



April 17, 2016
4th Sunday of Easter

I give my sheep eternal life.
 John 10

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

Saturday 4:30—4:45 pm
 Sunday 8:00—8:15 am & 10:00—10:15 am

ALSO BY APPOINTMENT - please call Fr. Pat 778-478-6288

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

Office Manager: Marilee O'Donnell
Office Phone: (250) 860-6776 **Fax:** (250) 860-0542
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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 Servers
 Campus Ministry email: ubco.focus@gmail.com
 Children's Liturgy children@stcharlesgarnier.ca
 Eucharistic Ministers Patti Cook 778-478-6563
 Hospital Visitation & Eucharist. Ethel Robidoux 250-860-2101
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 or email: karen.sanesh21@gmail.com
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 or email: frolics41@yahoo.ca
 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 .. info@rachelvineyardkelowna.com .. 250-762-2273

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: Linda Servedio 250-764-3182
 Membership inquiries: ... Benita Spencer 250-868-8608

DEVELOPMENT AND PEACE Keith Germaine 250-764-2942

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 Maria 778-214-2705

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	April 18	8:30 am	✠ Ron Criss
Tuesday	April 19	8:30 am	✠ Don Knorr
Wednesday	April 20	8:30 am	✠ Anna Hugo
Thursday	April 21	8:30 am	✠ Abbey & Gerald Smith
Friday	April 22	8:30 am	✠ John Chahley
Saturday	April 23	5:00 pm	✠ Sr. Imelda O'Connor
Sunday	April 24	8:30 am	Int. Paul Matthews
		10:30 am	✠ Carmella & Giacomo Amico
		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

	2016 YTD	2015 YTD
Collections	\$ 141,462	\$ 136,999
Building Fund	\$ 13,702	\$ 13,925

NEXT WEEK'S READINGS:

1st Reading:	Acts 14:21b-27
2nd Reading:	Revelation 21:1-5a
Gospel:	John 13:1, 31-35

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	

BAPTISMS

Baptized in our parish this weekend:

Summer Mae Mazzei

Daughter of Alex Melanie (nee MacIsaac)
and
Tyler James Mazzei

and

Chloe Marie Edwards

Daughter of Jessica (nee Pedersen)
and
Brent Edwards



REFUGEE COMMITTEE MEETING

There will be a St. Charles Garnier Refugee Committee meeting Sunday, April 24th at 9:30 am in the Parish Office.

OUR EMMAUS JOURNEY



An invitation to deepen your relationship with God: a day of reflection, prayer and sharing our Easter experience.

A retreat is a gift to yourself – a way to step aside from everyday concerns to relax and care for your soul; to

nurture yourself and your relationship with God. A retreat is a time of silence and solitude, so lacking and yet so needed in our world and our lives.

Come for a one day guided retreat at Elizabeth Seton House of Prayer in Kelowna

When: Thursday, May 5th, 10:00 to 3:00 followed by mass at 3:00 in the retreat House Chapel.

Facilitator: Sister Nancy Hurren, CND

Bring: your bible & a bag lunch! By donation.

Reserve: your place by Monday, May 2, Phone: (250 808 9805)

FAREWELL TO SR. GERTRUDE MCGOVERN, SC

Sr. Gertrude has served in the diocese since the mid-70's and will be retiring to Halifax in May. For those who wish to say "au revoir" to her, there will be a gathering in St. Charles Garnier hall, May 7 from 2 to 5pm. A basket of cards will be presented to her from those who cannot be present. The only card enclosures should be old photos of herself and her friends to enjoy at her leisure. Please RSVP to Sr. Phyllis phyllis.giroux@nelsondiocese.org or 250-808-4545 so that we can prepare sufficient refreshments.

ST JOSEPH CARDS FOR KIDS

St. Joseph Cards for Kids will be selling shopping cards after the masses April 23-24. Buy cards for groceries, coffee shops, fuel, Subway, Moxie's, Cineplex, Indigo, Winners/Home Sense/Marshalls, and Canadian Tire. Your purchases raise funds for St. Joe's operating costs. We happily accept debit!

CATHOLIC FAMILY CAMP ART CONTEST

If you're under the age of 18, you could turn your doodling into a movie prize package! The Catholic Family Camp is looking for a new logo for its 2016 camp t-shirt! YOUR logo design could be chosen to be on this year's t-shirt! Imagine everyone at camp – and elsewhere – wearing YOUR art! And, to sweeten the deal, there's a movie prize package to be won, too, which includes movie passes, candy treats, Kernels popcorn and seasonings, and more. For more information, visit www.okanagacatholic.ca, our facebook page, Okanagan Catholic Family Camp, or email louiselliott@shaw.ca for full contest rules and guidelines.

WORKSHOP

From the Office of Faith Formation: **Dr. Peter Doherty, OMI, Professor at St Mary University, Calgary** will be presenting four workshops across the diocese on *Living with Family and Friends with Addictions*. Dates and locations will be April 30th at Christ the Servant Parish 10:00 am, Cranbrook; May 1 at Holy Trinity Parish 1:00 pm, Trail; May 6 at St. Charles Garnier Parish 2:00 pm, Kelowna and May 7th at Christ the King Parish 10:00 am, Oliver. Cost is \$10 per person. **Registration is required for planning purposes.** For further information, contact Darlene Jackson at darlene.jackson@nelsondiocese.org.

PRAYER BREAKFAST RENEWAL SERVICE

There will be a Prayer Breakfast at St. John Vianney Parish Hall in Penticton on Saturday, May 28, 2016, at 9:00am. The guest speaker is Fr. Rex Velmonte. Tickets are available at a cost of \$6.00 at La Cucina European Deli or from any Shekinah Prayer Group member. For more information please contact Scott Frymire at 250-493-3554.

PERMANENT DIACONATE

Do you know a Catholic man between the ages of 31 and 60 who has a heart set on Christian service and a life guided by prayer? If so, talk to them about our diocesan Permanent Diaconate program. Please give them one of the pamphlets available from your local parish and tell them why you feel God is calling them. This new initiative will help spearhead new forms of ministries in our diocese.

MOVIE NIGHT

The next Movie night with Fr. Ron Dechant, OMI will be on **MONDAY, April 18th**. It has been moved back to Monday so as not to conflict with the Seton House Fundraiser on the 21st. The movie to be shown is about Mother Angelica. Show time 7:00 pm.



CHARISMATIC CONFERENCE

Mercy is Falling; **God's Mercy is for All** is the theme of this years Charismatic Conference to be held at St. Pius X Church in Kelowna. April 29 & 30, 2016. Keynote speaker is Father Pierre Ducharme, OFM. The conference is free; a love offering will be taken. For information see brochures in the church, or contact Maria at untamedspirit@telus.net or Roy at rmacintyrester@hotmail.com.

CWL NEWS

UPCOMING CWL EVENTS

April 24th ~ Installation Ceremony of the new Council to take place @ the 8:30 am Mass.

April 26th ~ Feast of Our Lady Of Good Council, Patron of the Catholic Woman's League of Canada. CWL Day of Peace and Hope.

Mother's Day ~ May the 8th, Mass @ 8:30 am ~ please bring flowers from your garden for Our Lady. Eucharistic Ministers needed please call Linda Servedio @ 250-764-3182

MAY 16th ~ World Communications Day - this years theme is "Communicating the Family" Pope Francis' full message can be read @ www.cwl.ca

May 18th ~ CWL Annual Retreat @ Seton House Of Prayer, Retreat Master Fr. Ron Dechant, OMI. Time: 9:30 am - 3:30 pm
Cost: \$15.00 includes lunch.
We will meet in the church parking lot @ 9:00 am car pooling

CATHOLIC MOUNTAIN STAR

For those of you who indicated that you would prefer to pick up your copy of the Catholic Mountain Star from your parish, your copy has arrived. Please pick them up from the ledge in the foyer. Your name is on the label.

WORLDWIDE MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER WEEKEND

Love One Another, As I Have Love You. John 15:12

As men and women of God we are to "pursue righteousness, devotion, faith, love, patience and gentleness." We are called to keep his commandment to love one another as he has loved us. Is this evident in your lives and marriages? Find out how to live this out in your marriage. Sign up today to attend the Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend being held in West Kelowna—**April 22-24, 2016**. Let the Lord strengthen, renew, and rekindle your marriage sacrament. For more information or to register contact:

Doug & Candice Chappell—778-479-7900 or email chapped.dc@gmail.com

Steve & Mary Bohnen—604-876-7298 or email wwwmevancouverbc@gmail.com



ALEX SCHADENBERG

The Kelowna Right to Life Society is proud to present ALEX SCHADENBERG speaking in Kelowna on the evening of Monday, May 2nd! Alex will be at Evangel Church, 3261 Gordon Drive at 7:00 pm. This is a dessert and coffee evening and admission is by tax-deductible donation to the Society. Alex has been the Executive Director of the Euthanasia Prevention Coalition (EPC) since July 1999 and the chairperson for EPC international since November of 2007. He has had articles published in newspapers world-wide, has the world's most widely read blog on issues related to euthanasia and assisted suicide at: www.alexschadenberg.blogspot.com, and has published the book: *Exposing Vulnerable People to Euthanasia and Assisted Suicide*. Alex will be here providing information on the impending legalization of euthanasia and assisted suicide in Canada. Don't miss this opportunity to get involved in this important issue. Call Marlon at 250 870-4103 for more information.

CANADIAN DAY OF INFAMY

47th ANNIVERSARY MASS: CANADIAN DAY OF INFAMY
Immaculate Conception Parish will host a mass of Reconciliation & Healing on Thursday, May 12, mourning 47 yrs of legal abortion in Canada. This is a memorial for the 4 + million unborn who have died from abortion in Canada, their mothers and fathers who are also victims of this tragedy. Main celebrant will be Bishop John Corrivé, The Chaplet of Mercy will begin @ 6:30, followed by mass @ 7 pm. Guest speaker to follow in the parish centre will be Fr. Cerlouie Jimenez. Coffee & refreshments. An excellent opportunity to renew your memberships! Everyone welcome

CAMP OWAISSI

The Society of St. Vincent de Paul has some funds available to send children between ages of six and eighteen to summer camp during July and August at Camp Owaissi located on the West side. If your family needs some financial help so that your son or daughter can take part, phone SSVP at 250-860-2536. If you have a computer go to www.campoac.com for information about the summer camps.

KIDS KAPERS



The Society of St. Vincent de Paul at St. Charles Garnier Parish has a special fund to provide opportunities for children aged sixteen and under (including preschoolers) to participate in sports or recreational activities such as art classes, soccer, karate, gymnastics, swimming, etc.

This fund is set up to help families who require some financial help so that their children can access programs that are fun, healthy, educational or creative. Some choices might be programs offered by their schools, the Parkinson Recreation Center or other community agencies. If you or someone you know might benefit from this program known as KIDS KAPERS, the phone number to call is SSVP at 250 860-2536. All calls are treated confidentially.

LIVE IN RETREAT

Are you interested in a deeper personal relationship with Jesus?

June 3-5, 2016 Immaculate Heart of Mary Shrine and Retreat Centre will hold the first Live In weekend in the Diocese of Kamloops. This is your chance to experience Jesus as someone real, experience a new peace and deepen your faith. If you have already made your weekend, come and work as a team member and experience the gift that comes with sharing this beautiful time together. Contact for registration and information: Darlene Heaney 250-542-8690 darleneheaney@gmail.com

PRO-LIFE THRIFT SHOP SALE

Huge Parking Lot Sale - Sat, April 23 - 8 am to 2 pm at the Pro Life Thrift Shop, 1157 Sutherland Avenue. Summer/Spring clothing, household appliances and much more! Call Julie at 250 762-9266 for more information.

JOB OPPORTUNITY

CISND invites applications at this time for the following full-time (1.0 FTE) **teaching assignments** at Immaculata Regional High School (grades 8-12) in Kelowna for the 2016-2017 School Year:

- Band
- Humanities (Social Studies and English)
- French
- Religion
- Drama

Combinations of the above specialties will be advantageous to the applicant. Please view the diocesan school website www.cisnd.ca for posting details, application documents and process.

Closing date is **Friday April 29th**.

ST. JOSEPH SCHOOL DANCE



SETON HOUSE OF PRAYER

A poster for 'Celtic Fusion: An Evening of Song & Dance'. The background is a photograph of a rustic wooden cabin with a snow-covered roof, nestled in a snowy forest with evergreen trees. The text 'Celtic Fusion' is at the top in a large, elegant serif font, with 'An Evening of Song & Dance' in a smaller script font below it. The event details are listed in the center: 'Thursday April 21', 'Doors - 6:00pm Concert - 7:00pm', and 'Kelowna Community Theatre'. A list of featured acts follows: 'Featuring: Ceol na hEireann (Music of Ireland), African Drummers & Clergy Singers, Blakey Okanagan Irish Dancers, Kelowna Pipe Band, and Silent Auction'. At the bottom, it says 'Proceeds to Seton House of Prayer'. A small note at the very bottom states: 'TICKETS AVAILABLE FROM PERFORMING GROUPS; MOST PARISH OFFICES: OR AT THE DOOR ON NIGHT OF PERFORMANCE.'

A LIVING ROSARY

A Living Rosary

"A Living Rosary" is a prayer service with participation. Each person represents one of the beads of the rosary and leads the corresponding prayer while reflecting on the mysteries of Jesus' life.

A "Living Rosary" will be held at Immaculata High School Monday, April 18th at 11:30 am in conjunction with the Silver Rose Relay of the Knights of Columbus. This relay is in honor of Our Lady of Guadalupe.

All are welcome and encouraged to participate in saying the rosary with the youth of our community.



MARRIAGE TUNE UP!

We invite you to the spring series of BELOVED—the newest DVD release of the acclaimed Symbolon series. Hosted by different couples, BELOVED uncovers the mystery and the meaning of the sacrament of marriage, inviting all couples to experience firsthand the wonder, mystery, and joy behind that first "I do"... whether you said it last year or many years ago. The 'Beloved Date Nights' series are at Immaculate Conception's Parish Center from 7:00 to 8:30 pm, with light refreshments to start the evening. Each session consists of a video presentation, a short group discussion, a chance for couples to chat one-on-one and a closing prayer. Simple, but a beautiful opportunity to grow!

This session's dates are May 7, May 14, May 28 and June 4. Registration is \$20.00 per couple for the four sessions, and the series is LIMITED TO FIVE COUPLES. Registration forms are available at www.icckelowna.ca and can be dropped off at the parish office (open 8:30-12:30 Monday to Friday). For more information, contact Fr. Sebastian at 250-762-3910 or david@icckelowna.ca or leanne@icckelowna.ca.

Rachel's Corner

*"For thou hast delivered my soul from death,
my eyes from tears, my feet from stumbling;
I walk before the Lord in the land of the living."*

-Psalm 116: 8-9

Do you yearn to be delivered from the world of tears and stumbling and come alive again in His mercy? To feel new hope in you as you live in the land of the living? Has your abortion story kept you from this? Come on a Rachel's Vineyard™ Retreat!

info@rachelsvineyardkelowna.com

www.rachelsvineyardkelowna.com

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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

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.

SECULAR FRANCISCAN ORDER

"The Little Flowers of St. Francis Fraternity"
meets every 2nd Sunday at 12:30 pm in St. Charles Garnier Hall. All are welcome to attend.
Contact: Maria 778-214-2705

ST PEREGRINE PRAYER GROUP—The Secular Franciscans are holding prayer sessions for those afflicted with cancer and other diseases on the last Monday of each month 7-8pm at Alice's place. All are welcome. For directions contact Alice 250-860-3541, alicemccrea@shaw.ca. or Christine 250-768-5274, cbreevesac@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?

- | | |
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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.**