St. Charles Garnier Parish

November 20, 2022

Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe. Jesus, remember me when you come into your kingdom . Luke 23

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WEEKLY MASS INTENTIONS				
Mon	Nov 21	8:30am	🕆 Helen Terhljan	
Tue	Nov 22	8:30am	🕆 Yok Therens	
Wed	Nov 23	8:30am	Int. Craig Therens	
Thu	Nov 24	8:30am	Int. Payton Family	
Fri	Nov 25	8:30am	Peter Purves	
Sat	Nov 26	5:00pm	🕆 Ivan Mlikotic	
Sun	Nov 27	8:30am	Parishioners of SCG	
		10:30	Int. Natali Suraci	

Next Week's Readings			
1	lsaiah —	2:1-5	
2	Romans —	13:11-14	
Gospel	Matthew—	24:37-44	



PASTOR'S MESSAGE

Solemnity of Christ the King!"

"Are you the King of the Jews?" (Jn 18:33) Pilate inquired of Christ. When the Magi arrived in Jerusalem from the East asked King Herod, "Where is the infant King of the Jews?". (Mt 2:2) Apostle John Wrote in his gospel 3:17 " God sent his Son into the World not to condemn it, but through him the world might be saved". The purpose of Christ's coming into the World is to set an example of leadership and guide the world & its people to live harmoniously in fraternal charity. The historical Kings & Queens have become a thing of the past and now we have Elected officials who are invested with the authority of governing their countries and their people. But oftentimes they seem to be corrupt due to excessive power & wealth. They derail quickly from their promises in order to make themselves important. The Servant Leadership has given way to a Military type of leadership paving the way to anarchy. Therefore, moderners do not like either the rule of the Kings & Queens of the past, or the modern elected Political Leaders like the Presidents and Prime Ministers of the Nations.

Pope Pius XI established 'The Feast of Christ the King' to give the World a Role Model of Leadership after WW I. The 2nd Book of Samuel explains the vision of God when He opted David, (the shepherd boy from Bethlehem) to become the King of Israel. God's concern was not solely to appoint the strongest male warrior to rule over his subjects. Rather, God sought first a "Shepherd, for His People". God praised King David saying, 'a shepherd after my own heart'. (). Jesus rejected all domination. He served as a very example of service to the less

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fortunate, excluded and alienated. Jesus gave a great role model of leadership.

Jesus established a Kingdom of "Peace, Justice & Love" (Rm 14:17) He never thought about Military power, violence and weapons of mass destruction like the 'atom bomb or nuclear missiles and warheads'. But all the while, he spoke about 'mercy of God and compassion' to forgive and with empathy & to accept the offender. He made a difference in leadership qualities and was considered to be the Real Role Model for the Modern World Leaders'. It's no wonder Christians worship Christ as their 'Lord & King' on this day. He is the 'King of the Universe because He is the Good Shepherd'.

Jesus was born in a rural setting, but he was not a tribal leader. His principles and value systems were explained in the Gospel of Mathew 5:1-12. Even today his principles are highly valued and accepted by the citizens of the World. So, he is a global personality and indeed a 'Vibrant Global Leader'. He led people by example. He was willing to relent, tolerate, forgive and accept without any prejudice. He accepted everyone as they are and with unconditional love, he connected with all, especially the 'anawim' the little ones. He met people at their crossroads. He did not wait for them to come to him rather he went after them searching. In the words of Pope Francis, "He went to the Peripheries Searching".

He had a great Team of Disciples with varied mindsets, but united for a single purpose, "To give expression to the kingdom of God", through love and service. All these men are stalwarts. Even after 2000 years, we remember them for their nobility of heart and simplicity of spirit. They were willing to die on behalf of Jesus, their master for his principles and values. Today we imitate Jesus' Leadership imploring Him to inspire & motivate our World Leaders to live their sacred call to the best of their ability manifesting their goodwill. May Christ the King Bless all our Civic & Religious Leaders!

All the best. Affectionately in Christ! Gabriel



1. Women Ministry Group Inauguration is on Monday, 21st November 2022, from 7:00 – 9:00 PM at St. Charles Garnier Parish with Eucharistic Adoration and Confessions. All are cordially Invited! Interested people may talk to Joelle Schmidt.

2. Christmas Decorations Lights are needed for the outdoors of our Church. If anyone is able to spare their unused Christmas lights that are in good condition, please bring them to the office.

3. Nelson Diocesan Priests are having a Study Session with Bishop Gregory between 21st & 26th November 2022. We will have the Morning Mass at 8:30 AM. No other Church services will be available at this time. Parish Office will be open for your assistance. Contact Carmen for your needs.

4. Our Advent Reconciliation Service is on Tuesday, December 13th 2022 at 6:30 PM. Everyone is invited to participate. Several Priests will be assisting with the Sacrament of Reconciliation.

LITTLE FLOWERS OF ST. FRANCIS



Men and women who wish to deepen their Catholic faith in the charism of St. Francis of Assisi are welcome to explore the vocation of the Secular Franciscan Order. Secular Franciscans are an Order within the Ro-

man Catholic Church.

The Little Flowers of St. Francis Fraternity gathers monthly for prayer, formation, and fellowship. For more information, contact:

Sandy Kavanagh at: 250-212-3596.

SCG—Guide to Giving 2022					
November	6	13	20	27	Total
Monthly Parish Collection Budget	6,680	6,680	6,680	6,680	33,400
Monthly automatic bank donations received (SAG)					
Sunday Cash/Cheque Collection	8,097	3,702			
E-transfers received					
Monthly total to date	8,097	11,799			

Roman Catholic Diocese of

Nelson website:

https://www.nelsondiocese.org/

Holy Sacrifice of the Mass & Devotions

Live stream click here

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News and Announcements from Diocese of Nelson please click <u>here</u>.



For Canadian Conference of Catholic Bishops website click here.

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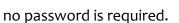




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etransfer.SCGK@nelsondiocese.org



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Pilgrimage of Faith donations can be made via etransfer to: etransfer.pof@nelsondiocese.org

or online via Canada Helps at:

https://www.canadahelps.org/en/dn/24360 Alternatively, you could complete a pledge card, and return it along with a cheque/cash by collection or to the parish. OR Code:



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Holy Sacrifice of the Mass is being

live-streamed Sunday 8:30

Livestream click here

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"After an abortion, a person tries to put the pieces of their life together again, which is like a shattered mirror. With healing, Jesus gives you a new mirror where you can reflect His mercy, love, and grace. "

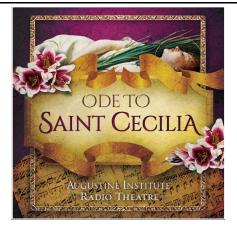
Sister Patricia Marie Barnette, RGS, LPC A shattered mirror. That may be exactly what your life feels like as you ponder what has happened. Join us on a Rachel's Vineyard Retreat[™] and allow God to make you whole again. Why wait any longer?

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Immaculata Fine Arts Night featuring drama, music, and art work. Immaculata High School gym Tuesday, December 6, 2022 6:30-8:30pm Admission by donation Wine/Appetizers and 50/50 draw Silent auction of artwork

DATE	ТІМЕ	EVENT
Saturday, November 19	1:00 pm	Ushers Meeting—Church Hall
Sunday, November 20 8:30 am Mass		Mass
	10:30 am	Mass—Children's Liturgy
	2:00 pm	K of C—4th Degree
Monday, November 21	1:00 pm—4:00 pm	Card Social
	7:00 pm—9:00 pm	Women's Ministry
Wednesday, November 23	9:15 am	SSVP
	9:30 am	Catholic Mom's Connect
	4:00 pm	Catechism—1st Communion Class
Thursday, November 24 10:00 am Bil		Bible Study

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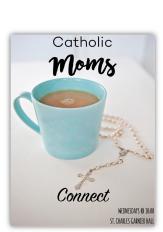


The Society of St Vincent de Paul has launched the annual Christmas Hamper campaign. Like last year, we will be delivering a 'gift card hamper' and gifts for children to households that we have helped throughout the year.

We thank you in advance for taking a donation envelope from the foyer and returning it anytime to the office or to one of the Vincentians at mass. Or donate online by accessing the Canada Helps donating website and choosing the Christmas campaign.

www.canadahelps.org/en/charities/society-of-stvincent-de-paul-st-charles-garnier-conference/

CATHOLIC MOMS GROUP

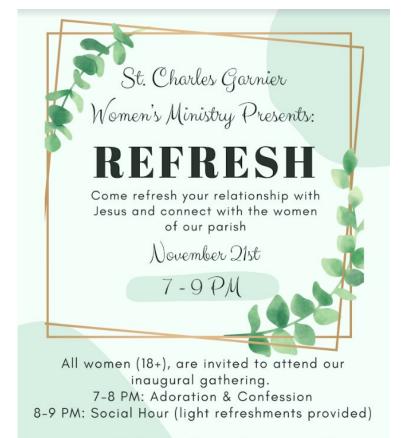


Catholic Moms Connect is back! Wednesday mornings @ 9:30 St. Charles Garnier Hall Childcare provided!

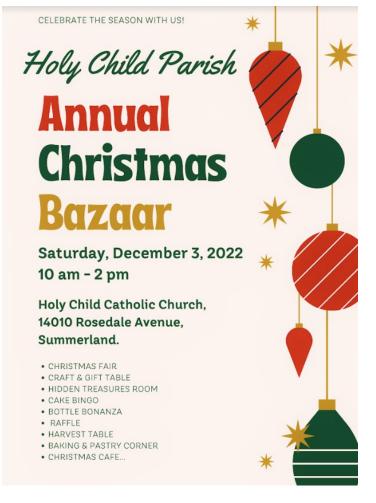
Contact Abbey Ackerman for more information: 250-899-4384 or <u>aerackerman@gmail.com</u>

WOMEN'S MINISTRY

Mark your calendar ! Our Women's Ministry will meet with a new event on the 3rd Wednesday of each month.



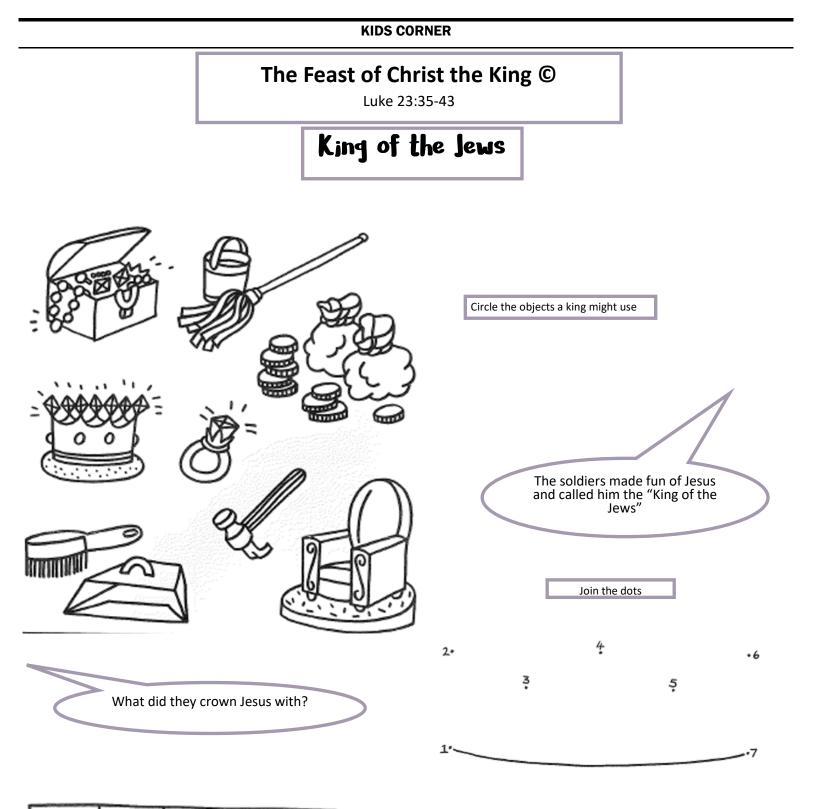
Please RSVP to Joelle to allow us to order refreshments. joelleandkevinschmidt@gmail.com, 250-470-8901 (text or call).

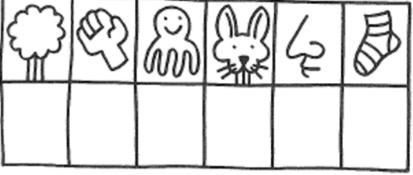


You are invited for Christmas & New Year Celebration St. Charles Garnier Parish 3645 Benvoulin Road, V1W 4M7 Kelowna, BC Christmas Eve: Saturday December 24, 2022 4:30 pm—Christmas Vigil Mass 8:30 pm—Christmas Night Mass Christmas Day: Sunday 25th, 2022 8:30 am Morning Mass 10:30 am Morning Mass New Year's Masses: Saturday, December 31st, 2022 5:00 pm—New Year Eve Mass Sunday, 1st January 2023 8:30 am Morning Mass 10:30 am Morning Mass Picture by: Rhaelyn A. Giray-Chalice-SCG-Sponsor child

PILGRIMAGE OF FAITH







Write the first letter of each picture in the box

PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL



Pastor—Fr. Gabriel Chair—Bernie Schneider Liturgy—JoAnn Young Financial—Kevin Schmidt Maintenance—Don Korby SSVP—Arnie Schneider K of C—Duncan Boyczuk CWL—Deborah Cloutier Outreach—Stephen Horsman

PARISH ORGANIZATIONS

CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE

St. Peregrine Prayer Circle (An Apostolate of The Little Flowers of Saint Franciss Fraternity of the Secular Franciscan Order).

If you have friends/family members with serious illnesses we will add them to our list and pray for them & their family daily. We meet once a month and pray together. Contact: Christine Reeves, OFS. 250-575-2043 E-mail: <u>cbreevesac@shaw.ca</u>

SECULAR FRANCISCAN ORDER - "The Little Flowers of St. Francis Fraternity" Meeting the 2nd Sunday of the month @ St. Charles Garnier Parish Hall. Contact Sandy: 250-212-3596.

FIRST SUNDAY OF EACH MONTH—SSVP DONATIONS SSVP DONATIONS-VEHICLE, RV & TRAILER- KEITH :250-300-1062

MINISTRY COORDINATORS

If you wish to become involved contact the Children's Liturgy Eucharistic Ministers Catholic Moms Connect Group . Music Readers. Sacristans Safe Environment Coordinator Ushers Pilgrimage of Faith	Allison Knittig 77 Dave Crane	78-477-3790 50-861-4085 50-899-4384 50-317-8965 50-861-4085 50-859-0840 contracting.ca 50-764-3182 gmail.com
	Rhonda Sali - <u>rhondasali@g</u> .Karen Krout— <u>karenjkrout(</u> Ethel Robidoux 25	gmail.com @gmail.com 50-860-2101

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GRIEF TO GRACE
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OZANAM HOUSE manager@ozanamhouse.com 250-762-4673
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REACH OUT YOUTH COUNSELLING & FAMILY SERVICES 250-763-7892
reachoutokanagan@gmail.com

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