

September 14, 2014 EXALTATION OF THE HOLY CROSS

The Son of Man must be lifted up.

John 3

MASS TIMES

 Monday to Friday
 8:30am

 Saturday
 5:00pm

 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

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 our Director a month in advance of desired date - Kevin Kishor @ kevin@stcharlesgarnier.ca

MARRIAGE—Please contact our Parish Office at least 6 months in advance for potential booking—250-860-6776 or email: charlesgarnier@gmail.com

Contact our Director—email <u>kevin@stcharlesgarnier.ca</u> for Marriage Prep.

MINISTRY COORDINATORS

If you wish to become involved contact the Parish Office $\bf 860\text{-}6776$ or:

CONTACT NUMBERS

CLUBHOUSE DAYCARE	860-4393
CREIGHTON MODEL FERTILITY CARE	491-1088
CURSILLO John or Gail Schlosser	764-7007
DIOCESE—Catholic Pastoral Centre	448-2725
ELIZABETH SETON HOUSE OF PRAYER	764-4333
GRIEF TO GRACE www.GrieftoGrace.org	878-7603
KELOWNA RIGHT TO LIFE	862-8202
PREGNANCY CARE CENTRE	763-2112
RACHEL'S VINEYARD	762-2273

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

Office e-mail: charlesgarnier@gmail.com

Director of Ministries: Kevin Kishor Cell: 250-863-4296
Email: kevin@stcharlesgarnier.ca (general inquiries)
 ubco.focus@gmail.com (Campus Ministry)
 youth@stcharlesgarnier.ca or
 youngadults@stcharlesgarnier.ca

Catechism Coordinators: Leslie Piasentin & Carolynne Dumontet Email: children@stcharlesgarnier.ca

PARISH ORGANIZATIONS

Email: alicemccrea@shaw.ca

SOCIETY OF ST. VINCENT de PAULMeet second and fourth Wednesday at 9:00 am. 860-2536 *Last Sunday of each month—SSVP donations*

SECULAR FRANCISCAN ORDER Alice—860-3541

PARKING LOT SECURITY SCHEDULE

Sat. September 20	5:00 p.m.	Mike O'Donnell
Sun. September 21	8:30 a.m.	Steve Biollo
	10:30 a.m.	Dave Crane
	7:00 p.m.	Gino Servedio

MUSIC MINISTRY

Sat. September 20	5:00 p.m.	John & Pat
		Rory Fader
Sun. September 21	10:30 a.m.	Maureen & JoAnn
	7:00 p.m.	Youth

WEEKLY MASS INTENTIONS

Monday	Sept.15	8:30 am	Int. Veronica & John Alusik
Tuesday	Sept. 16	8:30 am	Muriel Casorso む
Wednesday	Sept. 17	8:30 am	Lily Mai Dillon &
Thursday	Sept. 18	8:30 am	Int. Linda Cline
Friday	Sept. 19	8:30 am	Int. Betty Knoedler
Saturday	Sept. 20	5:00 pm	Carolina Pyne 🕆
		8:30 am	Gladys Ominski 🕈
Sunday	Sept. 21	10:30 am	Int. Irene Dator
		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.

NEXT WEEK'S READINGS:

1st Reading: Isaiah 55:6-9

2nd Reading: Philippians 1:20-24, 27 Gospel: Matthew 20:1-16

5:00 pm MASS NEXT WEEK

READERS	Fran Hooker	Bonnie Cunningham
	Donna Van de M.	Adrian Van de M.
EUCHARIST	Fran Hooker [L]	Iris Fournier
	Ron Fournier	
USHERS	JSHERS Gerry Goyer	
	Ron Fournier	Val Cylwa

8:30 am MASS NEXT WEEK

READERS	Harold Hamel	James Atzesberger
	Marj Lockhart [L]	Patti Cook
EUCHARIST	Leona Stocker	Vic Stocker
	Yolanda Fradette	
USHERS	Mike Servedio	Russ Radi
	Tom Phillip	Tony Ackerman

10:30 am MASS NEXT WEEK

READERS	John Cabral	Rita Clarke
	Bernie Schneider	Murdo MacKinnon
EUCHARIST	Nora Helton [L]	Carol Jones
	Sue Morris	
USHERS	Mario daRosa	John Molinaro
	Ken Aquilon	Rob Grifone

7:00 pm MASS NEXT WEEK

READERS	No Schedule yet	Please volunteer
EUCHARIST	Please volunteer	Please volunteer
USHERS	Please volunteer	

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.

Immaculata High	762-2730
St. Joseph Elementary	763-3371
Our Lady of Lourdes Elementary School	768-9008
Kelowna Catholic Independent Schools	448-2725
•	or 762-2905

Rita Smith

Fax: 1-866-964-3858 Website: www.kelownacatholic.org

CATECHISM

We have had a bit of a late start with the Catechism program, but we are now ready to go. Some information for you in regards to the start up:

- Registration for Catechism (Grades 1-7) on September 16th, 2014 from 3:00—5:00 p.m.
- Catechism classes for all years will start on September 23rd, 2014.

If you have already registered your children, please stop by the church during the registration time to pick up the 2014-2015 Catechism Package.

Thank you!

CATECHISM VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

The Catechism program at SCG is starting up on September 23rd, and we are looking for **volunteers to be teachers and classroom helpers**. The time commitment is minimal (1.5 hours/week on Tuesdays). Course planning materials are available and ready to go! Safe Environment protocols will apply. For more information, please contact Leslie or Carolynne at children@stcharlesgarnier.ca, or attend the teacher meeting on Tuesday, September 16th, 2014 at 7pm. Looking forward to working with you!

ALTAR SERVING OPPORTUNITY

We are inviting all families with children (who have received First Eucharist) interested in assisting with Altar Serving to sign up. Please contact Renae Clarkson 250-769-7979 or email: renaeclarkson@gmail.com

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 October retreat in Kelowna, B.C. by calling250-762-2273 or email jkormish@telus.net. The retreat and registration are strictly confidential. For more information please visit the website at www.rachelsvineyard.org.

ANNUAL SPIRITUALITY AND WHOLENESS WORKSHOP

The Good Samaritan Society is facilitating their Annual Spirituality and Wholeness Workshop at St. Charles Garnier on Monday, September 22nd. The theme this year is

"Leading with Soul", a leadership workshop, led by Dr. Judi Neal, Ph.D.

Please see brochures in the foyer. Deadline for registration has been extended! Welcome!

HUNGARIAN MASS

There will be a Hungarian Mass at Holy Spirit Parish, 1260 Neptune Road on September 20, 3:00 pm. Social to follow in the Parish Hall.

PILGRIMAGE OF FAITH APPEAL

The annual Pilgrimage of Faith Appeal Donor Packages for 2014 will be available for collection on the weekend of September 27/28. Just as we are one in the Body of Christ, we must remember that we are one with other parishes in our diocese. Once a year, our bishop asks each of us to make a commitment to support the work of the diocesan programs, services and ministries that make our Local Church viable. Our parish will receive a 100% rebate of any funds raised above our goal.

ANNUAL LITURGY MORNING

All Adult Liturgical Ministers (Music & Eucharistic Ministers, Lectors, Ushers or Sacristans) Our Annual Liturgy Morning is happening NEXT Saturday, Sept. 20th @ 9:30am. Finishes with Lunch as usual. Spread the word we need RSVP's by Sept. 15th! Sign-up sheets are in the foyer. Any questions and to RSVP please contact Kevin at—kevin@stcharlesgarnier.ca

RCIA

Are you or someone you know searching or questioning the Faith? If you'd like to know more or you are considering full initiation into the Catholic Community contact our Director for a meeting—Kevin at 250-860-6776 (daytime) or kevin@stcharlesgarnier.ca. Inquiries Always Welcome!

4TH ANNUAL FAMILY DANCE

Mark your calendars for Friday, October 3 from 6:30 to 9:30 pm at ICC Parish Center for our best ever Hip Hop for Haiti Family Dance! Master Entertainer DJ HAYMAKER will be providing the tunes, and like last year, we'll have some fun concession treats, the prize-galore wheel of fortune and, of course, the ever-popular STUFFIE WALK (like a cake walk minus the sugar rush!) Cost is BY DONATION at the door with all proceeds from this dance going to the schools that ICC supports in Haiti! EVERYONE INVITED! Hope to see you there!

STUFFIES COLLECTING DUST??

If you have any NEW or LIKE NEW stuffies that could use a new home, please consider donating them for the ICC Family Dance Stuffie Walk. All proceeds from this dance go to the schools that ICC supports in Haiti. Please drop off stuffies to the ICC parish office by Tuesday, September 23. Thank you for your support!

VOICES OF WOMEN SERIES

The <u>Voices of Women</u> series has returned! The first session will feature Mary of Nazareth entitled - *Mary of Nazareth: God-Bearer, Wisdom Woman, Companion of Grace* presented by Doreen Kostynuik on Monday Sept 29 at ICC Parish. Start time is 7:00 pm. The cost is \$20.00. On Monday October 27th *Mary Magdalene* will be presented by Sr. Joanne Jones, PhD, for further information contact the Office of Faith Formation 250-448-2725. We look forward to you joining us!

BAPTISM

Baptized in our parish this weekend

Declan John Sirett

Son of Caitlin (nee Gadsby) and Steven Sirett



WORLD YOUTH DAY 2016

First World Youth Day Meeting for those interested in going or gathering information about World Youth Day Poland, 2016 will be held at St. Pius X Church, Thursday, Sept. 18th at 7pm in the Fr. Martin Room.

Registration forms will be available for pick up at the meeting.

World Youth Day Krakow, Poland 2016: Blessed Pope John Paul II was the creator of World Youth Day, in 1984. Considered as the pope of the youth, he worked in dialogue with them and he invited them to recognize their place in mission inside the church. We invoke him as friend of the youth! Here is an opportunity to visit the town where Pope John Paul II was born. World Youth Day invites millions of Catholic Young Adults every year. Registration is now open. Registration is for youth ages 18 (upon departure) to 35 years of age. Fundraising will start soon. Join us tofind out how you can get involved! Contact: youngadults@ololwestbank.ca

MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER

__Excellent ___Good ___Average ___So So

How do you rate your marriage? If you checked any of the above, you're a great candidate for a **Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend!** It's a beautiful weekend experience designed for couples of all ages and backgrounds. It will take you from where you are to another level! Make this year special by devoting one weekend to the most important relationship in your life! Sign up for the **October 24-26, 2014** weekend now. For more information contact;

Doug and Candice Chappell – 778 4779-7900 or cando 007@shaw.ca

Steve and Mary Bohnen – 604 876-7298 or bohnens@telus.net

RETROVAILLE

A Lifeline for Marriage – Retrouvaille helps couples through difficult times in their marriages. It provides the tools you need to get your marriage back on track. You will rediscover each other and examine your lives together in a new and positive way. This program has helped thousands of couples experiencing all kinds of marital problems, from simple apathy or resentment to infidelity or even separation. For confidential information or to register for the program in the Lower Mainland commencing the weekend of October 10 – 12, 2014, call 604-530-6710, email vancouverbc@retrouvaille.org or visit www.retrouvaillevancouver.com.

JOB OPPORTUNITIES

The Catholic Independent Schools of the Nelson Diocese (CISND) invites applications at this time for the following positions at St. Joseph School in Kelowna:

One full time intermediate teacher (grade 6). Application deadline is Tuesday September 23rd

One full time CEA with training in autism and/or POPARD is preferred. Application deadline is <u>until the position is filled</u>. Please view the diocesan school website <u>www.cisnd.ca</u> for posting details, application documents and process.

YOUTH RALLY LEADERSHIP TEAM MEETING

Nelson Diocesan Youth Rally Leadership Team meeting on Wednesday, September 17th from 7:30pm-9:00pm in the Knights of Columbus room at Our Lady of Lourdes School, West Kelowna. It is open to all parishes in the North Okanagan Deanery. We have a lot to organize and are looking for help. Please rsvp to Vittoria at youth@ololwestbank.ca by September 26th.

YOUTH RALLY

Nelson Diocesan Youth Rally coming up in the fall.

Where: Immaculate Conception Parish, When: October 24, 25, & 26, 2014. Who: All youth in grades 8—12.

Cost is \$60/ person. Registration deadline October 15, 2014.

For more info contact—youth@stcharlesgarnier.ca

CWL NEWS

WINTER COAT DRIVE: September 15th – October 15th Gently used Women's warm winter coats or jackets for the Haven Woman's Shelter. Please drop off your donation in the box in the foyer marked: "The Haven"

MARK YOUR CALENDAR—OUR ANNUAL PIE SALE FUNDRAISER: October 11th & 12th. Just in time for Thanksgiving delicious Okanagan Apple Pies. Please call Annette Pelletiere for details 250-862-2503.

STAY INFORMED:

Catholic Women's League of Canada—<u>www.cwl.ca</u> CWL "Be League" on line Magazine—monthly e-newsletter www.cwl.bc.ca

Catholic Near East Welfare Association—<u>www.cnewa</u> (Helping persecuted Christians)

COLF—Catholic Organization for Family and Life—www.colf.ca

Mater Care—<u>www.matercareinternational.org</u> Catholic Missions of Canada—www-cmic.info

CALL FOR BOARD MEMBERS

Ozanam House, a project of the Society of Saint Vincent de Paul, is a recovery home for men struggling with addictions and/or mental health issues. We will be holding our Annual General Meeting on **Saturday**, **September 27**th **2014**, **9:30am** at St. Charles Garnier Parish Hall.

We are in need of 2-3 new board members with interest or experience in addictions, mental health, grant proposal writing or fundraising.

If you are interested in learning more about this organization, we invite you to attend the AGM. Call <u>250-762-4673</u> for more info

VOLUNTEER RECEPTIONISTS OPPORTUNITY

The Catholic Pastoral Center is looking for friendly faces to fill the role of volunteer receptionist. Our great team work shifts that are available Monday to Friday either 9am-1pm or 1pm-4:30pm. No experience necessary! Training is provided. It's a great opportunity to bring your hobby along to work on while you direct phone calls and visitors. All that is required is a recommendation from your pastor. If you have time once a week or once every couple of weeks to do a shift, please contact Kim or Sr. Phyllis at 250-448-2725 ext. 200 or email executive.assistant@nelsondioce.org.

OKANAGAN LIVE-IN WEEKEND

The Okanagan Live- In is offering a weekend in Kelowna on October 24-26, 2014.

The Live-In will be held at Immaculata High School, 1493 K.L.O. Road, Kelowna B.C., V1W 3NB

The Live In, is an experience of God's Love through Jesus, through an experience of the Live In faith community. If you have made your Live-In weekend, consider deepening your faith by being part of the backup community. In serving others, we serve Jesus.

Contact: Darlene Heaney (250)542-8690

ST. JOSEPH'S CROP-APOLOOZA & CRAFT DAY

If you're looking for a place where you can gather with friends, catch up on unfinished craft projects and do a little retail therapy, wel then, St Joseph's is ready to be of service!

We are hosting our second all day crafting event which offers both time and space for you to get some scrapbooking, card making, sewing or whatever craft you enjoy done.

Date: Saturday, September 27th, 2014 **Time:** 10:00am – 8:00pm **Table Fee:** \$35.00/person

Location: 839 Sutherland Ave., St. Joseph's Elementary School Gym Included in your registration are goodie bags, door prizes, all day coffee, tea & water plus a lovely dinner. (Please note that lunch is not provided). Several vendors will be present in case you run out of supplies.

For further info please contact: Pamela Lovering @ <u>250-717-3216</u> or pamalynne2000@yahoo.ca

REQUEST FOR BILLETS

The Development and Peace Fall Meeting will be held at St. Charles Garnier Parish from Oct 3rd to 5th. D&P representatives from around the diocese will be attending and we are looking for billets for the nights of Fri Oct 3rd and Sat Oct 4th. If you are willing to accommodate one or two people (no meals required) it would be appreciated. Please call Jeanette Atwell # 250-861-4242.

CATHOLIC MOUNTAIN STAR CONTRIBUTIONS

Catholic Mountain Star: The deadline for submissions for the Christmas issue of the Catholic Mountain Star newspaper is October 15. If you have any items for submission, please send them to Lee at holyspirit@shawbiz.ca.

KELOWNA RIGHT TO LIFE

WALK FOR LIFE

Please CELEBRATE HUMAN LIFE with the Kelowna Right to Life Society at their annual fundraiser, the Walk for Life in Mission Creek Regional Park THIS Sunday, September 14th! Bring the whole family down at between 12:00 pm and 3:00 pm for a BBQ lunch, **bouncy castle for the kids**, prizes, a balloon release, cotton candy, a short walk all to support your local pro-life group. Visit www.prolifekelowna.com/events.html to download your registration form and start collecting pledges today! Raise \$50 or more in pledges and your name will be entered into a draw for a brand new Samsung Galaxy Tab 4 (8")! Call 250-870-4103 or email krtolife@telus.net for more information.

SOCIETY OF ST VINCENT DE PAUL

The Society of St Vincent de Paul will be celebrating the feast day of our Patron Saint with Mass and a Potluck Supper on Thursday, September 25.

Mass will be celebrated at 5:30 pm our our Parish Church with a Potluck Supper to follow in our Hall. Members of all other Conferences in the Okanagan have been invited to celebrate with us, especially since we are celebrating the start of the 25th Anniversary year of our Society in the Okanagan. We would like to invite former members, Associate members, and friends of ours to join us at this time of Thanksgiving. Please RSVP to reg.humphries@uniserve.com or phone 250-17-1941 by Friday, September 19.

Thank you to those who responded to our request for an air mattress - it was much appreciated by the recipient. We still could use a single bed and box-spring, and a vacuum cleaner.

ST. PIUS X ANNUAL BAZAAR

Come out and enjoy the hospitality of St Pius X Parish Saturday September 27th at our Annual Bazaar from 8:30 am to 2:00 pm. We have numerous white elephant tables set up outside with the snack bar run by the Knights of Columbus. For the children there will be face painting and a large selection of children's games and toys.

Inside the hall many booths to view including Used Books, Treasures, Jewelry, Religious Articles, Needlework, Silent Auction and Baking.

HOLY SPIRIT FALL FAIR AND BAZAAR

Saturday September 20th, 2014 - 8am to 2pm at Holy Spirit Parish, 1260 Neptune Rd. Activities and Games all day! Breakfast starts at 8am, Lunch starts at 11am. Huge Community Garage Sale, Baking, Plants, Produce, Cake Walk, Bottle Draw. Big Raffle for 9 Prizes with a total value of \$965."

COMMUNITY GARAGE SALE at Holy Spirit Fall Fair & Bazaar. If you would like to rent a space at our Bazaar to sell your own yard sale items, (with you keeping the money) please call Holy Spirit Office (250-765-1327) to add your name to the list on the notice board in the foyer. Spaces will cost \$20 to rent plus an additional \$20 deposit which will be refunded once your space has been cleared. Please contact Jack Prost 250-762-5269 for further information.

Rachel's Corner

In a survey conducted by the Elliot Institute (<u>www.afterabortion.org</u>), almost three of every five women who have had an abortion have suffered from suicidal thoughts.

Come with us on a Rachel's Vineyard™ Retreat. We will help you face that pain and help you open yourself to God for Him to heal you. Don't be afraid. He is holding your hand.

Abortion AfterCare-Healing / The Rachel Ministries 250-762-2273 rv.kelowna@hotmail.com

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS BREAKFASTS MONTHLY SCHEDULE—September through June		
First Sunday of the Month Immaculate Conception Church	Second Sunday of the Month St. Pius X Parish	
Third Sunday of the Month Our Lady of Lourdes	Last Sunday of the Month St. Charles Garnier Parish	

POLISH ROSARY—First Friday of each month immediately after 5:15pm mass in Immaculate Conception Church. Contact Grazyna Kuliga 250-861-6577 or Aleksandra Nowak 250-764-1826.

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.

PERPETUAL ADORATION



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.

FREEDOM'S DOOR

Ongoing Needs

Freedom's Door relies heavily on donations from the community to provide the necessities of life for our residents. We are a registered charity and as such can issue tax-deductible receipts for most donations. Below is a list of some of the items that we are regularly in need of. If you are able to donate any of these items please contact our Administration office to arrange pick up or drop off of items.

Razors & Shaving Cream Single Bed Sheets Towels (bath, hand, face, dish) Men's Clothing in good condition Nail Clippers (new) Single Beds Washer/Dryer Alarm Clocks Cups, Glasses, Plates, Bowls, Cutlery Food Staple Items Pillows & Pillow Cases Clothes hangers Socks All Bathroom toiletries Coffee Makers

Tools

Volunteering

If you have time to offer mentoring with our guys or you would like to volunteer in our kitchen, if you have a particular trade or skill that Freedom's Door would normally have to pay for when needing renovations or repairs to our facility (IE: plumbing, electrical) and would like to donate your time, this would help us by reducing labor costs for building upkeep. To volunteer or obtain more information please call us and we would be happy to arrange a tour of the building and discuss our needs.

Contact Info: 250-717-0472 or email freedomsdoor@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.



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.

NEW PARISHIONERS

Welcome!



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.