



November 8, 2015
32nd Sunday in Ordinary Time

The poor widow has put in
more than all the rest.
Matthew 12

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

CONTACT US:

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Website: www.stcharlesgarnier.ca

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

Office Manager: Marilee O'Donnell
Office Phone: (250) 860-6776 **Fax:** (250) 860-0542
Office e-mail: charlesgarnier@gmail.com

Catechism Coordinator: Leslie Piasentin
Email: children@stcharlesgarnier.ca or
leslie@stcharlesgarnier.ca

MINISTRY COORDINATORS

If you wish to become involved contact the Parish Office 250-860-6776 or:
Altar ServersRenae Clarkson 250-769-7979
Campus Ministry email: ubco.focus@gmail.com
Children's Liturgy
Eucharistic Ministers Patti Cook 778-478-6563
Hospital Visitation & Eucharist. .Ethel Robidoux 250-860-2101
MusicJoAnn Young 250-764-0485
Readers. Karen Sanesh 250-763-4618
or email: karen.sanesh21@gmail.com
Sacristans Flo Pasutto 250-764-8716
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 250-717-0472
GRIEF TO GRACE ... 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 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
Meet second Thursday of the month at 7:30 pm.
Grand Knight: ... Rob Grifone 250-862-9354
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. 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 or
Christine 250-768-5274—email: cbreevesac@shaw.ca
SECULAR FRANCISCAN ORDER Alice. 250-860-3541
Email: 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

Monday	Nov. 9	8:30 am	✠ Ivan Mlikotic
Tuesday	Nov. 10	8:30 am	✠ Evelyn Wilmshurst
Wednesday	Nov. 11	8:30 am	✠ Floyd Prieston
Thursday	Nov. 12	8:30 am	Int. Pauline Schrever & fam.
Friday	Nov. 13	8:30 am	✠ Ken Nicholls
Saturday	Nov. 14	5:00 pm	✠ Betty Knoedler
Sunday	Nov. 15	8:30 am	✠ Carolina Pyne
		10:30 am	✠ Maria Campagnaro
		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
Collections	\$ 404,348	\$ 398,122
Building Fund	\$ 39,644	\$ 82,757

NEXT WEEK'S READINGS:

1st Reading:	Daniel 12:1-3
2nd Reading:	Hebrews 10:11-14, 18
Gospel:	Mark 13:24-32

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 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

PILGRIMAGE OF FAITH



Thank you to all those who picked up your Pilgrimage of Faith Appeal envelope. Thanks to you we have raised \$ 40,320 toward our Pilgrimage of Faith Appeal Goal. This is 60.4% of our Diocesan goal.

The remainder of the packages not picked up have been mailed out. Your gift is important. No gift is too small and our parish is trying to reach 100% participation.

BAPTISM

Baptized in our parish this weekend

Viena Rose Bartolillo

Daughter of Brenda (nee Hasiuk) and Francesco Bartolillo



4TH ANNUAL WYD INTERNATIONAL CHRISTMAS SONGFEST

SAVE THE DATE!!

4th ANNUAL INTERNATIONAL CHRISTMAS SONG FEST — Back by popular demand! **Saturday, December 5, 1-3 PM**, St. Charles Garnier Church, Kelowna. Entrance by donation, all proceeds to World Youth Day 2016 in Kraków, Poland! More details to come...



FAIR TRADE

We are looking for someone to administer the Fair Trade sales that happen once a month. Karen Sanesh has volunteered to do the purchasing so Keith Germaine would like to hand over the administration of the sales to someone interested in keeping it going. Call Keith 250-764-2942.

PILGRIMAGE

UK, SCOTLAND & IRELAND PILGRIMAGE

May 17 – June 3, 2016

UK: London, Kent, Stonehenge, York, Alenwick

SCOTLAND: Edinburgh, St. Andrews, Glasgow

IRELAND: Belfast, Donegal, Knock, Westport, Croagh

Patrick, Galway, Kenmare, Ring of Kerry, Blarney, Waterford & Dublin.

Cost: \$4,950...including taxes and surcharge, tips, breakfast, all entrances included, dinner daily & tourist class hotels...

For more info, please call Fr. Rex at

[250-492-3162](tel:250-492-3162) or email him at

rvelmonte@shaw.ca



BOOK OF REMEMBRANCE



Our book of remembrance is in the Church entrance. All names of deceased family or friends will be included in the Prayers of the Faithful at all Masses throughout the month of November.

CWL NEWS

Don't miss our next General Meeting on November 10th @ 9:30 am. Your presence is important, do please try to attend as elections for the new executive will take place.



CWL BURSERY INFORMATION

There are two annual \$500.00 bursaries available from the Nelson Diocesan Catholic Woman's League. One Bursary gives precedence to applicants entering General Courses and the other is for applicants entering the Medical Science Field. Bursary Application Forms are available in the Parish Office.

IMPORTANT MESSAGE FOR PARENTS FROM COLF

A message to families from The Catholic Organization for Life and Family entitled "Parents, Will Your Children be Happy? - A Reflection on the Formation of Conscience. COLF is co-sponsored by the Canadian Conference of Catholic Bishops, and the Supreme Council of the Knights of Columbus. It promotes respect for human life and dignity and the essential role of the family. For more information check out their web-site @ www.colf.ca

WINTER COAT DRIVE

The appeal for winter coats is **now over**. A Big Thank You to everyone who contributed to this worthy cause, the Woman of the Haven are very grateful for your generosity. A quote from the ladies: "happiness is a warm winter coat"!

BOTTLED UP LOVE WORKS MIRACLES!

Once again, with deep appreciation, the Okanagan Valley Pregnancy Care Centre is inviting you to participate in their Fall Baby Bottle fundraiser—a way for all the people of faith to stand strong together for the great cause of life. Empty **bottles will be available Thanksgiving Sunday**, Oct. 11th to be taken and filled with loose change, bills (and cheques too) and to be returned on Nov. 14th, the Sunday after Remembrance Day. Every single one of the thousands of baby bottles is powerful. Added together, they shine light into dark corners of our culture. And that's how love wins!



INTERPRETER NEEDED

Our Refugee Committee needs Mandarin-Chinese speakers to help as interpreters for a Burmese family we will be sponsoring soon. If you know of anyone who can help us, please contact Walter @ 250-859-2125—email wmlever@gmail.com.

BISHOP JOHN'S 50TH ANNIVERSARY

The Diocese of Nelson celebrates with gratitude the 50th Anniversary of the Ordination to the Priesthood of Most Reverend John Corriveau, IFM, Cap. Bishop of Nelson. Mass will be celebrated on Thursday, Nov. 12, 2015 at 6:30 pm at Immaculate Conception Church. A reception will follow immediately at ICC Parish Hall.

ICC PARISH BAZAAR

Please join us at Immaculate Conception on **SUNDAY, November 8 between 10 am and 2 pm** for some fabulous food, bake sale, white elephant, book sale, Christmas items and kids room (cake walk, fish pond ...) Hope to see you there!



ST. PIUS X ANNUAL CHRISTMAS SALE

The St. Pius X Quilters invite everyone to their annual Christmas sale on Sunday, November 8th in the church hall—8am to 1:00. Come and enjoy a wonderful breakfast prepared by the Knights of Columbus and start your Christmas shopping early.

RIGHT TO LIFE SOCIETY

Monday, Nov. 16th—7:00 pm at ICC Parish Hall, 839 Sutherland Ave. Please mark your calendars and plan on attending the Annual General Meeting of the Kelowna Right to Life Society. This year we have guest presenters that will give you an overview of the pro-life factions that are hard at work here in our community.

You must have a current Kelowna Right to Life membership to attend. An individual membership is just \$10 for the year (up to August 31st), while a family or organizational membership is just \$15.

You can visit [our website](#) to pay safely and securely on-line (use the "donate" button), or you can mail your payment to the office (address below) and we will send you out your membership card.

Speakers: Greg Bitgood, Colleen Finlon, Danielle Judd

GRIEF TO GRACE

Applications are now being accepted for the next Grief to Grace program to be held in Kelowna Nov 19 to 22, 2015. Grief to Grace - Reclaiming the Gift of Human Dignity - is a spiritual journey for anyone who has suffered degradation or violation through sexual/psychological abuse, rape, incest, physical or emotional abuse and neglect or other forms of traumatic violation in childhood, adolescence, or as an adult. To register or for more information call [250-878-7603](tel:250-878-7603) or email g2gkelowna@gmail.com or www.griefftograce.org

GROUP HIKE

Be a part of the KATERI GROUP HIKE at the Mission Creek Greenway on Wednesday, November 11th from 1 to 3 pm (depending on the group). Meet at the ICC parking lot at 12:30 pm to carpool. Enjoy the beauty of creation with exercise and fresh air along with others.

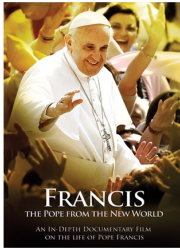
Hike difficulty rating: EASY. Those interested will go to the Annual St. Theresa Parish Turkey Dinner afterwards. For more information phone [250.868.8071](tel:250.868.8071)

SAFE ENVIRONMENT TRAINING

A Safe Environment Policy workshop will be held on Monday, November 23 at 7:00 p.m. in the meeting room at the Catholic Pastoral Centre (rear entrance). New volunteers who work with children, youth or vulnerable adults, people who are re-newing their criminal record checks and anyone interested in learning more about this policy and how to protect vulnerable people is welcome to attend. Please read the policy before you arrive. It is available from the Safe Environment Office web-page (www.nelsondiocese.org) or from your parish office. Please RSVP to renee.burzuk@nelsondiocese.org (preferred) or [250-448-2725 ext 225](tel:250-448-2725) so she can plan accordingly.

REFUGEE SPONSORSHIP MOVIE FUNDRAISER

St. Pius X Refugee Sponsorship Committee will be showing the movie "Francis – the Pope from the New World" on Sunday, December 6th, at 2 pm. Bring the family to learn more about our Pope and help us raise funds for our soon to arrive refugee family. Entrance is by donation – popcorn and coffee/juice will be available.



K OF C BREAKFAST FOR REFUGEE SPONSORSHIP

This Sunday, November 8th, the St. Pius X Knights of Columbus have generously pledged the proceeds from their breakfast to be donated to the Refugee Sponsorship Fund. We are expecting a family from Iraq to arrive within a few weeks and a family from Syria in the next year so are extremely grateful for this gracious gift. Please come out and join us for a great breakfast at St. Pius X – you can fill your tummy and support the refugee cause at the same time.

DANCES COMING UP

November 13, music with Art Taylor
November 27, music with Sierra
Tickets are \$25 each, doors open at 6:00, dinner at 6:30, dancing from 7:30—11:30—ICC Parish Hall.

December 31, New Years Eve—music with The Dance Band (Vic) and Vince's Orchestra.
Dinner and Dance \$45 per person
Tickets at Loaves and Fishes or ICC Parish Office

CARDS FOR KIDS

Raising funds for St. Joseph's operating costs while doing your everyday shopping...at no extra cost to you! Order now for Christmas! Over 50 retailer cards available. Request an order form from cardsforkids@cisnd.ca. Place your order, along with payment, in an envelope marked "Cards for Kids" and place it in the collection basket by November 29 or deliver it to us directly.



We will be selling grocery, fuel and coffee shop cards after all the masses November 21/22.

MIDNIGHT UNDER THE STARS

New Year's Eve Dinner & Dance, THURS., DEC. 31, 2015 at Our Lady of Lourdes Parish Centre, 2547 Hebert Rd., West Kelowna. **Only \$45 per ticket** :) Doors open 6pm, Dinner at 6:30pm. Choice of: *Crusted Chicken Breast "Italiano", Pork Tenderloin "Portuguese", or Fresh BC Salmon "Canadiana."* Dance the night away to "Let's Dance DJ Services"! Midnight snack! Games & door prizes! For tickets, call Christine at [250-768-0284](tel:250-768-0284). Everyone welcome! All profits go to OLOL World Youth Day pilgrims.

MENTAL WELLNESS IN AN UNCERTAIN WORLD

First United Church's Congregational Life Core Ministry is offering the opportunity to explore and reflect on your mental wellbeing. What are the foundations upon which mental wellness is built? What is the role of hope, meaning and purpose in maintaining your mental wellbeing? Does the faith community have a role to play in promoting mental wellbeing? The World Café format will be used to explore these topics. Please register by call the church, at 250-762-3311. A fee of \$5 will cover the cost of a light lunch.

MYAN AFRICAN CHARITY HOUSE

Myan African Charity House will host their annual fundraiser "Christmas Bazaar on Peppermint Lane" on Nov. 14th, 2015 from 10 am to 3 pm in the St. Pius Hall.

We will have a silent auction, freshly cut Douglas Fir xmas trees, bread/baking., jelly bean guess, books, and more. Pick up something for Christmas gifts. Come and see and enjoy a coffee and bun. All funds to finish our school in Tanzania and for rice for Burmese flood victims. Receipts will be issued for donations. Hope you can come and see us and bring all your friends.

For info call: Lorie Downey 250-860-7068.

ST. THERESA'S TURKEY DINNER

85th Remembrance Day Turkey Dinner – St. Theresa's Parish, Wednesday, November 11.

Continuous dinner serving from 4:30 to 6:30pm. Tickets: \$15/adult, \$10/student, \$35/immediate family only, available at the door.



Everyone is welcome.

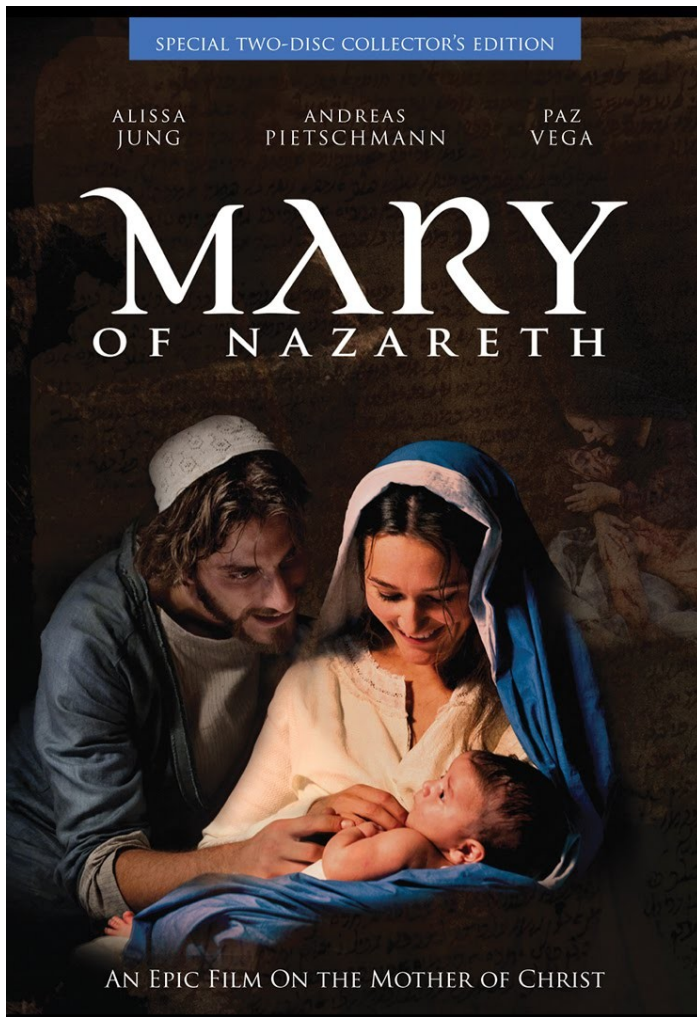
MOVIE NIGHT

St. Charles Garnier is happy to present
"Fr. Ron's Movie Nights"
with Fr. Ron Dechant, OMI.

The first in the series will feature "Mary of Nazareth"
an excellent movie!

Come and join us Friday, November 13th at 7:00 p.m.
at St. Charles Garnier hall.
Entrance by donation.
Coffee and tea to follow.

Keep your eye on the bulletin for upcoming movie nights.



LADIES NIGHT OUT

Ladies gather your sisters, mothers and girlfriends for an evening of shopping, refreshments, tapas and friendship. The fun commences 6:30PM at Immaculate Conception Parish Hall (839 Sutherland Avenue, Kelowna). Tickets are available for \$5/ea. plus a food donation for St. Vincent de Paul at St. Joseph Elementary School

250-763-3371 or

Immaculata Regional
High School 250-762-
2730. Thank you!



CHARLIE'S ANGELS CONCERT

The St. Joseph Project Masterpiece Campaign presents:
International Giving Tuesday Event
Return of St. Charlie's Angels!

The Singing Nuns

Uniting Hearts with Music and Laughter

Our very own "Nuns" will entertain and delight as they inspire our spirit of generosity to help build a new St. Joseph Elementary School on Tuesday, December 1st, 2015.

Time: 7:00 pm - Dessert treats to follow.

Location: at St. Charles Garnier Parish

Cost: \$15.00/person

or \$50.00/immediate family of 4 or more.

Tickets available at St. Joseph Elementary School, Immaculata Regional High School, St. Charles Garnier Parish, Immaculate Conception Church and Loaves & Fishes Book Store.

Hurry and get your tickets before they sell out!

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"The Singing Nuns"

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Don't forget to bring your cheque book in case the spirit moves you!

Date: Tuesday, Dec. 1st, 2015
Time: 7:00 p.m. - Dessert treats to follow performance
Place: St. Charles Garnier Parish
3645 Benvoulin Road, Kelowna, BC
Cost: \$ 15.00/person or \$ 50.00/immediate family of 4 or more

Tickets available at St. Joseph Elementary School, Immaculata Regional High School, St. Charles Garnier Parish, Immaculate Conception Church and Loaves & Fishes Book Store

For more information please contact
Holly Routley | Development Coordinator | The Masterpiece Campaign
hroutley@cisnd.ca | (250) 875-8998

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL MEETING DAY CHANGE

In honour of our Veterans and those men and women who gave their lives for freedom we, at the Conference of the Society of Saint Vincent de Paul at St Charles Garnier, will change our meeting date from Wednesday, November 11 to Thursday, November 12 at 9:00 am. The change will allow members to attend the Cenotaph ceremonies if they so wish. Prospective new members are welcome to join us for our meeting and see what we do on behalf of the poor.

Rachel's Corner

Say to the fearful of heart: Be strong, do not fear!
 Here is your God, He comes with vindication; with divine recompense He comes to save you. Then the eyes of the blind shall see, and the ears of the deaf be opened; Then the lame shall leap like a stag, and the mute tongue sing for joy. For waters will burst forth in the wilderness, and streams in the Arabah. The burning sands will become pools, and the thirsty ground, springs of water.

-Isaiah 35: 4-7a

Come on a Rachel's Vineyard™ Retreat and allow the thirsty ground in your soul to be flooded with His springs of water of new life. Come alive again!

rvnelsondiocese@shaw.ca

250-762-2273

www.rachelsvineyardkelowna.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

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

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

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 in the meeting room at the Catholic Pastoral Centre. All are welcome. Contact Christine 250-768-5274, cbreevesac@shaw.ca or Alice 250-860-3541, 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?

- | | |
|------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------|
| <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 where you can sign up for the bulletin to be **emailed to you each week.**