

Wednesday Weekly

May 9, 2018

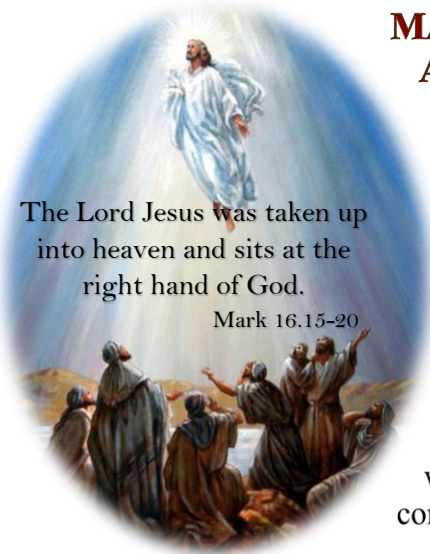
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ASCENSION OF THE LORD

WORLD COMMUNICATIONS DAY

The Lord Jesus was taken up into heaven and sits at the right hand of God.

Mark 16.15-20



Today Catholics are invited to reflect upon the media of social communications and how these influence our lives.

The media can promote values that lead to a more fully human society. The Church's ministry is twofold. The media can be used to help promote the Gospel. At the same time, as receivers of the materials presented by the media, the faithful have a duty to support and promote worthwhile presentations on media and reject those which promote values contrary to spiritual growth.

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**

DEADLINE FOR SUBMISSIONS OF WEDNESDAY WEEKLY NEWS IS NOON ON TUESDAY

PLEASE EMAIL mprimus@pgdiocese.bc.ca

ATTACHMENTS:

- **Discernment Weekend Poster**
- **Lobster Kitchen Party Fundraiser For St. Mary's Rainbows (Poster)**
- **Invitation for Deacon Ken Anderson's Ordination to priesthood**
- **50th Anniversary Musical Evening Poster**

TO RECEIVE ALL DIOCESAN NEWS DIRECTLY IN YOUR INBOX OR ON

YOUR PHONE: Email Teresa at reception@pgdiocese.bc.ca **OR TEXT** "pgd" 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.



1. **POSSIBLE TELEPHONE INTERRUPTION** at the Pastoral Centre: A new server is being installed on Friday, May 11, 2018 at the Pastoral Centre. The telephone is internet provided, therefore there may be intermittent telephone interruptions.
2. **FINANCE OFFICE NOTICE:** The installation of the new server will cause limited access to files necessary for payroll. Those whose timesheets are emailed to Lynn and Catherine, **PLEASE SEND on May 10, 2018 instead of May 11, 2018.** Include your estimated hours for Friday, May 11, 2018

on the timesheet. If you work fewer or more hours than you estimated on Friday, May 11, 2018, please send a revised timesheet to Payroll on Monday, May 14, 2018. Thank you.

3. **FR. TOM SHYMKO** is currently in the hospital undergoing treatment. He has asked for your prayers. Being sensitive to his needs at this time is very important; therefore, only visit if you have permission from Fr. Tom and for very short periods of time .
4. **CELEBRATION IN HONOUR OF OUR LADY OF FATIMA:** The 13th of May is the anniversary date of the apparition of Our Lady to three shepherd children (Lucia, Francisco, Jacinta) in the small village of Fatima in Portugal in 1917.

The Portuguese-Canadian Community in the city will gather together in a Eucharistic Celebration on Sunday, May 13, 2018, 11:00 AM at Sacred Heart Cathedral. Immediately following the Mass, there will be a procession. All are invited to join in this celebration.

As we honour the Blessed Virgin Mary, let us continue to ask her to intercede for us.

5. **VOCATION DISCERNMENT RETREAT FOR YOUNG PEOPLE**— Every year, the Discernment Weekend is facilitated by Fr. Terry Brock with Bishop Jensen's presence and support. Once again this event is being held at Camp Morice, in Fort St. James.

This weekend retreat is an opportunity to:

- Come and be with the Lord
- Grow in love for Him, and for His Church
- Discover who you are in the Lord's eyes

This weekend may be the greatest adventure and love story that you experience.

Register with Gorette at: gorette14@hotmail.com Please send your name, age and phone number Or you can call Gorette at 250-635-2313. Fee: \$50

See the poster for further details!

If you are interested in car-pooling from Prince George, please contact Lisa at lvfarrell@pgdiocese.bc.ca

6. **50TH ANNIVERSARY OF SACRED HEART PARISH AS THE CATHEDRAL OF THE DIOCESE:** You are invited to a musical evening in celebration of the 50th Anniversary of Sacred Heart on **Sunday, June 3, 2018 at 7:00 PM.**

Please print and post the attached poster.

Tickets are available at the parish office, Filipino Store, Diocesan Pastoral Center and Sacred Heart School Tickets are \$20.00 each.

You are also invited to the Mass of celebration on **Tuesday, June 5, 2018, 7:00 PM** in honour of the 50th Anniversary of Sacred Heart Parish as the Cathedral of the Diocese. Bishop Stephen Jensen will be the Main Celebrant and the priests of the diocese concelebrating. Please bring plate of snacks to share after the Mass.



ORDINATION TO THE PRIESTHOOD: Deacon Ken Anderson will be ordained on **June 8, 2018, 7:00 PM at Sacred Heart Cathedral.**



There will be a reception in the parish hall after the Mass of ordination, all are invited. All are requested to bring a plate of bring finger foods to share.

See the attached invitation.

7. **CAMP MORICE SUMMER 2018 DATES:** go to: <http://www.pgdiocese.bc.ca/ecwmv-event/camp-morice-summer-camps/> to check out what’s happening and to register for this summer’s camps.

8. **LOBSTER KITCHEN PARTY FUNDRAISER FOR ST. MARY'S RAINBOWS:**

WHEN: Saturday, June 2, 2018—Doors open at 5:00 PM

WHERE: Knights of Columbus Hall in College Heights

COST: 50.00 dollars per ticket

Tickets are available, cash only at Nancy O’s

For more information e-mail: terryfedorkiw@hotmail

THE MUSICAL ENTERTAINMENT: Billy Wiseman and Friends

Please print attached poster and display on your bulletin boards – thank you.

9. **EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES:**

CATHOLIC INDEPENDENT SCHOOLS- Prince George

- **Teacher Positions** – Continuing and Limited Duration

Details of these positions and application process can be found at:

<http://cispg.ca/cispg/careers>

Evangelization and Formation

DOMANO RENEWAL CENTRE APRIL UPDATE

NEW LIFE IN THE SPIRIT RETREAT: A NEW PENTECOST

Did you know that the purpose of Christian life is to become possessed? --*by the power of the Holy Spirit!*

Please join in this opportunity not only finish our study of the final chapters of the *Acts of the Apostles*, but also to delve into the key themes of evangelization and the power of the Holy Spirit. This retreat is primarily meant for those who participated in the *Acts of the Apostles* Scripture study. A tentative retreat schedule is available online, please see the registration page for a link.

Date: **Friday, May 25, 2018** (registration 6:00 – 7:15 PM)

Sunday, May 27, 2018 (departure 1:30 PM)

Location: Domano Renewal Centre (Emmaus House)

Fee: \$150.00 (accommodation & meals included)

\$90.00 (without accommodation)

Registration: Please register online at <http://www.pgdiocese.bc.ca/retreats-and-programs/> or call 250-964-4475. Space is limited!

**Priority will be given to those who have participated in the
Acts of the Apostles Scripture Study.**

Registration deadline is Tuesday, May 22, 2018.

YOUTH:

REGISTER TODAY FOR THE CAMP THAT WILL CHANGE YOUR LIFE.



IGNITE BC: Diocese of Prince George

DATE: August 19 - 24, 2018

WHERE: Camp Morice

COST: \$320/per person

REGISTER AT: <https://f2f.ca/ignite/>

Calling all young people all across BC going into Gr. 9 this fall, and all those graduating Gr. 12!

IGNITE is a week long, retreat style camp geared towards: instilling in each and every young person a deep love for the Catholic faith, providing an opportunity to ENCOUNTER Jesus Christ in life-changing ways, and raising up amazing saints of holiness and boldness for this generation.

Early bird registration starts on May 31, 2018 for the cost of \$320.