



St. Charles Garnier Parish

June 13, 2021

Twelfth Sunday in Ordinary Time.

Who then is this, that even the wind
and the sea obey him?

Mark 4



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PASTOR'S MESSAGE

Dear Sisters and Brothers in the Lord!

This week's scriptures invite us to reflect on our 'unforeseen challenges' which pop up in our life and also to seek the face of the Almighty God to solve them in a timely manner. The Greek proverbs, "Challenge's shape human life & suffering is the best teacher" are worth remembering this day. The book of Job explains how Job an innocent & righteous person, had undergone many terrible things like loss of his livestock, coworkers, family and property overnight. People at that time thought that the blessings of God came upon good people, and punishments on bad people. After much thought and struggle Job began to realize that God's ways are not human ways. God answered Job after his terrible suffering to understand why tragedy had come into his life.

Probably we are well acquainted with the hymn "Amazing Grace" by John Newton, the English Captain who was instrumental in shipping the Africans illegally for slave trade. When he was confronted by a storm in the middle of the sea on one of the voyages, he felt humbled and asked the good Lord to save him and his fellow travelers, and promised God that if God granted him that request, he would give up this slave trade and return to his normal Christian life. Amazingly God intervened in his struggle and gave him success. Once he reached the shore, he gave up that inhumane practice and wrote this beautiful hymn, "Amazing Grace" reflecting the story of God's all-encompassing love.

Many of us in our busy world find great delight in allowing God to reveal who God is: in the beauty of sunrise or sunset, in the babbling of a brook in the

WEEKLY MASS INTENTIONS

Mon	Jun 21	8:30am	✠ Jack Duck
Tue	Jun 22	8:30am	✠ Cornelius & Carolina Pyne
Wed	Jun 23	8:30am	✠ Margaret Horner
Thu	Jun 24	8:30am	Int. Peter Wachla
Fri	Jun 25	8:30am	Int. Margaret Wachla
Sat	Jun 26	5:00pm	✠ Sonja Runic
Sun	Jun 27	8:30am	✠ Pauline Lucovic
		10:30am	Int. Rick Woods
		7:00pm	It will be announced

Next Week's Readings

1	Wisdom —	1:13-15, 2:23-24
2	2 Corinthians —	8:7, 9, 13-15
Gospel	Mark —	5:21-43

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woods, or the wonder of the rushing waters tumbling over Niagara Falls, crashing under the rock below, with the constant roar resulting in foamy and smoky mist, or in the stillness of a night sky filled with stars. It's important to make space, and give ourselves the time as the Psalmist urges, "to be still and know that I am God". (Ps 46:10)

Like the disciples of Christ who were frightened by the weather in the gospel today, we think of the 215 unmarked graves of people buried of all ages at the Kamloops Residential School Site, as we face this untimely challenge. One of the early images for the Church is the boat, and we could imagine that the small church community of Mark thinking that chaos was about to be unleashed upon them by way of persecution. It was as if the church was being tossed about in the storms of the times. Like the disciples in the boat, those in Mark's community were crying out, wondering if the Risen Christ cares about them. Just as Jesus spoke these words to the disciples, the Risen Jesus continues to speak the same words, "Why are you afraid? Have you still no faith?" He has the power to calm down and instill peace and harmony in our troubled society even today. Have faith and confidence in the good Lord!

Affectionately in Jesus!

Fr. Gabriel

Happy
Father's
Day

SCG—Guide to Giving		2021			
June	6	13	20	27	
Monthly Parish Collection Budget	41,500	41,500	41,500	41,500	
Collection/Sag/e-transfers received this month to date.	6,909	12,322			
Average collection to date	6,909	6,161			

RACHEL

"The pain of loss feels helpless because it comes from the past, and the past is a place where we have no power. We can't do anything about the past because it is already over. It no longer exists for us to control. Loss is very painful until we cross over. We must cross over from the past to the present, from what we had to what we have."

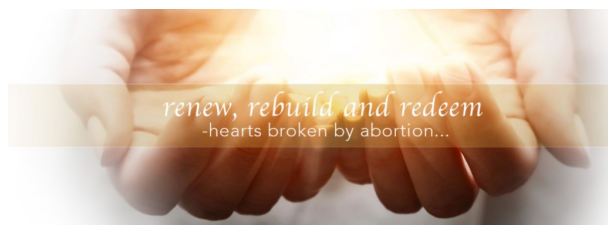
- The Black Swan by Susan Anderson

Have you been suffering from that pain of loss since the day of the abortion decision? Join us on a Rachel's Vineyard™ Retreat and invite healing into that wound.

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CATHECHISM VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

As per his holiness Pope Francis's request, our parish is looking for volunteer Catechisms Teachers to help our Parish Faith Formation to Blossom in our Church. "We are the Church" repeats the II Vatican Council and Laity is encouraged to Spearhead the Faith Formation in a Parish Environment. Please join the Ministry of Parish Catechist. Read article [here](#).

ST. CHARLES GARNIER FACEBOOK

St. Charles Garnier has a new Facebook page!

Please join our online community at:

www.facebook.com/groups/stcharlesgarnier/

We look forward to virtually connecting with you.



Roman Catholic Diocese of Nelson website:

<https://www.nelsondiocese.org/>

Holy Sacrifice of the Mass & Devotions

Live stream click [here](#)

St. Charles Garnier Parish

<http://stcharlesgarnier.ca/>

Holy Sacrifice of the Mass is being
live-streamed Sunday 8:30 & 10:30am

Livestream click [here](#)

NEWS & ANNOUNCEMENTS—DIOCESE OF NELSON

Roman Catholic Diocese of Nelson
For the News and Announcements please click
[here](#).

FORMED



As we celebrate the Nativity of John the Baptist this week, we remember his words: “He will baptize you with the Holy Spirit and fire” (Mt 3:11) Jesus came to baptize us in the Holy Spirit, and the power and grace that comes from baptism in the Holy Spirit changes lives. Explore the meaning of this sacrament in this episode of The Wild Goose!

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VOLUNTEERS NEEDED



Volunteers needed as we return to in Person church services:

At the recent Liturgy Committee Meeting we noted that additional volunteers are needed for the following areas as we return to in person church services.

- a. Lectors/Commentators.
- b. Eucharistic ministers.
- c. Live-streaming and other media related services
- d. Due to Covid -19 requirements, parishioners who would provide a quick cleaning after Mass.
- c. Coordinators for the ministries of Lector and Eucharistic Servers.

If you are willing to assist in any of these areas please submit your name and area of interest to the Parish Office.



TREE BLESSING



On Tues June 8th, members of the CWL and parishioners joined with Fr Gabriel in a Mass and dedication to bless the tree planted at St Charles Garnier church by the Parish CWL. The tree will commemorate the 100th year anniversary of the Catholic Women's League of Canada, which was founded in 1920, and will stand as a reminder to the faith and service of CWL members.

Thanks to the CWL members and all Mass participants for attending and supporting this initiative.



ST. JOSEPH—CARDS FOR KIDS

The Cards for Kids program is a St. Joseph School Council fundraiser where proceeds go directly toward the operating budget of our school. We purchase gift cards in bulk at a discount, so when you use them to pay for everyday expenses and gifts the school earns between 2 - 15% of the face value.

Order form [here](#).

cards for **KIDS**



NEW PILGRIM PATH

Your are invited to visit New Pilgrim Path, a website now in it's fifth year with hundreds of global followers. The site was inspired by Pope Francis' enthusiasm for the internet as a force for evangelization: "Let us boldly become citizens of the digital world." New Pilgrim Path offers a wide range of opportunities for spiritual transformation in this pandemic time. There are links to, and a brief description of, a wealth of websites that have been found valuable. Web pages include Daily Prayer, Inspiration, Online Retreats, Sacred Music, Poetry and many other rich online spiritual resources. The site is updated weekly. Visit:

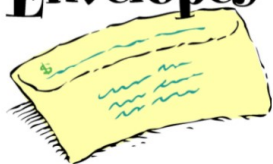
[New Pilgrim Path](#) to be notified by email about updates.

MISSING YOUR ENVELOPE 2021?

Envelopes are in the foyer area.

If you don't find yours, please call the office—250-860-6776

**Offering
Envelopes**



REGISTER FOR MASS ONLINE

To register online for mass you will have to create an account on our website:

<https://www.stcharlesgarnier.ca>

Call or email the office to approve your account.

Once you created your account, log in and go to:

Events> Event Calendar on the following link:

<https://www.stcharlesgarnier.ca/events>

Please call the office if you need help.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

1. St. Charles Garnier Parish has resumed its Regular Weekend Services:

Saturday Service at 5:00 PM.

Sunday Services will be 8:30 & 10.30 AM.

Sunday 7:00 PM evening Service will resume depending on the need.

Everyone is invited to **register Online [here](#)** for participation in the Church Services. Kindly follow the Parish Website for your Registration. Inside the Church 62 and in the Parish Hall 50 people can be comfortably accommodated. Those who are in the Hall have to participate with the Video Effect for Mass.

2. Our Diocesan Bishop will officiate the Celebration of the Sacrament of Confirmation for our Parish Family on the 27th June at 10.30 AM Service. Parishioners may participate on Livestream also.

3. Participants at each Mass are requested to Wear the Face Mask all through the Service. You may recite the Mass prayers quietly within the Mask. The Soloist will sing the Mass Parts and the Psalm. You may humm within the Mask. (Please help us maintain this order for some more time until we can all participate together in the singing and the recitation of prayers)

4. Our Parish is looking for New Lectors & Eucharistic Ministers to be trained and installed for these Special Church Positions. Those who are interested may kindly approach Sr. Nancy for more details. We would like you to consider these openings at this time, as many of our seniors find it cumbersome to cope with.

5. We require volunteers to Sanitize the Pews after each Service as per the B.C Health Regulation. Could you consider assisting us with your quality time? May the good Lord bless you for this generous act of Charity & Service.

Fr. Gabriel

LIVESTREAM

Do you attend the Saturday Evening Mass?

We are looking for an individual (s) who is willing to be responsible for turning on the Audio/Visual equipment in the hall for the Saturday Evening Mass. This will allow us to accommodate 62 people in the main body of the Church and an additional 50 in the hall. Note: This is not livestreaming, no technical skills required, and basic training will be provided.

If you are interested in learning more: please call or e-mail Rod: 250.212.3990 or attwellrod@gmail.com

SEASON OF CREATION

Hello St. Charles parishioners, the Care For Creation Circle is taking the summer off to enjoy summer activities. We will be back for Season of Creation, which is an ecumenical movement, a time to renew our relationship with our Creator and all creation through celebration together. Check out the Global Catholic Climate Movement website for ideas of activities to celebrate this season.

Season of Creation was started by Ecumenical Patriarch Dimitrios in 1989; in fact, the Orthodox church year begins on that day with a commemoration of how God created the world. The World Council of Churches was instrumental in making the season extend from September 1 to October 4, the feast day of St. Francis of Assisi. Pope Francis made the Roman Catholic Church's warm welcoming of the season official in 2015.

We're hoping for a full opening of churches in September and may be able to do indoor activities such as a dedication Mass for the Season of Creation, a day retreat to learn more and pray for Creation, and additional activities, which is where we need your help and imagination. In the past, we have had blessing of the animals on October 4, and an outdoor Mass in Scenic Canyon for families and people able to do a short hike, a large rope "web of life" demonstrating how we are all connected and other activities. Thank you for reading.

<https://www.ncronline.org/news/earthbeat/pope-francis-launches-program-put-laudato-si-action-throughout-church>

<https://seasonofcreation.org/news/>

***New members to the Care of Creation Circle. Please contact: karenjkrout@gmail.com

IRHS

PRAYERS FOR ALUMNI

Immaculata Regional High School is celebrating our 60th anniversary this school year. In honour of the 60th, the staff and students at Immaculata prayed the rosary for the graduating classes of 2000 – 2007 during April. We prayed for our former students' health, safety and well-being. Thank you for your continued prayers and support of our Immaculata community.



God Bless!

NEEDED: HOST FAMILIES—CISND

Immaculata Regional High School is looking for homestay families for the upcoming school year. If you have a spare bedroom and can offer a student an English-speaking, welcoming family environment, please contact please contact Shelley Brodeur @

irhs.ahc@cisnd.ca

We pay \$925 per month to cover room and board.

ST. JOSEPH

St. Joseph Catholic School is now accepting applications for September 2021 enrolment. St. Joseph provides a supportive, caring, and safe environment for students in Kindergarten through Grade 7. Our mission is to foster the development of the total child in spirit, mind and body. Through Jesus, we encourage the pursuit of excellence in a community of love and respect.

With over 80 years of academic excellence and the best Kindergarten program in Kelowna we invite your family to join our family!

For more information, visit our website at:

stjosephkelowna.ca

email us at:

sjkoffice@cisnd.ca

or call 250-763-3371



NELSON DIOCESE CHARISMATIC

Good news! Deepen your Spiritual Life and meet new friends from across Canada!

2021 Gathering in the Spirit (GIS) – August 8-12, 6-8 p.m. PDT (7-9 p.m. MDT) – an annual opportunity to deepen your experience with the Lord!

Join us on ZOOM for an interactive week of discipleship formation as Catholic Lay Evangelist, John Connelly, presents the theme: Joy, Peace, and Hope in Turbulent Times, “May the God of hope fill you with all joy and peace in believing, so that you may abound in hope by the power of the Holy Spirit.” (Romans 15:13). Praise and Worship, John’s talks, and group discussion are included in this 13th annual the GIS experience. Please register ASAP by contacting Maria McManus untamedspirit@telus.net 1-250-707-1423. Cost \$25.00. For detailed information, [visit](#)

or contact Gladys: 250-442-8589

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IMMACULATE HEART OF MARY—JUNE 12

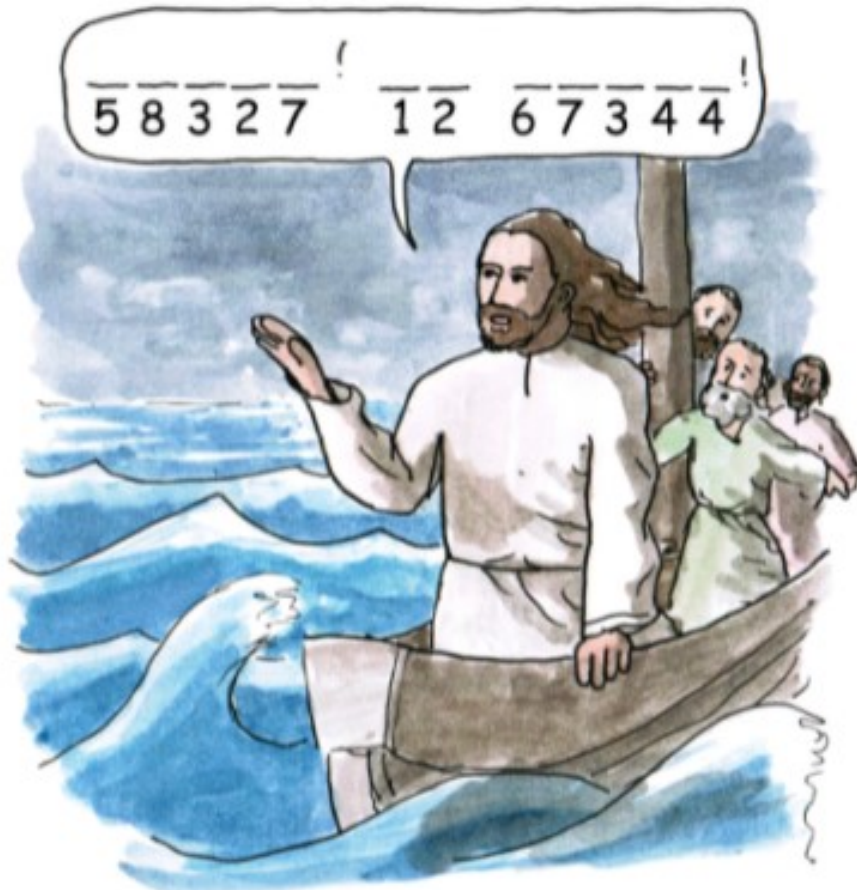


Immaculate Heart of Mary, pray for us! My queen and my mother, I give myself entirely to you. Since I am your own, keep me and guard me as your property and possession.

Amen

The Kids' Bulletin

12th Sunday in Ordinary Time
June 20th, 2021



In today's Gospel reading Jesus fell asleep in the boat with the apostles when a big storm came up. The apostles were frightened and woke Him. Jesus stood up and said something and the storm and the sea obeyed Him.

What did he say? Use the code to find out!

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1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8

PARISH ORGANIZATIONS

CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE

Meet second Tuesday of the month at 9:30 am
 Contact: Diane Cey 250-868-9636
 Membership inquiries: . . . Betty Ann Richard
bettyannrichard@gmail.com

DEVELOPMENT AND PEACE

FR. PANDOSY 4TH DEGREE ASSEMBLY—Knights of Columbus
 Meet third Sundays of the month at 2:00 pm
 Inquiries Gino Servedio. 250-764-3182

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS www.stcharleskoc.com

Meet second Thursday of the month at 7:30 pm.
 Grand Knight: Jarrod Stocker. 250-861-4845
 Email: paul.king33@shaw.ca

- ST. PEREGRINE PRAYER CIRCLE *(An Apostolate of The Little Flowers of Saint Francis Fraternity of the Secular Franciscan Order).*

St. Peregrine is recognized as the Patron Saint of Cancer Patients and Other illnesses.
 St. Peregrine's Feast Day is celebrated on May 4. If you have friends/family members with cancer or other illnesses we will add them to our list and pray for them & their family daily. We meet once a month and pray together.
 All are welcome to join us. Also, once a month we offer Mass Intentions for the St. Peregrine prayer list.

Contact :Christine Reeves, OFS. 250-575-2043 E-mail: breevesac@shaw.ca

SECULAR FRANCISCAN ORDER - "The Little Flowers of St. Francis Fraternity" will be returning to St. Charles when we re-open.

SOCIETY OF ST. VINCENT de PAUL. 250-860-2536

Meet second and fourth Wednesdays at 9:00 am

FIRST SUNDAY OF EACH MONTH—SSVP DONATIONS

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MINISTRY COORDINATORS

If you wish to become involved contact the Parish Office 250-860-6776
 Altar Servers Rod Attwell 250-212-3990
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OUR CHURCH IS A **SCENT-FREE ZONE!**

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?

- | | |
|--|---------------------------------|
| <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 |

You may also register on-line @

www.stcharlesgarnier.ca where you can

*sign up for the bulletin to be **emailed to you each week.***

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.