



# ST. CHARLES GARNIER PARISH

November 15, 2020

## Thirty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time.

You have been trustworthy in a few things.

I will put you in charge of many things.

Matthew 25



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### PASTOR'S MESSAGE

Book of the Living / Book of Remembrance!

This expression 'Book of Life' comes from Psalm 69:28 and the names of the just/virtuous are written in this book. Psalm 139:16 explains, "You had scrutinized every action and all were recorded in your book"

Christianity and Judaism consider the Book of Life as a Heavenly Record, in which God records the Names of every person who is destined for Heaven. "Those who prove victorious will be dressed in white robes. Their names will not be blot out from the Book of Life, but will be remembered in the Presence of my Father & Angels"(Rev3:5) Luke 10:20 encourages the believers, 'to rejoice because your names are written in Heaven'.

The opposite of the Book of Life is the Book of the Dead. "Those who do not enter into the Book of Life will go into this Book, because they worship the beast/dragon (Rev13:8) and will be thrown into the Lake of Fire" (Rev 20:15)

The Babylonians celebrated every year, 'Annual Judgement Day' and the King would judge those who were to be rewarded or punished according to their merits and demerits. From this tradition probably we would have evolved this concept of 'Human Destiny'. Therefore we are reminded by the Church of our duty while we live on this earthly planet, "Do Good to others and don't harm anyone". (Mt 25: 31-46)

Let us not panic about the Final Days of our life/ Judgement of God. Let us try our best to live our lives on the solid foundations of Christ's ideals & value systems.

### WEEKLY MASS INTENTIONS

Mon	Nov 16	8:30am	Int. Emily Buhman
Tue	Nov 17	8:30am	✠ Joe & Jack Finegan
Wed	Nov 18	8:30am	Int. Fr. Jack
Thu	Nov 19	8:30am	✠ Cornelius & Carolina Pyne
Fri	Nov 20	8:30am	✠ Ercole Juliano
Sat	Nov 21	5:00pm	✠ Mark Knorr
Sun	Nov 22	8:30am	Int. Emily Buhman
		10:30am	✠ Mr. & Mrs. F. Kuhn
		7:00pm	Parishioners of St. Charles Garnier

### NEXT WEEK'S READINGS:

1st Reading: Ezekiel 34:11-12,15-17  
 2nd Reading: 1 Corinthians 15:20-26, 28  
 Gospel: Matthew 25:31-46

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These principles are the stepping stones to merit an Entry into the Book of Life. Paul in Romans 3;5 affirms, 'Once our names are written in the Book of Life, will not be erased'. Therefore have hope and look forward to a pleasant company with Jesus and all the saints in glory.

Affectionately in Jesus,  
Gabriel.C.

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## FORMED

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### MARY OF NAZARETH

This film vividly captures Mary's profound faith and trust in God amidst the great mysteries that she lived as the Mother of the Messiah, as well as her compassion and concern for others and the deep love that she and Jesus shared for one another.

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[nicolehorsman@telus.net](mailto:nicolehorsman@telus.net)

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## CATHOLIC MOUNTAIN STAR

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Article submission deadline for 2020 Christmas issue is on Wednesday, December 2nd. Please limit articles to 600 words (fit one page of 8 ½" x 11" paper) using size 11 font. News articles for parish or caption information limit to 1 or 2 sentences. Please email all submissions to: [catholicmstar@gmail.com](mailto:catholicmstar@gmail.com)

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## SSVP

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At the conclusion of the Extraordinary Jubilee of Mercy, on November 20, 2016, in his apostolic letter, entitled Mercy and peace (Misericordia et misera), Pope Francis invited us to celebrate the **World Day of the Poor** on the 33rd Sunday in Ordinary Time. This year, we celebrate that special day on November 15th. According to the Canadian government, one million, nine hundred thousand Canadian families struggle every day to make ends meet – and that was before the COVID-19 crisis came on us.

It is just a few weeks before we celebrate what promises to be a Christmas like none of us have experienced – celebrated while separated from friends and family and shrouded by concern about an uncertain future. The uncertainty we all feel is magnified for the marginalized we serve for whom uncertainty is a normal condition. We must do more than usual to help the least fortunate among us. For more than 170 years, thanks to your generosity, the Society of Saint Vincent de Paul has been distributing Christmas hampers or organizing community meals. Such gestures of compassionate solidarity help less fortunate people to emerge from isolation, and allow them to experience wonderful moments of joy. Not only do we give food, we interact with them on an equal basis as our friends avoiding judgement and always serving with love, respect, justice and joy.

All monetary donations toward our Christmas Hamper will be gratefully accepted. Send a cheque to the church office, place in the offertory basket or SSVP Christmas display basket or contribute online at:

<https://www.canadahelps.org/en/charities/society-of-st-vincent-de-paul-st-charles-garnier-conference/>

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## IRHS

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### Immaculata 60th Anniversary Legacy Project

Immaculata Regional High School has set the fundraising goal of \$22,000 for much needed upgrades to our Learning Commons (Library) resources, book collection, and furnishings. We invite all alumni and parishioners to learn more about this campaign and consider making a donation. Your contribution will be appreciated by staff and students for years to come. Thank you for your ongoing support and prayers. <https://conta.cc/37qnBo1>

## Roman Catholic Diocese of

### Nelson website:

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

Holy Sacrifice of the Mass & Devotions

Live stream click here:

<http://springfieldfuneralhome.ca/mass/>

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### DEVELOPMENT & PEACE

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#### Greetings in the Lord!

I do not wish to saddle the parishes with another collection this fall, but Development and Peace are looking for donations to make up for the 2020 Lenten collection, which was hindered by the corona virus. Their fall campaign is called "Recovering Together." In order to support Development and Peace, which has had great support from the diocese in the past, please encourage your parishioners, if they can, to donate on or before the weekend of November 14/15.

Envelope users should already have an envelope for this collection if they haven't used it yet. Others who donate should mark their donations "D&P." This link:

<https://www.devp.org/en/education/fall2020/materials>

provides parish resources for this campaign.

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### RACHEL'S VINEYARD

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"I realized on the Rachel's Vineyard™ Retreat that God was calling me back to Him and He always has been- but now I just feel free to turn and run to Him  
-Retreat Testimonial

Come on a Rachel's Vineyard™ Retreat with us and listen carefully for Him calling your name as He opens wide His arms inviting you into His embrace. He is waiting for you. Will you allow Him to heal your heart?

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[info@rachelsvineyardkelowna.com](mailto:info@rachelsvineyardkelowna.com)  
250-762-2273

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### ANNOUNCEMENTS

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Please note mask are now mandatory.

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### MOVIE NIGHT

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**Next movie with:** Fr. Ron Dechant, OMI

"A Wolf in Sheep's Clothing in II The Gender Agenda"

**When:** November 16

**Where:** St. Charles Garnier Hall.

**Time:** @ 7:00 pm.

Covid-19 Protocols.—Limited space available.

**Please sign up at the entrance.**

Today's society seems more confused than ever about gender and sexuality. Marriage and family are under attack, undermining centuries of Christian civilization and respect for God's law. This powerful documentary sheds light on the philosophical and historical causes, and identifies how socialist and communist ideologues rebranded themselves as liberals and progressives to push a leftist agenda. These "wolves in sheep's clothing" would reorder our traditional Biblical understanding of nature, marriage and family, unless we expose them for what they are. 1 disc / 2 hrs. (CC)

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### CHRISTMAS TREES NEEDED

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To help ensure a visible reminder of our Saviour's birth during the Advent and Christmas seasons, the Knights of Columbus councils of Kelowna and W. Kelowna are teaming up with the City of Kelowna to erect the Nativity Scene at Kerry Park (near the Sails on Bernard Ave) on Saturday, November 28. We need Christmas trees for the display. If you have any contacts who may be able to donate Christmas trees (culls are fine!) for this project, please contact Paul S. from the St. Charles Knights of Columbus by Nov. 16 at: [pjaas@gmail.com](mailto:pjaas@gmail.com) Thank you!



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### CARDS 4 KIDS

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**We've missed you!** It is now time for our Christmas order. Order sheets can be found online at [www.stjosephkelowna.ca](http://www.stjosephkelowna.ca). Once you get to our website, the order form can be found by going to "Our School" and clicking on the Cards 4 Kids tab. All Christmas orders must be returned to St Joseph School, St Charles Garnier Office or emailed to [cards4kidsstjoes@gmail.com](mailto:cards4kidsstjoes@gmail.com) by November 18. Weekly order forms can also be found on our website. If you have any questions please contact Christine at 778-788-8483. Thanks so much for supporting Cards 4 Kids!

## CHRISTMAS AND NEW YEARS SCHEDULE

### December 24th, 2020 Thursday

First Mass 3:00 PM

Second Mass 5:00 PM

Third Mass 8:00 PM

### Christmas Day Mass

December 25th, 2020 (Friday) 10:00 AM

December 26th, 2020 (Saturday) 5:00 PM

December 27th, 2020 (Sunday) 8:30 AM

10:30 AM & 7:00 PM

### New Year's Eve

December 31, 2020 (Thursday) 5:00 PM

### New Year's Day

January 1, 2021 (Friday) 10:30 AM

Registration will be on-line

## CWL NEWS



### REMINDER- 2021 MEMBERSHIP DUES

Membership dues of \$30 for 2021 are due by Dec. 1, 2020. You may pay your membership by:

1. Placing your cheque or cash in an envelope to deposit in the "Donation" box in the church during all weekend Masses (please identify with your name and CWL dues on the envelope);
  2. Leaving it with Carmen at the church office; or
  3. e-transfer from your online bank account to Betty Ann Richard at [bettyannrichard@gmail.com](mailto:bettyannrichard@gmail.com)
- Thank you for your attention to this.

Pashmina shawls are again available in blue, cream and now black.

Please contact Ana Kraljevic by email to order at: [kraljevic.ana@gmail.com](mailto:kraljevic.ana@gmail.com)

## ACT OF SPIRITUAL COMMUNION (PRAYER)

"My Jesus, I believe that you are in the Blessed Sacrament. I love you above all things, and long for you in my Soul. Since I cannot now receive you Sacramentally, come at last Spiritually into my Heart. As though you have already come, I embrace you and unite myself entirely to you; never permit me to be separated from you". Amen.

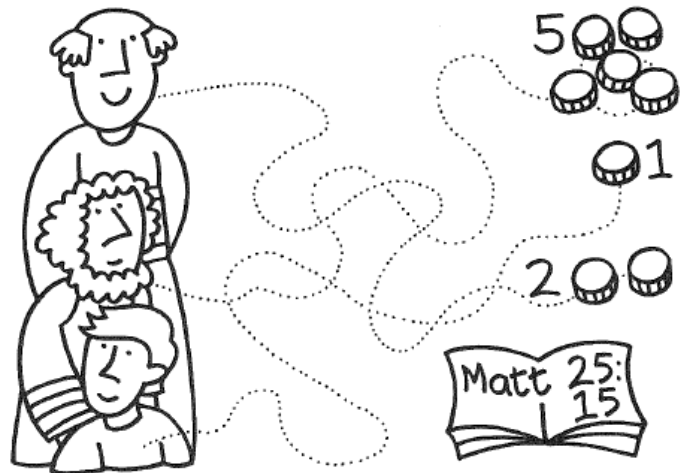
## Thirty Third Sunday of Year (A)

Matthew 25:11-30

Gifts from  
GOD

A man was going on a long journey. He gave some money to each of his servants.

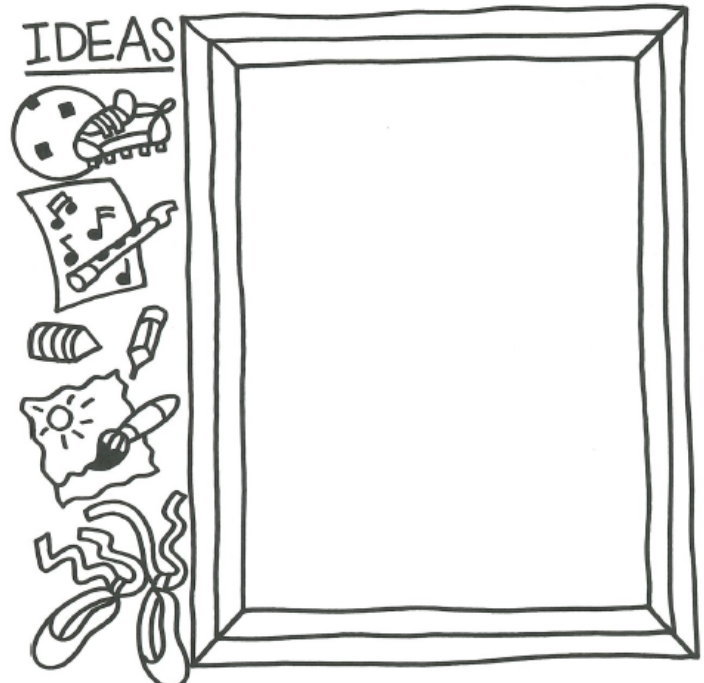
Trace the lines to find out how much money each servant was given



Colour the pictures...

God give us gifts to use and make them grow!

Everyone is good at something! What are you good at?  
Draw a picture of yourself using your gift from God.



## 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](http://www.stcharleskoc.com)

Meet second Thursday of the month at 7:30 pm.  
 Grand Knight: . . . . . Paul King . . . . . 250-868-1311  
 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 Fraterni-  
 ty"* will be moving their Gatherings (and meetings) to ICC beginning  
 September 15, 2019

### 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

### SSVP DONATIONS -VEHICLE, RV & TRAILER-

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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  
 Children's Liturgy . . . . . Allison Knitting . . . . . 778-477-3790  
 Eucharistic Ministers . . . . . Dave Crane . . . . . 250-861-4085  
 Hospital Visitation & Eucharist. . . . . Ethel Robidoux . . . . . 250-860-2101  
 Catholic Moms Connect Group . . . . . Lindsay Rowe . . . . . 778-478-1133  
 Music . . . . . JoAnn Young . . . . . 250-764-0485  
 Readers . . . . . Kathleen Baldwin . . . . . 250-860-4098  
 Sacristans . . . . . Brenda Korby . . . . . 250-859-0840  
 Safe Environment Coordinator . . . . . Jeremy Orr - jeremy@digitcontracting.ca  
 Ushers . . . . . George Jarrouj 10:30 mass  
 Campus Ministry (Kelowna Catholic Collective) email: ubco.focus@gmail.com

## CONTACT NUMBERS

**CANADIAN FOOD FOR CHILDREN.** . . . Martha Calderer . . . . 236-420-1970  
**CLUBHOUSE DAYCARE** . . . . . 250-860-4393  
**CREIGHTON MODEL FERTILITY CARE** . . . . . 250-491-1088  
**CURSILLO** . . . . . John Schlosser. . . . . 250-764-7007  
**DIOCESE OF NELSON—Catholic Pastoral Centre** . . . . . 250-448-2725  
**ELIZABETH SETON HOUSE OF PRAYER** . . . . . 250-764-4333  
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**GRIEF TO GRACE** . . . . . www.GriefftoGrace.org . . . . . 250-878-7603  
**KELOWNA RIGHT TO LIFE** . . . kelownarighttolife@telus.net . . . 250-862-8202  
**OZANAM HOUSE** . . . . . hope@ozanamhouse.com . . . . . 250-762-4673(HOPE)  
**PREGNANCY CARE CENTRE** . . . . . 250-763-2112  
**RACHEL'S VINEYARD** . . . . . info@rachelvineyardkelowna.com . . . 250-762-2273  
**REACH OUT YOUTH COUNSELLING & FAMILY SERVICES** 250-763-7892

**Please remember:**

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?

- |  |                                 |
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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  |

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](http://www.stcharlesgarnier.ca) where you can

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