

October 18, 2015 29th Sunday in Ordinary Time

The Son of Man came to give his life as a ransom for all.

Mark 10

MASS TIMES

 Monday to Friday
 8:30 am

 Saturday
 5:00 pm

 Sunday
 8:30am, 10:30am & 7:00 pm

 Praise & Worship at 6:45 pm

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament after 8:30 am Mass every

First Friday of the month.

RECONCILIATION

ALSO BY APPOINTMENT

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 Prish Office at least 6 months in advance for potential booking—250-860-6776 or email: charlesgarnier@gmail.com

CONTACT US:

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Pastor: Pat Monette

Pastor's direct line: 778-478-6288

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Catechism Coordinator: Leslie Piasentin Email: children@stcharlesgarnier.ca or leslie@stcharlesgarnier.ca

MINISTRY COORDINATORS

If you wish to become involved contact the Parish Office	ce 250-860-6776 or:	
Altar Servers Renae Clarkson	250-769-7979	
Campus Ministry email: ubco.focus@gmail.com		
Children's Liturgy		
Eucharistic Ministers Patti Cook	778-478-6563	
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Ushers Gino Servedio	250-764-3182	

CONTACT NUMBERS

CLUBHOUSE DAYCARE
CREIGHTON MODEL FERTILITY CARE250-491-1088
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ELIZABETH SETON HOUSE OF PRAYER
FREEDOM'S DOOR freedomsdoor@shaw.ca 250-717-0472
GRIEF TO GRACE www.GrieftoGrace.org
KELOWNA RIGHT TO LIFE
PREGNANCY CARE CENTRE
RACHEL'S VINEYARD <u>rvnelsondiocese@shaw.ca</u> 250-762-2273
REACH OUT YOUTH COUNSELLING & FAMILY SERVICES 250-763-7892

PARISH ORGANIZATIONS

BICYCLES FOR HUMANITY Keith Germaine
CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE Meet second Tuesday of the month at 9:30 am President: Diane Cey
DEVELOPMENT AND PEACE Mary Lou Johnson 778-478-0620
KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS www.stcharleskoc.com Meet 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: alicemccrea@shaw.ca or Christine 250-768-5274—email: cbreevesac@shaw.ca

Meet second and fourth Wednesdays at 9:00 am. 250-860-2536

Last Sunday of each month—SSVP donations

Email: <u>alicemccrea@shaw.ca</u>

SOCIETY OF ST. VINCENT de PAUL

WEEKLY MASS INTENTIONS

Monday	Oct. 19	8:30 am	Ted Tomecko
Tuesday	Oct. 20	8:30 am	⊕ Don Knorr
Wednesday	Oct. 21	8:30 am	Int. of Donor
Thursday	Oct. 22	8:30 am	라 Abbey Smith
Friday	Oct. 23	8:30 am	Ralph O'Donnell
Saturday	day Oct. 24 5:00 pm 라 Julius Dalinghaus		
		8:30 am	라 Annie Maryschak
Sunday	Oct. 25	10:30 am	Int. Jean Russell
		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	2015 YTD	2014 YTD
Collections	\$ 377,032	\$ 371,879
Building Fund	\$ 37,204	\$ 79,399

NEXT WEEK'S READINGS:

1st Reading: Jeremiah 31:7-9
2nd Reading: Hebrews 5:1-6
Gospel: Mark 10:46-52

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

BAPTISM

Baptized in our parish this week

Owen George Beetlestone

Son of Angela (nee Lockhart) and Daniel Beetlestone



CWL NEWS

THANK YOU!

We would like to thank all those who made our Thanksgiving Pie Sale such a huge success, as a result we are able to donate \$1,300.75 to the Refugee Project; in addition to the \$500 previously designated towards this worthy cause.

CALLING ALL SNOW BIRDS:

A friendly reminder - before leaving for the winter, please renew your 2016 membership. You may place your cheque in the collection basket marked CWL. Fee remains @ \$30. If you have any questions contact our membership convener Benita Spencer @ 250-868-8608. Thank You.



CANADIAN BLOOD SERVICES

Every 60 seconds, someone needs blood. When you donate, you give life. If you knew someone who needed help in order to live, would you help? If you are in good health and at least 17 years old, visit www.blood.ca to take Canadian Blood Services' eligibility quiz to find out if you can donate. If you are eligible, you can book your appointment online with the GiveBlood app or visit our blood donor clinic located at 1865 Dilworth Drive in Kelowna. If your church wishes to organize a group blood donation with a free shuttle service, e-mail tobias.keogh@blood.ca. It's in you to give!

CARD SOCIAL



Card Social Group will resume on **Monday**, **October 19 at 1:00 pm**.

We welcome any newcomers to join our friendly group for coffee, goodies & fun! For information call Del 250-764-8320

ICC PARISH BAZAAR

Please join us at Immaculate Conception on SUNDAY, November 8 between 10 am and 2 pm for some fabulous food, bake sale, white elephant, book sale, Christmas items and kids room (cake walk, fish pond ...) Hope to see you there!



ST. EDWARDS ANNUAL FALL FAIR

Saturday, October 31st 10:00 am to 2:00 pm at St. Edwards Church, 11123 Okanagan Centre Road East, Winfield. Featuring tea room, baking, crafts, gifts, silent auction and so much more. Everyone welcome. Come for lunch and share some fellowship with us. For more information call Marian 250-861-4131.

BOTTLED UP LOVE WORKS MIRACLES!

Once again, with deep appreciation, the Okanagan Valley Pregnancy Care Centre is inviting you to participate in their Fall Baby Bottle fundraiser—a way for all the people of faith to stand strong together for the great cause of life.

Empty bottles will be available Thanksgiving Sunday,

Oct. 11th to be taken and filled with loose change, bills (and

cheques too) and to be returned on Nov. 14th, the Sunday after Remembrance Day. Every single one of the thousands of baby bottles is powerful. Added together, they shine light into dark corners of our culture. And that's how love wins!



BICYCLES FOR HUMANITY

We are collecting all the time for next spring auction (can store in new shed):

excellent furniture | sports equipment | boats | cars | trailers etc.

Please call Keith Germaine 250-764-2942 for pick up.

PILGRIMAGE OF FAITH



Thank you for collecting your Pilgrimage of Faith Appeal envelope. For those who have not yet done so, please collect it as you leave Church today. No gift is too small and our parish is trying to reach 100% par-

ticipation. By collecting your envelope today you can save the costs of a stamp.

We have raised \$ 19,710 toward our Pilgrimage of Faith Appeal Goal. There are many challenges that face us today. The shortage of priests is one such challenge. The responsibility our parish has to help provide diocesan services and ministries such as support for vocations and the education of seminarians is an answer to that challenge.

KELOWNA RIGHT TO LIFE

Sharpen your pro-life skills and knowledge!

Anastasia Pearce from the National Campus Life Network will be conducting a round table discussion on the campus of UBCO on how to better defend the pro life position. The public are invited to attend the evening event entitled,

"Prolife Dialogue: Equipping Ourselves to Change Hearts and Minds." It is being held in Arts 106, on the University of BC Okanagan Campus on Monday October 19th beginning at 6:30 pm. Please call 250 862-8202 for more information.

OLD SMART PHONE NEEDED

St. Joseph School will soon have a debit machine to be used for specific transactions (including our "Cards for Kids" program). The debit machine will need to be able to connect to Wi-Fi via Bluetooth. If you have an old smartphone or iPod Touch that is not on a contract, please consider donating it to the school.

Phone or text Renée at 250-870-6010.

LIVING ROSARY MASS



Sat. October 31, 2015 at Immaculate Conception Church. Please join us for this special Mass being offered for the clergy & religious of our Diocese. Confessions from 4:45—5:15 pm, Holy Mass at 5:30 pm, followed by the Living Rosary at 6:30 pm and outdoor candle light procession around the

Church. Short reception in ICC Hall. You are welcome to bring goodies for the reception. *If you want to play a part in the Living Rosary, please arrive by 6:15 pm (we need 60 people).* Bring your children, family and friends!

GRIEF TO GRACE

Applications are now being accepted for the next Grief to Grace program to be held in Kelowna Nov 19 to 22, 2015. Grief to Grace - Reclaiming the Gift of Human Dignity - is a spiritual journey for anyone who has suffered degradation or violation through sexual/psychological abuse, rape, incest, physical or emotional abuse and neglect or other forms of traumatic violation in childhood, adolescence, or as an adult. To register or for more information call 250-878-7603 or e-mailg2gkelowna@gmail.com or www.grieftograce.org.

ENCYCLICAL ON THE CARE OF CREATION #7



In his recent encyclical on caring for all creation, Pope Francis highlights overconsumption and excessive economic development as the primary causes of the destruction of our common home. With him, let us pray to "discover the worth in each thing" and to embody that discovery by buying less and recycling our possessions when we no longer need them.

OZANAM HOUSE FUNDRAISER

Stella Majic, a valued and long-serving board member of Ozanam Recovery House, has recently retired from her teaching position at St. Joseph Elementary School in Kelowna, BC. To kick off this new stage in life, Stella will be making a pilgrimage to Santiago de Compostela ("The Way of Saint James") from September to November 2015.

Not for the faint of heart, this is an 800 kilometer trek from the south of France, over the Pyrenees, into northern Spain, then westward to Santiago to the shrine of the apostle St. James the Great in the Cathedral of Santiago de Compostella in Galicia, Spain, where the remains of the saint are buried. This pilgrimage route is one of many caminos in Europe and is over 1300 years old.

People have different reasons for making this pilgrimage, some spiritual and some personal. Stella has designated her pilgrimage a fundraiser for the residents of Ozanam Recovery

House. We thank Stella for her many years of service, her kind heart and her adventurous spirit!

Please donate today to show your support for Stella and the work of <u>Ozanam Recovery House</u>.

The fundraising is being channeled through Canada Helps – a Canada-wide trusted organization that ensures that 96% of funds raised go directly to the cause. You can go online to make your donation and a Tax receipt will automatically be issued. https://www.canadahelps.org/en/charities/ozanamhouse/stellascamino/

Please contact Reg Humphries at <u>reg.humphries@uniserve.com</u> or <u>250-717-1941</u> for additional information.

NET ENCOUNTER WEEKEND—CYMN (CATHOLIC YOUTH MINISTRY OF NELSON DIOCESE)

ATTENTION Pre-Teen Grades 5-7

The NET Team is back by popular demand! Join us as we discover how we are all God's sons and daughters. We all have special goodness, talents and uniqueness but how do we know what these gifts are? Sometimes it's hard to feel like we are accepted among our peers. God wants us to know that He loves us for who we are and that we are all special to him. Join the grade 5-7 youth from the North and South Okanagan on Friday, October 23rd, from5:30-9:30pm at Our Lady of Lourdes Parish Centre for a fun evening of Praise and Worship, Cool Games, Live Band, and hilarious skits, Pizza, Doughnuts, and meeting new friends in Christ! Cost is \$9.00 to cover Pizza dinner! Registration forms are available at the church or school office. Parents must sign youth in/out at the door. All Pre-Teens Welcome!

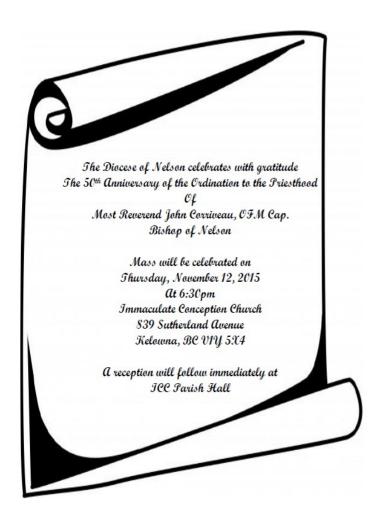
ATTENTION TEENS! grades 8-12

NET Encounter Retreat Day Saturday October 24th from 9am-9pm at OLOL Parish Centre. Theme: 2 Billion People! Our World has been influenced by many people who have gone before us. Martin Luther King had a dream and from that equal rights was born. Terry Fox was determined not to let his cancer trump his passion for life and so he ran for cancer awareness. Jesus Christ came to die for the Salvation of the world and from that 2 Billion People call themselves Christians today and have transformed the world. In a world that tries to wipe out Jesus' relevance, how can we begin to understand the magnitude of His sacrifice in our day-to-day lives? Join us and the other youth from the parishes from the North and South Okanagan for an awesome Retreat Day. There is a live band, fun and games, praise and worship, prayer, friends, mass celebration and guest speaker Fr. Ron Dechant and much more! Cost is \$30.00/participant includes, lunch, dinner and snacks. Registration forms are available from your church/school office. Join us!

MASTERPIECE CAMPAIGN FALL LAUNCH EVENT



BISHOP JOHN'S 50TH ANNIVERSARY





OVPCC 10TH ANNUAL BENEFIT BANQUET

The Okanagan Valley Pregnancy Care Centre's 10th Annual Benefit Banquet, NO GREATER LOVE, is on Thursday, October 22nd, at 6pm at Evangel church. Tickets are \$40 or early bird \$35 before Sept. 30. Tickets available at the Centre or Bell Tower Books or Loaves & Fishes. A great opportunity to celebrate and support this life giving ministry. For more info. 250-763-2112.



Rachel's Corner

"Yahweh is my rock and my fortress, my deliverer is my God. I take refuge in him, my rock, my shield, my saving strength, my stronghold, my place of refuge. Yahweh, you yourself are my lamp, my God lights up my darkness."

-Psalm 18:2,28

Come on a Rachel's Vineyard™ Retreat and discover how God can replace your darkness with His light. All he needs is your permission.

Abortion AfterCare-Healing – The Rachel Ministries 250-762-2273, rvnelsondiocese@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 **St. Theresa's** Church 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.

tax receipt will be sent to you at the address that you registered with.

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 St. Pius X Parish	
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 3rd Sunday at 12:30 pm in the meeting room at the Catholic Pastoral Centre. All are welcome to attend. Contact: Alice 250-860-3541 alicemccrea@shaw.ca

ST PEREGRINE PRAYER GROUP—We, Secular Franciscans are holding prayer sessions for those afflicted with cancer and other diseases on the last Monday of each month 7-8pm in the meeting room at the Catholic Pastoral Centre. All are welcome. Contact Christine 250-768-5274, cbreevesac@shaw.ca or Alice 250-860-3541, alicemccrea@shaw.ca.

Please remember:

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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.

P	WELCOME NEV	N PARISHIONERS! In the collection basket or at the Parish	Office.
Name(s):		New Parishioner:	Information Change:
Address:		Postal Co	de:
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 w	p Sunday Offertory Envelopes from the veek? Yes No \(\text{No} \)	www.stch	ou may also register on-line @ arlesgarnier.ca where you can be emailed to you each week.