



My teacher, let me see again.
 Mark 10

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:

3645 Benvoulin Road, Kelowna, B.C. V1W 4M7
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
 Music JoAnn 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	Oct. 26	8:30 am	✠ Ted Roberts
Tuesday	Oct. 27	8:30 am	✠ Molly Fullerton
Wednesday	Oct. 28	8:30 am	✠ Gerald Smith
Thursday	Oct. 29	8:30 am	✠ George Stasuik
Friday	Oct. 30	8:30 am	✠ Stephanie Stelmasiak
Saturday	Oct. 31	5:00 pm	Int. Yvonne Germain
Sunday	Nov. 1	8:30 am	All Saints
		10:30 am	All Saints
		7:00 pm	All Saints

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	\$ 384,981	\$ 379,685
Building Fund	\$ 38,116	\$ 80,508

NEXT WEEK'S READINGS:

1st Reading:	Revelation 7.2-4, 9-14
2nd Reading:	1 John 3.1-3
Gospel:	Matthew 5.1-12a

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 for collecting your Pilgrimage of Faith Appeal envelope. For those who have not yet done so, please collect it as you leave Church today. No gift is too small and our parish is trying to reach 100%

participation. By collecting your envelope today you can save the costs of a stamp.

We have raised \$ 22,160 toward our Pilgrimage of Faith Appeal Goal. There are many challenges that face us today.

The shortage of priests is one such challenge. The responsibility our parish has to help provide diocesan services and ministries such as support for vocations and the education of seminarians is an answer to that challenge.

CWL NEWS

THANK YOU!

We would like to thank all those who made our Thanksgiving Pie Sale such a huge success, as a result we are able to donate \$1,300.75 to the Refugee Project; in addition to the \$500 previously designated towards this worthy cause.

CALLING ALL SNOW BIRDS:

A friendly reminder - before leaving for the winter, please renew your 2016 membership. You may place your cheque in the collection basket marked CWL. Fee remains @ \$30. If you have any questions contact our membership convener Benita Spencer @ 250-868-8608. Thank You.



CANADIAN BLOOD SERVICES

Every 60 seconds, someone needs blood. When you donate, you give life. If you knew someone who needed help in order to live, would you help? If you are in good health and at least 17 years old, visit www.blood.ca to take Canadian Blood Services' eligibility quiz to find out if you can donate. If you are eligible, you can book your appointment online with the GiveBlood app or visit our blood donor clinic located at 1865 Dilworth Drive in Kelowna. If your church wishes to organize a group blood donation with a free shuttle service, e-mail tobias.keogh@blood.ca. It's in you to give!



CARD SOCIAL

Card Social Group will resume on **Monday, October 19 at 1:00 pm.**



We welcome any newcomers to join our friendly group for coffee, goodies & fun! For information call Del 250-764-8320

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!



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!



BICYCLES FOR HUMANITY

We are collecting all the time for next spring auction (can store in new shed):
excellent furniture | sports equipment | boats | cars | trailers etc.

Please call Keith Germaine 250-764-2942 for pick up.

IN GRATITUDE

My ordination to the priesthood was a joyfilled celebration both for me and the people of our diocese. I would like to thank every member of your parish for your support in many ways. May the Lord bless and keep us all together in his love as one family .

Be assured of my prayers for you!

Thank you,

Fr. Sylvester

OLD SMART PHONE NEEDED

St. Joseph School will soon have a debit machine to be used for specific transactions (including our “Cards for Kids” program). The debit machine will need to be able to connect to Wi-Fi via Bluetooth. If you have an old smartphone or iPod Touch that is not on a contract, please consider donating it to the school. Phone or text Renée at [250-870-6010](tel:250-870-6010).



ST. EDWARDS ANNUAL FALL FAIR

Saturday, October 31st 10:00 am to 2:00 pm at St. Edwards Church, 11123 Okanagan Centre Road East, Winfield.

Featuring tea room, baking, crafts, gifts, silent auction and so much more. Everyone welcome. Come for lunch and share some fellowship with us. For more information call Marian 250-861-4131.

LIVING ROSARY MASS



Sat. October 31, 2015 at Immaculate Conception Church. Please join us for this special Mass being offered for the clergy & religious of our Diocese. Confessions from 4:45—5:15 pm, Holy Mass at 5:30 pm, followed by the Living Rosary at 6:30 pm and outdoor candle light procession around the Church. Short reception in ICC Hall. You are welcome to bring goodies for the reception. *If you want to play a part in the Living Rosary, please arrive by 6:15 pm (we need 60 people).* Bring your children, family and friends!

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 e-mail g2gkelowna@gmail.com or www.griefftoGrace.org.

KELOWNA GRANDMOTHERS FOR AFRICA

Kelowna Grandmothers for Africa and Rotary Club of Kelowna Sunrise invite you to Discover African Culture & Cuisine on Sat. Nov. 14th at Okanagan College (Atrium) on KLO Road. Taste of African inspired dishes prepared by Jr. Chefs of OK College, enjoy the rhythms of the Nankama Adrican Drum & Dance Troupe, Rod CharlesWorth will be painting during the evening, Silent & live auctions, and other many other items such as stones sculptures by Zimbabwean artists on display and up for auction. For tickets & info, call Cheryl 250-215-5829 or Doreen 250-868-8710. Tickets are \$75 Funds raised will help grandmothers in Adrica raise over 15 million children orphaned by AIDS. After losing their own children to AIDS, these brave grandmothers have stepped up to raise the children left behind. Please help them.

VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITY

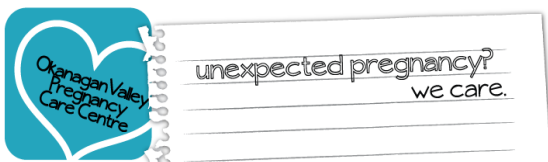
Volunteer Opportunity: The Catholic Pastoral Center is looking for friendly faces to fill the role of volunteer receptionist-shifts are Monday to Friday either 9am-1pm or 1pm-4:30pm. No experience necessary! Training is provided. You just need a reference from your pastor. It is a great opportunity to bring your hobby along to work on while you direct phone. calls and visitors. If you have time once a week or once every couple of weeks to do a shift, please contact Kim at

[250-448-2725 ext. 200](tel:250-448-2725) or email kim.jacobs@nelsondiocese.org.



PREGNANCY CARE CENTER

Please call Okanagan Valley Pregnancy Care Centre at 250-136-2112. We are here to help.



OZANAM HOUSE FUNDRAISER

Stella Majic, a valued and long-serving board member of Ozanam Recovery House, has recently retired from her teaching position at St. Joseph Elementary School in Kelowna, BC. To kick off this new stage in life, Stella will be making a pilgrimage to Santiago de Compostela ("The Way of Saint James") from September to November 2015.

Not for the faint of heart, this is an 800 kilometer trek from the south of France, over the Pyrenees, into northern Spain, then westward to Santiago to the shrine of the apostle St. James the Great in the Cathedral of Santiago de Compostella in Galicia, Spain, where the remains of the saint are buried. This pilgrimage route is one of many caminos in Europe and is over 1300 years old. People have different reasons for making this pilgrimage, some spiritual and some personal. Stella has designated her pilgrimage a fundraiser for the residents of [Ozanam Recovery House](#). We thank Stella for her many years of service, her kind heart and her adventurous spirit! Please donate today to show your support for Stella and the work of [Ozanam Recovery House](#).

The fundraising is being channeled through Canada Helps – a Canada-wide trusted organization that ensures that 96% of funds raised go directly to the cause. You can go online to make your donation and a Tax receipt will automatically be issued. <https://www.canadahelps.org/en/charities/ozanam-house/stellascamino/> Please contact Reg Humphries at reg.humphries@uniserve.com or [250-717-1941](tel:250-717-1941) for additional information.

PILGRIMAGE

UK, SCOTLAND & IRELAND PILGRIMAGE
May 17 – June 3, 2016

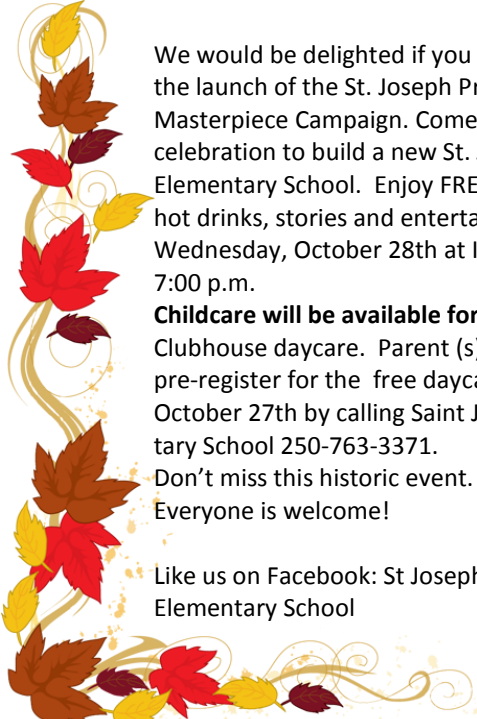
UK-London, Kent, Stonehenge, York, Alenwick
SCOTLAND: Edinburgh, St. Andrews, Glasgow
IRELAND: Belfast, Donegal, Knock, Westport, Croagh Patrick, Galway, Kenmare, Ring of Kerry, Blarney, Waterford & Dublin.

*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



MASTERPIECE CAMPAIGN FALL LAUNCH EVENT



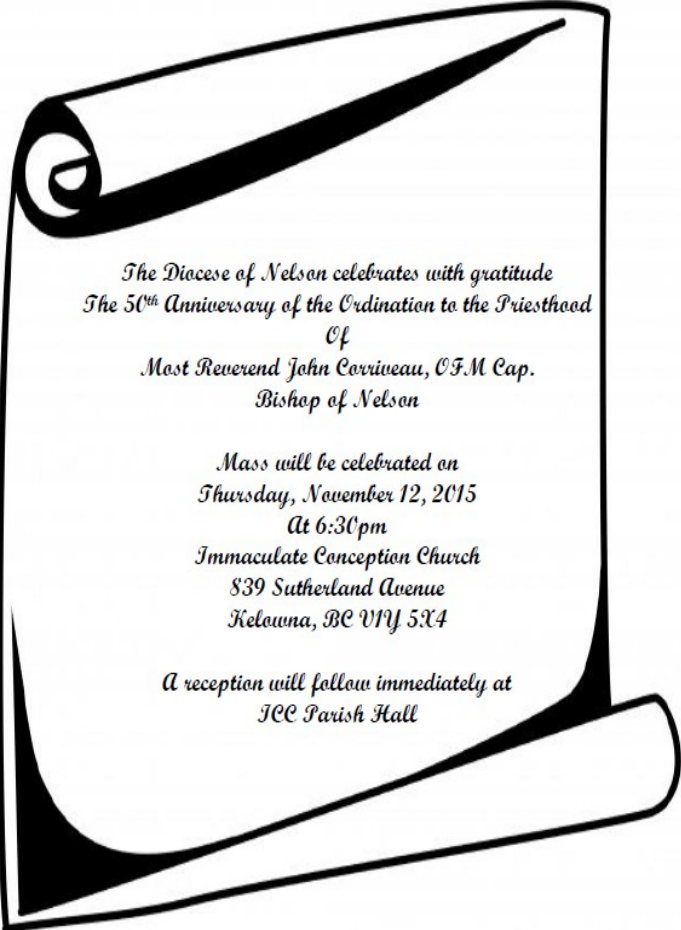
We would be delighted if you would join us for the launch of the St. Joseph Project—Masterpiece Campaign. Come be part of the celebration to build a new St. Joseph Elementary School. Enjoy FREE harvest treats, hot drinks, stories and entertainment on Wednesday, October 28th at ICC parish hall at 7:00 p.m.

Childcare will be available for free at the Clubhouse daycare. Parent (s) will need to pre-register for the free daycare by Monday, October 27th by calling Saint Joseph Elementary School 250-763-3371.

Don't miss this historic event. Everyone is welcome!

Like us on Facebook: St Joseph Catholic Elementary School

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, O.F.M. Cap.
Bishop of Nelson*

*Mass will be celebrated on
Thursday, November 12, 2015
At 6:30pm
Immaculate Conception Church
839 Sutherland Avenue
Kelowna, BC V1Y 5X4*

*A reception will follow immediately at
ICC Parish Hall*



The Masterpiece Campaign
"For we are God's masterpiece ..." (Ephesians 2:10)

HELP FRAME OUR FUTURE

FALL LAUNCH EVENT

Come celebrate our plans to build a new St. Joseph Elementary School.

Harvest Treats, Hot Drinks, Stories and Entertainment

Date: Wednesday, October 28th Time: 7:00 p.m.
Place: Immaculate Conception Parish Hall Cost: FREE

EVERYONE WELCOME!

For more information please contact
Holly Routley | Development Coordinator | The Masterpiece Campaign
troutley@ccisnl.ca | (250) 575-6996

WILL YOUR CHILDREN BE HAPPY?

On the occasion of its 20th anniversary, the Catholic Organization for Life and Family (COLF) has published its 2015 Message to Families, "**Parents, will your children be happy?**" While the Synod on the Family is taking place in Rome, COLF proposes a reflection on the formation of conscience. "In this present day and age, Christian parents who dedicate themselves to the education of their children, and hope that they become responsible, generous adults, cannot afford to ignore this reality. It is primarily the parents' task to train the men and women of tomorrow, so that they are able to choose that which — from the multitude of propositions offered by our society and our culture — is good, beautiful, right, and true. Christian parents know, moreover, that the eternal happiness of their children depends on these life decisions," COLF states in the introduction of its message. The new publication also includes a workshop guide for families, parishes, groups and movements who would like to deepen their reflection. Printed copies of the 2015 Message to Families can be ordered from www.colf.ca or by phoning [613-241-9461](tel:613-241-9461), extension 161.

Rachel's Corner

"Yahweh is my rock and my fortress, my deliverer is my God. I take refuge in him, my rock, my shield, my saving strength, my stronghold, my place of refuge. Yahweh, you yourself are my lamp, my God lights up my darkness."

-Psalm 18:2,28

Come on a Rachel's Vineyard™ Retreat and discover how God can replace your darkness with His light. All he needs is your permission.

Abortion AfterCare-Healing – The Rachel Ministries
250-762-2273, rvelsondiocese@shaw.ca

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.

Please remember:

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

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



KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS BREAKFASTS MONTHLY SCHEDULE—September through June

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

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.

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