Pot-Luck supper will follow in the parish hall. For more information call Gino Servedio 250-764-3182.

SOUND AND POWER POINT OPERATORS NEEDED FOR SUNDAY 10:30 AM SERVICE

Training will be provided!

Contact JoAnn Young at (250) 764-0485 or email joannyoung@shaw.ca



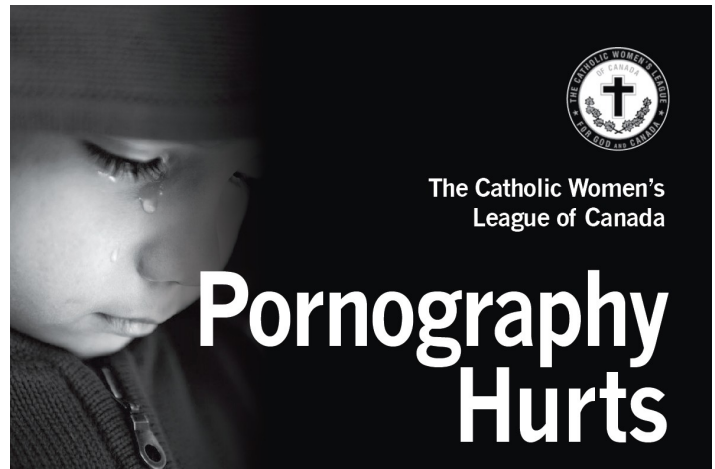
PILGRIMAGE OF FAITH

Our Diocesan Pilgrimage of Faith Appeal is continuing to progress well thanks to the parishioners who have pledged \$ 70,235 which is 100% of our Diocesan goal and 43.5% of our Parish goal and 70.2% of our Overall goal. If you did not receive a package please pick up a blank package from the ledge in the foyer, and check with the Parish Office to ensure that you are registered.

CWL NEWS

PORNOGRAPHY HURTS CAMPAIGN

November 23rd & 24th - THIS WEEKEND marks the beginning of the campaign against pornography. Our St. Charles Garnier CWL will launch with the PORNOGRAPHY HURTS postcards, collecting signatures at all weekend Masses.



ANNUAL MEMBERSHIP DRIVE SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 30th. We look forward to seeing you, bring a friend and join us for refreshments from 2 – 4:30 pm. The membership fee remains @ \$30 – you may also drop off your membership by placing it in the collection basket marked CWL.

THE LADIES OF THE HAVEN CHOIR

SUNDAY, December 1st—an invitation to attend the performance by the Ladies of the haven Choir @ 10:30 am at the church of the Nazarene, Hwy 33, Rutland (just past the Shell station). Everyone is most welcome!

THE SOCIETY OF ST. VINCENT DE PAUL CHRISTMAS HAMPER PROGRAM 2013

On the weekend of November 30th / December 1st and also December 7th / 8th our members will be handing out cloth bags for your donations of food items to fill our Christmas hampers. A suggested list of items will be attached to the bag. Because of health and safety concerns, we regret that we cannot accept donations of home preserves, or items not sealed in their original containers. Please check the “best before date” and do not include any outdated item as we cannot use them for our Hampers.

We ask that you please return the bags on the weekends of Dec 7/8 or Dec 14/15 but no later than Sunday AM, Dec 15 We thank you for your generous support of the Christmas hamper program to help God’s poor and needy in our area.

If you or someone you know is in need of a hamper, please call [250-860-2536](tel:250-860-2536). All requests will be kept confidential.



MAY I HAVE THIS DANCE?

Join us for Immaculate Conception Parish's series of monthly community dances! Next dance is Friday, Nov. 29 from 7:30 to 11:30 pm at Immaculate Conception Hall, featuring "Transplant" (Good ol' Country & Rock Band). Tickets are \$10.00 each at the door and includes a light snack later in the evening. See you then!

ATTENTION CHILDREN IN GRADES 3-7

Are you presently an Altar Server at our parish? Or perhaps you are not an Altar server but are interested in becoming part of this wonderful ministry? Next **Sunday, DECEMBER 1st, immediately following 10:30 Mass**, Fr. Pat will be offering an information session for all children involved in serving & for those interested in joining in the fun. We will be meeting at the front of the church (at the altar) for a brief discussion/overview on all that this ministry entails. We would love to see you there!

LIFE IN THE SPIRIT SEMINAR

Come Holy Spirit and enkindle in us the fire of Your Love! Coming in December. Life In The Spirit Seminar. Jesus said, "*I have come that you may have life and have it to the full*" John 10:10

The retreat is designed to help participants yield to the action of the Holy Spirit in their lives so they can begin to sense His presence and experience Him working in and through them.

In his General Audience of September 6th, 1989, Blessed Pope John Paul II said that "Baptizing in the Grace of the Spirit means REGENERATING humanity with the power of God's Spirit" "I have loved you with an everlasting love" Jer. 31:3

Come receive from the bounty of God's Amazing Grace.

Immaculate Conception Parish Hall

December 6th, Friday, from 6:30 pm. to 9:00 pm. &

December 7th, Saturday, from 8:30 am. to 3:30 pm.

Holy Mass at 7:00 pm. on Friday in the Church. Please bring a bag lunch, coffee, tea, muffins, and goodies provided.

There is no charge for the Seminar. Preregistration is appreciated, please call Piera 250-762-6150 or Madeleine 778-478-6777

MEN'S GROUP MEETING

Plan to join us at our next Men's Group meeting. NOTE the change of venue: Saturday, November 30, 2013—7:00—9:00 pm at Holy Spirit Parish 1260 Neptune Rd in Rutland. Program: Fr. Robert Barron, Part 3— "Anger & Forgiveness". Remember to bring a snack to share. As we prepare for Advent, this topic is VERY appropriate. Share the word and bring someone new from your parish. For more info. call Grant Furgutz 250-717-6873 or Fr. Cerlouie 250-766-3146.

4TH ANNUAL LADIES NIGHT OUT

Ladies, gather your sisters, mothers, and girlfriends for an evening of shopping, refreshments and tapas at the **4th Annual Ladies' Night Out on Wednesday, November 27 from 6-9pm** at Immaculate Conception Parish Hall (839 Sutherland Ave.). There will be 37 fantastic vendors featuring local handcrafted gifts, food items, Christmas gift ideas, and more. Babysitting will be available for those who need it. Tickets are \$5.00 each plus a food bank donation for the St. Vincent de Paul Society and can be purchased at St. Joseph Elementary School, Immaculata Regional High School or at the door.

LETTER FROM BISHOP JOHN—PHILIPPINES COLLECTION

We join in prayer for the thousands of victims who died in the recent disaster in the Philippines. The Canadian Conference of Catholic Bishops is asking that we join in a national collection to assist the survivors. All donations will be sent to Development and Peace which will immediately distribute our assistance in collaboration with Caritas International. The Government of Canada will match all contributions given before December 9, 2013.

I ask that a collection be taken throughout the Diocese of the weekend of November 23/24.

Please keep Philippines in their prayers.

Fraternally in Christ,

+John Corriveau, OFM Cap.

Bishop of Nelson

Please make cheques payable to St. Charles Garnier and write "Philippine Collection" in the memo line.

PILGRIMAGES

CANONIZATION & PILGRIMAGE TO THE SHRINES OF ITALY on April 23 to May 2, 2014 by the Infant Jesus Pilgrimage travel & tours with Fr. Cerlouie Jimenez as Spiritual Director. For more info, call (leave voicemail) Holy Spirit (250) 765-1327 or email: holyspirit@shawbiz.ca

GRAND BIBLICAL TURKEY AND GREECE PILGRIMAGE 2014

September 12 – October 1, 2014 (21 days)

Spiritual Director: Fr. Rex M. Velmonte (Penticton)

TURKEY: Istanbul, Adana, Antakya, Cappadocia. Tarsus, Konya, Myra, Fethive, Laodicia, Colossea, Philadelphia, Sardis, Pamukkale/Heriapolis, Ephesus, Mervemana & Kusadasi

GREECE: Athens, Old Corinth, Thessaloniki, Kavala, Philippi & Meteora...then Greek Isles Cruise (Patmos, Rhodes, Crete, Santorini & Peraeus)

For more info or brochures, please call or email Bennie Banares at [604-436-0985](tel:604-436-0985) (benniepilgrimage@gmail.com) or Fr. Rex at [250-492-3162](tel:250-492-3162) (rvelmonte@shaw.ca)

FREEDOM'S DOOR NEEDS

We at Freedom's Door have has a busy few months since we opened our 5th house in May of this year. All of our 50 beds have been full for the past 3 months which is exciting as we are able to expand our capacity to help more men find recovery in God's great love. We are now in need of a few things—washer/dryers as well as vacuum cleaners. Info: 250-717-0472.

2ND ANNUAL CHRISTMAS SONG FEST

Back by popular demand!

SATURDAY, DEC. 14, 1-3 PM,

Our Lady of Lourdes Church,

2547 Hebert Rd., West Kelowna.

Come enjoy spiritual Christmas music, performed by talented locals from Peachland to Winfield, including a priest :) Our Yuletide Café will be open for seasonal goodies. Entrance by donation. All proceeds will go to World Youth Day 2016 in Kraków, Poland. Bring your family, friends & neighbours!

Info: Christine @ [250-768-0284](tel:250-768-0284).



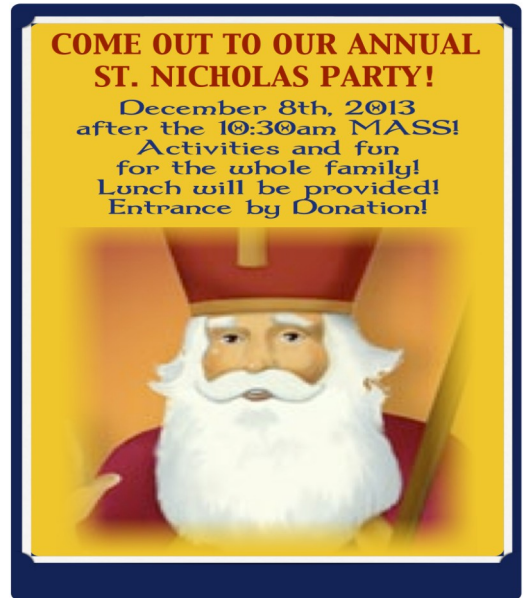
8TH ANNUAL ST. NICHOLAS PARTY

It's that time of year again, we are busy starting to plan the annual St. Nicholas Party coming up on December 8th!!

We are requesting donations of **mandarin oranges, candy canes and gold coins** to give to the kids in a goodie bag. If you are able to donate any of these items please drop them off at the parish office!

We are also looking for volunteers to help with this fun family event.

For more information regarding the party, or to volunteer, please contact Andrea at [250-863-3347](tel:250-863-3347) or email youth@stcharlesgarnier.ca
Thanks!



WOMEN OF FAITH CHRISTMAS EVENT

On Friday, December 6th, from 7:00 to 9:30pm via Simulcast, First Lutheran Church and School invite you to join in one hope-filled joyful celebration. There will be stories of hope and the gift of Christmas along with spectacular speakers (Max Lucado, Sheila Walsh, Lisa Harper and Rick Warren) and worshipful music from some of today's best in Christian music. Tickets are \$10 each and can be purchased from the office of First Lutheran @ 4091 Lakeshore Road, Monday through Friday 8:30 am to 3:30 pm. Tickets will also be available at the door (if you are unable to purchase your ticket in advance, but plan on attending, please call [250-764-3111](tel:250-764-3111) to let us know you'll be coming.)

For more information on this event, visit www.womenoffaith.com and click on Women of Faith Christmas under upcoming events. This is a great event to bring along, friends, neighbours and co-workers.

PARISH NEEDS

As a result of our renovations we find that the parish is in need of an **upright vacuum** which will be used for the new offices. And the rectory could use one too ☺! If you have a **good condition, sturdy upright vacuum** that you have been thinking of letting go of, or upgrading, and would be willing to donate it to the church, we would be pleased to receive it.

Also, we are looking for a **gently used love seat** and an **arm chair** for visitor seating in the new offices. If you have either of these and would consider donating them, please call Kevin (love seat) or Andrea (arm chair) 250-860-6776.

ST. THERESA'S CHRISTMAS CRAFT SALE

St. Theresa's will be holding our Christmas Craft and Bake Sale on Saturday, December 7th from 9:00 a.m. until 2:00. Tables are still available for rent at a cost of \$20.00. Please phone [250765-6869](tel:250765-6869) to reserve your table. The CWL will be hosting Santa's Café during the sale, with muffins for breakfast and homemade soup for lunch. We will also be raffling a gift basket full of holiday goodies!

HIGH SCHOOL RELIGION COURSE FOR PUBLIC SCHOOL STUDENTS

High School Religion Course for Public School Students

(information provided by Bev Pulyk, Superintendent of Catholic School of Nelson Diocese)

Do you have a teen in grades 10, 11 or 12 who is attending the local **public** school? Would you like them to take and get credit for Religion 10, 11 and/or 12? There is an option for your teen to take a distributive learning online or retreat setting Catholic religion course through ASCEND Online. **ASCEND Online is the only Catholic online school in the province** and is there to support home education families. One can view their website at <http://ascendonline.ca/> for more details about the school.

MILITIA IMMACULATA MONTHLY MASS

The monthly mass of the **MILITIA IMMACULATA** will be **celebrated on Sat. Dec 7, @ 9 am. @ ICC. Reconciliation** from 8 - 8:45 am. **ROSARY @ 8:30** There will be an additional mass on **Monday, Dec 9 @ HOLY SPIRIT CHURCH @ 10:00 am.** This will be in celebration of the Feast of the Immaculate Conception. This will be a Consecration Mass, for those taking their initial vows of Consecration, and a renewal of vows for those who have consecrated previously. Everyone welcome to learn more about Marian Consecration. Flowers to adorn the statue of Mary are gratefully accepted at both masses. Coffee social to follow each mass.

BLUE CHRISTMAS SERVICE

FRIDAY, December 20th at 7:00 pm at St. Paul's United Church, 3131 Lakeshore Rd. This service is a time for people to bring their grief and tears to worship openly instead of hiding behind a mask of holiday cheer or refraining from worship altogether. The darkness of mid-winter reminds us that the nighttime is often the most difficult time to face grief, particularly with the frenetic energy that surrounds this season. This service provides an opportunity to care for each other in our pain, and to remind ourselves and others that the Light continues to shine in the darkness.

Rachel's Corner

Hope is the light at the end of the tunnel, beckoning you to accept the invitation, to say "yes" to the urge to believe in a loving God who wants you to be healed and whole again.

Come on a Rachel's Vineyard™ retreat and find healing and wholeness again.

Abortion AfterCare-Healing / The Rachel Ministries
250-762-2273 rv.kelowna@hotmail.com

FAIR TRADE GOODS

Will now be on sale the **first & third** Sundays of each month from now until Christmas. Please sign up for membership in Development and Peace at the same time.



POLISH ROSARY

First Friday of each month immediately after 5:15pm mass in Immaculate Conception Church. Contact Grazyna Kuliga 250-861-6577 or Aleksandra Nowak 250-765-1826.

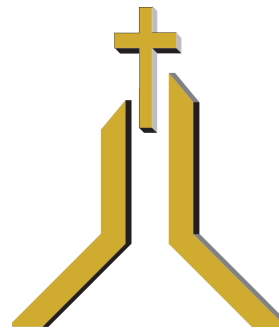
SPANISH MASS—Mass will be celebrated in Spanish at 3:30 p.m. on the **4th Sunday** of the month at **St. Theresa's**, Rutland.

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

PERPETUAL ADORATION



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.

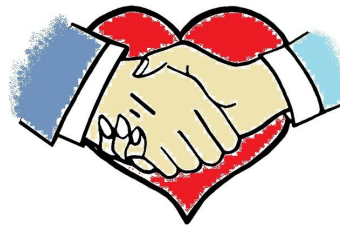


NEW PARISHIONERS

Welcome!

Please register by filling out the yellow cards found on the ledge in the foyer and placing them in the collection basket. If you would like envelopes please check the box on the reverse. Envelopes will be assigned and placed on the ledge in the foyer for pick up. The label on the envelopes will have your name on it, the number identifies you and a tax receipt will be sent to you at the address you registered with.

You may also register on-line @ www.stcharlesgarnier.ca where you can also *sign up for the bulletin to be emailed to you each week.*



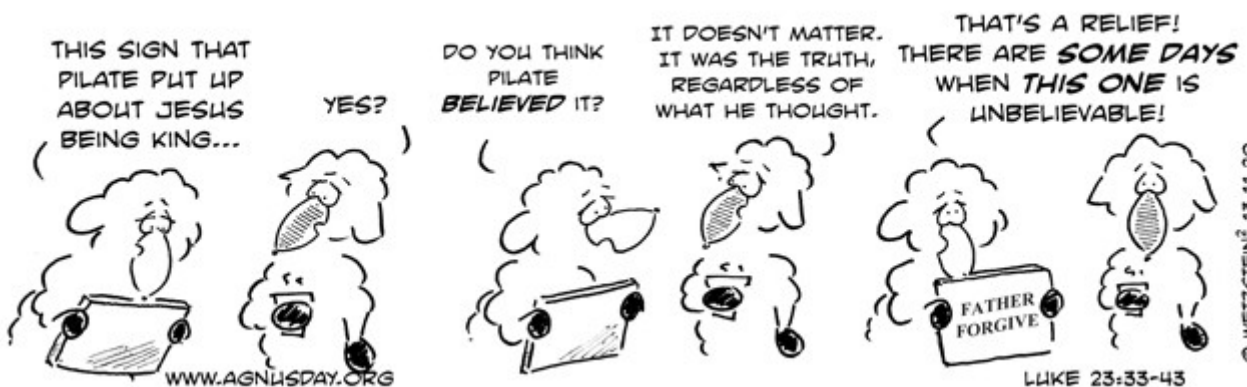
Please remember:

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.



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