February 19, 2017 7th Sunday in Ordinary Time



MASS TIMES

Monday to Friday	:30 am
Saturday	.00 pm
Sunday	:00 pm

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. 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: <u>charlesgarnier@gmail.com</u>

MINISTRY COORDINATORS

Campus Ministry	ocus@gmail.com
Children's Liturgy children@sto	charlesgarnier.ca
Eucharistic Ministers Patti Cook	778-478-6563
Hospital Visitation & EucharistEthel Robidoux	250-860-2101
Moms & Tots Group Lindsay Rowe	778-478-1133
Music JoAnn Young	250-764-0485
Readers	
Sacristans Flo Pasutto	250-764-8716
Safe Environment Coordinator—Bob Fortier	250-861-8709
or email: fr	olics41@yahoo.ca
Security Patrol	
Ushers Gino Servedio	250-764-3182

CONTACT NUMBERS

	250-860-4393
CREIGHTON MODEL FERTILITY CARE	250-491-1088
CURSILLO John Schlosser	250-764-7007
DIOCESE OF NELSON—Catholic Pastoral Centre	250-448-2725
ELIZABETH SETON HOUSE OF PRAYER	250-764-4333
FREEDOM'S DOOR freedomsdoor@shaw.ca	250-717-0472
GRIEF TO GRACE www.GrieftoGrace.org	250-878-7603
KELOWNA RIGHT TO LIFE	250-862-8202
PREGNANCY CARE CENTRE	250-763-2112
RACHEL'S VINEYARD info@rachelsvineyardkelowna.com	n250-762-2273
REACH OUT YOUTH COUNSELLING & FAMILY SERVICE	E S 250-763-7892

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CONTACT US:

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

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Catechism: Email: children@stcharlesgarnier.ca

PARISH ORGANIZATIONS

BICYCLES FOR HUMANITY Keith Germaine
CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE Meet second Tuesday of the month at 9:30 am President:Linda Servedio
DEVELOPMENT AND PEACE Christina Hidalgo250-872-9776
KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUSwww.stcharleskoc.comMeet second Thursday of the month at 7:30 pm.Grand Knight: Rob Grifone
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: <u>alicemccrea@shaw.ca</u> or Christine - 250-768-5274—email: <u>cbreevesac@shaw.ca</u>

Last Sunday of each month—SSVP donations

WEEKLY MASS INTENTIONS

Monday	Feb. 20	8:30 am	🕆 Eamon Bennett
Tuesday	Feb. 21	8:30 am	육 Antonio & Julia D'Anzica
Wednesday	Feb. 22	8:30 am	🕆 Rose Koslowski
Thursday	Feb. 23	8:30 am	Int. Scott Matthews
Friday	Feb. 24	8:30 am	✤ Victor Dalcin
Saturday	Feb. 25	5:00 pm	Pete Pasqualotto
		8:30 am	む Adrian Van de Mosselaer
Sunday	Feb. 26	10:30 am	Int. Alanet & Murdo MacKinnon
		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	2017 YTD	2016 YTD
Collections Building Fund	\$ 58,200	\$ 57,256 \$ 5,080
Pilgrimage of Faith	\$ 86,500	\$ 92,940

NEXT WEEK'S READINGS:

1st Reading: 2nd Reading: Gospel: Isaiah 49:14-15 1 Corinthians 4:1-5 Matthew 6:24-34

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 <u>www.kelownacatholic.org</u> 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 RECEIPTS

POF receipts numbered between 1 and 500 affecting last names/company names beginning A through Die- have been mailed out without a signature due to a printing error. These receipts are being reprinted with signature and will be mailed out this week to those affected donors. Sincerest apologies for the confusion this may have caused.

2016 INCOME TAX RECEIPTS

2016 Income Tax Receipts are available for pick up from the table in the foyer. If you have any questions regarding your receipt from the parish, please call Marilee in the Parish Office 250-860-6776. Tax receipts from The Society of St. Vincent de Paul are also included in your envelope.

EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES

The Catholic Independent Schools of the Nelson Diocese (CISND) invites applications at this time for the following positions:

Our Lady of Lourdes Elementary School, West Kelowna:

1 full-time (1.0 FTE) Primary Grade Teacher Start date: March 1, 2017

St. Joseph Elementary School, Kelowna:

2 part-time Education Assistant positions, possibly leading to full-time.

Application deadline: Until positions are filled. Start date: Immediately

Immaculata Regional High School, Kelowna:

1 Full-time Sr. Math and Physics Teacher. Start date: September 1, 2017

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

MEMORIAL MASS FOR FR. BRENDAN BOLAND

Memorial Mass for Fr. Brendan Boland will be at Corpus Christi Church, Rutland Road N on February 23rd at 5:30 pm. Refreshments to follow. Fr. Harry Clarke is the celebrant.

MUSIC CONCERT & WORKSHOP

Office of Faith Formation News: **Save the dates!! David Haas** in **concert** on Friday May 5th. Tickets price is \$20 each.

David will also present a **Music & Liturgy Workshop** ~ I WILL SING A SONG OF LOVE celebrating the *Ministry of Sung Prayer* on Saturday May 6th. Cost to attend the workshop is \$20. Both events will be held at St. Charles Garnier Parish, Kelowna. Contact Darlene at darlene.jackson@nelsondiocese.org for further information.

STATIONS OF THE CROSS DURING LENT

We are again encouraging groups to lead the Stations of the Cross on Fridays at 7:00 pm during Lent: stations

March 3 March 10



- March 17
- March 24
- March 31
- April 7

Please call the parish office to book your group's spot. 250-860-6776.

CWL NEWS



LAST CALL TO RENEW YOUR 2017 MEMBERSHIP

There is still time to renew your 2017 CWL Membership. Did you know, that by joining the CWL your membership has the power to influence important legislation on Parliament Hill? Since the

inception of the national organization in 1920, CWL members have been actively working on issues such as euthanasia, abortion, same sex marriage, social justice issues, human trafficking, and pornography. St. Charles Garnier CWL actively contributes to the life and vitality of the parish community, both at home and abroad. We are a sisterhood that gives voice to the voiceless, offers a helping hand to those in need, upholds and promotes family values. Still not sure - we invite you to "COME AND SEE"!

Please drop off you cheque in the collection basket marked CWL. Fee remains @ \$30.00 or call Bentia Spencer for more information @ 250-868-8608 Thank You.

FYI

For anyone wanting to voice their objection to the series on the Global Television Network entitled: "MARY KILLS PEOLPLE" a show that glamorizes euthanasia,

contact the Canadian Broadcasting Standards Council @complaints@cbsc.ca

CARDS FOR KIDS

We have raised over \$9,600! Thank you for your support! We have just over 5 months to reach our \$20,000 goal. We will be selling shopping cards Feb. 25/26 after all the masses.

PRAYING FOR OUR CATHOLIC SCHOOLS

Rooted in Faith, Praying for Our Catholic Schools

You are invited to join us as we pray for our Catholic schools. Come whenever you are able. All gatherings are from 9:00 a.m. to 9:30 a.m.

February 20 - Bedford Room in ICC Hall March 2 - Immaculata High Chapel March 6 - Bedford Room in ICC Hall

NEWS FROM OUR SCHOOLS

- Registration for the 2017/2018 school year has begun. Applications are available on the school website at www.stjosephkelowna.ca or through the office 250-763-3371.
- Our next school Mass is Wednesday, March 1st, at ICC.
- Please note a date change for the St. Joseph Elementary Open House to Thursday, Feb. 23 from 8:30-3:30. School tours and child care available. All are invited!



Do you have a child entering Kindergarten this Fall? Would you like to know why St. Joseph Elementary is a great choice for your family? Ready, Set, Learn is a fun and positive way to introduce

your child to St. Joseph Elementary School. New students and their families will have the opportunity to spend a few hours with our fantastic primary teachers, tour our beautiful new building, and discover why we consider our Kindergarten program the best in Kelowna!

Please RSVP to sjkoffice@cisnd.ca or 250-763-3371

YOUNG ADULT RETREAT

Join fellow young adults (aged 19 to 35) and church leaders from across the Diocese of Nelson at The Seton House of Prayer in Kelowna for a weekend spring retreat focused on personal, emotional and spiritual well-being. The program includes workshops and discussions led by guest speakers, Eucharistic Adoration, Confession, Mass, social activities, and quiet time for prayer and reflection. Starts at 5:30 PM Friday, March 3rd. Ends at 5:30 PM Saturday, March 4th. The cost is \$75/person which will include all meals and accommodation. Registration deadline is Friday, February 24th. Please see bulletin board in fover for information and registration forms.

STEUBENVILLE NW YOUTH CONFERENCE

Spokane, Washington -- July 26-30, 2017

If you're in grade 8 to 12 this year and from one of the North Okanagan deanery Catholic parishes, join us for this outstanding Catholic youth conference! \$282.00 covers bus ride, four nights' accommodation, all conference activities, 11 meals, travel medical insurance, border documents and entry into Silverwood Theme Park! Space limited! For details and youth application forms, contact your youth coordinator, pastor or parish office. School character reference form and parish commitment form due via email by April 12 (allow at least one week to have these processed). For more information, contact david@icckelowna.ca.

FAMILY HOUR OF PRAYER

St. Charles Garnier Knights of Columbus Family Hour of Prayer Service. All K of C members and parishioners are invited to Family Hour of Prayer service, Thursday, February 23, 2017 at 7:00 pm. This hour of prayer is in solidarity with Pope Francis and is part of a world-wide



prayer program sponsored by the Knights of Columbus.

K OF C CHARITY APPEAL LOTTERY WINNERS

A list of the Early Bird Draw winners and the Main Draw winners can be found on the bulletin board in the Knights of Columbus section.

K OF C BURSARY PROGRAM

Bishop Thomas J. Lobsinger, OMI Memorial Bursary Program Underway

The annual British Columbia and Yukon Bursary Program is known as the Bishop Thomas J. Lobsinger, OMI Memorial Bursary Program. The 2017 program is now receiving applications. Once again we are privileged to offer thirty bursaries of \$500.00 each to Catholic students across the Province of British Columbia. These bursaries are made available on a one-time-only basis to young practicing Catholic students who are in their second or subsequent year of post secondary education at a recognized institute of higher learning within the Province. Applications are accepted from January 1st, 2017 until June 30th, 2017 with the bursaries being awarded in the fall. The Terms of Reference can be found on our web site at http://kofcbc.org/files/2013/08/Terms-of-Reference-2017.pdf

Any interested and qualified student **must write** to the State Bursary Chairman, at the following address, to request a bursary application form: Dale Hofer, State Bursary Chairman 2300 Teal Place Vernon, BC, V1H 1R1



We would like to once again congratulate the many recipients over the past years and look forward the opportunity to assist many more young people in the advancement of their education.

WORLD WIDE MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER

Love One Another, As I Have Loved 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 21-23, 2017. Let the Lord strengthen, renew, and rekindle your marriage sacrament.

For more information or to register contact; Doug & Candice Chappell – 778 479-7900 or chapped.dc@gmail.com Steve & Mary Bohnen – 604 876-7298 or wwmevancouverbc@gmail.com



DEVELOPMENT & PEACE

Today's reading contains one of God's most challenging commandments – to love your neighbour as you love yourself. By supporting our brothers and sisters around the world, we show love and solidarity through our actions. In the Philippines, Development and Peace – Caritas Canada has helped to form the Community of Yolanda Survivors and Partners, an alliance of 172 local organizations who are seeking active citizen participation in the reconstruction efforts following Typhoon Haiyan. The CYSP protected 10,000 already marginalized families who were threatened by displacement due to the construction of a government-sponsored tide barrier project. This was made possible in part to the \$243,758.54 raised by the Diocese of Nelson for the Philippines. For more information on reconstruction efforts, please visit https:// www.devp.org/en/emergencies/philippines

IRISH STEW NIGHT

Back again; the ever popular Knights of Columbus St Paddy's Irish Stew Night and it's happening on Wednesday March 15th at St Pius X Parish Hall. Happy Hour starts at 6:00 pm with dinner at 6:45 pm (not quite an hour but close enough). Entertainment will begin at 7:30 pm.

Tickets are \$15 each.

Tickets available at: SPX Parish Office 250-762-2587 Martin Landry: 250-712-0965

Columbus Housing Office: 250-862-3206.





In response to an invitation by Pope Francis, the Nelson Diocese Catholic Charismatic Renewal Services are organizing a pilgrimage to Rome to celebrate the 50th anniversary of the beginning of the Charismatic Renewal in the Catholic Church.

COST: \$3,500 CAD based on double occupancy DATES: May 23rd - June 5th, 2017 VISITING: Assisi, Lanciano, San Giovanni Rotondo and Rome SPIRITUAL DIRECTOR: Fr. Obi (Sylvester) Ibekwe PRICE INCLUDES: Flights, private charter bus to and from airports and between cities, accommodation with breakfast included, conference registration for the Pentecost CCR Golden Jubilee Rome 2017 Events, tour of Vatican Museumer, Sisting Changel & St. Pater's Pacifica. There

tour of Vatican Museums, Sistine Chapel & St. Peter's Basilica. There will be local tours within and around Assisi, Lanciano, San Giovanni Rotondo and Rome. Allow an additional \$500 - \$600 CAD for lunches & suppers at local restaurants, plus spending money.

DEPOSIT: \$500.

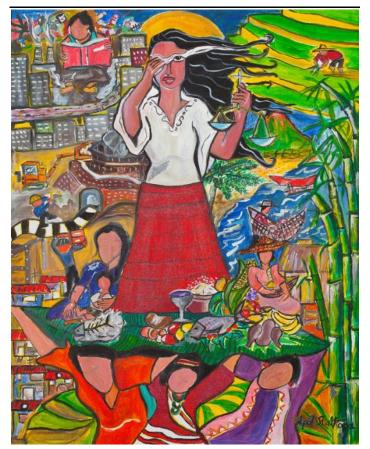
We have secured room for the first 20 registrants only. FULL PAYMENT due by MARCH 31st, 2017

For more information contact: Carol Jones Ph: 250-300-3570 or jonesfamily@shaw.ca





WORLD DAY OF PRAYER 2017



Philippines 2017 Theme: Am I Being Unfair to You?

The World Day of Prayer is a global ecumenical movement, which brings Christians of many traditions together to observe a common day of prayer each year. The theme country for 2017 is the Philippines.

Please join us in learning more about this great nation and their people, with their particular social needs and concerns. There will be a DVD presentation and a short service featuring personal stories and music from our local Filipino community. Pastor Jinger Goma will be the guest speaker. We will conclude with a family potluck.

The motto of the World Day of Prayer movement is *Informed Prayer* and *Prayerful Action*.

Event Details:

 When:
 Friday, March 3rd, 2017

 Time:
 4:45 PM - DVD Presentation on the Philippines

 5:00 PM - Service with Filipino Choir, personal stories and Keynote speaker – Pastor Jinger Goma

 6:00 PM – FAMILY POLUCK

 Where:
 St. Pius X Parish, 1077 Fuller Ave, Kelowna

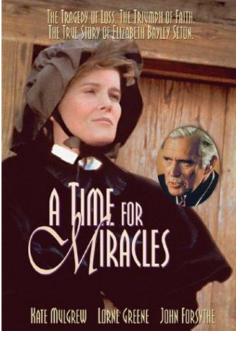
For more information, please contact: Marie Ross @ 250-764-2936 or Carol Jones @ 250-300-3570.



MOVIE NIGHT

Our next movie night with Fr. Ron Dechant, OMI will be on **Monday**, February 27th @ 7:00 pm. The film is entitled "A Time for Miracles". In 1975, Elizabeth Bayley Seton was canonized as America's first native born Roman Catholic Saint. Her story is inspiring; born in 1774 of a very distinguished family, Elizabeth seemed destined for a tranquil life. At age 19, she married William Seton and bore him five children. William died and she then learned that her family fortune was lost. She converted to Catholicism at a time when Catholics were the object of persecution in the United States. Her family, even her own children, were shocked by her decision, but she persisted. Through a friend Elizabeth met Bishop Carroll who gave her the mandate to found the American Sisters

of Charity and the first American Catholic parochial school. Until the end of her life, she championed education for women of all faiths, and her order also establish orphanages and hospitals.





BULLETIN ANNOUNCEMENT

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 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 to seven follow-up sessions.

The next program is scheduled for the weekend of April, 21-23, 2017. All inquiries are confidential. For more details please visit http://www.retrouvaillevancouver.com/ or phone 604-530-6710 and leave a message.

Rachel's Corner

"We are in the process of being changed and we have not arrived yet. There is continual change as we allow God to be our one and only source. You don't have to be mad at yourself that you are not what you ought to be yet. The more guilt and condemnation you drag around with yourself the less likely you are to keep changing. Your future has no room for the regrets of your past. -JM

Have you been dragging your self-condemnation and guilt from the past? Are you ready to emerge from that prison and be set free? Come on a Rachel's Vineyard Retreat and receive healing from your abortion.

Healing after Abortion Ministry

250-762-2273. info@rachelsvineyardkelowna.com www.RachelsVineyardKelowna

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 **Corpus Christi Parish** 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 <i>St. Pius X Parish</i>
Third Sunday of the Month	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 2nd Sunday at 12:30 pm in St. Charles Garnier Hall. All are welcome to attend. Contact: Maria 778-214-2705 or Alice - 250-860-3541

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.

Name(s):		New Parishioner:	Information Change:
Address:			ostal Code:
Phone:		_ Email:	
	CHILDREN	Would you like to be contacted	by one of our parish groups?
Name(s)	D.O.B.— (yyyy/mm/dd)	 CWL Knights of Columbus St. Vincent de Paul R.C.I.A. Sacristan (Set up for Mass) 	
ledge in the foyer next The label will have your r	up Sunday Offertory Envelopes from the week? Yes No name on it, the number identifies you and a you at the address that you registered with.		You may also register on-line @ charlesgarnier.ca where you ca to be emailed to you each week