



The Son of Man will be betrayed.
Whoever wants to be first must be last of all
and servant of all.

Mark 9

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

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

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

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

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

MINISTRY COORDINATORS

If you wish to become involved contact the Parish Office 250-860-6776 or:
Altar ServersRenae Clarkson 250-769-7979
Campus Ministry email: ubco.focus@gmail.com
Children's Liturgy
Eucharistic Ministers Patti Cook 778-478-6563
Hospital Visitation & Eucharist. .Ethel Robidoux 250-860-2101
MusicJoAnn Young 250-764-0485
Readers. Karen Sanesh 250-763-4618
or email: karen.sanesh21@gmail.com
Sacristans Flo Pasutto 250-764-8716
Security Patrol.
Ushers Gino Servedio 250-764-3182

CONTACT NUMBERS

CLUBHOUSE DAYCARE250-860-4393
CREIGHTON MODEL FERTILITY CARE250-491-1088
CURSILLO John or Gail Schlosser. 250-764-7007
DIOCESE OF NELSON—Catholic Pastoral Centre250-448-2725
ELIZABETH SETON HOUSE OF PRAYER 250-764-4333
FREEDOM'S DOOR freedomdoor@shaw.ca 250-717-0472
GRIEF TO GRACE ... www.GriefftoGrace.org 250-878-7603
KELOWNA RIGHT TO LIFE250-862-8202
PREGNANCY CARE CENTRE 250-763-2112
RACHEL'S VINEYARD rvnelsondiocese@shaw.ca 250-762-2273

PARISH ORGANIZATIONS

BICYCLES FOR HUMANITY ... Keith Germaine250-764-2942
CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE
Meet second Tuesday of the month at 9:30 am
President: ... Diane Cey. 250-868-9636
Membership inquiries: ... Benita Spencer 250-868-8608
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 250-862-9354
Email: rgrifone@stcharleskoc.com
Last Sunday of each month—Knights Breakfast after a.m. Masses
FR. PANDOSY 4TH DEGREE ASSEMBLY—Knights of Columbus
Inquiries Gino Servedio. 250-764-3182
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
SECULAR FRANCISCAN ORDER Alice. 250-860-3541
Email: alicemccrea@shaw.ca
SOCIETY OF ST. VINCENT de PAUL
Meet second and fourth Wednesdays at 9:00 am. 250-860-2536
Last Sunday of each month—SSVP donations

WEEKLY MASS INTENTIONS

Monday	Sept. 21	8:30 am	✠ Janet Kormish
Tuesday	Sept. 22	8:30 am	✠ Gladys Ominski
Wednesday	Sept. 23	8:30 am	Int. Keating & Landry fam.
Thursday	Sept. 24	8:30 am	✠ Frederick O'Connor
Friday	Sept. 25	8:30 am	✠ Michael Boon
Saturday	Sept. 26	5:00 pm	✠ Heinz & Theresa Mendel
Sunday	Sept. 27	8:30 am	✠ Janet Kormish
		10:30 am	Int. Bill & Natalie Sanesh
		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	\$ 341,228	\$ 331,108
Building Fund	\$ 33,519	\$ 73,866

NEXT WEEK'S READINGS:

1st Reading:	Numbers 11:25-29
2nd Reading:	James 5:1-6
Gospel:	Mark 9:38-43, 45, 47-48

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 weekend

Niguel Norjeng Japson

Son of Jennifer (nee Mendoza)
and Norlan Japson



ANNUAL SPIRITUALITY & WHOLENESS WORKSHOP

The Good Samaritan Society Annual Spirituality and Wholeness Workshop. **"Seeing Dementia from the Other Side"** Guest presenter: Angela King, Specialist (CASC), MTS and **"Sexuality in the Elderly"** Guest presenter: Dr. Victoria Seavilleklein, Ph. D. Monday, September 28th at St. Charles Garnier. Early bird registration \$125 by Sept. 1st, or \$150 by September 18th. Registration includes workshop materials, refreshment breaks and a hot lunch. Information and Registration at www.gss.org **Brochures are in the foyer.**

CWL NEWS

A BIG THANK YOU

We would like to extend our heartfelt Thanks to all those who have so generously supported our St. Charles Cradle project. Each of our young moms and their beautiful babies have enriched all of our lives. The young women are transformed by the hope and love shown to them, and are so very thankful. In the words of Jean Vanier "We are not called by God to do extraordinary things, but to do ordinary things with extraordinary love"!

MARK YOUR CALENDAR

DON'T MISS THE AMAZING APPLE PIE SALE
SATURDAY, OCTOBER 3RD TIME: 2-4 PM
COST: \$ 8.00 each

NOTE: NO PRE-ORDERED OR RESERVE REQUESTS

This is a very worthwhile Fundraiser for the St. Charles Garnier CWL, as half of the proceeds will go towards the Refugee Appeal.

PIE BAKING BEE scheduled for Friday October 2nd, starting @ 8:30 AM

Please call Annette Pelletier if you can help @ 250-862-2503



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INSTALLATION OF OFFICERS—The installation of the new executive will be held on October 8th in the church followed by a wine and cheese reception in the hall. All members and their wives are encouraged to attend and lend support to the incoming officers. The official installation will begin at 7:30 pm with a short meeting to follow at 8:00 pm followed by wine and cheese. Your attendance will provide support to what promises to be a busy fall and winter program.

REFUGEE SPONSORSHIP—INTERPRETER NEEDED

St. Pius X parish has formed a group which is sponsoring a Christian family from Iraq. This young family of four is expected to arrive in Kelowna in about 4 weeks. We are seeking people who would be able to act as an interpreter as members of the family only speak Arabic. For more information please call Victoria Oppertshauer 250-712-0701.

ACCOMMODATION NEEDED

The Refugee Committee is looking for accommodation for October 1st—1 or 2 bedroom for our first refugee family. Please call Keith 250-764-2942 if you have or know of a rental.

PILGRIMAGE OF FAITH

The 2015-2016 Pilgrimage of Faith Appeal will begin in all parishes throughout the Diocese of Nelson on October 3rd and 4th, 2015. The theme for this year's appeal is "God is Love". The message builds on past appeals underscoring the importance of sacrificial generosity and selflessness. The appeal is a means by which we can all work together to love and care for the Church by sharing the gifts God has granted to us.

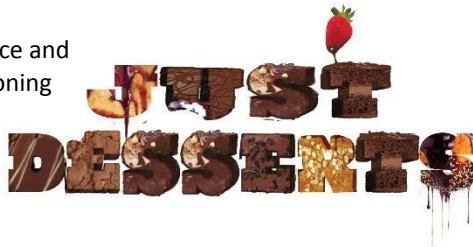
Your participation is essential to the success of the Pilgrimage of Faith Appeal. Please join other Catholics from throughout the Diocese in supporting this very important appeal.

DESSERT AUCTION

Yummy, Yummy, Yummy I've got love in my Tummy!

Plan to attend the First Annual, "Yummy, Yummy Dessert Auction" to be held on Friday, October 9th at 6:30 pm at St. Charles Garnier Parish Centre. **Taste and Bid** on your favourite desserts and take them home for Thanksgiving! Tickets are only \$15.00 each and includes 5 FREE Dessert Tastes (extra tastes only \$1.00 each). Enjoy yummy desserts, great entertainment, tasty spirits and connect with some fun people! (At least, we think we're fun!) All proceeds support clinical counseling and support for youth and families at Reach Out Youth Counseling & Family Services Society.

Tickets must be purchased in advance and are available by phoning 250-763-7892.



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.

URGENT!! VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!

Do you have a passion to share the love and knowledge of your faith with the future of our Church? We are in dire need of volunteers of all ages to assist with the Catechism program and Children's Liturgy Ministry for this coming year.

We are still looking for **teachers** for the following:

Grade 2 - teacher
Grade 4 - teacher

volunteer with
CHILDREN'S MINISTRY

Also, we need leaders for Children's Liturgy on Sunday morning's at the 10:30am Mass

If you are able to assist us, please contact Leslie Piasentin:
children@stcharlesgarnier.ca
or leslie@stcharlesgarnier.ca



Resources, training and course outlines will be provided! Without volunteers and teachers, classes may have to be home schooled. Thank you for your support of these integral ministries. I look forward to hearing from you soon:)

HUNGARIAN MASS

Hungarian Mass Saturday, September 19 at 3:00 pm, Holy Spirit Parish, 1260 Neptune Road. Social to follow at the hall after Mass.

VOICES OF WOMEN

During this year for Consecrated Life, The Office of Faith Formation is pleased to host a presentation on the first woman in Canada to enter religious life, **Sr. Marie Morin**. Sr. Morin wrote about the characters and spirit of Canada's 'Mystic Epoch' in her book Annals Real and True. **Madonna Hamel**, a direct descendent of Sr. Morin, will be giving a presentation about the language and spirit of this woman who holds a unique place in Canadian history. While doing research on her ancestor, Madonna reconnected with her childhood faith and has come to a new understanding of how the faith came down through her family. The presentation will be held on Wednesday October 7 at St. Charles Garnier parish hall, 3645 Ben-voulin Road starting at 7:00 pm. For planning purposes, please pre-register. Contact Darlene Jackson at Darlene.jackson@nelsondiocese.org or at [250-448-2725 ext. 120](tel:250-448-2725). Cost is by donation.

BOARD MEMBERS NEEDED

Ozanam Recovery House is in need of new team members on our Board of Directors. Ozanam is a transition home for men struggling with addictions. Our mission is to provide Home, Health & Hope. Call Alison Grenier, President or Reid Oddleifson, Director 250-762-4673 or email board@recoverykelowna.ca

NEEDS OF THE CHURCH IN CANADA COLLECTION

Every year, the Bishops of Canada make an appeal for financial assistance to support their work and the work of each diocese by means of the **Collection for the Needs of the Church in Canada**. This collection is an opportunity to all the faithful to help their dioceses collaborate in financing the regional Episcopal assemblies and the Canadian Conference of Catholic Bishops. These associations support the Bishops in their local ministry and in working together on issues of common concern. The collection will be held **September 26th and 27th**. Through your contribution to the Collection, you too can collaborate with the Bishops in their ministry to teach, sanctify and govern.

ENCYCLICAL ON THE ENVIRONMENT

Released on June 18, Pope Francis' encyclical, *Laudato Si'*: On Care for Our Common Home highlights several basic teachings. First, the destruction of God's creation, especially climate change, is a moral issue. Second, there is an integral connection between our destruction of "Mother Earth" and the suffering of the poor, especially those in developing countries. Finally, immediate actions are required, by individuals, who must change their lives, and by the community of nations. Father James Martin, SJ explores these teachings in a four-minute video: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=a_lqFTYlc_4 or google "James Martin video Top 10 Things You Need to Know about *Laudato Si'*"

RACHEL'S VINEYARD

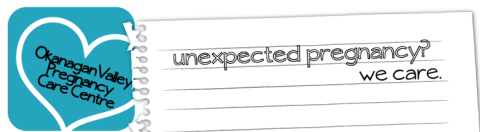
Has abortion left you feeling empty and alone? Rachel's Vineyard retreats are available for any man, woman, or family member who has struggled with the emotional and spiritual pain of abortion. If you are searching for peace and inner healing from an abortion experience, this retreat is for you. Register now for our October retreat in Kelowna. For more information call Sue, [250-762-2273](tel:250-762-2273) or e-mail rvnelsondiocese@shaw.ca. The retreat and registration are strictly confidential. Visit www.rachelvineyard.org

ST. THERESA'S PARISH FALL BAZAAR

ST. THERESA'S PARISH (750 Rutland Road North) Fall Bazaar on Saturday, **September 26** from 8:30am to 2pm. Pancake breakfast, pie & coffee, BBQ lunch, Farmer's market, homemade baked goods, silent auction and much more. Children's activities include a fish pond with lots of great prizes. All are welcome to attend.

OVPC 10TH ANNUAL BENEFIT BANQUET

The Okanagan Valley Pregnancy Care Centre's 10th Annual Benefit Banquet, NOT 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.



ORDINATION TO THE PRIESTHOOD



Deacon Sylvester has been on his journey towards the Ministerial Priesthood and it is our privilege to announce his Ordination on Tuesday, October 13, 2015 at Immaculate Conception Church. ALL are invited for the Ordination Mass of Sylvester Ibekwe which will begin at 6:30 pm, and also to the reception in the Parish Hall after the mass.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED—DIOCESAN ARCHIVES

Much historical material in the Diocesan Archives needs to be catalogued, computerized, scanned, sometimes organized, etc. If you are interested in helping with this need, please contact Sr. Phyllis at [250-448-2725](tel:250-448-2725), ext. [140](mailto:140orphyllis.giroux@nelsondiocese.org) or phyllis.giroux@nelsondiocese.org Your assistance is vital to the history of the Diocese and would be very gratefully received. Also, if you are a Mr. or Ms. Fix-It, and can try to get our microfilm reader working again, the Archives would REALLY appreciate your help. Archives open 9-2:30, Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday.

LIVE-IN WEEKEND

The Okanagan Live-In is offering a weekend in Kelowna on October 23-25, 2015. 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](tel:250-542-8690)

PEOPLE OF FAITH CHARISMATIC PRAYER GROUP

Because the Sovereign Lord helps me, I will not be disgraced. Therefore have I set my face like flint, and I know I will not be put to shame. Isaiah 49:7 We will be resuming our regular schedule Tuesday, September 22nd at 7:00 pm. Please make note of our new location—we will be meeting at St. Pius X Parish, please enter through the side door on Fuller Ave. Come on out and join us as we Praise and Worship our Awesome God together. For more info please call Piera 250-762-6150. God bless you all!!

FREEDOM'S DOOR CURRENT NEEDS



Current Needs - September 2015

Freedom's Door is a residential Christian Recovery Program with 50 beds. We rely 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. We are currently in need of the following: Deodorant, Razors, Shaving Cream, hand soap, towels (new or used) Please drop off anytime Monday – Friday 9am – 4pm 1279 Centennial Crescent 250-717-0472

"WHY THE BOAT PEOPLE EFFORT WORKED"

Development and Peace

Coffee House



Thursday,
Sept. 24th



7:00 p.m.
FREE



at St. Charles
Garnier Parish

Join us for:

- Chef Dave's snacks
- Fair trade coffee and tea (de-caff available)
- Music

Guest Speaker:

Murray Oppertshauer

who was with Canada Immigration for 30 years including Vietnam



IMMIGRATION SYMPOSIUM

Immigration, Social Justice, and the Common Good:
Views from the Okanagan **SEPTEMBER 25-26, 2015**

Join us for a discussion on the impact of Canadian policy on immigrants, refugees and temporary foreign workers.

Friday, September 25

Lecture Theatre, Okanagan College

Opening evening: 7 to 10 p.m.

KEYNOTE: *Immigration in the Okanagan: A Syilx Perspective* by UBC Assistant Professor of Indigenous Studies and Canada Research Chair in Okanagan Indigenous Knowledge and Philosophy, Jeannette Armstrong, followed by a performance, video screening, photo exhibit and reception.

Saturday, September 26

University Centre Ballroom, UBC Okanagan

Morning session: 9:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.

KEYNOTE: *New Rules, New Challenges* by Immigration Lawyer Sandra Hakanson, Pushor Mitchell; two panel discussions follow.

Lunch & afternoon session: 12:30 to 4:30 p.m.

PHOTOMONTAGE: *Becoming and being Canadian: A glimpse from recent immigrants in Kelowna, BC*, curated by UBC Associate Professor of the School of Social Work Shirley Chau; **strategic working group discussions** follow.

FREE. REGISTER ONLINE FOR ANY SESSION: ImmigrationSymposium2015.eventbrite.ca

Presented by:



Saturday, September 26

St. Charles Garnier Church 3645 Benvoulin Road

Evening session: 7:00 p.m. (Free)

WORKSHOP ON HOW TO SPONSOR REFUGEES:
Yosief Araya from Toronto representing Refugee Sponsorship Training Program will answer all your questions about what has gone wrong and what we can now do.

Sunday, September 27

Lutheran Church 2091 Gordon Drive opposite A.S. Matheson School

Afternoon sessions:

1:00—3:00 p.m. / 3:00—5:00 p.m. (Free)

REPEAT SESSIONS of Saturday evening at St. Charles Garnier Church including more follow-up.

Perogy Supper

PEROGY - CABBAGE ROLLS

and much more

Adults - \$15

Children (6-12) - \$10

ALL YOU CAN EAT

Everyone Welcome !

Date: Sunday, October 4

Time: 4 - 7 pm



Location: Ukrainian Catholic Parish Hall

1091 Coronation Ave. (at Gordon Dr.)

Contact: 250.448.0305



FREEDOMS DOOR Celebration & Information Dinner

Come one, Come all.....

Join us as we serve up a wonderful meal followed by real life stories of hope, encouragement, and inspiration

Date: **Thursday October 1, 2015**

Time: **Reception @5:30p.m. Dinner @ 6:00p.m.**

Place: **Evangel Church**
3261 Gordon Drive, Kelowna

Tickets: **\$15.00 each or \$100.00 / table**
(8 Settings, \$20.00 savings)

Tickets available from:

Freedom's Door
1279 Centennial Crescent
Kelowna, BC
Phone: 250-717-0472
freedomdoor@shaw.ca

**Loaves & Fishes
Bread & Church Supply Ltd.**
591 Lawrence Avenue
Kelowna, BC
Phone: 250-868-8933

Bell Tower Books
#39-2070 Harvey Ave
Kelowna, BC
Phone: 250-762-8444

Rachel's Corner

"The retreat for men and women was a wonderful experience. I had attended other healing retreats and they had helped me heal in other areas of my life, but for some reason I was unable to forgive myself about my involvement in an abortion that happened so long ago. When I found out about the Rachel's Vineyard retreat, my intuition led me to this place and soon I found I was not wrong. This retreat was perfect to immerse and focus on that pain, help me understand and to let go of the guilt and inability to forgive myself."

Come on a Rachel's Vineyard Retreat for women and men and be free!

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.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS BREAKFASTS MONTHLY SCHEDULE—September through June

First Sunday of the Month <i>Immaculate Conception Church and St. Theresa Parish</i>	Second Sunday of the Month <i>St. Pius X Parish</i>
Third Sunday of the Month <i>Our Lady of Lourdes Parish</i>	Last Sunday of the Month <i>St. Charles Garnier Parish</i>

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:

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.

WELCOME NEW PARISHIONERS!

Please complete this form and leave it in the collection basket or at the Parish Office.

Name(s): _____ **New Parishioner:** **Information Change:**

Address: _____ Postal Code: _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____

CHILDREN

Name(s)	D.O.B.— (yyyy/mm/dd)

Would you like to be contacted by one of our parish groups?

- | | |
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| <input type="checkbox"/> CWL | <input type="checkbox"/> Music |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Knights of Columbus | <input type="checkbox"/> Reader |
| <input type="checkbox"/> St. Vincent de Paul | <input type="checkbox"/> Usher |
| <input type="checkbox"/> R.C.I.A. | <input type="checkbox"/> Altar Servers |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Sacristan (Set up for Mass) | |

Would you like to pick up Sunday Offertory Envelopes from the ledge in the foyer next week? **Yes** **No**

The label will have your name on it, the number identifies you and a tax receipt will be sent to you at the address that you registered with.

You may also register on-line @ www.stcharlesgarnier.ca where you can sign up for the bulletin to be **emailed to you each week.**