



February 5, 2017
5th Sunday in Ordinary Time

You are the light of the world.
 Matthew 5

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:

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
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Catechism:
 Email: children@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
 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: 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 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
 REACH OUT YOUTH COUNSELLING & FAMILY SERVICES 250-763-7892

PARISH ORGANIZATIONS

BICYCLES FOR HUMANITYKeith Germaine250-764-2942
CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE
 Meet second Tuesday of the month at 9:30 am
 President:Linda Servedio.250-764-3182
 Membership inquiries: . . . Benita Spencer250-868-8608
DEVELOPMENT AND PEACE Christina Hidalgo250-872-9776
KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS www.stcharleskoc.com
 Meet second Thursday of the month at 7:30 pm.
 Grand Knight: . . .Rob Grifone250-862-9354
 Email: rgrifone@stcharleskoc.com
Last Sunday of each month—Knights Breakfast after a.m. Masses
FR. PANDOSY 4TH DEGREE ASSEMBLY—Knights of Columbus
 InquiriesGino 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 ORDERMaria778-214-2705
SOCIETY OF ST. VINCENT de PAUL250-860-2536
 Meet second and fourth Wednesdays at 9:00 am
Last Sunday of each month—SSVP donations

WEEKLY MASS INTENTIONS

Monday	Feb. 6	8:30 am	Int. Phyllis Marron
Tuesday	Feb. 7	8:30 am	Int. Paul Matthews
Wednesday	Feb. 8	8:30 am	✠ Adrian Van de Mosselaer
Thursday	Feb. 9	8:30 am	✠ Robert Hooker
Friday	Feb. 10	8:30 am	Int. Anne & Steve Day
Saturday	Feb. 11	5:00 pm	✠ Julia Tonhauser
Sunday	Feb. 12	8:30 am	Int. Pyne family
		10:30 am	Int. Paton family
		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	\$ 41,878	\$ 39,615
Building Fund		\$ 3,442
Pilgrimage of Faith	\$ 84,300	\$ 92,840

NEXT WEEK'S READINGS:

1st Reading:	Sirach 15:15-20
2nd Reading:	1 Corinthians 2:6-10
Gospel:	Matthew 5:17, 20-37++

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

BELOVED DISCIPLES DVD SERIES

From the Office of Faith Formation: A new DVD series, BELOVED DISCIPLES: **A 4 PART DVD SERIES FOR THE OVER SIXTIES** will be offered at ICC Parish (Blue Room) starting on Thursday, February 9th at 9 am. The one hour sessions will be facilitated by Elaine Biollo, SC. Fee is by donation. The first topic is entitled, The Autumn of Your Life. Please contact Darlene at Darlene.jackson@nelsondiocese.org or at 250-448-2725 ext. 120 to register. Space is limited.

FURNITURE, VEHICLES ETC. NEEDED

There is an ongoing need of good furniture for refugees and St. Vincent de Paul. Call Keith if you can help. 250-764-2942.

VOCATION LIVE-IN

On the weekend of February 17—19 there will be a Vocation Live-In for boys or young men interested in the priesthood or the consecrated life, at the Seminary of Christ the King, Mission, BC. For more information call 604-826-8715.

2017 BOOK OFFERING ENVELOPES

The 2017 offering envelopes are available for pick up from the table in the foyer. Please note that the information shown on the label is what will be printed on your tax receipt. Please check this carefully and let us know of any errors or changes as soon as possible. **If you are participating in the monthly SAG (preauthorized giving) you will still need to pick up your envelopes** as you will need to use your envelopes for the Special Collections not covered by your regular SAG donation.

Your envelope number changes each year. PLEASE do not use envelopes from non-current years!!



SAFE ENVIRONMENT TRAINING

A Safe Environment Policy workshop will be held on Thursday, February 9 at 7:00 p.m. at the Catholic Pastoral Centre. New volunteers who work with children, youth or vulnerable adults, people who are renewing their criminal record checks 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 renee.burzuk@nelsondiocese.org (preferred) or 250-448-2725 ext 225.



MOVIE NIGHT

Our next movie night with Fr. Ron Dechant, OMI will be on Thursday, February 16th @ 7:00 pm. The film is entitled "**Polycarp**". A young slave girl, Anna, is rescued and adopted by Christians in 2nd Century Smyrna and befriended by their aged bishop, Polycarp. As Anna is taught by Polycarp and her new family, she struggles to reconcile her beliefs with those of the Christians. When the Roman proconsul demands that all citizens worship Caesar to show their allegiance to Rome, Polycarp and the Christians must find courage to stand for their faith against the growing threat of persecution. Anna is forced to come to grips with the truth and choose whom she is willing to live, and die for.



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 6 - Bedford Room in ICC Hall
February 16 - Immaculata High Chapel
February 20 - Bedford Room in ICC Hall
March 2 - Immaculata High Chapel
March 6 - Bedford Room in ICC Hall

IRHS PSG TRIVIA NIGHT

IRHS Parent Support Group presents **Trivia Night** Saturday February 18th at St. Charles Garnier.
Doors open 6:30 pm | Dinner 7:00 pm | Trivia Begins 7:30 pm
\$25 ticket (includes dinner)
or \$160 table of 8 (purchased together)
Tickets available at IRHS Office.
Deadline for purchase: February 14, 2017.
Must be 19+ years to play

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.
- Do you have a child entering Kindergarten this Fall? **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 join us Wednesday, Feb. 22, 9:00 - 10:30. Reserve your spot by calling the office at 250-763-3371 or emailing sjkoffice@cisnd.ca.
- Please join us for **Rooted in Faith**, praying for our Catholic schools, on Feb. 2, 9-9:30 am at the Immaculata High Chapel.
- February 5-11th is **Catholic Schools' week**.
- **Our next school Mass** is Monday, Feb. 6th, 1:00pm at ICC.

WESTERN CANADIAN CATHOLIC HOME SCHOOL CONFERENCE

All parents & young adults are welcome to attend the Western Canadian Catholic Home School Conference, March 9-11 at Providence Renewal Centre, Edmonton. Keynote, Holly Pierlot with Fr. Penna, John Carpay, Karen Hanlon, and a panel of seminarians & religious. Information: www.wcchsc.net, Veronica 780-467-8410 or email wcchscreg@shaw.ca

CATHOLIC SCHOOLS' WEEK FEB. 5-11

This week we recognize the uniqueness of our schools as we proclaim Catholic Schools' Week across the province of British Columbia. This year's theme is *Care for Our Common Home* and together, with almost 22,000 students enrolled in 79 Catholic schools throughout the province, we celebrate the ways Catholic schools create environments where our Catholic story is shared and celebrated.

During this special week student learning will be highlighted, our many accomplishments will be celebrated, and we will enjoy gathering to acknowledge all those staff members, parents, Council and parent Group members, and pastors, who have contributed to our schools' level of excellence. Through these events, schools focus on the value Catholic education provides to young people and its valuable contributions to our church and our communities. Please take the time to participate in your school's event.

Our sincere thanks are extended to the many parishioners throughout the diocese for their ongoing support of Catholic Education through volunteer activities, donations, financial assistance and prayers. Feel free to visit the Nelson Diocesan Schools' website for more information about the schools of the diocese. (www.cisnd.ca).

Together in Christ,

Arthur Therrien
Superintendent of Schools

DIVINE MERCY PROGRAM

Divine Mercy In the Second Greatest Story Ever Told – DVD Program
Now Is the Time of Mercy! In fact, you'll not just learn about the consoling message of Divine Mercy, you'll *experience* it from Feb.10- April 21 (exclude Holy Week) from 10:00am -11:30 am in the ICC Bedford Room.

This is a dramatic 10-session journey featuring best-selling author and popular speaker Fr. Michael Gaitley, MIC. Fr. Gaitley weaves a tapestry of wonder and beauty from the threads of the dramatic history of Poland, the transformative message of St. Faustina Kowalska, the prophetic apparitions of Our Lady of Fatima, the powerful witness of St. Maximilian Kolbe, and the world-changing papacy of Pope Saint John Paul II. (For more information, phone Marlene Hughes at 250-863-8129 or Annette Leib at 250-762-0350.)

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



Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend

April 21-23, 2017

Pope John Paul II said, "I PLACE MUCH OF MY HOPE FOR THE FUTURE IN MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER."

® Pope Benedict XVI said, "Marriage Encounter, Yes! You do so much good in the world."

Pope Francis said, "I am familiar with Worldwide Marriage Encounter and the good work that you do."

Aren't you anxious to know what a Worldwide Marriage Encounter weekend can do for your Marriage?

Register for the weekend and find out!

For information or to register contact;

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

Steve & Mary Bohnen – 604 876-7298 or [wwmevanco-](mailto:wwmevanco-verb@gmail.com)

verb@gmail.com

DEVELOPMENT & PEACE

Jesus commands us to be the "light of the world" – to make His presence felt in the darkest of places. In doing so, we make our good deeds visible to the world, and we glorify God our father. For fifty years, Development and Peace - Caritas Canada has supported partners working with impoverished communities who carry out our **Gospel mandate to be a light in the darkness**. Thanks to your generous support, we have assisted community radio networks in the Democratic Republic of the Congo to reach over 3.5 million regular listeners, and to encourage, among other things, non-violent participation in elections and improving education for girls. If you would like more information please contact the Regional Office at dpwest@devp.org or 1 844 480 DEVP.



Golden Jubilee 2017

CATHOLIC CHARISMATIC RENEWAL



KELOWNA - ROME PILGRIMAGE

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 us 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 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

Theme: Am I Being Unfair to You?



Every year the International WDOP Committee chooses a different country to celebrate and pray for. This year they chose the Philippines. Women are the major breadwinners and often having to travel abroad to support their families back home. We will hear personal testimonies from some Filipino women, identifying the struggles peculiar to them. We will have a guest speaker that will address other societal problems in that nation followed by a short time of prayer and a potluck supper, featuring Filipino cuisine.

The committee is looking for women of all ages to help plan this event. We meet at St. Pius X Parish Hall on Wednesday mornings, 10 AM. We would especially like to involve our local Filipino community in the planning and will meet with them at a time convenient to them. For more information, please contact:

Marie Ross @ 250-764-2936 or Carol Jones @ 250-300-3570.

Event Details:

This is a family event! For the first time it will be hosted on a Sunday afternoon at 4:30 PM, with a Pot Luck supper afterwards. Please come out and join us!!!

Where: **St. Pius X Parish**
1077 Fuller Ave, Kelowna, BC V1Y 6X6

Date: **Sunday, March 5th, 2017 at 4:30pm**
DVD on the Philippines to start at 4:15 PM
Pot Luck Dinner to follow

Rachel's Corner

"We had never talked about what we did since that day when it happened. After a Rachel's Vineyard Retreat we told each other how much we regretted our decision, and we begged each other's forgiveness for not having protected our first child. God's merciful forgiveness has now blessed our marriage as well with my wife's forgiveness of me."

-Testimonial

www.RachelsVineyardKelowna.com

250-762-2273, info@rachelsvineyardkelowna.com

Like us on Facebook: Rachel's Vineyard, Kelowna

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 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

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.

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.**