

ST. CHARLES GARNIER PARISH

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Office Manager: Marilee O'Donnell

Pastor & Spiritual Director: Fr. Wayne Pfliger

**September 5, 2010
23rd Sunday in
Ordinary Time**

MASSSES

Monday to Friday 8:30am
Saturday 5:00pm
Sunday 8:30am, 10:30am & 7:00 pm
Praise & Worship at 6:30 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 or by appointment. Contact pastor.

MARRIAGE

6 month notice required by the Diocese.
Contact pastor for prep program.

MUSIC FOR SPECIAL OCCASIONS

Maureen 764-8730

NEW PARISHIONERS

Please register by filling out the yellow cards 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.

PARISH CENTRE RENTAL

Parish Office.....860-6776

MINISTRY COORDINATOR

If you wish to become involved contact the Parish Office **860-6776** or:
Altar Servers Neil Lustado 860-6776
Children's Religious Education Christine Kishor 863-1982
Eucharistic Ministers Neil Lustado 860-6776
Family Life Ministry Christine Kishor 863-1982
Home Visits for shut-ins Richard Burke 712-9493
Hospital Visitation Ethel Robidoux 860-2101
Liturgy Committee Kevin Kishor 863-4296
Music Ingrid Sivorot 764-2759
Readers Walter Lever 764-7121
R.C.I.A. Kevin Kishor 863-4296
Sacristans Brenda Korby 764-6425
Security Patrol Frank Richter 764-3640
Ushers Gino Servedio 764-3182
Youth—Intermediate/Elementary Neil Lustado 860-6776
Youth & Young Adult/Campus Ministry ... Kevin Kishor 863-4296

PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL

Meet second Wednesday of the month at 7:00 pm

Council Chair	Ed Rollheiser	764-8158
Recording Secretary	Ingrid Sivorot	764-2759
Building & Maintenance	Mike O'Donnell	764-4834
Director of Evangelization	Kevin Kishor	863-4296
CWL Rep.	Linda Servedio	764-3182
S.V.D.P. Rep.	Walter Lever	764-7121
K. of C. Rep.	Gino Servedio	764-3182
Dev. & Peace Rep	Keith Germaine	764-2942
Members	Bernie Schneider	860-8381
	Frank Richter	764-3640
	Marina Smith	448-5367
Pastor & Spirit. Dir.	Fr. Wayne	860-6776

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		763-1501

Fax: 250-763-7018 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 (CHANCERY OFFICE) 1-250-352-6921

ELIZABETH SETON HOUSE OF PRAYER 764-4333

GRIEF TO GRACE ... www.GriefftoGrace.org 878-7603

KELOWNA RIGHT TO LIFE 862-8202

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

Meet second Thursday of the month at 7:30 pm.

Membership inquiries: Gino Servedio - 764-3182

Last Sunday of each month—Knights Breakfast after a.m. Masses

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

CHILDREN'S LITURGY NEXT WEEK

8:30 A.M. TEAM**10:30 A.M. TEAM**} Children's Liturgy
resumes at the end of September.

PARKING LOT SECURITY SCHEDULE

Sat. Sept. 11th—5:00 pm	Richard Burke
Sun. Sept. 12th—8:30 am	Ron Atrens
10:30 am	Stewart Lundquist
7:00 pm	Kevin Schmidt

SACRISTANS THIS WEEK

Dee Mitchell & Flo Smith

GUIDE TO GIVING

Collections to date this year	\$ 264,688
Collections to date last year	\$ 266,334
Building Fund to date this year	\$ 26,420
Building Fund to date last year	\$ 20,459

WEEKLY MASS INTENTIONS

Monday	Tony Antonic †
Tuesday	Joe Cournane †
Wednesday	Paul Rice †
Thursday	Ken Nicholls †
Friday	Fernanda Berneaud †
Saturday	Antonio DelGaizo †
Sunday —8:30 a.m.	Devon Douville †
10:30 a.m.	Maria Falco †

*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 **3rd Sunday** of the month at **Our Lady of Lourdes**, Westbank and on the **4th Sunday** of the month at **St. Theresa's**, Rutland.

HOSPITAL MASS EFFECTIVE IMMEDIATELY, THERE WILL NO LONGER BE MASS AT THE HOSPITAL ON WEDNESDAY AFTERNOONS.

Please remember:**OUR CHURCH IS A
SCENT-FREE ZONE!**

5:00 pm MASS NEXT WEEK

READERS	David Liddicoat Denise McSweyn
EUCCHARIST	Donna & Adrian Van de M. Gail Schlosser Iris & Ron Fournier

USHERS	Lanier McSweyn Mike Dagenais Norm Sperling Tony Volk
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8:30 am MASS NEXT WEEK

READERS	Ed Rollheiser Harold Hamel
EUCCHARIST	Bob & Millie Weber Dave Crane Effie Shalagan Helen Wiltzen

USHERS	Gino Servedio Guy Douville James Atzesberger Laura Christie
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10:30 am MASS NEXT WEEK

READERS	Dan Spelliscy Eric Buckley
EUCCHARIST	Murdo & Alanet MacKinnon Rita Smith Alda Berneaud-daRosa Bernie Schneider

USHERS	Richard & Christine Bryant Mario DaRosa Rob Grifone
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7:00 pm MASS NEXT WEEK

READERS	Frank & Rachel
EUCCHARIST	Pam
USHERS	Daviducks

DON'T FORGET OUR 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.

CURSILLO

Kelowna Cursillo Fall weekends to be held:

Women's Weekend: Sept. 16th to 19th

Men's Weekend: November 4th to 7th

For more information contact Gail at 250 764-7007 or Les at 250 762-8751.

DIOCESAN DEV. & PEACE COMMITTEE AGM

Diocesan D & P Committee Annual General Meeting Sept. 24th to 26th at ICC parish Kelowna. All interested people are invited. Food, billets and transportation provided. Call Ann 250-765-0355 or Barry at 250-352-2704 if you have questions or would like to register.

MILITIA IMMACULATA ONE DAY RETREAT

The MILITIA IMMACULATA OKANAGAN, will host a one day retreat with talks presented by Fr. Patrick Greenough, National Spiritual Director, on Sat. Sept. 18. TOPICS will focus on the DIGNITY & MISSION OF THE PRIESTHOOD. Beginning with mass @ St. Pius X @ 9 am, followed by 4 talks, concluding @ 4 pm. Registration fee: \$20 prior to Sept 14, \$25 after, includes lunch & refreshments. Registration forms @ Loaves & Fishes Bookstore, or online @ jerrydusik@shaw.ca, or leib@vip.net. A renewal of consecration vows to the Immaculate Heart of Mary will be held during the mass. Everyone welcome.

GUARDIANS OF GOD'S CREATION

2nd Annual Save Creation Day BBQ

Sunday, Sept 19 after the 10:30 mass.



Please sign up on the list in the foyer, so that we know how much food to prepare.
Tickets \$7.00, children 12 & under FREE.
Tickets available at the parish office.

Come join us for a fun filled afternoon with great food featuring *venison burgers* and other goodies.

"The Earth is the Lord's and everything in it!"
Psalm 24

Mark your calendars for this up-coming event:

Blessing of the Animals -

Sunday, Oct. 3 @ 2pm

(St. Francis of Assisi Feast Day is on a Monday this year)



ANNUAL PARISH GOLF TOURNAMENT

Saturday, September 18, 2010

starting at 9:00 a.m. at Michaelbrook Ranch Golf Club. You can play either 18 (\$50) or 9 (\$40) holes including golf and lunch. Lunch only will be \$15. This is a "FUN" Tournament! It will be Best Ball (Scramble) format with team and individual prizes. Registration forms are available in the foyer or from the Parish Office. Return your completed registration form with a cheque made payable to "St. Charles Garnier" to the Parish Office or place it in the Sunday collection basket **no later than Monday, September 13th.** Prize donations would be gratefully accepted. If you have any questions contact Frank or Denise Richter at 250 764-3640 or email: frank.richter@shaw.ca.



ST. THERESA'S FALL FAIR

Sat. Sept 25th from 8:30 am to 2:00pm. Pancake Breakfast, BBQ, Farmer's Market, Children's Playroom, Bake Sale, Perogies, Children's Tractor Rides, plus much, much more. 750 Rutland Road,

HOLY SPIRIT FALL BAZAAR

Saturday, September 18th from 8 am to 1 pm.! Huge yard sale, Bake Table, Crafts, Kids games and events, Raffle and lots more. Breakfast served from 8 am and lunch from 11.30am by our Knights of Columbus. Everyone welcome, so please join us for some fun for all the family.

WALK FOR LIFE FUNDRAISER

Mayor Sharon Shepherd has once again proclaimed September 25 - October 2, 2010 as "Protect Human Life Week" in Kelowna! The week will kick off with the annual **Walk for Life Fundraiser** on Saturday, September 25th from 1:00 pm to 3:00 pm in Mission Creek Regional Park on Springfield Road. As an added incentive, Kelowna Right to Life will be giving away a **FREE iPad (Value: \$600)** at this year's Walk for Life! Everyone who raises a minimum of \$50 in pledges will have their name entered into the draw for a free iPad. Please visit www.prolifekelowna.com or call the office at 250 862-8202 to get your pledge forms and more information.

PILGRIMAGE ---

SANCTUARIES OF EASTERN & CENTRAL EUROPE 2011:

(19 Days) MAY 8 - May 26, 2011 ---- CZECH REP: Prague... AUSTRIA: Vienna, Melk, Innsbruck, Absam... HUNGARY: Gyor, Budapest... CROATIA: Varazdin, Ludbreg, Dubrovnik... SLOVENIA: Brezje, Lake Bled... HERCEGOVINA: Medjugorje... ITALY: Venice/Padua/ Montegrotto... GERMANY: Oberammergau, Fussen, Altotting, Bavaria & Heidelberg. The cost is \$4785 (PLUS AIR TAXES APPROX. \$400 + OR LESS) For more info, please contact Bennie Banares at 604-436-0985 (benniepilgrimage@gmail.com) or Fr. Rex M. Velmonte at 250-495-6815 (velmonte@telus.net)

LONGING FOR THE HOLY

LONGING FOR THE HOLY PART I

We are again offering Part I of **Longing for the Holy**, a spiritual journey for those who want to enrich their sense of the presence of God. **Longing for the Holy** concerns the way we channel the deep longing at the core of our being and explores the themes of church community, justice, sexuality, the practices of the spiritual life, and being a mystic of the everyday. It is based on Fr. Ron Rolheiser's book, "Holy Longing".

Part One: Six Wednesday Evenings September 15 - October 20, 2010

Cost: \$25 (includes book)

Part Two: Six Wednesday Evenings October 27 - December 1, 2010

Cost: \$10 (same book as Part One)

Place: St. Charles Garnier Parish Hall, 3645 Benvoulin Rd, Kelowna

Please register by emailing charlesgarnier@gmail.com or phoning Marilee 250-860-6776

Facilitated by Sister Rosemary Shannon, CND and Sister Anne McNally, CND

3RD ANNUAL CATHOLIC FAMILY CAMP

Looking for time well invested? Please join us for the 3rd Annual Catholic Family Camp, September 10 – 12 at Camp Easter Seals in Winfield. Camping not your thing? There are other options ☺ ****Come check us out on Saturday!**** A full day of activities and uplifting faith-filled events. Meals can be purchased as well. But you must register before September 8! For more information and to register, please visit: www.okanagancatholic.ca. Questions? Please call Kathy Hughes at 250-868-3801 or send us an e-mail at: FamilyCamp@okanagancatholic.ca. *Sponsored by the North Okanagan Deanery Family Life Ministry.*

DIOCESAN BURSARIES

General Courses: 30 bursaries of \$350.00 each. To Catholic students whose parents reside in the Diocese of Nelson. To Catholic students who have successfully completed at least one year of a recognized Post Secondary Program. To students who are pursuing the subsequent year at any approved College or University. Applications must be received at the Chancery Office **no later than December 15th.**

Application forms are available in the foyer.

For further information apply to:

The Scholarship Committee **or** Your Parish Priest
Diocese of Nelson
402 West Richards Street
Nelson, BC
V1L 3K3

DIOCESAN RENOVATIONS

You do it! Parishes do it!

The diocese is doing it –with the **diocesan website**.

Renovating, that is...and it needs your help!

Four ways you can help:

1. If you have photos of the faith life of the People of God in your area which would be possibilities for the website, please send them to revampingthewebsite@gmail.com. To lend them to be scanned, mail them to address below and they will be returned to you.
2. If you are a professional web designer and would be willing to volunteer your expertise and time to work on this project, please contact me at revampingthewebsite@gmail.com. The pay may be nil, but the heavenly compensation is substantial!
3. Visit <http://sites.google.com/site/revampingdiocesanwebsite/home> to view a draft of what the diocesan website might look like and send your comments to revampingthewebsite@gmail.com
4. Gather your church organization or group into a focus group to discuss what you would want on your group's webpage(beyond a link to your own website if you have one.)

Thank you in advance for your help!

Sr. Phyllis Giroux at revampingthewebsite@gmail.com
1309 McBride Rd, Kelowna BC V1Y 4A5

Lead Guitarists needed for 10:30 Mass twice a month. Rehearsals are Thursday evenings. Contact JoAnn Young at 764-0485.

FLOODING IN PAKISTAN

There is still time for you to respond to this tragedy in solidarity with Catholics across the world. Please place your donation in an envelope in the collection basket marked "**Pakistan Relief**" as soon as possible. (Please make cheques payable to St. Charles Garnier) These monies will be forwarded to the Chancery Office which, in turn, will channel these monies to Caritas Pakistan through the good offices of Development and Peace. Caritas Pakistan will distribute our assistance to the flood victims.

MARY, MOTHER OF ALL CHRISTIANS AND HER SON'S MESSAGE FOR THE AMERICAS



The BC/Yukon Knights of Columbus are thrilled to co-sponsor this all day program. MSGR. Eduardo Chavez, Postulator for St. Juan Diego.... Visionary of Our Lady of Guadalupe, will present an amazing look into God's intervention in our world through the co-operation of the

*Blessed Mother. This all day, inspiration packed conference will explain the Catholic doctrines of Mary's Immaculate Conception and Assumption into Heaven plus it will have three talks on: **The Day God Touched The Earth, The Woman Who Changed The Hemisphere and The Tilma - A Codex Of Love.** This event will be held on Saturday, September 25th 2010 at Chandos Pattison Auditorium, 10238 - 168 Street, Surrey, BC. Seating is limited. Tickets are \$25.00 and can be purchased from your Grand Knight or from your District Deputy, John Sokolowski (250-862-9412).*

NEIL: DIACONATE ORDINATION

We invite you to witness the
Deaconate Ordination
of

Neil Cloribel Lustado

by His Excellency Most Rev. John Corriveau, OFM, Cap.

Wednesday, September 8, 2010 at 7:00 p.m.
The Feast of the Birth of the Blessed Virgin Mary

"I am among you as one who serves" Luke 22:27

We congratulate Neil and continue to support him on his journey towards the priesthood with our prayers.

LITURGY COMMITTEE

Next **Liturgy Committee** meeting Wednesday, September 15th at 9:15 a.m.

HUNGARIAN MASS

Hungarian Mass will be held at St. Theresa's Parish, 750 Rutland Rd. N. on September 19th @ 4 pm followed by social in the hall. Everyone is welcome.

SPANISH MASS

The Spanish Mass at Our Lady of Lourdes will be celebrated on Sun. Sept. 12 at 3:30 pm. It will be followed by a social in the parish centre to commemorate the 200th Anniversary of Mexican Independence. All people of Hispanic Origin living in the Okanagan Valley are cordially invited to attend.

BREAKFAST

Knights of Columbus breakfast this Sunday, Sept. 5th at Immaculate Conception Church. Still only \$5.00. Everyone is welcome.

BISHOP COONEY'S 50TH

50th Anniversary Celebration for Bishop Cooney: For those who were unable to attend the celebrations held for Bishop Cooney, there is an opportunity to join in the gift offering for those who are interested. The gift of a pilgrimage to Spain, the "Camino de Santiago" walk, following in the footsteps of St. James is being planned for spring 2011. Anyone wishing to join in this gift can mail their greeting card & offering directly to Bishop Cooney @ # 118 - 1045 Sutherland Ave. Kelowna, V1Y 5Y1. Thank you. Eileen Collins

BAPTISM

Baptized in our parish this week:

Joanna ELIZABETH DUROSE

*Daughter of Monika (nee Mueller)
and James Durose*

2010 OVPCC BABY BOTTLE BRIGADE FUNDRAISER

The Okanagan Valley Pregnancy Care Centre serves and supports women struggling with an unplanned pregnancy. Women can count on practical support and non-judgmental care from the dedicated volunteers during this difficult time. Please consider donating your spare change and helping re-ignite hope for the women and couples served. We ask that the bottles are returned on Thanksgiving weekend.

SPARE CHANGE ADDS UP:

THE SUM: LIVES SAVED AND HEARTS CHANGED!

IMMACULATA NEWS

100% Graduation Rate

Congratulations go out to the Immaculata 2010 Graduating Class on their outstanding academic achievement. All members of the graduating class earned a Dogwood Certificate and have graduated from Immaculata.

Have you thought about enrolling your son or daughter in our Catholic Schools?

There is still time to do so!

If you wish to enroll your child at St. Joseph or Immaculata for the 2010/11 school year, there is limited space still remaining in some grades. Contact the school offices at 763-3371 or 762-2730 to make an appointment for an interview.

RCIA—RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION FOR ADULTS

Once again our RCIA Team will be offering a program for people who wish to become fully initiated into the Catholic church. This applies to those who are not baptized, to those baptized in a non-Catholic denomination, and to those who may have been baptized Catholic as an infant but who never attended catechism or received either First Communion or Confirmation. Our first session will be on Tuesday, September 21st, beginning at 7:00 p.m. in the Parish Hall. You are asked to register in advance by calling the office or by speaking to Fr. Wayne.

Rachel's Corner

"The retreat process helped me to lay all my brokenness at the feet of Christ. I was able to ask Christ and my children for forgiveness."

- Testimony after a **Rachel's Vineyard Retreat™**

Forgiveness, healing and hope are awaiting you on a Rachel's Vineyard Retreat™.

Abortion AfterCare-Healing
250-762-2273 pr_nelsondiocese@hotmail.com



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: What can I do to recall the good things in my life rather than allow my burdens to paralyze me?

CHILDREN: When I am sad or upset, what good things can I remember to give me hope?

IMPORTANT DATES/INFO

CATECHISM: Onsite Registration Sept. 13th 2pm - 6pm & Teacher's Meeting 6:30pm
Classes start Sept. 20th Gr. 1-4 at 3:30pm, Gr. 5-7 at 6:30pm.

CHILDREN'S LITURGY (age 3-9): During Sunday 8:30am & 10:30am Masses.

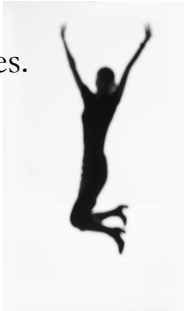


TEENS (GR. 8 - 12)

Thursdays at 6:30pm still @ GYRO Beach!
Soak it in while you can! We're @ Church if it's bad weather!
Join us on Facebook ... "St. Charles Garnier Youth Group"

ANNUAL DIOCESAN YOUTH RALLY

Register now... it's in Westbank this year (Oct. 1st – 3rd)
Check our parish website or Contact Kevin ASAP.



YOUNG ADULTS/UNIVERSITY OR COLLEGE STUDENTS:

Join us on Facebook "Catholic Young Adults Kelowna" & stay connected!

WORLD YOUTH DAY 2011 (Spain): Our bottle drive is ongoing please continue to drop them off beside the rectory garage or at the Westside Depot credit to our account.

If you would like to donate anytime simply give a cheque to the Office designated WYD.

POSSIBLY THE LAST... CAR WASH FUNDRAISER OF THE SEASON!

- Next Sunday Sept. 12th during the 8:30am & 10:30am Masses

"Don't let anyone look down on you because you are young, but set an example for the believers in speech, in conduct, in faith, in love, and in purity". (1 Timothy 4:12)

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Kevin: (250) 863-4296 kishorkevin6@gmail.com or scgyouth@gmail.com