

January 29, 2017 4th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Blessed are the poor in spirit. Matthew 5

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

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Children's Liturgy children@ste	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	rolics41@yahoo.ca
Security Patrol	
Ushers Gino Servedio	250-764-3182

CONTACT NUMBERS

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GRIEF TO GRACE www.GrieftoGrace.org	250-878-7603
KELOWNA RIGHT TO LIFE	250-862-8202
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REACH OUT YOUTH COUNSELLING & FAMILY SERVICE	S 250-763-7892

CONTACT US:

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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
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>
SECULAR FRANCISCAN ORDER Maria 778-214-2705
SOCIETY OF ST. VINCENT de PAUL

WEEKLY MASS INTENTIONS

Monday	Jan. 30	8:30 am	🕆 Adrian Van de Mosselaer
Tuesday	Jan. 31	8:30 am	🕆 Luciano Pauluzzi
Wednesday	Feb. 1	8:30 am	🕆 Adrian Van de Mosselaer
Thursday	Feb. 2	8:30 am	Int. Cheryl Hart
Friday	Feb. 3	8:30 am	🕆 Muriel Martin
Saturday	Feb. 4	5:00 pm	🕆 John Leonardi
		8:30 am	🕆 Sarah Patricia Rodden
Sunday	Feb. 5	10:30 am	🕆 Barbara Schepenski
		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	\$ 33,070	\$ 32,354 \$ 2,583

NEXT WEEK'S READINGS:

1st Reading: 2nd Reading: Gospel: Isaiah 58:6-10++ 1 Corinthians 2:1-5 Matthew 5:13-16

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

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. <u>PLEASE</u> 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.

OUR PILGRIMAGE OF FAITH

CONGRATULATIONS! We have reached our Diocesan goal thanks to the parishioners who have helped us raise \$81,300 after 17 weeks, which puts us at **100.9% of our Diocesan goal**. All further contributions will be refunded to the parish. If you did not receive a pledge card please pick up a blank package from the foyer.

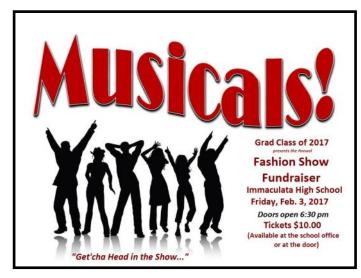
DIVORCE CARE FOR KIDS



DivorceCare for Kids is a special group to m help children heal from the hurt caused by the separation or

divorce of their parents. At our weekly DC4K group, kids make friends with other kids who understand how they feel and the things they are going through. Best of all, children will learn how God's love can strengthen them and help turn tears to hope and joy!

Sessions start Wednesday, February 1st-4:00-5:30 and run for 13 weeks in the parish hall. Two groups will run at the same time; one K-Gr. 3 and one Gr. 4-Gr. 7. Registration forms available, please contact the parish office.



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 2 - Immaculata High Chapel 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

FILM NIGHT

The Kelowna Right to Life Society is presenting a screening of the recently released and highly acclaimed documentary **The Euthanasia Deception**. This 1-hour film looks up close at real experiences with legalized euthanasia in Belgium, and serves as a dire warning for Canada and any other country looking to legalize the practices of assisted suicide and euthanasia. The Euthanasia Deception will be shown in the Fellowship Room at Evangel Church, 3261 Gordon Drive on Monday, January 30th. Screen time is 7:00 pm, admission is by donation, and dessert and coffee will be provided. Contact 250-862 -8202 or krtolife@telus.net for more information. To view the trailer, visit www.vulnerablefilm.com.

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

K OF C 43RD ANNUAL SERVICE CLUB BANQUET

We invite you to join us the Knights of Columbus at our 43rd annual service club banquet (Brotherhood Banquet) on Wednesday, February 1, 2017 at the Rutland Centennial Hall, 180 Rutland Road North. The evening will start with dinner at 6:30 followed by introduction of dignitaries and guest speaker. Cost of \$18.00 per person (payable at the door). Everyone welcome. For more information call Vic 250-860 -7612.

WORLD WIDE MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER

LOVED THE WEDDING. INVITE ME TO THE MARRIAGE. LOVE, GOD

A Worldwide Marriage Encounter weekend can help you do that! Marriage Encounter is 44 hours where married couples can get away from jobs, kids, chores, and phones, and focus only on each other. Sounds good, right? If you'd like greater depth, growth, and romance in your relationship, you'll like the difference a Worldwide Marriage Encounter weekend can make. April 21-23, 2017.



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

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. Maximillian 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.

D & P COFFEE HOUSE

Thursday, February 2nd at 7:00 pm at St. Charles Garnier. Pakistani Christians in Thailand & Update of Site C Dam. If you would like to sing or recite prose contact Keith 250-764-2942



DEVELOPMENT & PEACE

The Beatitudes remind us that humility and service are core elements of our faith, and that we are instructed to foster peace both within our hearts and communities. As we strive to be peacemakers and children of God, let us pray for those affected by the current conflict in Syria. Development and Peace – Caritas Canada supports partners in Syria who provide housing, educational, medical and material services to those affected by the conflict. *"We are not doing charity, we are walking alongside the people,"* - Director of Jesuit Refugee Service in Syria. Thanks to your generosity, the Diocese of Nelson has raised \$102,818.97 to support our partners in the region. If you would like more information please visit https://www.devp.org/en/ emergencies/syria



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

IRHS PSG TRIVIA NIGHT

IRHS Parent Support Group presents **Trivia Night** Saturday February18th 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

Rachel's Corner

"I came here full of fear and discovered that I could release all my pain here, and now I feel an immense peace and relief. I have learned on this retreat, that I am worthwhile...what I did is in the past and does not define who I am." -Testimonial from Retreat

Have you believed that your abortion experience defined who you were? Come on a Rachel's Vineyard™ Retreat and release all that keeps you from His tender and merciful love, which is the only definition you need.

www.RachelsVineyardKelowna.com 250-762-2273, info@rachelsvineyardkelowna.com Like us on Facebook: Rachel's Vineyard, Kelowna

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

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

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:		Postal	Code:
Phone:		_ Email:	
	CHILDREN	Would you like to be contacte	d 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) 	UsherAltar Servers
ledge in the foyer next The label will have your r	up Sunday Offertory Envelopes from the week? Yes No D 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 wee