

# Wednesday Weekly

## October 5, 2017

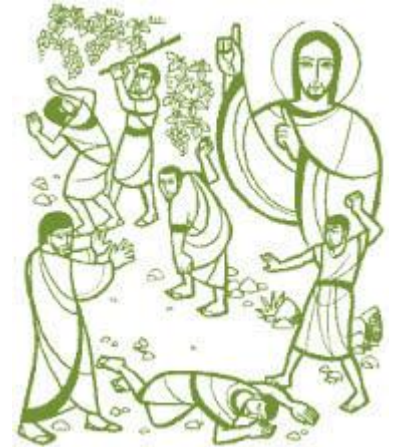
SUNDAY, OCTOBER 8, 2017  
TWENTY SEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

WHEN APPLICABLE—please ensure that the following items are in your bulletin and/or are also ANNOUNCED.

\*for the city\*\*for all parishes in THE DIOCESE

This will ensure that the same information is being heard across the diocese.

THANK YOU



### ATTACHMENTS:

- Called Together – Giving, Sharing, Serving
  - Weekly Update for Oct 3, 2017
- RCIA Schedule



1. **RECEIVE ALL DIOCESAN NEWS DIRECTLY IN YOUR INBOX OR ON YOUR PHONE:** Email Teresa at [reception@pgdiocese.bc.ca](mailto:reception@pgdiocese.bc.ca) OR SEND A TEXT TO 514-900-0130 to join Flocknote – it is an email and text messaging tool created for churches, ministries, teams and other community organizations. It helps to communicate with the people by sending a simple text message. Please join us in keeping up with all the diocesan news.

2. **UPDATE: CALLED TOGETHER –GIVING, SHARING, SERVING –** To date **Called Together** 2017-18 has reached 37.66% or \$150, 643 of its overall goal. The majority of parishes have sent in their pledges from their parishioners for Commitment Sunday. Thank you for facilitating the Commitment Sunday in your parish. Special acknowledgement to the following parishes who have reached 50% or more of their goal:
- a. St. Patrick's Parish, McBride 84.32 %
  - b. St. Andrew's Parish, Fraser Lake 77. 61%
  - c. St. Mary's Parish, Prince George 63.97
  - d. Notre Dame Parish, Dawson Creek 53.09%

Please continue to promote **Called Together** and invite those who have not yet made a pledge to consider it in the coming weeks. **Called Together** 2017-18 will continue until the end of August 2018.

### 3. FROM THE DIOCESAN FINANCE AND PAYROLL OFFICES:

- a. **WORKSAFE BC (WCB) QUARTERLY REPORT FOR PARISHES:** - 3rd quarter reports are due on October 12, 2017. Please report to Payroll Services any payments made to individuals not on the Diocesan payroll and to contractors who are not registered with WCB. If you have not reported either the 1<sup>st</sup> or 2<sup>nd</sup> quarter payments please add them at this time.

4. \* **ATTENTION ALL VOLUNTEERS FOR HOSPITAL CARE HOMES MINISTRY:** There will be a meeting on Sunday, October 15, 2017 1:30 PM at Sacred Heart Cathedral. Fr. Miguel Rabino will be facilitating.

5. **RCIA:** The city-wide Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults will begin on Tuesday, October 10, 2017 from 7:30 PM -9:00 PM at St. Mary's in the parish office (Gillett St). If you or someone you know is interested in becoming Catholic, or if you would like to volunteer with the RCIA program please contact Claudia at Sacred Heart Cathedral 250-564-5225 or St. Mary's 250-564-4097 or email [cloudy1@hotmail.com](mailto:cloudy1@hotmail.com)

6. **DEVELOPMENT AND PEACE – CARITAS CANADA--JOIN A MINI-WORKSHOP ON OUR NEW “MAY PEACE BE WITH HER” CAMPAIGN!**

Development and Peace is celebrating 50 years of solidarity! We are also close to kicking off our Fall education and action campaign “**May Peace be With Her**”. People power can change the world and when you are an active member of Development and Peace you are a part of that change!

Join us for a two-hour mini-workshop and informal gathering on Saturday, October 14, 2017 to be held in a quiet room at the Twisted Cork Restaurant in Prince George (1157-5th Avenue) at 11:30 AM-1:30 PM. For more information, contact Catherine Nolin Hanlon at [nolin@unbc.ca](mailto:nolin@unbc.ca) and/or Dick Mynen at [dick.mynen@tdb.ca](mailto:dick.mynen@tdb.ca)

We really encourage YOUTH to join us to learn about Development and Peace and how youth are critical to caring for our common home an being at the heart of the action!

7. **EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES:**

- **THERE ARE STILL A COUPLE OF TEACHING POSITIONS WITH CISPG go to:**  
<http://cispg.ca/employment-opportunities/>

## Evangelization and Formation

### YOUNG ADULTS



**Where:** Domano Chapel (6500 Southridge Avenue)

**When:** Friday, October 13th @ 7-9 pm

**What:** Come and BE STILL for a night of prayer, praise & worship, and adoration away from the BUSYNESS of life. Fr. Jack Michalchuk will be sharing a short reflection, and there will be the opportunity for reconciliation. This is a primarily young adult event, but all are welcome!

**FAITH STUDIES:** We will be starting our faith study groups again for all young adults ages 18-30. These small group faith studies explore the basics of the Catholic Christian faith. Regardless of your faith background or where you are at, we invite you to join us. Bring your questions! These six-week studies meet for just one hour each week at a location and time that works for you.

**This is the last week to register** so be sure to sign up asap! Head to [www.ccofaithstudies.ca](http://www.ccofaithstudies.ca) or email [youth@pgdiocese.bc.ca](mailto:youth@pgdiocese.bc.ca).

**UNBC CAMPUS MASS:** Campus Masses are starting up again and will regularly be held Thursdays at 12:15 PM in the Interfaith Chaplaincy.

Make sure you are connected to the young adult group on Facebook “**Catholic Young Adults – Diocese of PG**”

## **YOUTH**

1. **IGNITE BC REUNION: MARK YOUR CALENDARS! We will be LIVE streaming Face2face’s United Conference November 18-19 in Prince George.** Location & details to come! Last year was the first year we tried this live stream and it worked tremendously well. This is open to all those who have attended IGNITE BC in the last 3 years as well as any newcomers ages 14-19. For more details about the conference: <https://f2f.ca/united/>
2. **SAVE THE DATE FOR DYC 2018** happening **April 20-22, 2018** in Prince George, BC. Details to come over the next several months but for now, mark those calendars!