

ROMAN CATHOLIC PARISH OF ST. PIUS X

This Month's Missionary Intentions are for the Pastors.



That pastors of the Church, with profound love for their flocks, may accompany them and enliven their hope.

Pastors: Rev. Francis dela Cruz and

Rev. Sylvester Ibekwe

1346 Gordon Drive, Kelowna, BC

(Corner of Gordon Drive and Fuller Avenue)

NOVEMBER 15TH, 2015

33rd Sunday in Ordinary Time

Welcome all who are visiting with us today.

We are glad you took the time to come and join us in prayer. God bless you.

"They will see the Son of Man coming in clouds with great power and glory".

Mark 12

Sacramental Life

Sunday Mass Schedule

Saturday 5:00 pm, Sunday 9:00 am and 11:00 am

Daily Masses:

Tuesday Rosary 8:30 am
Mass 9:00 am at St Pius X Church

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1:30 pm at **Brandt's Creek Mews**

Thursday Rosary 8:30 am
9:00 am at St Pius X Church

Friday Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament
8:00 – 9:00 am
Mass 9:00 am at St Pius X Church

1st Friday 1:30 pm at **Sandalwood Care Home**

4th Tuesday 1:45 pm at **David Lloyd Jones Home**

4th Thursday 2:00 pm at **Northwood Retirement Resort**

Reconciliation

Saturday from 4:15 to 4:45 pm
By appointment.

Baptism

Contact the Pastor at least two months before your date for preparation and instruction.

Marriage

Contact the Pastor at least six months prior to your date for preparation and instruction.

Interested in Joining the Catholic Church?

Adults interested in full communion with the Catholic Church should contact Fr Francis at 250-762-2587.

Anointing of the Sick

If you are hospitalized, please be sure to identify yourself as a Catholic. Do not hesitate to notify the Pastor of shut-ins or hospitalized parishioners.

For emergencies, call 250-878-1502 at any hour.

ST PIUS X ORGANIZATIONS



Knights of Columbus

Meet the First Thursday of the month at 7:30 pm
Grand Knight Emmanuel Hagel 250-762-0376
Breakfast on the second Sunday of the month after both Masses



Catholic Women's League

Meets the second Tuesday of the month

- September to June after 9:00am Mass
- No meetings July and August

Membership:- Marcie Hlushko:- 250-717-1363



St Vincent de Paul

1st & 3rd Tuesday of the month at 7:00 pm
in the Fr Mulvihill Room

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Korean Catholic Community

Each Wednesday at 1:00 pm in the Fr Mulvihill Room
3rd & 4th Sunday in the Fr Martin Room at 12:30 pm

PARISH EVENTS

DATE	TIME	EVENT
Nov 15	1:00 pm	Korean Okanagan Catholic Community
Nov 21	1:00 pm	Knights of Columbus Second Degree
Nov 22	1:00 pm	Korean Okanagan Catholic Community
Nov 23	12:00 pm	Tourtierre Pies
Nov 24	Until 12:00 pm	Tourtierre Pies
Nov 25	Until 12:00 pm	Tourtierre Pies
Nov 25	7:00 pm	Parish Council Meeting
Nov 27	6:00 pm	Knights of Columbus Christmas Party
Dec 1	7:00 pm	St Vincent De Paul Meeting
Dec 12	12:00 pm	St Vincent De Paul Christmas Party
Dec 13	After Mass	Knights of Columbus Breakfast
Dec 20	1:00 pm	Korean Okanagan Catholic Community
Dec 27	1:00 pm	Korean Okanagan Catholic Community

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

November 16 – November 22

Monday: 1 Maccabees 1: 10-15, 41-43, 54-57, 62-64;
Luke 18: 35-43

Tuesday: 2 Maccabees 6: 18-31;
Luke 19: 1-10

Wednesday: 2 Maccabees 7: 1, 20-31;
Luke 19: 11-28

Thursday: 1 Maccabees 2: 15-29;
Luke 19: 41-44

Friday: 1 Maccabees 4: 36-37, 52-59;
Luke 19: 45-48

Saturday: 1 Maccabees 6: 1-13;
Luke 20: 27-40

Sunday: **Christ the King**
Daniel 7: 13-14;
Revelation 1: 5-8;
John 18: 33-37

STEWARDSHIP

Year to Date Collections

2015 YTD	2014 YTD
\$ 211,525	\$ 216,146

Year to Date Expenses

2015 YTD	2014 YTD
\$ 268,634	\$ 252,170

Our expenses starting in January 2015 include: each month \$3,610 is paid to the Diocese Office and each month \$5,323 is paid to the School Building fund. These are expenses designated by the Bishop.

We need your support!

**DEADLINE FOR SUBMITTING ITEMS TO BE INCLUDED IN THE BULLETIN IS THURSDAY NOON
ALL VERBAL ANNOUNCEMENTS MUST BE CLEARED BY THE OFFICE NO LATER THAN FRIDAY MORNING.**

ST PIUS X NEWS

IMPORTANT NOTICE

Please note that the Parish office hours will be 9:00 am to 12:00 noon until further notice. The office will be closed in the afternoon.

CHOIR FOR CHRISTMAS

We have exciting Christmas music to sing but we need more lyrical sopranos and male singers. If you enjoy singing for great liturgical celebrations, join us for practices Saturday mornings at 10:00 am.

Call Rosemary 778-478-2156 or Warren 778-754-0540.

ST PIUS X SAINT VINCENT DE PAUL

Nothing works without working together. At St. Pius X parish, the work of the Society of St. Vincent de Paul can only take place because of the spiritual and financial support of our fellow parishioners. This makes all things possible.

We do not thank you enough! You who are donors and who support us with your prayers and garden produce may not get to hear the earnest thank-you, but they are meant for you! In providing food for others, we often help put this food away into empty fridges and cupboards. More and more, as times get tough and costs increase, we help keep the lights and heat on and assist with rent. People avoid becoming homeless. It is that critical.

From July through October, we - that is to say "you" - provided contents for 78 hampers, we gave out \$2,310 in food vouchers and \$100 towards maintaining stable housing. More and more our Vincentian members are becoming informed of other resources in Kelowna so we can help those we visit to access services where they can address other pressing needs.

Always know that funds you provide find their way directly into homes of neighbours in need. These people tell us to thank you every time we go out.

Thank you! For your continued support.

CHRISTMAS SHOPPING

The St. Pius X Quilters invite everyone to their annual Christmas sale on Sunday, November 8th in the church hall. Come and enjoy a wonderful breakfast prepared by the Knights of Columbus and start your Christmas shopping early.

2015-2016 PILGRIMAGE OF FAITH APPEAL

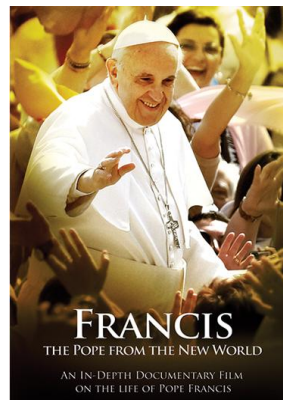
We have raised \$ 9,705 toward our Pilgrimage of Faith Appeal Goal. There are many challenges that face us today. The shortage of priests is one such challenge. The responsibility our parish has to help provide diocesan services and ministries such as support for vocations and the education of seminarians is an answer to that challenge.

ANNUAL CWL COOKIE SALE

Sale will be held on Sunday Dec 14th at the Knights of Columbus Breakfast. All ladies of the Parish are asked to bring 6 dozen cookies to the Parish hall on Thursday Dec 11th between 9:00 am and noon and then bring your friends on Sunday and do your Christmas cookie shopping. Cookies may be frozen if you wish to make them ahead of time. Proceeds will be going to the Bishop Fund for Life.

For more info please call: Rita Fairhurst 250-762-7346 or Jo Stewart 250-762-3990. Please bring a container to take your cookies home in.

REFUGEE SPONSORSHIP MOVIE FUNDRAISER



This documentary film from the Knights of Columbus unveils the personality, passion and extraordinary faith of Pope Francis. Filmed on location in Buenos Aires, and featuring interviews with close friends, collaborators, and his official biographer — this documentary traces the remarkable rise of Jorge Mario Bergoglio. From growing up surrounded by soccer games and tango music to his

defence of the poor and marginalized of Buenos Aires during his time as Archbishop, this film explores the abiding compassion and unwavering resolve of a priest, a bishop and now a Pope.

St. Pius X Refugee Sponsorship Committee will be showing the movie "Francis – the Pope from the New World" on Sunday, December 6th, at 2:00 pm. Bring the family to learn more about our Pope and help us raise funds for our soon to arrive refugee family. Entrance is by donation – popcorn and coffee/juice will be available.

What People are Saying:

"Anyone who wants a better understanding of Pope Francis would do well to start with this film.

Guzmán Carriquiry Lecour, Secretary, Pontifical Commission for Latin America

"This excellent documentary helps us see our new Pope more clearly."

Most Rev. José H. Gomez, Archbishop of Los Angeles

CALLING IN SICK

Negotiations between union members and their employer were at an impasse. The union denied that their workers were flagrantly abusing their contract's sick-leave provisions.

One morning at the bargaining table, the company's chief negotiator held aloft the morning edition of the newspaper, "This man," he announced, "called in sick yesterday!"

There on the sports page, was a photo of the supposedly ill employee, who had just won a local golf tournament with an excellent score.

The silence in the room was broken by a union negotiator. "Wow," he said. "Just think of what kind of score he could have had if he hadn't been sick!"

CHRISTMAS PARTY

St Pius X Knights of Columbus Christmas party is Nov 27th. Happy hour 5:30 – 6:30 pm, dinner/dance 6:30 pm. Tickets are \$25 each. Tickets available from the office or the breakfast.

TOURTIERE PIES

Our ladies are again making the famous Tourtiere pies. To order phone Jo Lauer at 250-763-7767. Orders will be taken until November 1st. Pickup dates are November 24th and 25th.

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FAITH ENRICHMENT

PEOPLE OF FAITH PRAYER GROUP

Let the morning bring me word of Your unfailing love, for I have put my trust in You. Psalm 143:8.

Come on out and join us as we Praise and Worship to our Awesome God together at St. Pius X Parish Tuesday evenings at 7:00 pm. For more info please call Piera at 250-762-6150.

FILIPINO COMMUNITY MASS

First Sunday of the month 5:30 pm at St Theresa's Parish.

POLISH ROSARY

First Friday of each month immediately after 5:15 pm mass in Immaculate Conception Church. Contact Grazyna Kuliga 250-861-6577 or Aleksandra Nowak 250-765-1826.

FIRST FRIDAY

Join us at ICC for devotions on the first Friday of each month. Holy Hour and Benediction 4:15 to 5:15 pm followed by Mass.

NEWS FROM AROUND THE DIOCESE

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS BREAKFAST MONTHLY SCHEDULE

September through June

First Sunday Of The Month ICC and St Theresa's Parishes	Second Sunday Of The Month St Pius X Parish
Third Sunday Of The Month Our Lady of Lourdes	Last Sunday Of The Month St Charles Garnier Parish

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS BREAKFASTS

LOLOL Knights invite all to attend their Breakfast **THIS** weekend (Nov 15th) after the Sunday masses.



St Charles Garnier Knights invite all to attend their Breakfast the **LAST** weekend (Nov 29th) after the Sunday masses.

Rachel's Corner

"The more you focus on your faults; it gives them more and more power and strength over you. Remember God already loves you before you even try to begin to do better."

-Joyce Meyer / Joyce Meyer Ministries

Come on a Rachel's Vineyard™ Retreat and be empowered by His abundant love as He heals your wounds.

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CLIMATE CHANGE IS AN ISSUE OF JUSTICE!



CANADIAN CATHOLIC ORGANIZATION FOR
**Development
and Peace**

The most poor and vulnerable in the Global South suffer the most from

the impacts of climate change, yet they are the ones who contribute the least to the carbon emissions that are warming the planet. Did you know that Canada has carbon emissions that are 150 times higher per capita than Ethiopia, one of the countries in the world that suffers the most from drought conditions exacerbated by climate change? Pope Francis reminds us of our responsibility to act in his encyclical Laudato Si:

"The pace of consumption, waste and environmental change has so stretched the planet's capacity that our contemporary lifestyle, unsustainable as it is, can only precipitate catastrophes, such as those which even now periodically occur in different areas of the world. The effects of this imbalance can only be reduced by our decisive action, here and now."

Take part in Development and Peace's campaign Create a Climate of Change to do your part! Learn more at devp.org/climateofchange.

PUBLIC NOTICE

The Kelowna Right to Life Society will be holding their Annual General Meeting on Monday, November 16th at ICC Parish Hall, 839 Sutherland Avenue beginning at 7:00 pm. All members are welcome to attend. If you don't have a current membership, you can purchase one at the door or pick up one beforehand by contacting our office. A 1-year membership is just \$10 for an individual or \$15 for a family.

This year's meeting will include 3 wonderful guest presenters. Danielle Judd from UBCO, Colleen Finlon from the Pregnancy Care Centre, and Pastor Greg Bitgood of the Kelowna Christian Centre will offer diverse and informative talks on local pro-life activism. You won't want to miss it! Contact us at 250-862-8202 or krtlolife@telus.net for more information.

A Retreat for Healing After Sexual Abuse

GRIEF TO GRACE



Applications are now being accepted for the next Grief to Grace program to be held in Kelowna Nov 19 to 22. Grief to Grace - Reclaiming the Gift of Human Dignity - is a spiritual journey for anyone who has suffered degradation or violation through sexual/psychological abuse, rape, incest, physical or emotional abuse and neglect or other forms of traumatic violation in childhood, adolescence, or as an adult. To register or for more information call 250-878-7603 or e-mail g2gkelowna@gmail.com or www.griefftoGrace.org.

OTHER NEWS

4th ANNUAL INTERNATIONAL CHRISTMAS SONGFEST

Back by popular demand! Sat, Dec 5th, 1:00 – 3:00 pm at St. Charles Garnier Church, 3645 Benvoulin Rd (beside Fr. Pandosy Mission), Kelowna. Come enjoy spiritual Christmas music, sung in different languages, performed by talented locals from Peachland to Winfield, including 2 priests. Our Yuletide Café will be open for seasonal goodies. Entrance by donation. All proceeds to World Youth Day 2016 in Kraków, Poland. Bring your family, friends & neighbours. Info: Christine at 250-768-0284.

MIDNIGHT UNDER THE STARS

New Year's Eve Dinner & Dance, Thursday, December 31st at Our Lady of Lourdes Parish Centre, 2547 Hebert Rd., West Kelowna. Only \$45 per ticket Doors open 6:00 pm, Dinner at 6:30 pm. Choice of: Crusted Chicken Breast "Italiano", Pork Tenderloin "Portuguese", or Fresh BC Salmon "Canadiana." Dance the night away to "Let's Dance DJ Services"! Midnight snack! Games & door prizes!

For tickets, call Christine at 250-768-0284. Everyone welcome! All profits go to OLOL World Youth Day pilgrims.

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 phyllis.giroux@nelsondiocese.org or 250—448-2725 ext 140. 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 9:00 am - 2:30 pm, Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday.

CANADIAN BLOOD SERVICES

Every 60 seconds, someone needs blood. When you donate, you give life. If you knew someone who needed help in order to live, would you help? If you are in good health and at least 17 years old, visit www.blood.ca to take Canadian Blood Services' eligibility quiz to find out if you can donate. If you are eligible, you can book your appointment online with the GiveBlood app or visit our blood donor clinic located at 1865 Dilworth Dr. in Kelowna. If your church wishes to organize a group blood donation with a free shuttle service, e-mail tobias.keogh@blood.ca. It's in you to give!

VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITY

The Catholic Pastoral Center is looking for friendly faces to fill the role of volunteer receptionist. Shifts are Monday to Friday either 9:00 am – 1:00 pm or 1:00 pm - 4:30 pm. No experience necessary! Training is provided. You just need a reference from your pastor. It is a great opportunity to bring your hobby along to work on while you direct phone calls and visitors. If you have time once a week or once every couple of weeks to do a shift, please contact Kim at 250-448-2725 ext. 200 or email kim.jacobs@nelsondiocese.org.

LADIES NIGHT OUT

Ladies gather your sisters, mothers and girlfriends for an evening of shopping, refreshments, tapas and friendship on Wednesday November 18th. The fun commences 6:30 pm at Immaculate Conception Parish Hall (839 Sutherland Avenue, Kelowna). Tickets are available for \$5/ea. plus a food donation for St. Vincent de Paul at St.

Tickets available at Joseph Elementary School 250-763-3371 or Immaculata Regional High School 250-762-2730. Thank you.

Welcome to our Parish

If you are an out of town visitor or a guest of a parish family, we are pleased to have you join us in celebration. If you are searching for a place to call “home,” why not join our Parish Family? We would love to have you! There is always room for more at the Table of the Lord. Simply complete this form and return it to the Parish Office, or return it in the collection basket. Long-time residents who are not registered are also invited to fill out the form.

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Parish Registration

New Parishioner:

Information Change:

Name: _____

Address: _____

Postal Code: _____

Telephone No: _____

Email: _____

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Church Envelopes

Would you like to pick up a box of envelopes next week from the foyer of the Church? The number identifies you and a tax receipt will be sent to you at the address you registered with.

Yes No

Would you like to have the bulletin emailed to you each week?

Yes No

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