November 4, 2018 31st Sunday in Ordinary Time

This is the first commandment.

And a second is like it.

Mark 12



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WEEKLY MASS INTENTIONS			
Monday	Nov. 5	8:30 am	Int. Elsie Koochin
Tuesday	Nov. 6	8:30 am	→ Wolfgang Dabelstein
Wednesday	Nov. 7	8:30 am	→ Barbara Schepensky
Thursday	Nov. 8	8:30 am	Int. Phillip family
Friday	Nov. 9	8:30 am	Int. Michele Green
Saturday	Nov. 10	5:00 pm	ी Ivan Mlikotic
Sunday Nov. 11	8:30 am	♣ Pauline Lucovic	
	Nov. 11	10:30 am	→ Walter Schredl
		7:00 pm	Parishioners of St. Charles Garnier

NEXT WEEK'S READINGS:

 1st Reading:
 1 Kings 17:10-16

 2nd Reading
 Hebrews 9:24-28

 Gospel:
 Mark 12:38-44

GUIDE TO GIVING	October 2018
Monthly Parish collection budget	\$42,500
Collections/SAG received for October	\$32,852
Average weekly collection for Sept	tember \$ 8,213

PASTOR'S MESSAGE

I would like to thank all those who have contributed to our Pilgrimage of Faith. Your generous response to the needs of our diocesan and local church community is a testament to your faith in action. Together we can meet and exceed our target.

In response to our parish survey, St. Charles Garnier Parish is planning a workshop for all those who are involved as ushers in the parish on Thursday, November 15th at 6:30 pm. During the workshop we will be discussing your ministry as greeters, collection and gifts, emergency protocols and general information. Considering the elderly nature of some of our parishioners, the usher's response to medical emergencies is most essential. Please make this workshop a priority.

Throughout the month of November we encourage our parishioners to remember deceased relatives and friends by inscribing their names in our Book of Remembrance. We will make it our goal to hold them up in prayer at each Mass during the Prayers of the Faithful. We will also read out the names of each person at 8:00 am on Friday, November 30th, prior to the 8:30 am daily Mass.

Please also remember to pray for our first Communion and Confirmation candidates. Take a moment to write/sign your name on the border of their picture at the front of the Church. Your time, effort and prayers will be a great help to them and will remind them of the support they received on their spiritual journey.

Fraternally in Christ, Fr. Bart van Roijen

MASS TIMES

Monday to Friday	8:30 am
Saturday	5:00 pm
Sunday	8:30am, 10:30am & 7:00 pm

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament after 8:30 am Mass every

First Friday of the month.

RECONCILIATION

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	8:00—8:15 am & 10:00—10:15 am
ALSO BY APPOINTMENT - plea	se call Fr. Bart 778-478-6288

BAPTISM—Baptisms take place during one of the weekend Masses. Baptism Preparation is required for the first child that is baptized in this parish. Please contact us a couple of months 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

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 who would like Fr. Bart to visit.

For **END OF LIFE emergencies** *for patients in the hospital* **only**—call the Chaplaincy Phone 250-878-1502.

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

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First Sunday of the Month Immaculate Conception Church and Corpus Christi 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

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.

St. Charles Garnier School Board Rep. Rita Smit

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

The Miracle of Father Kapaun

Do You Know This American War Hero?

Emil Kapaun—priest, soldier, and Korean War hero—was awarded posthumously the Medal of Honor, and is also being considered by the Vatican for canonization as a saint.





"A must see film."

-James S., East Dubuque, IL

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- Visit stcharlesgarnier.formed.org with a web browser
- Click on Register
- Enter your email and create a password (you need this to login later).
- Go to STUDY and watch Forgiven Episode 1 to experience FORMED

If FORMED asks for a Parish Code—use: **XG97TF**. If you are still having difficulty logging in to FORMED please call Nicole Horsman @ 250-681-0091.

PARISH EVENTS

DATE	TIME	EVENT
Nov. 5	1:00 pm	Card Social
Nov. 6	9:30 am	CWL Executive Meeting
Nov. 6	6:00 pm	Catechism Classes
Nov. 7	10:00	Catholic Moms Connect
Nov. 7	5:30 pm	Family Night
Nov. 8	6:00 pm	Reach Out Youth Wine & Paint
Nov. 8	7:30 pm	K of C General Meeting
Nov. 11	12:30 pm	Secular Franciscans
Nov. 12	1:00 pm	Card Social
Nov. 13	9:30 am	CWL General Meeting
Nov. 13	6:00	Catechism

PILGRIMAGE OF FAITH 2018-19

"Jesus said, Truly I tell you, there is no one who has left house or brothers or sisters or mother or father or children or fields, for my sake and for the sake of the Good News, who will not receive a hundredfold now in the age." (Mark 10:29-30)



Your Pilgrimage of faith Appeal envelope should have arrived at your home by now. For those who have not received it, please pick up a package from the ledge in the foyer. No gift is too small and we are counting on 100% participation of all parishioners.

Thus far, we have raised \$ 35,015 which is 42.8% toward our Pilgrimage of Faith Goal. Your continued support is necessary to meet the many needs that face us today, such as ministry to our indigenous peoples, or the education of our seminarians. Please help us to meet these needs.

BAPTISM

Baptized in our parish this weekend

Mateo Giovani Briglio

Son of Chelsey Louise (nee Lazic) and Giacomo Jay Briglio



Altar Servers Corner



Altar Server's Fun Night:

Supper and Games (Parents and Siblings are also invited) 6:00 pm - 7:30 pm - Wednesday, November 14th St. Charles Garnier Hall

Please sign-up online. If you are new and wanting to join please have your parents e-mail Rod at attwellrod@gmail.com or call 250.212.3990

CONSIDER BECOMING A SACRISTAN!



Our parish needs additional Sacristans. It's a "behind-the -scenes" ministry allowing for quiet service in the church, the duties are a devotional joy!

Your duty is once a month and training is with an experienced Sacristan. Individuals or couples, young or mature ~ a rewarding opportunity to serve your parish that comes with many blessings.

Contact Brenda Korby 250-859-0840.

CWL BURSARY

Attention all High School Students. If you plan to attend a Post Secondary Institutions in British Columbia, in the fall of 2019, you may be eligible for a bursary of \$500. Application forms for the 2019 CWL bursary are now available to all students of a daughter/granddaughter, son or grandson of a CWL member.

Application Forms are available in your prospective school administration offices.

For more information contact Mrs. Fran Pratico @ 250-862-5992



WORLD YOUTH DAY FUNDRAISER

OLOL's Got Talent: Fundraiser for World Youth Day – Sunday Nov. 18, 2018 at 2:00pm at Our Lady of Lourdes Parish Centre in West Kelowna. If you would like to register and share your talent or display your art, please register by November 15th at OLOL Parish Office (Vittoria Spindor). Or, if you would like to attend this afternoon of talent, art and dessert, tickets are for sale through OLOL Parish office for \$10 per person or \$25 per family which includes refreshments.

RETROUVAILLE

You Can Save Your Marriage! Retrouvaille - A lifeline for trouble marriages

Has your marriage become unloving or uncaring - your relationship grown cold, distant - thinking about a separation or divorce? Are you already separated/divorced but (both of you) wish to try again - then the Retrouvaille program may help you.

RETROUVAILLE (Rediscovery), supported by the Life, Marriage and Family Office of the Archdiocese of Vancouver, consists of a weekend experience for couples (no group discussions) with six follow-up sessions. As a Retrouvaille alumni couple you may then also attend our monthly support meetings.

The next program is scheduled for the weekend of November 30 to December 2, 2018 at Barnabas Landing, on beautiful Keats Island. For more details please visit our websites www.retrouvaillevancouver.com and/or www.helpourmarriage.org or phone 604-530-6710 and leave a message, to be called back. All inquiries are confidential.

Rachel's Corner

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though earth be shaken and mountains quake to the depths of the sea, though its waters rage and foam and mountains totter at its surging. God is our refuge and our strength." - Psalm 46:2-4

Have you felt like your world, as you knew it, fell apart the day you had an abortion? Do you wish you could find a mental and spiritual refuge in a safe place where you are understood? God is inviting you to a Rachel's Vineyard™ Retreat where you can find those things in His merciful embrace. Give Him a chance to show you what it is like to rest in Him.

www.RachelsVineyardKelowna.com info@rachelsvineyardkelowna.com

250-762-2273 Facebook: Rachel's Vineyard Kelowna

YMCA EMPLOYMENT PROGRAMS

The YMCA offers two FREE employment training programs for young adults ages 16—30. Build a strong foundation of skills for job searching, and meet with community partners who are specialized in the field you are exploring!

Financial supports are available, and you **EARN** a **TRAINING ALLOWANCE** while you learn.

Information sessions are held every Tuesday at the Pandosy YMCA office—#201—2949 Pandosy Street at 10:30 am. Please call 250-861-5627 to secure your spot.

NEWS FROM ST. PIUS X

St. Pius X Parish, Kelowna presents **Advent Reflections with Fr. Tony Ricard** on Friday, November 23, 2018, at 6:30 PM. Fr. Tony is from the Diocese of New Orleans. His lively stories of faith and humanity are told with humor and insight. If you have not heard of Fr. Tony, you can look him up on You Tube. He's very entertaining!

St. Pius X Quilters invite you to do your **Christmas shopping** at their annual Christmas Sale at the Knights of Columbus Breakfast on Sunday, November 18th from 8:00 AM to 1:00 PM

CORPUS CHRISTI ANNUAL TURKEY DINNER

Corpus Christi Parish, 750 Rutland Road will host the
89th annual Remembrance Day Turkey Dinner
Sunday, November 11th,
starting at 4:30 pm.
Tickets \$15 each or \$50 per immediate family,
available at the door.
Take-out is available.
Everyone is welcome to attend.



3RD ANNUAL ST. JOSEPH CHRISTMAS MARKET

On Saturday, November 24th, 2018, form 10am-3pm, St. Joseph School will be hosting their 3rd Annual St. Joseph's Christmas Market. So, mark you calendars for an afternoon of food, fun, community, and of course GREAT SHOPPING!

If you are interested in being a vendor this year or have any questions, please contact Ashley Pereira @ ashleypereira3@gmail.com OR (250) 808-4144



IMMACULATA CHRISTMAS CRAFT FAIR

Christmas Craft Fair

Presented by Immaculata Fine Arts Department

Saturday, December 15th

Doors open 10:00 am – 3:00 pm Location: Immaculata High School Gym (1493 KLO Rd)

Come celebrate the Christmas season with friends and the community. Music, food, and many hand-made crafts and arts by local artisans. Children's area with face painting and games.

Free admission.

Vendors wanted! For information and vendor applications, send your inquiry to Angela Griffin (agriffin@cisnd.ca or 250-762-2730)



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CARDS FOR KIDS! CHRISTMAS ORDER

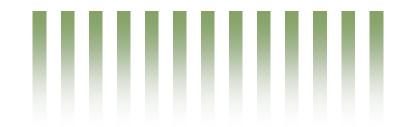


Cards for Kids Christmas order:

C4K is now beginning it's annual Christmas campaign. For every \$100 you purchase in gift certificates, St. Joseph's Elementary School will receive between \$2 and \$15. It's a great way to help our school fundraise and get your Christmas shopping done too! If you have any questions, please call Christine Bekar @778-788-8483.

An order form is included with the bulletin.





TIME TO RETURN THE BABY BOTTLES!



The Okanagan Valley Pregnancy Care Centre provides a safe place to talk about pregnancy options and receive accurate information so women can make informed decisions.

Your donations help support both women who birth their babies and those who grieve the loss of their little one through post abortion counselling. The staff and volunteers at the centre are dedicated to supporting women unconditionally. This year the centre is working to build up and train several volunteers in post abortion grief counselling to help this great need in our community. Thank you for supporting this healing work.

We invite you to pick up a bottle, fill it with spare change, cash, or cheque and bring it back before Sunday, November 4th.

Wine & Paint Nite





November 8th 2018 Time: 7:00 pm

Location: St. Charles Garnier, 3645

Benvoulin Road

Cost: \$60/ person includes: paint & supplies, glass of wine, & appetizer



ALL proceeds from this event go to Reach Out Youth Counselling & Family Services

Each ticket includes instruction, all materials, a glass of wine, and an appetizer.

http://reachoutyouthcounselling.com 250-763-7892 for more info.



KELOWNA RIGHT TO LIFE AGM

The Annual General Meeting of the Kelowna Right to Life Society will be held on Thursday, November 15th at 7:00 pm at the ICC Parish Hall, 839 Sutherland Avenue in Kelowna. All society members are welcome to attend, and those who are not members can purchase memberships at the door. Memberships are \$10 per year for an individual or \$15 per year for a family. Contact Marlon at 250 870-4103 for more information on the AGM and how you can get involved in the movement to protect LIFE!

SAFE ENVIRONMENT TRAINING

A Safe Environment Policy workshop will be held on Tuesday, November 6 at 7:00 p.m. at the Catholic Pastoral Centre (3665 Benvoulin Road). New volunteers who work with children, youth or vulnerable adults, people who are renewing their training 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 webpage (www.nelsondiocese.org) or from your parish office. Please RSVP to seo@nelsondiocese.org (preferred) or 250-448-2725 ext 225.

EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES

The Catholic Independent Schools of the Nelson Diocese (CISND) invites applications at this time for the following positions. Positions are full-time unless noted.

St. Joseph Elementary School, Kelowna

Grade 3 Classroom Teacher. <u>This is a maternity leave position</u>.

St. Joseph School, Nelson

After School Care Worker
Part-time (0.6 FTE) Music Teacher, school band experience an asset

St. Michael, Trail

After School Care Worker

View the diocesan school website www.cisnd.ca for posting details, application documents and process

SSVP NEWS

The Society of Saint Vincent de Paul throughout Canada is promoting the recognition of the World Day of the Poor, November 18th, which was proclaimed by Pope Francis.

Our local response to this has been a special project under the umbrella of SSVP Okanagan Valley Particular Council to provide a welcome home food basket to some of the new clients of Hearthstone. It is Kelowna's first modular housing program and will be opening soon to provide housing to individuals who have been homeless. It will also provide 24/7 staff support for the vulnerable members of our street community and provide services they need in order to turn their lives around. The Society of Saint Vincent de Paul invites you to help us to help society's less fortunate people by your generous donations to SSVP and we thank you for your past support.

SSVP CLOTH BAGS



The Society of Saint Vincent de Paul Christmas Hamper Program 2018

On the weekends of November 17/18 and 24/25 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 items as we cannot use them for our Hampers.

We ask that you please return the bags with your donations on the weekends of Dec 1/2 or Dec 8/9 but no later than Sunday noon, Dec 9th. Our donation sorting will take place that afternoon

We thank you for your generous support of the Christmas hamper program to help our sisters and brothers in need in our area.

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

PERPETUAL ADORATION CHAPEL - IMMACULATE CONCEPTION CHURCH Our Lord Jesus is inviting you to visit Him.

Scheduled hours (1 hour visits) available are: Wed. 4 am, 10 am, Thu. 3 am, Fri. 11 am, Sat. 8 pm, 10 pm, 11 pm, Sun. 12 noon.

Spares are always needed.

For information phone Lori 250-448-5633

PARISH ORGANIZATIONS MINISTRY COORDINATORS If you wish to become involved contact the Parish Office 250-860-6776 or: **BICYCLES FOR HUMANITY...** Keith Germaine......250-870-3518 Altar Servers Rod Attwell 250-212-3990 **CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE** email: ubco.focus@gmail.com Meet second Tuesday of the month at 9:30 am Eucharistic Ministers Dave Crane 250-861-4085 Membership inquiries: . . . Benita Spencer 250-868-8608 Hospital Visitation & Eucharist. Ethel Robidoux 250-860-2101 Catholic Moms Connect Group Lindsay Rowe 778-478-1133 **DEVELOPMENT AND PEACE** Christina Hidalgo 250-872-9776 Music JoAnn Young 250-764-0485 FR. PANDOSY 4TH DEGREE ASSEMBLY—Knights of Columbus Readers..... Meet third Sundays of the month at 2:30 pm Sacristans Brenda Korby 250-859-0840 Safe Environment Coordinator 250-861-8709 **Bob Fortier** or email: frolics41@yahoo.ca KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS www.stcharleskoc.com Ushers Gino Servedio 250-764-3182 Meet second Thursday of the month at 7:30 pm. Grand Knight: Paul King 250-868-1311 Email: paul.king33@shaw.ca **CONTACT NUMBERS** KNIGHTS BREAKFAST AFTER A.M. MASSES LAST SUNDAY OF EACH MONTH, SEPTEMBER TO JUNE CANADIAN FOOD FOR CHILDREN... Martha Calderer.....236-420-1970 ST. PEREGRINE PRAYER CIRCLE (An Apostolate of The Little Flowers CREIGHTON MODEL FERTILITY CARE250-491-1088 of Saint Francis Fraternity of the Secular Franciscan Order). St. Peregrine is recognized as the Patron Saint of Cancer Patients and Other illnesses. St. Peregrine's Feast Day is celebrated on May 4. If you have friends/family members with cancer or other illnesses we will add them to our list and pray for them & their family daily. We meet once a month and pray together. FREEDOM'S DOOR freedomsdoor@shaw.ca..... 250-717-0472 All are welcome to join us. Also, once a month we offer Mass Intentions for the GRIEF TO GRACE www.GrieftoGrace.org 250-878-7603 St. Peregrine prayer list. KELOWNA RIGHT TO LIFE . . kelownarighttolife@telus.net . . .250-862-8202 OZANAM HOUSE hope@ozanamhouse.com 250-762-4673(HOPE) E-mail: cbreevesac@shaw.ca SECULAR FRANCISCAN ORDER - "The Little Flowers of St. Francis Fraternity" RACHEL'S VINEYARD . . . info@rachelsvineyardkelowna.com . . . 250-762-2273 Meet second Sunday of the month at 12:30 pm in St. Charles Garnier Hall. **REACH OUT YOUTH COUNSELLING & FAMILY SERVICES** 250-763-7892 **SOCIETY OF ST. VINCENT de PAUL.....** 250-860-2536 Please remember: Meet second and fourth Wednesdays at 9:00 am OUR CHURCH IS A **SCENT-FREE ZONE!** FIRST SUNDAY OF EACH MONTH—SSVP DONATIONS 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. New Parishioner: Information Change: Address: _____ Postal Code: _____ _____ Email: Phone: ___ CHILDREN Would you like to be contacted by one of our parish groups? ☐ CWL ■ Music D.O.B.— (yyyy/mm/dd) Name(s) ☐ Knights of Columbus ☐ Reader ☐ St. Vincent de Paul ☐ Usher □ Altar Servers ☐ R.C.I.A. ☐ Sacristan (Set up for Mass)

You may also register on-line @

www.stcharlesgarnier.ca where you can

sign up for the bulletin to be emailed to you each week.

Would you like to pick up Sunday Offertory Envelopes from the

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.

ledge in the foyer next week?

Yes No 🗆