

ST. CHARLES GARNIER PARISH

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March 11, 2012 - 3rd Sunday of Lent

Destroy this temple, and in three days I will raise it up.

John 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

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 JoAnn Young 764-0485
 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
Finance Committee Kevin Schmidt 778-755-1317
Director of Formation 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 9:30 am
 President: Judy Boyczuk 764-6335
 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)

Kolleen O'Shea . . . 469-0679 or Carol Stamer 575-0728
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, Mar. 17th 5:00 p.m. Gray & Yvette Mitchell
 Sunday, Mar. 18th 8:30 a.m. Jim Hawkins
 10:30 a.m. Stewart Lundquist
 7:00 p.m. Tom Schmidt

MUSIC MINISTRY

Saturday, Mar. 17th 5:00 p.m. John & Group
 Sunday, Mar. 18th 8:30 a.m. Frank & Group
 10:30 a.m. Maureen & Group
 7:00 p.m. Youth Ministry

GUIDE TO GIVING	2012 YTD	2011 YTD
Collections	\$ 77,866	\$ 71,874
Building Fund	\$ 6,670	\$ 6,306

WEEKLY MASS INTENTIONS

Monday	Mar. 12	8:30 am	Emilia Falco ☩
Tuesday	Mar. 13	8:30 am	Ken Nicholls ☩
Wednesday	Mar. 14	8:30 am	Augusto Berneaud ☩
Thursday	Mar. 15	8:30 am	Rudy & Sue Matasky ☩
Friday	Mar. 16	8:30 am	Mike Grimme ☩
Saturday	Mar. 17	5:00 pm	Arne Buhman ☩
Sunday	Mar. 18	8:30 am	Dorothy McGarrigle ☩
		10:30 am	Cyril Finnegan ☩
		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 Bonnie Cunningham
Gudrun Cobham

EUCCHARIST Fran Hooker [L]
Karen Krout
Bert Wolf
Flo Smith
Renée Liddicoat

USHERS Tony Volk
Val Cylwa
Duncan Boyczuk
Fred Glynn

8:30 am MASS NEXT WEEK

READERS Dave Crane
Ed Rollheiser

EUCCHARIST Kevin Schmidt [L]
Cheryl & John Yaehne
Yolanda Fradette
Bill Rodden

USHERS Guy Douville
Pat Palmer
Phil Dillon
Russ Radi

10:30 am MASS NEXT WEEK

READERS Garry Tomporowski
Rita Clarke

EUCCHARIST Jan Schredl [L]
Gertrude Nygaard
Doreen & Stan Velin
Merie Vassar

USHERS Gene Thompson
Ken Aquilon
Mario daRosa
Mike Servedio

7:00 pm MASS NEXT WEEK

READERS Joe & Lindsey S.

EUCCHARIST Pam, Steve & Patti

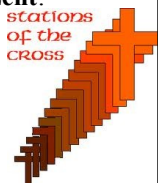
USHERS Michelle & Michael

NEXT WEEK'S READINGS:

1st Reading: 2 Chronicles 36:14-17a, 19-23++
 2nd Reading: Ephesians 2:4-10
 Gospel: John 3:14-21

Stations of the Cross, Fridays @ 7:00 during Lent.

March 16th Secular Franciscans
 March 23 Guardians of God's Creation
 March 30th Youth—Confirmation Retreat



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.

MARRIAGE ?

If you are engaged to be Married this year and have not done any Preparation yet, please contact the Office to fill out registration form (available on-line @ www.stcharlesgarnier.ca). You will be contacted soon after your form is received with further info.

BAPTISM

Baptized in our parish the week:

George Patrick Cronin

Son of Kyla (nee Wheatley) and Martin Cronin



The Believe program is still ongoing Thursday evenings at 7:00 pm. Please don't feel that you cannot join us if you have missed the first few sessions.

Everyone interested is certainly welcome to come for any of the remaining sessions! See you there!

LENT 2012 RECONCILIATION

St. Edward	Friday	Mar. 23	6:30 pm
St. Charles Garnier	Monday	Mar. 26	6:30 pm
Holy Spirit	Tuesday	Mar. 27	6:30 pm
St. Pius X	Tuesday	Mar. 27	6:30 pm
Our Lady of Lourdes School	Wednesday	Mar. 28	1:00 pm
Our Lady of Lourdes Parish	Wednesday	Mar. 28	6:30 pm
St. Joseph Elementary	Thursday	Mar. 29	10:30am to 1:00pm
Immaculate Conception Church	Thursday	Mar. 29	3:30 pm
St. Theresa	Friday	Mar. 30	7:00 pm
Immaculata High School @ St. Charles Garnier	Wednesday	Apr. 4	10:30 am to 1:00pm

PILGRIMAGE OF FAITH

Our Pilgrimage of Faith Appeal is as follows: To date 179 parishioners have contributed a total of \$61,405.00 for an average gift of \$344.03. This is 100% of our Diocesan Goal and 59.1% of our Parish Goal and 76.5% 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. **IT IS NOT TOO LATE TO PARTICIPATE!** If you did not receive your package, please pick one up from the ledge in the foyer of the Church.

LENDING LIBRARY

We are looking for a Parent who would be interested in helping to oversee and maintain our Family Lending Library. If you are interested please contact Christine at children@stcharlesgarnier.ca Thank you.

CHRISM MASS

The Chrism Mass will take place on Monday, April 2, 2012 at the Cathedral in Nelson, at 7:00 pm. All of the people of the diocese are welcome to attend. There will be a Happy (Half) Hour at 4:30 with Supper at 5:00 p.m. If you want to attend please let the Parish Office know by March 26th to reserve a spot at the supper.

FRIENDS IN FAITH WALK

Friends in Faith Adults Singles Group. Come and enjoy a nature walk along Mission Creek Parkway March 25th at 1:30pm Meet at St. Charles Garnier Church parking lot. If the weather is not good we will play games in the large meeting room at the new Pastoral Centre. Contact Carol @250-575-0728 or Kolleen @250-469-0679 to register



BREAKFAST

The Knights of Columbus will be serving breakfast at St. Pius X this weekend. Everyone welcome.

ECONOMICS OF HAPPINESS—ADULTS & YOUNG PEOPLE


For those working with the poor, who care for the poor, who want to see some light at the end of the tunnel – an award-winning documentary is showing at St. Charles Garnier Parish, on Wednesday, March 14, 7 to 9 pm, with unpacking discussion. Those who've seen it say this big-picture look at globalization and localization is one of the best documentaries of its kind, leaving adults and young people with a sense of hope and direction. Shared by the Sisters of Charity for your Lenten reflection.

"A powerful film that cuts deeply to the heart of the global crisis. Magnificent!" (David Suzuki)

"Get the kids, pull them away from their smart phones and video games...and show them this movie." (Corporate Crime Reporter publication)

"Rare, thought-provoking and inspiring..." (Santa Barbara Independent newspaper)

MEN'S RETREAT

MEN'S LENTEN RETREAT
THE ARMOR OF GOD
Cool.
Ephesians 6:11
WEDNESDAY MARCH 21ST
6PM to 9PM
St. Charles Garnier Parish Hall
3645 Benvoulin Rd
Dinner Included
Guest Speaker: Walter Lever
Tickets available from:
St. Charles Garnier Parish Office
Grand Knight Stefan Farrow
info@stcharleskoc.com
Cost: \$15
Brought to you by:
 **KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS**
IN SERVICE TO ONE. IN SERVICE TO ALL.
St. Charles Garnier Council #9845

MILITIA IMMACULATA

Consecration to Jesus, through the Immaculate Heart of Mary, following the Spirituality of St. Maximilian Kolbe will be celebrated at the mass of the **Militia Immaculata** on March 26 @ 5:15 at ICC. For those wishing to prepare for their initial consecration, booklets offering either the 9 day or 30 preparation format are available from Loaves & Fishes Catholic Book Store. This will provide an opportunity to renew their vows, for all those who have previously consecrated their lives. Everyone welcome to join us for these masses.

RACHEL'S VINEYARD RETREAT

Has abortion left you feeling empty and alone? Rachel's Vineyard retreats are available for any man or woman who has struggled with the emotional and spiritual pain of abortion. This healing weekend is for married couples, mothers, fathers, grandparents, and siblings of aborted children. If you are searching for peace and inner healing from an abortion experience, this retreat is for you. Register now for our May retreat in Kelowna, B.C. by calling [250-762-2273](tel:250-762-2273) or e-mailing jkormish@telus.net. The retreat and registration are strictly confidential. For more information please visit the website at www.rachelsvineyard.org.

ENGAGED ENCOUNTER

Catholic Engaged Encounter - A Wedding is a Day ... A Marriage is a Lifetime.
A Time for Growth, Life, Love. A Weekend to focus on your relationship and prepare for your lifetime commitment through this Marriage Preparation Course.

Newly Engaged? Still discerning or in the last stages of wedding planning? This weekend will help you prepare for your life together. Only chance to register for a 2012 Engaged Encounter weekend in Kelowna. April 14th-15th, 2012 - Registration closes March 31st 2012. Please register online at www.CEEKelowna.ca or [250-317-8445](tel:250-317-8445)



VOLUNTEER RECEPTIONIST

Always needed at the Catholic Pastoral Centre, next to St. Charles Garnier Church. Male or female volunteers for this ministry would need to be able to take either a 9-1 or 1-4:30 shift, be comfortable with learning the phone console and be able to provide a reference from the pastor of their parish. If you would like to minister in this way, contact Sr. Phyllis Giroux at phyllis.giroux@nelsondiocese.org or 250-448-2725, ext. 200.

♣ ST. PATRICK'S DAY DINNER ♣

Join your parish community for a dinner inspired by St. Patrick and the Irish. Everyone, young and old, are invited for an evening of community, and good food. Dinner will be served after mass on Saturday March 17th, at 6:00PM. A good will offering is requested. Brought to you by the Catholic Women's League and the Knights of Columbus. Proceeds go towards our charitable programs in the parish and greater catholic community. Please sign up in the foyer so we can prepare food for everyone.



ST. PATRICK'S DAY TEA

Celebrate St. Patrick's Day with a TEA, CONCERT and BAKE SALE on Sat. March 17 from 1:00—3:00 pm at St. Edwards Parish Hall in Winfield. Live Celtic music and singing with Ceol na hEirann. Sponsored by St. Edwards CWL—proceeds to Seton House of Prayer.



ST. PATRICK'S DAY TEA



St. Theresa's CWL famous St. Patrick's Day Spring Tea will be happening on Saturday, March 17th from 1 to 3 pm at St. Theresa's Parish Hall, 750 Rutland Road. N. Tickets: adults \$5, Children 10 years and under \$2. Irish Dancer, Door prizes and other great talents.

CWL NEWS

Pope Benedict XVI's general prayer intention for March is:

"That the whole world may recognize the contribution of women to the development of society"

Stay Informed:

What is **MaterCare International**?

MaterCare is an international group of Catholic obstetricians and gynecologists dedicated to the care of mothers and babies, both born and unborn through new initiatives of service, training, research and advocacy, which are designed to reduce the tragically high rates of maternal mortality, morbidity and abortions in developing countries.

The founder and executive director of MaterCare International is Dr. Robert Walley, appointed a Consulter of the Pontifical Council for Health by Pope John Paul II. Dr. Walley is said to be the "head, heart and soul" of the organization while carrying out the work of *Evangelium Vitae* – the Gospel of Life, by improving the lives and health of mothers and babies.

Matercare International is supported by the St. Charles Garnier CWL. If you would like to learn more on how you can help visit their web-site @ www.matercareinternational.org



A REMINDER - Our next **General Meeting** will take place on March 13th @ 9:30 a.m. in the Pastoral Centre. Members are encouraged to attend the 8:30 Mass.

PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL

The Parish Pastoral Council would like to thank Ingrid Sivorot for her years of dedicated service as Recording Secretary. Ingrid has stepped down and so we are now seeking someone to fill this position. Are you looking for an opportunity to share your time and talents? Anyone interested is asked to contact the Parish Office for more info. 250-860-6776.

O.F.F. WORKSHOP

The Office of Faith Formation is presenting a workshop called: **On Good Soil - Pastoral Planning for Evangelization and Catechesis with Adults**. This program will launch an approach to ministry endorsed by the Canadian Conference of Bishops and rooted in the Canadian culture. It gives us a new lens through which all adult faith formation in our parishes will be used. This type of directive from the CCCB only comes every eight or ten years. The workshop will include relevant reflection, constructive suggestions and sound orientations for effective, life-giving evangelizing and catechetical ministry with adults. Anyone who ministers to adults in the community is invited to attend. This includes persons who are engaged in RCIA, sacramental preparation. Anyone who works in adult formation is encouraged to attend.

The **On Good Soil Workshop** will be held April 24th – 26 at ICC Parish in Kelowna. The workshop is facilitated by Sandy Prather, B.Ed., M.Th. an adjunct lecturer at Newman Theological College and a monthly columnist for the *Prairie Messenger*. Registration forms are available on the Faith Formation website – www.nelsondiocese.org click on Faith Formation. For further information contact Darlene Jackson at the Office of Faith Formation, Catholic Pastoral Centre.

DEVELOPMENT AND PEACE



DEVELOPMENT AND PEACE SHARE LENT 2012: You are invited to an evening gathering on Monday, March 19 at Immaculate Conception Church Hall, 839 Sutherland Avenue, Kelowna. Come and learn how one of Development and Peace partner organizations is working to help a Just World Take Root. Mam Sambath, Executive Director of Development and Partnership in Action (DPA) Cambodia, will speak about how some of your generous contributions to Development and Peace are being used to help people work together to change their lives and bring justice to their communities. Join us for a complimentary and delicious soup and bun supper between 5:45 and 6:45 pm. The presentation will be at 7pm followed by a question/discussion period. For more information, check out <http://www.dpacam.org/> for DPA and <http://www.devp.org/> for CCOPD or contact Keith Germaine at 250 764 2942.

OFFICIAL OPENING & BLESSING

Catholic Pastoral Centre

Tuesday, April 24, 2012

2:30—4:00 pm.

Blessing of the Building.

Light Refreshments. Building Tours.

If you are coming, please give the number attending to Sr. Phyllis—phyllis.giroux@nelsondiocese.org

If you need information about the event, please contact Darlene Jackson—darlene.jackson@nelsondiocese.org or 250-448-2725, ext. 120.



COME FOLLOW ME

Do you want to grow in a deeper awareness of God's presence in your life? Do you feel drawn to a more contemplative life? Perhaps the Secular Order of Discalced Carmelites could fill that need. For more information, contact Margaret at [250--762-8274](tel:250-762-8274) or e-mail Linda at sonshine@shaw.ca."



YOU ARE INVITED TO JOIN OUR EXPANDING MUSIC MINISTRY

Are you a musician?

We ask you to take a moment to consider how God might be calling you to serve Him. It is an amazing privilege to worship God through the gift of music.

As each one has received a special gift, employ it in serving one another, as good stewards of the manifold grace of God.

(1 Peter 4:10)

Contact: JoAnn Young Email: joannyoung@shaw.ca
Telephone: 250-764-0485



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: Can I remember a time when it was clear to me that I was beloved of God?

CHILDREN: How can I always remember that I am a beloved child of God?

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)

CLASSES Back on

See you at regular time on Monday

Email Christine: children@stcharlesgarnier.ca 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: youth@stcharlesgarnier.ca or call (below) for info.

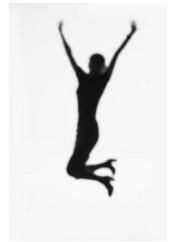
JOIN US ON FACEBOOK

TEENS: "St. Charles Garnier Youth Group"

YOUNG ADULTS: "Catholic Young Adults Kelowna"

UBCO/OC STUDENTS: "FOCUS/CSA UBCO"

Or Email Kevin: youngadults@stcharlesgarnier.ca



CHECK OUT OUR RALLY COMING UP FOR YOUTH!

Facebook: "Make a Difference Youth Rally"

Twitter: #makeadifferencerally

CONTACT THE TEAM

Kevin (Director of Formation): C: 863-4296 or kevin@stcharlesgarnier.ca

Monday/Wednesday/Friday 9:00am-3:00pm Tues./Thurs: 9:00am – Noon

Christine (Director of Family Life): C: 863-1982

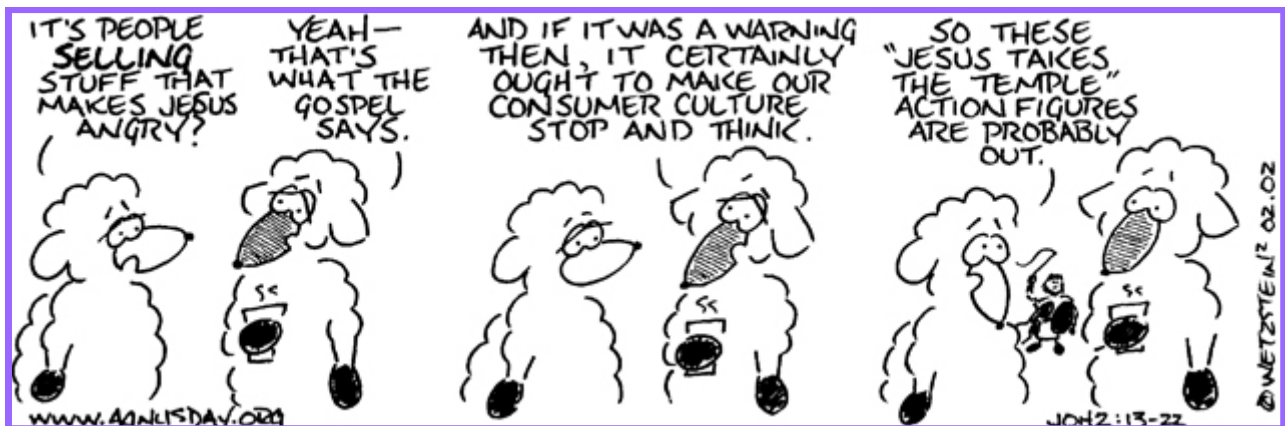
Monday 9:00am-8:00pm, Wednesday/Friday 9am-3pm

Andie Kouwenhoven (Youth Minister): C: 863-3347

Tuesdays during the day or Evenings

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

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



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