

ST. CHARLES GARNIER PARISH

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January 8, 2012 - Epiphany of the Lord

We have come from the East to pay homage to the king.

Matthew 2

MASS TIMES

Monday to Friday 8:30am
 Saturday 5:00pm
 Sunday 8:30am, 10:30am & 7:00 pm
 Praise & Worship at 6:45 pm
 Every 1st Friday evening 7:00pm
 Followed by **Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament** until 10:00pm

RECONCILIATION

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

BAPTISMS—During Sunday Masses. Contact pastor.
 Phone 2 weeks in advance.

MARRIAGE—6 month notice required by the Diocese.
 Contact Pastor.

NEW PARISHIONERS

Please register by filling out the yellow cards found on the ledge in the foyer and placing them in the collection basket. If you would like envelopes please check the box on the reverse. Envelopes will be assigned and placed on the ledge in the foyer for pick up. The label on the envelopes will have your name on it, the number identifies you and a tax receipt will be sent to you at the address you registered with. You may also register on-line @ www.stcharlesgarnier.ca where you can also *sign up for the bulletin to be emailed to you each week*

MINISTRY COORDINATOR

If you wish to become involved contact the Parish Office **860-6776** or:

Altar Servers Alda Berneaud-daRosa 764-7224
 Children's Liturgy Christine Kishor 863-1982
 Eucharistic Ministers ... Murdo & Alanet MacKinnon 717-1993
 Guardians of God's Creation .. Alda Berneaud-daRosa 764-7224
 Home Visits for shut-ins Richard Burke 712-9493
 Hospital Visitation & Eucharist. Ethel Robidoux 860-2101
 Liturgy Committee Kevin Kishor 863-4296
 Music Ingrid Sivorot 764-2759
 Readers Keith Germaine 764-2942
 Religious Education Kevin Kishor 863-4296
 R.C.I.A. Kevin Kishor 863-4296
 Sacristans Flo Pasutto 764-8716
 Security Patrol. Frank Richter 764-3640
 Ushers Gino Servedio 764-3182
 Youth Andie Kouwenhoven 863-3347
 Young Adult/Campus Ministry Kevin Kishor 863-4296

PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL

Meet second Wednesday of the month at 7:00 pm

Council Chair	Mike O'Donnell	764-4834
Recording Secretary	Ingrid Sivorot	764-2759
Director of Evangelization	Kevin Kishor	863-4296
Maintenance	Gino Servedio	764-3182
CWL Rep.	Linda Servedio	764-3182
SSVP Rep.	Walter Lever	764-7121
K. of C. Rep.	Stefan Farrow	448-0905
Dev. & Peace Rep.	Keith Germaine	764-2942
Security Patrol	Frank Richter	764-3640
Members	Bernie Schneider	860-8381
	Richard Bryant	768-8778

CONTACT NUMBERS

CATHOLIC SCHOOLS INFO.

S.C.G. School Board Reps.	Rob Sali	764-8384
	Kim Macaulay	764-2924
Immaculata High	Principal—John Campbell	762-2730
St. Joseph Elementary	Principal—Andrew Wallace	763-3371
Kelowna Catholic Independent Schools		448-2725
	Fax: 1-866-964-3858	www.kelownacatholic.org

CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE

Meet second Tuesday of the month at 7:00 pm
 President: Aida McLarty 778-478-3380
 Membership inquiries—Benita Spencer - 868-8608

CLUBHOUSE DAYCARE 860-4393
CREIGHTON MODEL FERTILITY CARE 491-1088
CURSILLO John or Gail Schlosser... 764-7007
DEVELOPMENT AND PEACE . . . Keith Germaine . . . 764-2942
DIocese—Catholic Pastoral Centre 448-2725
ELIZABETH SETON HOUSE OF PRAYER 764-4333
FRIENDS IN FAITH (SINGLES MINISTRY) Elsie McKernan 862-9596
GRIEF TO GRACE . . . www.GriefftoGrace.org 878-7603
KELOWNA RIGHT TO LIFE 862-8202
KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS www.stcharleskoc.com

Meet second Thursday of the month at 7:30 pm.
 Grand Knight: Stefan Farrow. 448-0905
Last Sunday of each month—Knights Breakfast after a.m. Masses
FR. PANDOSY 4TH DEGREE ASSEMBLY—Knights of Columbus
 Inquiries Gino Servedio. . . 764-3182
K of C INSURANCE Field Agent . . . Christopher Brown - 778-754-0591
PRAYER TO ST. PEREGRINE

If you have friends or family members with cancer, add them to our list, as we pray daily for each one of them by name.
 Betty - 868-9151 Email: heinzk@shaw.ca or Alice - 860-3541
PREGNANCY CARE CENTRE 763-2112
RACHEL'S VINEYARD 762-2273
SECULAR FRANCISCAN ORDER Rolf—769-6861 or Alice—860-3541
SOCIETY OF ST. VINCENT de PAUL
 Meet second and fourth Wednesday at 9:00 am. 860-2536
Last Sunday of each month—SSVP donations

PARKING LOT SECURITY SCHEDULE

Saturday, Jan. 14th 5:00 p.m. Victor Stocker
 8:30 a.m. Adrian Van de M.
 Sunday, Jan. 15th 10:30 a.m. Dave Crane
 7:00 p.m. Tom Schmidt

GUIDE TO GIVING	2012 YTD	2011 YTD
Collections	\$ 6,926	\$ 9,342
Building Fund	\$ 392	\$ 512

WEEKLY MASS INTENTIONS

Monday	Jan. 9	8:30 am	Ed Lansdowne †
Tuesday	Jan. 10	8:30 am	Int. Benita & Jim Spencer
Wednesday	Jan. 11	8:30 am	Olive Labrosse †
Thursday	Jan. 12	8:30 am	Carol Loftus †
Friday	Jan. 13	8:30 am	Darko daRosa †
Saturday	Jan. 14	5:00 pm	Ken Nicholls †
Sunday	Jan. 15	8:30 am	Helen Pashniak †
		10:30 am	Hans Figura †
		7:00 pm	<i>Parishioners of St. Charles Garnier</i>

If you are confined to your home, in a care home or know of someone who is & would like the Eucharist—or just a visit, please call the office at 250 860-6776 or Richard Burke 250 712-9493.

SPANISH MASS—Mass will be celebrated in Spanish at 3:30 p.m. on the **4th Sunday** of the month at **St. Theresa's**, Rutland.

FILIPINO MASS—will be held the first Sunday of the month at St Pius X Church starting at 5:30 pm. The mass is followed by a pot luck dinner.

Please remember:

**OUR CHURCH IS A
SCENT-FREE ZONE!**

*Avoid wearing perfume,
after-shave or heavily scented
personal care products*



5:00 pm MASS NEXT WEEK

READERS David Liddicoat
Denise McSweyn

EUCCHARIST Marj Lockhart [L]
Bonnie Cunningham
John Campbell
MaryAnn Smithwick
Benita Spencer

USHERS Tony Volk
Val Cylwa
Walter Lever
Adrian Van de Mosselaer

8:30 am MASS NEXT WEEK

READERS James Atzesberger
Leona Stocker

EUCCHARIST Effie Shalagan [L]
Milly & Bob Weber
Patti Cook
Kevin Schmidt

USHERS James Atzesberger
Laura Christie
Len & Bonnie Pelland

10:30 am MASS NEXT WEEK

READERS Rita Clarke
Hal Spelliscy

EUCCHARIST Connie Cournane [L]
Alda Berneaud-daRosa
Rita Clarke
Alanet/Murdo Mac Kinnon

USHERS Wayne Lahay
Arnaldo Magsajo
Eric & Tonny Buckley

7:00 pm MASS NEXT WEEK

READERS

EUCCHARIST

USHERS

} *No Schedule yet.
Contact Kevin 863-4296*

NEXT WEEK'S READINGS:

1st Reading: 1 Samuel 3:3b-10, 19
 2nd Reading: 1 Corinthians 6:13c-15a, 17-20
 Gospel: John 1:35-42

MASS AT BIG WHITE

Mass at Big White will begin on Sunday, December 18th and conclude on Sunday, March 25, 2012. Mass will be at 3:30 pm in the Schumann House, a large stone house across from the gondolas and the main ticket office.

BREAKFAST

Knights of Columbus Breakfast this Sunday January 8th at St. Pius X Parish Hall. All are welcome.

LOVE IS THE MORE EXCELLENT WAY

The Ark of the Covenant Intercessors Group will be presenting a series of talks by scripture scholar Frances Hogan entitled "Love is the More Excellent Way". The series will begin Tuesday, January 10th after the 9:00 a.m. Mass at St. Pius X. For more info and to register call Linda 868-9688 or Joanna 862-9288. All are welcome.

MARRIAGE & BAPTISMAL MINISTRY

We are inviting Couples who feel called to help prepare others for the Sacrament of Baptism or Marriage to express their interest in being on Team. Please contact Kevin & Christine by Sunday Dec. 18th so that we have some time to discern and arrange for interviews/meetings over the Christmas Season in planning for the new-year. Couples wishing to be on Team need to meet the following criteria:

- Practicing our faith
- Members of our community
- Have at least a few years of experience either in Marriage and or Parenting
- Will diligently adhere to Abuse Prevention/Volunteer Screening Policies

We look forward to building 2 more vital ministries within our Parish Family with you! Email: kishorkevin6@gmail.com
Phone: 250-863-4296

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS BURSARY



Available to members of our parish graduating from Grade 12 this June who will be attending post secondary education next fall. Information and application forms are available in the church foyer, Immaculata Regional High School, or online at www.StCharlesKoC.com.

All eligible students are encouraged to apply.

2012 ENVELOPES

The **2012 offering envelopes** are available for pick up 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.

VERY IMPORTANT:

Please DO NOT use your OLD envelopes from previous years !

Your envelope number *changes each year* which could result in confusion and not receiving proper tax credit for your donations.

PILGRIMAGE OF FAITH

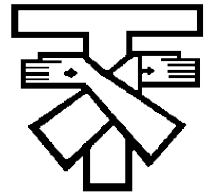
Our Pilgrimage of Faith Appeal is as follows: To date 175 parishioners have contributed a total of \$59,695.00 for an average gift of \$341.11. This is 100% of our Diocesan Goal and 55.4% of our Parish Goal and 74.6% of our overall goal. We thank all who have contributed to date and encourage all parishioners to participate in this program which is vital to our Diocese and Parish. **There seems to have been a glitch in the system and quite a few people did not receive their package in the mail.** If you did not receive your package, please pick one up from the ledge in the foyer of the Church.

ALTAR SERVERS COORDINATORS

We are in need of a couple of adults to help coordinate our Altar Servers. Preferably, at least one parent who is associated with our Catholic Schools. Please consider this very important ministry and contact Kevin ASAP if you are interested in more details.

'Secular Franciscans extend blessings for the New Year'...

Are you searching for something new for 2012? A deepening of your prayer life? A greater awareness of God? How to live the Gospels? You are warmly invited to attend The Little Flowers of Saint Francis Fraternity on Sunday, January 15 at 12:30 PM, in the meeting room in the Catholic Pastoral Centre at St. Charles Garnier Church. For more information contact Alice at: [250-860-3541](tel:250-860-3541)



EXTRA FOODS GROCERY RECEIPTS

Reminders they can be used in **support of St. Vincent de Paul**. Receipts dated within the past 12 months can be dropped off at the Pro Life Thrift Store on Sutherland Ave. Pharmacy & Tobacco receipts not accepted. Superstore receipts not accepted. Thank you for your support.

CWL NEWS



There will be a CWL Membership Drive after all Masses this weekend. We extend a warm welcome to all new and old members of the CWL in our parish to renew your membership and join us in this worthy organization. Since 1920, this organization of women has prayed together in the journey of life and faith, done charitable works, marched in defense of life, and continues to fight for issues of concern to all Canadians. CWL members will be in the Welcoming Area after all Masses to answer your questions. Membership fee for 2012 = \$ 30.00.
Next **General Meeting** will be on January 10th @ 7:00 pm.

ABORTION LOSS & UNRESOLVED GRIEF

Our final 3 sessions on the Psychological and Spiritual impact of abortion will take place Thursday evenings:

Jan. 12, "Rachel's Vineyard Overview",

Jan. 19, "Healing for the Abortionist",

Jan. 26, "Parish—Place for Healing" as well as "Silent No More".

7-9 pm at St. Charles Garnier Parish.

See poster on the bulletin board.

For info. Elaine 250-768-4045 or Sue 778-478-0049.

FREEDOM'S DOOR

We would like to say a huge thank you to our St. Charles Garnier Parish for your generous gifts to the guys at Freedom's Door. The gifts were such a blessing to our residents. Many of them said this was the best Christmas they have had in many years and the gifts made it very special. We couldn't do what we do without you!

Freedom's Door is in need of a few washing machines in good working order as well as bedding. We have primarily single beds, but there are a few double beds in our House 4 as well as one King size bed, so bedding for any size is welcomed. Call 250-717-0435 for pick up or drop them off at 1279 Centennial Crescent.

MILITIA IMMACULATA

THE MILITIA IMMACULATA will celebrate it's monthly masses on a **new schedule beginning Jan. 2012**. Masses will be offered on the **first Sat. of each month @ ICC @ 9 am**, with Celebrants Fr. Sebastian & Fr. Cerlouie.

Confessions will be available from 8:00 to 8:45 am, the Rosary will be prayed @ 8:30 am. Coffee social will follow in the hall. Schedule for 2012 is: Jan. 7, Feb 4, Mar 3, April 14, May 5, June 2, July 7, Aug 4, Sept 1, Oct 1, Nov 3, Dec 3.

On major Marian Feast days of Mar. 26

(Annunciation), Aug 15 (Assumption), Sept 8 (Birth of Mary) and Dec 8 (Immaculate Conception), we will celebrate an additional mass @ 5:15 pm @ ICC. On these feast days confessions will be available from 4:30 - 5:00 pm.

Everyone welcome to join us.

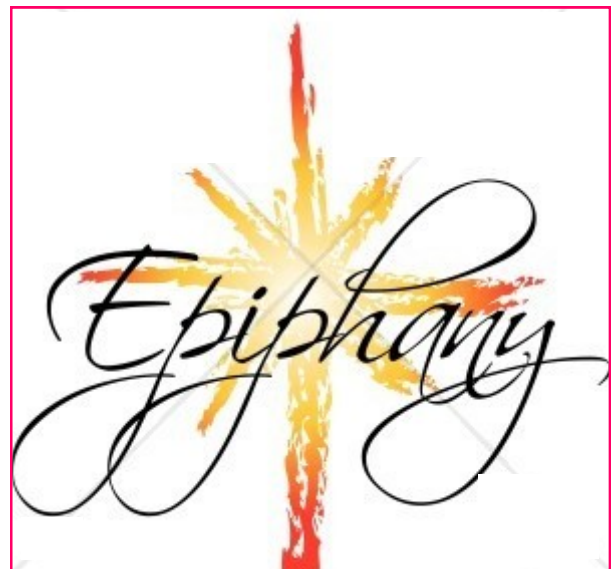
PILGRIMAGE & CULTURE TOUR

Custom Pilgrimage and Culture tour of Ireland, Scotland, N. Wales and England June 4—24 from Calgary. This pilgrimage features the **50th Eucharistic Congress in Dublin** and the Land of St. Patrick. You are invited to join Fr. Dennis Polanco S.A. and experience the spirituality, culture and history of the British Isles. From Our Lady of Knock Shrine in Ireland to Canterbury Cathedral in England, this all inclusive first class tour promises to be an unforgettable journey. For an itinerary or more info call Liz at 1-888-565-9922.

TRIP TO PASSION PLAY

4 DAY, 3 NIGHTS—July 14, 2012

"Klassic Bus Tours" driven by Gerry Klassen. Meals are 98% included in the price of \$575 per person. The tour includes a gondola lift ride and dinner in Lake Louise, a tour of the Royal Tyrrell Museum and Breath taking **Passion Play** in the outdoor theatre in Drumheller, tour and lunch in Heritage Park in Calgary. Dinner show in Canmore. Tour of the Ghost town and Train Round House at Three Valley Gap. Contact person: Bev 250-707-1407



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Pastoral Care Visitor Training Workshop

Friday Evening Jan. 20 6- 9pm
Saturday Jan. 21 8am-4pm
At Saint Charles Garnier parish hall
3645 Benvoulin Road

Purpose of the workshop:

To provide a *basic understanding* of the Pastoral Care that is provided to hospital patients, continuing care and assisted living residents, community shut-ins and members of our parish. This workshop will teach the basic skills needed for effective visiting. Our population here in Kelowna is aging and the need for good people to be willing to reach out with a compassionate hand is growing.

The workshop is open to all. It may be of interest in particular to: Parish visitors, Eucharistic Ministers, Clergy, Care givers, Church leaders, those interested in pastoral care and those interested in being more effective, caring visitors even if it is to your own family and friends.

The workshop will consist of six modules which are; 1. Introduction to Pastoral Care, 2. Theology of Pastoral Care, 3. Basic visiting skills, 4. Grief and loss, 5. Visiting the dying, and 6. Visiting older people. ***There are four presenters who are all professionals in this field.***

This work is considered to be so important to the life of the parish that there is no fee for Catholics – the costs will be paid equally by each participant's parish and our Diocese through our Pilgrimage of Faith donations. Cost is \$70.00 for all others (which includes workshop materials, refreshments and lunch on Saturday).

Registration is required. Call Marilee at 250-860-6776 or e-mail her at: charlesgarnier@gmail.com. Please provide name and parish. **Registration deadline: Jan 18.**

We want to thank the **Good Samaritan Society** for providing this opportunity for us to develop our skills in this very important ministry.



FAMILY LIFE & YOUTH MATTERS @ SCG

“The Future of the Church and the World passes through the Family”. (John Paul II)

QUESTION OF THE WEEK

ADULTS: How have I come to understand who I am in God’s eyes?

CHILDREN: What special times have I been able to call God “my Father,” like Jesus?

CHILDREN’S LITURGY (age 3-9):

Only 10:30am Masses.

If you would like to see us offer this at other times please volunteer (Email Christine)

CATECHISM/SACRAMENTS (GRADE 1-7)

HAPPY NEWYEAR

See you all January 9th when classes start again.

Email: scgred@gmail.com for both Catechism and Children’s Liturgy

TEENS

Youth Nights now on FRIDAYS

Juniors (Gr. 6-7) & Seniors (Gr. 8-12) Alternate weeks

Email Andie (below) for info.

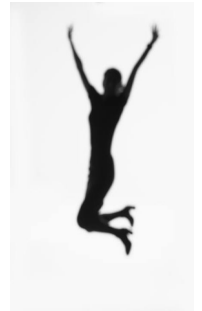
JOIN US ON FACEBOOK

TEENS: “St. Charles Garnier Youth Group”

YOUNG ADULTS: “Catholic Young Adults Kelowna”

UBCO/OC STUDENTS: “FOCUS/CSA UBCO”

Or Email: scgyas@gmail.com (New for Young Adults)



*“A new commandment I give unto you:
that you love one another, as I have loved you”. (John 13:34)*

Kevin (Director of Evangelization): C: 863-4296 or kishorkevin6@gmail.com (Personal)

Christine (Director of Family Life): C: 863-1982 or christinekishor@gmail.com (Personal)

Andie Kowenhoven (Youth Minister): C: 863-3347 or scgyouth@gmail.com

OFFICE HOURS (Generally available for appointments/consultation)

Christine: Mon./Wed./Fri. 9:00am-3:00pm (Church)

Kevin: Mon./Wed./Fri. 9:30am-2:30pm (Church), Tues./Thurs: 9am – Noon (Call Cell Phone)

Andie: always use Email or Cell Phone

PLEASE NOTE: EMAIL IS THE BEST WAY TO CONTACT ANY OF OUR TEAM!