

February 11, 2018 6th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Jesus touched the man with leprosy and he was cured.



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WEEKLY MASS INTENTIONS

Monday	Feb. 12	8:30 am	ণ Joseph Cormier
Tuesday	Feb. 13	8:30 am	ੀ Evelyn Lorenz
Ash Wednesday	Feb. 14	8:30 am	௴ Ted Humphries
		5:30 pm	
Thursday	Feb. 15	8:30 am	Int. Johnston family
Friday	Feb. 16	8:30 am	Int. Rosalie Blais
Saturday	Feb. 17	5:00 pm	ជិ Antonio Delgizo
Sunday	Feb. 18	8:30 am	௴ Norma Tissington
		10:30 am	ੳ Peter Huska
		7:00 pm	Parishioners of St. Charles Garnier

NEXT WEEK'S READINGS:

1st Reading: Genesis 9:8-15 2nd Reading 1 Peter 3:18-22 Gospel: Mark 1:12-15

GUIDE TO GIVING 2018 YTD 2017 YTD

Collections \$ 41,571 \$ 40,909

OUR PILGRIMAGE OF FAITH

Parish Diocesan Goal Donations & Pledges Received

\$ 84,250 \$ 84,878

PASTOR'S MESSAGE

Lent begins this Wednesday. Ashes will be distributed at both the 8:30 morning mass and the 5:30 evening Mass. Parishioners are reminded that Ash Wednesday is both a day of fasting and of abstinence. Abstinence from meat applies to any person 14 years or older. The obligation to fast, restricting yourself to only one meal, applies to all those between the ages of 18 and 60. Fasting does not apply to those who may be adversely affected due to a medical condition. Other forms of penance, including acts of charity or piety, may be substituted in place of this obligation.

During Lent the parish will host Stations of the Cross on Friday evenings at 7:00 pm. Led by a different group each week, the Stations are a great way to turn one's heart back to the Lord and prepare oneself for the Easter Triduum.

Parishioners are encouraged to avail themselves of the Sacrament of Reconciliation during Lent. Fr. Bart will make himself available for half and hour prior and following the Stations of the Cross on Friday, Feb. 23rd, March 9th and March 16th. Our parish Lenten Penitential Service will be held on Tuesday, April 13th at 6:30 pm.

We would like to invite all of our parishioners to watch the four part series: "A Lent to Remember: A Lenten Encounter with Mercy." This resource is available through our parish's subscription to 'FORMED'. Please take a few minutes to make sure you register and download the app to your favourite device. We encourage families, friends and groups of all sorts to come together and view the four episodes together—so that you may be able to benefit from the insights of one another. For those who would like to meet up at the church, we will host group sessions on Monday, February 19th and 26th and March 5th and 12th at 9:15 in the Parish Hall.

Fraternally in Christ,

Fr. Bart van Roijen

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament after 8:30 am Mass every

First Friday of the month.

RECONCILIATION

BAPTISM—Baptisms take place during one of the weekend Masses. Baptism Preparation is required for the first child that is baptized in this parish. Please contact us a couple of months 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

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.

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 Immaculate Conception Church and Corpus Christi Parish Third Sunday of the Month Our Lady of Lourdes Parish KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS BREAKFASTS Second Sunday of the Month St. Pius X Parish Last Sunday of the Month St. Charles Garnier Parish

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.

Rita Smith

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Immaculata High		250-762-2730
St. Joseph Elementary		250-763-3371
Our Lady of Lourdes Eler	250-768-9008	
Kelowna Catholic Indepe	250-448-2725	
		or 250-762-2905
Fax: 1-866-964-3858	Website: www.kel	ownacatholic.org

St. Charles Garnier School Board Rep.

FORMED PICK OF THE WEEK

A Lent to Remember

A Lenten Encounter with Mercy

A Lent to Remember is a beautiful presentation of the transforming power of mercy in the Sacrament of Confession, using the Augustine Institute productions Symbolon and Forgiven. No matter what you have done, no matter how long you have been away, Jesus is waiting for you with open arms this Lent!

Watch on formed.org





"This presentation on forgiveness is about as good a lesson as any I have ever heard. The final lines closed the deal for me: 'One of the most powerful things that could happen to any of us is that moment when we know we do not deserve to be loved, and despite that, we are loved anyway."

-Mike M, Port Neches, TX





FORMED provides amazing content 24/7 for you to grow in your faith.

It's FREE and EASY to Register!

- · Visit stcharlesgarnier.formed.org with a web browser
- Click on Register
- Enter your email and create a password (you need this to login later)
- Go to STUDY and watch FORGIVEN Episode 1 to experience FORMED

If **FORMED** asks for a Parish Code—use: **XG97TF**. If you are still having difficulty logging in to FORMED please call Nicole Horsman @ 250-681-0091.

2017 INCOME TAX RECEIPTS

2017 Income Tax Receipts are available for pick up from the table in the foyer. If you have any questions regarding your receipt from the parish, please call Marilee in the Parish Office 250-860-6776. Tax receipts from The Society of St. Vincent de Paul are also included in your envelope.

Our Pilgrimage of Faith receipts will be mailed separately from the Pilgrimage of Faith office.

FUNERAL FOR FR. GEORGE PFLIGER

It is with sadness we report the passing of Fr. George Pfliger. Prayers will be held at St. Pius X Parish Thursday, February 15th @ 6:00 pm and Funeral service Friday, February 16th @ 11:00 am.

STATIONS OF THE CROSS DURING LENT

We are again encouraging groups to lead the Stations of the Cross on Fridays at 7:00 pm during Lent:

February 16 February 23 March 2 March 9

March 16

March 23

Catholic Women's League St. Peregrine Prayer Development & Peace



Please call the parish office to book your group's spot. 250-860-6776.

GRIEF TO GRACE

About Grief to Grace

Grief to Grace is a four to five day psychological and spiritual journey providing safety and support for anyone who has suffered degradation or violation through physical, emotional, or sexual abuse or neglect. It is appropriate for those who have endured rape, incest, or other forms or traumatic violation in childhood, adolescences, or as an adult. It is also suitable for those who have suffered abuse by a member of the clergy. This model of care provides therapy for the soul. The program is designed to help you experience the love and support of the suffering body of Christ as you journey through the Pascal mystery of your own life.

This effective healing process combines Living Scripture with journaling, group activity and discussion, therapeutic facilitation, cognitive restructuring and grief work. It is a pilgrimage to discover the love, tenderness, belonging, safety, joy and peace that are often missing from the stories of abuse victims.

Our next program will be held on April 19-22, 2018, at Seton House of Prayer.

To register or for further information:

Phone: 250-878-7603 email: g2gke-

lowna@shaw.ca

Website: www.GrieftoGrace.org



RETROUVAILLE

A Lifeline for Marriages:

Work on your relationship during a weekend at Barnabas Landing Retreat Centre, Keats Island

Retrouvaille helps married couples get back to a loving relationship, providing the tools you need to get your marriage back on track. You will rediscover each other and examine your lives together in a new and positive way. This program has helped thousands of couples rekindle romance, reaffirm their commitment, and stay married, regardless of how far apart they may have drifted. For confidential information or to register for the program at the beautiful Barnabas Landing on Keats Island on the weekend of April 13 - 15, 2018, call Marc and Candice at 604-530-6710, email

us vancouverbc@retrouvaille.org or visit our web-

site www.retrouvaillevancouver.com For more information about the venue, please visit www.barnabasfm.org

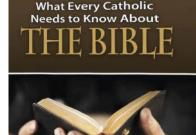
MOVIE NIGHT

Our next movie night with Fr. Ron Dechant, OMI will be on Monday, February 19, 2018 at **7:00 pm** in the hall.

What Every Catholic Needs to Know About The Bible Discover the Gospel truth about the Bible. Featuring Scott

Hahn, Michael Barber, Brant Pitre and Jesse Romero.

You'll be empowered to discover and share the "Gospel truth" about such important topics as the inspiration of Scripture, the formation of the Biblical canon, the crucial role of the Church's Tradition in Biblical interpretation, and the history of Biblical translations from the time of Christ to today. You'll also learn the truth about



. Scott Hahn, Dr. Brant Pitre,

the pervasive Protestant charges that the Catholic Church banned and burned the Bible; that the Church chained the Bible and kept it in a dead language in order to keep the Scriptures from the people.

YARN NEEDED—Looking for yarn donations, new/old/unused to make scarves and toques for the homeless. Contact: Theresa Versluys 250-765-1515 or drop yarn at Holy Spirit Church (1260 Neptune Rd) during the weekend mass.

ROOTED IN FAITH

Rooted in Faith – Praying for our Catholic Schools

Time change! Effective immediately, we meet at 12:15 on

Mondays in the chapel at Immaculata Regional High School.

Please join us - praying for our Catholic schools. The next few dates are January 29, February 5, 19 and 26.

VOCATION LIVE-IN

On the weekend of February 16-18, there will be a Vocation Live-In for boys or young men interested in the priesthood or the consecrated life, at the Seminary of Christ the King, Mission, BC. For more information call 604-826-8715.

Rachel's Corner

"God, you are my God, I pine for you; my heart thirsts for you, my body longs for you, as a land parched, dreary and waterless."

- Psalm 63:1

Come on a Rachel's Vineyard™ Retreat and discover the oasis of His love and mercy which will satisfy all your longings and thirst in a way no one else possibly can.

Healing after Abortion Ministry
250-762-2273, info@rachelsvineyardkelowna.com
www.RachelsVineyardKelowna.com
Like us on Facebook: Rachel's Vineyard Kelowna

REACH OUT YOUTH FUNDRAISING DINNER

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 26TH, @ 6PM OLYMPIA GREEK TAVERNA

Choose from 5 Delicious Dinners: Beef or Chicken Souvlaki, Greek Ribs, BBQ Salmon, & Spanakopita

*All meals served with rice, potatoes, salad, dessert, coffee, & tea

Tickets \$30 (in-advance only)

Available at Reach Out Youth Counselling and Family Services 1868 Ambrosi Road, or call to order your tickets: 250-763-7892

All proceeds support counselling and mental health services to youth and families in our community

READY, SET, LEARN!

Do you have a child entering Kindergarten this Fall? Would you like to know why St. Joseph Elementary is a great choice for your family?

Ready, Set, Learn! is a fun and positive way to introduce your child to St. Joseph Elementary School. New students and their families will have the opportunity to spend a few hours with our fantastic primary teachers, tour our beautiful new building, and discover why we consider our Kindergarten program the best in

Kelowna!

Come and join us from 9:00 am to 10:30 am on Wednesday, Feb.22nd at St. Joseph School.

Please RSVP to sjkoffice@cisnd.ca or 250-763-3371

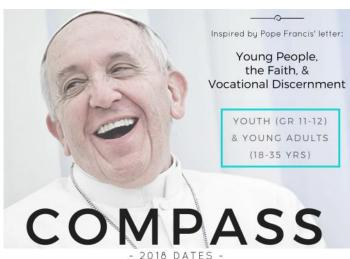
YOUNG ADULT COURSE

WORD ON FIRE! Course titled: "The Eucharist" takes a deeper look at the "source and summit" of our Faith, the Eucharist. Bishop Barron brings to light the Blessed Sacrament's reality as a sacred meal, the sacrifice necessary for communion with God and most importantly as a real presence with Christ. Dates: Course is 6 weeks running every Sunday starting Feb. 18th through March 25th from 7-8:45pm at Our Lady of Lourdes Church. Cost is \$20.00 which covers course material. NO space limitation. However, the books were pre-ordered and material is limited to the first 20 people who register.

Pre- register with Dan at 613-985-5911 or Vittoria at 250-801-9493 by January 28th.

MOVIE SCREENING

There will be a screening of Matt Smiley's 2015 documentary, which sheds light on the infamous **Highway of Tears** in Northern British Columbia. February 13, 2018 6-8 pm at UBC-O Campus, RHS 260. Admission by donation of warm winter clothing (jackets, gloves, socks, warm hats), unused make-up or monetary donation (\$2 minimum).



ADORATION & CONFESSION



BAPTISM

Baptized in our parish this weekend

Elena Mary Wood

daughter of Natalie (nee Wolfe) and James Wood



PEOPLE OF FAITH CHARISMATIC PRAYER GROUP

"I am the light of the world. Whoever follows me will never walk in darkness but will have the light of life." John 8:12

Come on out and join us as we gather to Praise and Worship our Awesome God who is worthy of all our Praise.

We meet on Tuesday evenings 7:00 pm. at St. Pius X Parish (please enter through side door)

We will not be meeting February 6th as we'll be attending a special evening with Fr. Tony, check bulletin for details. God Bless you all!

For more info please call Piera 250-215-7100.

SHARE LENT 2018—DEVELOPMENT & PEACE

Thanks to money donated annually by Catholics during Share Lent, Development and Peace can support 170 partners and 202 projects in 36 countries around the world! There are many ways to be part of Share Lent.

Use the Solidarity Calendar with your family. A copy will be included with the bulletin next weekend. You can make a do-

nation on Solidarity Sunday, which will take place on March 18. Or join your parish's Development and Peace committee. To find out more about Share Lent, please contact Christina Hidalgo at 250-872-9776.

Photo: Children outside of a school in northern Uganda. Credits: Tine Frank for Trócaire.



K OF C PRAYER SERVICE FOR FAMILIES



St. Charles Garnier Knights of Columbus Prayer Service. All K of C members and parishioners are invited to the Prayer service, Monday, February 12th at 7:00 pm. The Holy Family icon will be on display.

Celebrate Family Day by joining us to pray for families!

CAREER OPPORTUNITIES

The Catholic Independent Schools of the Nelson Diocese (CISND) invites applications at this time for the following positions effective immediately:

Immaculata Regional High School, Kelowna:

Certified Education Assistant

All CISND Schools - Teachers On Call

Positions available for the 2018-19 school year

Immaculata High School – French Teacher

St. Joseph, Kelowna - Learning Assistance Teacher

St. Joseph, Kelowna - Classroom Teacher, this is a maternity leave position

View the diocesan school website www.cisnd.ca for posting details, application documents and process.

ST. JOSEPH SCHOOL MASS FOR ASH WEDNESDAY

St. Joseph School Mass



When: Ash Wednesday, February 14th

Time: 9:15 am

Where: Immaculate Conception Church

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JOIN US FOR A FUN EVENING OF
SONGS AND STORIES WITH

Sean McCann of Great Big Sea

Sean McCann was a singer in the iconic Canadian band, Great Big Sea. As a high functioning alcoholic, although burdened with a dark past, he spent 35 years drinking heavily to numb his pain and avoid his truth. In 2013, he decided to leave the band and re-invent his life. He is now a solo artist and advocate for mental health and addiction recovery. His story is about becoming sober, leaving the band and making a difference in the world.

The Rotary Centre for the Arts – Mary Irwin Theatre Monday, March 5, 2018, - 7:30 pm Tickets are \$45.00 available online at

https://rotarycentreforthearts.com/event/songs-andstories-with-sean-mccann/

Ozanam Recovery House - www.recoverykelowna.ca
A registered, not-for-profit project of the Society of St.

Vincent de Paul. At Ozanam Recovery House, we work to establish the human connections that are the opposite of addiction. Our unique program combines stable, drug-free housing with psycho-social support, daily recovery programming, life skills opportunities and clinical counseling for those who need to address unresolved trauma, loss and grief. Over 500 men

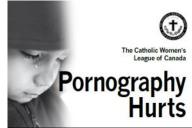
CWL NEWS

have benefited from the services at Ozanam Recovery House.

PORNOGRAPHY HURTS US ALL!

PLEASE HELP PROTECT OUR CHILDREN FROM SEXUAL EXPLOITATION The CWL will launch its annual Campaign against Child Pornography on February 10th and 11th. It is our hope that this campaign will increase your awareness on the evil that pornography has on our society. We encourage all concerned parishioners to take the time to sign the post cards and support this CWL initiative.

The postcards will be delivered to our local Member Of Parliament Stephen Fuhr, who will present them to the House Of Commons on your behalf.



The next **General Meeting** will take place on Tuesday the 13th @ 9:30.

Just a friendly reminder - Please renew your 2018 CWL Membership, you may drop your cheque in the collection basket. Fee remains at \$30. For more information please call our Membership convener, Benita Spencer@ 250-868-9608

PARISH ORGANIZATIONS BICYCLES FOR HUMANITY Keith Germaine 250-764-2942 **CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE** Meet second Tuesday of the month at 9:30 am Membership inquiries: . . . Benita Spencer 250-868-8608 **DEVELOPMENT AND PEACE** Christina Hidalgo 250-872-9776 FR. PANDOSY 4TH DEGREE ASSEMBLY—Knights of Columbus Meet third Sundays of the month at 2:30 pm KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS www.stcharleskoc.com Meet second Thursday of the month at 7:30 pm. Email: djanko@stcharleskoc.com Knights Breakfast after a.m. Masses last Sunday of each month, September to June **PRAYER TO ST. PEREGRINE** The Secular Franciscans are holding prayer sessions for those afflicted with cancer and other diseases on one Monday of each month. Contact Christine for dates and times. All are welcome. If you have friends or family members with cancer, add them to our list, as we pray daily for them. Christine — 250-768-5274 — email: cbreevesac@shaw.ca SECULAR FRANCISCAN ORDER - "The Little Flowers of St. Francis Fraternity" Meet second Sunday of the month at 12:30 pm in St. Charles Garnier Hall. Maria - 778-214-2705 **SOCIETY OF ST. VINCENT de PAUL.....** 250-860-2536

Meet second and fourth Wednesdays at 9:00 am

<u>First</u> Sunday of each month—SSVP donations

MINISTRY COORDINATORS

If you wish to become involved contact	t the Parish Offic	e 250-860-6776 or
Altar Servers		
Campus Ministry	email: ubco.foc	us@gmail.com
Children's Liturgy	children@stcha	ırlesgarnier.ca
Eucharistic Ministers	Dave Crane	250-861-4085
Hospital Visitation & Eucharist	Ethel Robidoux	250-860-2101
Moms & Tots Group	Lindsay Rowe	778-478-1133
Music	JoAnn Young	250-764-0485
Readers		
Sacristans	Flo Pasutto	250-764-8716
Safe Environment Coordinator	Bob Fortier	250-861-8709
	or email: frolics4	1@yahoo.ca
Security Patrol		
Ushers	Gino Servedio	250-764-3182

CONTACT NUMBERS

CANADIAN FOOD FOR CHILDREN Martha Calderer236-420-1970
CLUBHOUSE DAYCARE
CREIGHTON MODEL FERTILITY CARE250-491-1088
CURSILLO John Schlosser 250-764-7007
DIOCESE OF NELSON—Catholic Pastoral Centre
ELIZABETH SETON HOUSE OF PRAYER
FREEDOM'S DOOR freedomsdoor@shaw.ca250-717-0472
GRIEF TO GRACE www.GrieftoGrace.org 250-878-7603
KELOWNA RIGHT TO LIFE
OZANAM HOUSE hope@ozanamhouse.com 250-762-4673(HOPE)
PREGNANCY CARE CENTRE
RACHEL'S VINEYARD info@rachelsvineyardkelowna.com 250-762-2273
REACH OUT YOUTH COUNSELLING & FAMILY SERVICES 250-763-7892

Please remember:

OUR CHURCH IS A <u>SCENT-FREE ZONE!</u>

Avoid wearing perfume, after-shave or heavily scented personal care products



DEADLINE FOR SUBMITTING ITEMS TO BE INCLUDED IN THE BULLETIN IS THURSDAY NOON

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WELCOME NEW PARISHIONERS! Please complete this form and leave it in the collection basket or at the Parish Office.						
Name(s):		New Parishioner: \Box	Information Change:			
Address:	Postal Code:					
		Email:				
CHILDREN		Would you like to be contacted by one of our parish groups?				
Name(s)	D.O.B.— (yyyy/mm/dd)	 □ CWL □ Knights of Columbus □ St. Vincent de Paul □ R.C.I.A. □ Sacristan (Set up for Mass) 				
Would you like to pick up Sunday ledge in the foyer next week? The label will have your name on it, to tax receipt will be sent to you at the	Yes No the number identifies you and a	www.stcha	ou may also register on-line @ arlesgarnier.ca where you can be emailed to you each week.			