

# 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 22<sup>ND</sup>, 2015**

**Christ the King**

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.



*"You say that I am a King... Everyone who belongs to the truth listens to my voice".*

*John 18*

## *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

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

**1<sup>st</sup> Friday** 1:30 pm at **Sandalwood Care Home**

**4<sup>th</sup> Tuesday** 1:45 pm at **David Lloyd Jones Home**

**4<sup>th</sup> 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.**



## As You Pray This Week Remember Those Who Are Sick

Tony & Pat Bestick, Helenita Ibarrola Cabusao, Mirella DiMarcello, Wes Dirksen, Sarah Duffy, Emilie & Olivier, Verna Finnegan, Nick Fougere, Rita Gemin, George Goldade, Doug Greenwood, Marie Greenwood, Aurelia Grison, Jacqueline Kirby, Betty Klinger, Anthony Kormish, Gerald Kunz, Henry La Brie, Anh Lyn Lagace, Maureen Lauzon, Tony Lunelli, Kay MacDonald, Joseph Main, Dorothy McCormack, Denis McInnis, Gloria Moyer, Irene Mundie, Germaine Nadon, Michelle Pineau, Helen Pfliger, Louis Port, Ann Reilly, Anna S, Pierce Greenwood-Rushka, Nettie Schafer, Katherine Sell, Duke Skusek, Bev Smith, Maks Sovdat, Melitta Szulkies, Trudy Szulkies, Jim Tsiropoulos, Marlene Vandale, Trudy Vorachek, Louise Walton and Lisa Zarankin, Wilfred Ziegler.

**Merciful Jesus, grant them a healing of mind and body and restore their strength and spirit. Amen**

(Please inform us if you wish to remain on our Prayer List.)

### WEEKLY MASS INTENTIONS

TUESDAY 9:00 AM	NOV 24	JOHN MANZOCCO † Requested By: Teresa Cimbaro
TUESDAY 1:45 PM DAVID LLOYD JONES HOME		Requested By:
WEDNESDAY 9:00 AM	NOV 25	BERTHA LEBLANC † Requested By: Laurie Turik
WEDNESDAY 1:30 PM BRANDT'S CREEK MEWS		BETTY KLINGER Requested By:
THURSDAY 9:00 AM	NOV 26	BERTHA LEBLANC † Requested By: Howard & Lucille Jacobek
THURSDAY 1:45 PM NORTHWOOD RESORT		ANN TRESS † Requested By: Julie & Henry LaBrie
FRIDAY 9:00 AM	NOV 27	PETER HLUSHKO † Requested By: Margaret (Meg) & Doug Greenwood
SATURDAY 5:00 PM	NOV 28	PAULINE SARAFINCIAN † Requested By: Angela Pomeroy
SUNDAY 9:00 AM	NOV 29	PARISHIONERS OF PIUS X Requested By:
SUNDAY 11:00 AM		DON GAGNON SR. † Requested By: Theresa Fougere

## ST PIUS X DIRECTORY

### CONTACT NUMBERS

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 Fax: ..... 250-762-2584  
 Email: ..... [spx@shawcable.com](mailto:spx@shawcable.com)  
 Web: ..... [www.spxbc.org](http://www.spxbc.org)  
 Parish Hall ..... 250-762-0260

### PARISH STAFF

Pastor ..... Rev Francis dela Cruz  
 Office Manager ..... Douglas Greenwood  
 Custodians ..... Nuno Henriques & Maria Henriques  
 Sacristan ..... Tina Tran

### PARISH COUNCIL MEMBERS

Jim Mazzei (Parish Council Chairperson)  
 Victoria Oppertshauser (Social Justice)  
 Dennis Barnes (Financial Chairperson)  
 Martin Landry (Maintenance Chairperson)  
 Marie Ross (CWL)  
 Bev Smith (Spiritual Care)  
 Mike Sehn (Liturgy Committee Chairperson)  
 Tina Tran (Sacristan)  
 Peter Huang (Pastoral Worker)  
 Les Atwell (Development & Peace)  
 Angela Pomeroy (Religious Education)

### MINISTRY COORDINATORS

Religious Education (Angela Pomeroy) ..... 250-448-6904  
 (Michael Wilson)  
 Pastoral Worker (Peter Huang) ..... 250-763-5830  
 Baptism Preparation (Theresa Fougere) ..... 250-763-0869  
 St. Vincent de Paul ..... 250-762-2577  
 Rachel's Vineyard ..... 250-762-2273  
**rvnelsondiocese@shaw.ca**  
 Social Outreach (Victoria Oppertshauser) ..... 250-712-0701  
 Canadian Food for Children  
 (Gerda and Rudy Seewald) ..... 250-769-0792  
 Knights of Columbus (Emmanuel Hagel) ..... 250-762-0376  
 (Doug Greenwood) ..... 250-762-8274  
 K of C Insurance (Blaine Anhel) ..... 1-877-532-5632  
 CWL (Mary Ritchie) ..... 250-712-0813  
 Altar Servers (Mike Sehn) ..... 250-763-3143  
 Safe Environment (Mike Sehn) ..... 250-763-3143  
 Development & Peace (Les Atwell) ..... 250-861-4242

### CATHOLIC SCHOOLS

Immaculata High School ..... 250-762-2730  
 St. Joseph's Elementary School ..... 250-763-3371  
**www.kelownacatholic.org**  
 Our Lady of Lourdes School ..... 250-768-9008

# 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



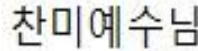
## Catholic Women's League

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

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



## Korean Catholic Community

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

## PARISH EVENTS

DATE	TIME	EVENT
Nov 22	1:00 pm	Korean Okanagan Catholic Community
Nov 23	12:00 pm	Tourtieri Pies
Nov 24	Until 12:00 pm	Tourtieri Pies
Nov 25	Until 12:00 pm	Tourtieri 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 24		
Dec 25		
Dec 27	1:00 pm	Korean Okanagan Catholic Community

## READINGS FOR THE WEEK

### November 23 – November 29

Monday: Daniel 1: 1-6, 8-20;  
 Luke 21: 1-4

Tuesday: Daniel 2: 3, 9-10, 27, 31-45;  
 Luke 21: 5-11

Wednesday: Daniel 5: 1-6, 13-14, 16-17, 23-28;  
 Luke 21: 12-19

Thursday: Daniel 6: 11-28;  
 Luke 21: 20-28

Friday: Daniel 7: 1-14;  
 Luke 21: 29-33

Saturday: Daniel 7: 15-27;  
 Luke 21: 34-36

Sunday: 1<sup>st</sup> Sunday of Advent  
 Jeremiah 33: 14-16;  
 1 Thessalonians 3: 12-4: 2;  
 Luke 21: 25-28, 34-36

## STEWARDSHIP

### Year to Date Collections

2015 YTD	2014 YTD
\$ 207,650	\$ 219,992

### Year to Date Expenses

2015 YTD	2014 YTD
\$ 252,909	\$ 252,771

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.

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#### **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.

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#### **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.

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#### **2015-2016 PILGRIMAGE OF FAITH APPEAL**

We have raised \$ 5,955 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.

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#### **HOW TO GET TO HEAVEN**

A teacher asked the children in her Sunday School class, "If I sold my house and my car, had a big garage sale and gave all my money to the church, would I get into heaven?"

"NO!" the children all answered.

"If I cleaned the church every day, mowed the yard, and kept everything neat and tidy, would I get into heaven?"

Again, the answer was "NO!"

"Well," she continued, "then how can I get to heaven?"

In the back of the room, a five-year-old boy shouted out, "You gotta be dead!"

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#### **CHRISTMAS PARTY**

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

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## *FAITH ENRICHMENT*

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#### **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.

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#### **FILIPINO COMMUNITY MASS**

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

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#### **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.

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#### **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

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

### KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS BREAKFASTS



There is no Breakfast **THIS** weekend (Nov 22<sup>nd</sup>).

**St Charles Garnier Knights** invite all to attend their Breakfast the **NEXT** weekend (Nov 29<sup>th</sup>) after the Sunday masses.

## SOCIAL JUSTICE

### CLIMATE CHANGE IS AN ISSUE OF JUSTICE!



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](http://devp.org/climateofchange).

### Rachel's Corner

"I came with my husband. When I got here I would not even let him carry my suitcase. I leave with a man who I didn't completely know and who I can now say I am so proud to be his wife and even more proud he is the father of my children. Thank you for giving me back my husband. He can carry both of our suitcases now!"

Testimonial from Retreat

If your marriage has been affected by your abortion story, come together on a Rachel's Vineyard™ Retreat and allow God to unite your hearts on the path of healing and renewed life.

250-762-2273 [rvnelsondiocese@shaw.ca](mailto:rvnelsondiocese@shaw.ca)  
[www.rachelsvineyardkelowna.com](http://www.rachelsvineyardkelowna.com)

Like us on Facebook: Rachel's Vineyard Kelowna

## OTHER NEWS

### 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](mailto: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](http://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](mailto:tobias.keogh@blood.ca). It's in you to give!

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### VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITY

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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.

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### 4th ANNUAL INTERNATIONAL CHRISTMAS SONGFEST

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Back by popular demand! Sat, Dec 5<sup>th</sup>, 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.

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### MIDNIGHT UNDER THE STARS

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New Year's Eve Dinner & Dance, Thursday, December 31<sup>st</sup> 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.

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### SAFE ENVIRONMENT TRAINING

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A Safe Environment Policy workshop will be held on Monday, November 23 at 7:00 p.m. in the meeting room at the Catholic Pastoral Centre (rear entrance). New volunteers who work with children, youth or vulnerable adults, people who are renewing their criminal record checks and anyone interested in learning more about this policy and how to protect vulnerable people is welcome to attend. Please read the policy before you arrive. It is available from the Safe Environment Office webpage ([www.nelsondiocese.org](http://www.nelsondiocese.org)) or from your parish office. Please RSVP to renee.burzuk@nelsondiocese.org (preferred) or 250-448-2725 ext 225 so she can plan accordingly.

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## *Welcome to our Parish*

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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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