October 7, 2018 27th Sunday in Ordinary Time

> Truly I tell you, whoever does not receive the kingdom of God as a little child will never enter it. Mark 10



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	WEEKLY MASS INTENTIONS				
Monday	Oct. 8	8:30 am	ਊ Ken Nicholls		
Tuesday	Oct. 9	8:30 am	🕆 Natalia Mlikotic		
Wednesday	Oct. 10	8:30 am	ជិ Don Knorr		
Thursday	Oct. 11	8:30 am	ੀ Paul Huppee		
Friday	Oct. 12	8:30 am	Int. Benita Spencer		
Saturday	Oct. 13	5:00 pm	ਊ Peter Mlikotic		
	Oct. 14	8:30 am	Int. Pyne family		
Sunday		10:30 am	→ Otilija Kosi & family		
-		7:00 pm	Parishioners of St. Charles Garnier		

NEXT WEEK'S READINGS:

1st Reading: Wisdom 7:7-11
2nd Reading Hebrews 4:12-13
Gospel: Mark 10:17-30

GUIDE TO GIVING September 2018 Monthly Parish collection budget \$42,500

Collections/SAG received for September \$40,266

Average weekly collection for September \$ 8,053

PASTOR'S MESSAGE

There are many ways we can have our children more involved at Mass. We would like all those who have received First Communion to consider becoming an Altar Server. We also would like to encourage more parents to take our Safe Environment training and consider helping out with Children's Liturgy on a monthly basis. Ushers are encouraged to select families with children to bring up the gifts and the 10:30 am homily on the last Sunday of the month will be addressed to children.

But there are more ways to have our children more involved. And one such way is through the use of Pew Art. During the time the children are in church we encourage them to pay attention to some part of the liturgy, be it the readings, the processions, the singing or the activity at the altar and to draw a picture having to do with some element of the Mass. Just as some adults benefit from bringing a notebook and writing down insights that they might have, children begin to process their insights through pictures and older children through writing. Pew Art may be shared, with the larger community, on the Pew Art bulletin board in the foyer. Pew art should not be seen as simply keeping our children busy, but a way of helping them enter into the Mass.

Please be advised that next weekend (Oct. 13th and 14th) is Ministry Fair Weekend. Take a moment to wander through the hall and consider helping out in one or another way in the various things that are going on. Take a moment to speak to someone who has chosen to be involved and show them your appreciation and support. You may also want to donate to those ministries that address the needs in our community.

Fraternally in Christ, Fr. Bart van Roijen

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

First Friday of the month.

RECONCILIATION

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.

First Sunday of the Month Immaculate Conception Church and Corpus Christi Parish Third Sunday of the Month Last Sunday of the Month

St. Charles Garnier Parish

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS BREAKFASTS

REMEMBER OUR CATHOLIC SCHOOLS!

Our Lady of Lourdes Parish

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	p. Rita Smith
Immaculata High	250-762-2730
St. Joseph Elementary	250-763-3371
Our Lady of Lourdes Elementary Sch	ool 250-768-9008
Kelowna Catholic Independent Scho	ols 250-448-2725
	or 250-762-2905
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- Watch: John XXIII
- Watch: True Reformers
 Ep. 5: Saint Teresa
- · Watch: Lectio: Peter Ep. 9
- Watch: Symbolon
 Ep.9: Mary and the Saints

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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	
Oct. 8	10:00 am	Ulrich Lamontagne Funeral	
Oct. 9	9:30 am	CWL General Meeting	
Oct. 9	6:00 pm	Catechism Classes	
Oct. 10	9:15 am	SSVP	
Oct. 10	10:00 am	Catholic Moms Connect	
Oct. 10	5:30 pm	Family Night	
Oct. 11	7:30 pm	Knight's of Columbus General Mtg.	
Oct. 13/14	After Masses	MINISTRY FAIR	
Oct. 14	12:30 pm	Secular Franciscans	
Oct. 15	1:00 pm	Card Social	
Oct. 15	5:00 pm	Parish Council Meeting	
Oct. 15	7:00 pm	Movie Night	

HARVEST DINNER AND SILENT AUCTION FUNDRAISER

Bid on Unique Silent Auction Gifts for ...

Creatives Couch-Potatoes

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Drivers The Frazzled
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...YOU!!



SSVP ANTI-POVERY CAMPAIGN

The Society of Saint Vincent de Paul needs 300 apples by October 12th for their upcoming anti-poverty campaign.
Can you help?
Please call Pat Lever 250-859-2125
if you have apples that you would like to donate.

PARISH OFFICE CLOSED

The Parish Office will be closed Wednesday, October 10th and will reopen Wednesday, October 17th after 1:00 pm.

There will not be a bulletin on the weekend of October 13/14.

Below is the mass intention list for the next week.

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Monday	Oct. 15	8:30 am	⊕ Benita Spencer		
Tuesday	Oct. 16	8:30 am	ਹੈ David Negrych		
Wednesday	Oct. 17	8:30 am	ੀ Natalia Mlikotic		
Thursday	Oct. 18	8:30 am	🕆 Paul Huppee		
Friday	Oct. 19	8:30 am	Protection of families		
Saturday	Oct. 20	5:00 pm	ਊ Walter Schredl		
	Oct. 21	8:30 am	라 Pauline Lucovic		
Sunday		10:30 am	ተ Philomena Bottoni		
		7:00 pm	Parishioners of St. Charles Garnier		



SECULAR FRANCISCANS

Transitus - The Commemoration of the Passing of St. Francis of Assisi from this World into God, Come and join the Secular Franciscans, of the Little Flowers of Saint Francis-Kelowna, BC, who will be gathering on Sunday, October 14th at 1:00 PM, at St. Charles Garnier Church to celebrate St. Francis' passing from earth to eternal happiness in Heaven, For more Info. call: 250-863-5269



CWL NEWS



Our next **General Meeting** will take place on Tuesday, the 9th @ 9:30 am. In honour of the upcoming feast day of St. Charles Garnier, **Gudrun Cobham** will present an intimate profile of the life of this remarkable Saint and Martyr.

MEMBERSHIP

A reminder that its that time of year again to renew your CWL membership. Snow Birds please submit your memberships before you fly south. Fees remain @ \$30.

You may drop your cheques into the Sunday collection basket, marked CWL.

Please consider becoming a member, drop by for a chat at the upcoming Ministry Fair, and see what you are missing!

CARD SOCIAL



Card Social Group will resume on Monday, October 15 at 1:00 pm.

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

MINISTRY FAIR



St. Charles Garnier will be holding a Ministry Fair October 13th & 14th after all masses. We invite you to take a few moments to visit the various displays/tables to see where you may find opportunities to serve & grow!

Coffee and goodies will be provided.

Please contact the parish office if your group would like to reserve a space.

ICC FALL BAZAAR

Please join us for our annual Immaculate Conception Fall Bazaar on Saturday, October 20 from 9:30 am - 1:30 pm. Records, books, religious items, bake sale, white elephant, jewelry & accessories, raffles and kids room! Don't leave without trying our delicious soup and homemade pie. All proceeds to supporting youth programs. Hope to see you there!

JOIN THE BABY BOTTLE BRIGADE



The Okanagan Valley Pregnancy Care Centre provides free and confidential:

- Pregnancy peer counselling
- Material support such as baby items and clothes
- Advocacy and community referrals for assistance
- Post abortion grief counselling
- Sexual integrity education

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

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

Classroom Teacher, Primary Grade
Part-time (0.4 FTE) Grade 4 Classroom Teacher
Grade 3 Classroom Teacher.
This is a maternity leave position.
Start date is November 1, 2018

St. Joseph School, Nelson

After School Care Worker

St. Michael, Trail

After School Care Worker

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

OCTOBER IS WORLD MISSION MONTH

"Go! Make disciples of all nations." (Mt.28:19) These words—the imperative mission of Christ—call each baptized Catholic to action. The Church has a lasting mission to perform in this world, a mission that is ever more apparent, and the need for it is ever more urgent. In fact, mission isn't something the Church does. It is what the Church is!

This year, World Mission Sunday is on October 21st. This is a worldwide collection or the missionary Church that offers emergency aid when disaster strikes, cares for refugees in wartorn countries, provides rural health clinics and transportation for priests, catechists, religious and lay pastoral workers. It offers financial support for the daily needs of all missionaries. Please pray for the missions and be generous on World Mission Sunday.

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





FREEDOM'S DOOR DINNER



Fundraising Dinner With Inspiration

Enjoy appetizers and a wonderful meal followed by real life stories of hope, encouragement, and inspiration

Friday, October 12, 2018 Reception @ 5:30pm / Dinner @ 6:15 pm

Emmanuel Church

2600 Hebert Road, West Kelowna BC

Tickets \$20 each or \$150/table (8 settings \$10.00 saving)

Advance tickets only available from:

Freedom's Door

info@freedomsdoorkelowna.com P 250.717.0472

Loaves & Fishes Book & Church Supplies

591 Lawrence Ave, Kelowna P 250.868.8933

Emmanuel Church

2600 Hebert Road West Kelowna P 250 768 7638

Kennedy's Parable

31 2070 Harvey Avenue, Kelowna P 250.762.8444

IRHS 2ND ANNUAL FAMILY PHOTO FUNDRAISER

Immaculata Fine Arts department is holding its second annual Family Photo fundraiser to help raise money for our senior arts trip to Edmonton in the spring. This event will be held at the beautiful Casorso Heritage Farm here in Kelowna on Sunday, October 21 between 1:00 – 6:00. Michael Breakey (michaelbreakey.com), is a local photographer who has been volunteering in our photography classes for seven years now. He has generously offered to work with a group of senior Visual Arts students in providing a photo session for your family. The price \$30.00 includes the sitting fee and a free 8 x 10 size portrait of your choice from the session. The sittings can be booked through Angela Griffin (agriffin@cisnd.ca) – Fine Arts teacher - on a first come, first serve basis with a payment of \$30.00. Sessions will be 15 minutes in length.



Psalm of the Cosmos

Loving God, loving God, all creation calls you blessed, and so do we, and so do we.

Loving God, all your creation calls you blessed.

Your spirit imprints the whole universe with life and mystery. Yes, all creation proclaims your love. We now join this chorus of praise.

Loving God, all of nature calls you blessed, and so do we. For you have woven an intimate tapestry and call it life and called it good.

In love you have formed a universe so diverse yet so related, and into its web you call us forth to walk the land and swim the sea with all our natural brothers and sisters.

we seem no more than blades of grass.
Yet to you, each of us,
as each blade of grass and each star,
is an irreplaceable treasure,
an essential companion on this journey of love.

Loving God, as you lure the whole world into salvation, guide us with your Spirit that we might not be only pilgrims on the earth, but pilgrims with the earth, journeying home to you.

Open our hearts to understand the intimate relationship that you have with all creation. Only with this faith can we hope for tomorrow's children. Amen. Alleluia!

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OVPCC ANNUAL BENEFIT BANQUET

Call to Compassion

"My dear children, Let's not just talk about love; Let's practice real love" | John 3:18



ANNUAL BENEFIT BANQUET

THURSDAY, October 25th 2018, 6-9 pm

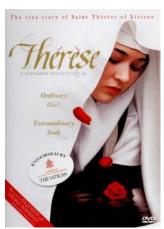
Kelowna Christian Center 905 Badke Road, Kelowna

Tickets \$40, available at 201—2622 Pandosy St. 250-763-2112 or online at Eventbrite.ca

MOVIE NIGHT

Our next movie night with Fr. Ron Dechant, OMI will be on Monday, October 15th @ 7:00 pm in the hall. The movie is "Thérèse", the true story of Saint Thérèse of Lisieux — the most popular saint of modern times.

A bourgeois girl from a Victorian French family, Thérèse journeyed to Rome to beg Pope Leo XIII for permission to enter the Carmelite monastery at the unheard-of age of 15. Through the rigors of monastic life, she made the surprising yet simple discovery that holiness can be achieved by small acts of love and compassion—a spiritual path she called her "Little Way". 96 minutes.









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

PILGRIMAGE OF FAITH 2018-19

"Happy is everyone who fears the LORD, who walks in His ways. You shall eat the fruit of the labour of your hands; you shall be happy, and it shall go well with you." (Ps 128:1-2)



Today the 2018-2019 Pilgrimage of Faith Appeal begins in our parish and throughout the Diocese of Nelson. This is an opportunity for us to unite with all our diocesan brothers and sisters to share our blessings and to show our concern for one another. Your gift is important. It will assist the parish and the diocese in providing a wide variety of religious, educational, pastoral and charitable services throughout our communities.

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.

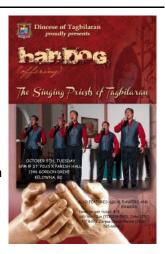
Contact Brenda Korby 250-859-0840.

HOUSE CLEANING?

Annual ICC Fall Bazaar ~ Saturday, Oct. 20. We would very much appreciate donations of used sports equipment, small furniture, children's toys, power and hand tools, board games, puzzles, gardening equipment, belts, clutch bags, wallets, scarves, rings, watches, bracelets, necklaces, hats, purses, wraps, new and used books, CDs, DVDs, vinyl records, religious items, Christmas ornaments, decorations & collectibles. All proceeds to supporting youth and young adult programs. For more information, contact david@icckelowna.ca. Thank you for your support!

HANDOG (OFFERING) SINGING PRIESTS

HANDOG (Offering)
The Singing Priests of
Tagbilaran (Philippines) with
local dancers and singers on
Oct. 9th, Tuesday at 6pm, St.
Pius X parish Hall.
Donation per ticket \$15, call
Jun (778)214-5951; Jinky (250)
717-6373; Corpus Christi Parish
(250)765-6869.



RETROUVAILLE

Life can be difficult, and so can the challenges you face in marriage. Does the distance between you seem wide? Are you already separated? Looking for a better way? Retrouvaille can help and offers hope for a better relationship. Retrouvaille is a peer ministry of volunteer couples that can help you learn the tools of healthy communication, build intimacy and heal, just as they have done in their own marriages. Retrouvaille is Christian-based, and Catholic in origin, but welcomes couples of all faiths as well as non-religious couples. Retrouvaille can help get your relationship back on track. For confidential information or to register for the Lower Mainland program beginning the weekend of November 30 - December 2, 2018, call Marc and Candice at 604-530 -6710 and leave a message or email us at vancouverbc@retrouvaille.org.

More information also available on our websites www.retrouvaille.org and www.retrouvaillevancouver.com

LIVING ROSARY MASS

On Wed., Oct. 31, at Immaculate Conception Church.

Please join us for this special Mass being offered for the clergy & religious of our Diocese. Confessions from 4:00-4:45pm. Holy Sacrifice of the Mass at 5:00 pm, followed by the LIVING ROSARY at approximately 6:10pm; we will then do an outdoor Marian procession. If you want to play a part in the Living Rosary, please arrive by 6:00pm (we need 60 people). Refreshments to follow in the Church Hall. YOU ARE ASKED TO BRING REPRESHMENTS if you can, and drop them off in the Church Hall, preferably before Mass. Bring your children, family and friends!

YOUTH RETREAT

Youth Retreat: The Diocese of Nelson invites all students in Grades 8-12 for a weekend of adventure exploring the theme, "Where Do I Fit?" Come join us on October 13-14 at Our Lady of Lourdes School, West Kelowna for a powerful and fun-filled weekend of music, games, prayer and to spend time with our new bishop. To register and for more info, call (250) 448 2725 ext. 280 or email youth@nelsondiocese.org. Please consider joining us! We would love to have you with us.

Rachel's Corner

"Like a ship's anchor hidden far beneath the water's surface, God is at work in our lives even when we don't see Him... even when we can't hear Him. So, when our faith falters, remember, we don't need to see, we don't need to hear, we just need to trust. Jesus is your anchor." June Hunt Since your involvement in an abortion decision have you felt like you have been adrift in a sea of regret and anger and you have no way to put that into words nor anyone you can tell about how it has affected you? The team at Rachel's Vineyard understand that feeling and are inviting you to join them on a Rachel's Vineyard Retreat Weekend.

www.RachelsVineyardKelowna.com info@rachelsvineyardkelowna.com

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

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 🗆