

Wednesday Weekly

August 22, 2018

Lord, to whom can we go?
You have the words of eternal life.

John 6. 53, 60-69

AUGUST 26, 2018
TWENTY-FIRST SUNDAY OF
ORDINARY TIME

WHEN APPLICABLE—please ensure that the following items are in our 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

1. Responses to sexual abuse revelations
 - Bishop Jensen's Letter
 - Statement from CCCB
- Diocesan Bank Signing Authorities Policy
- 2017-18 Called Together Final Report and Memo from Appeal Director
- Summit Conference
 - Poster
 - Letter to youth leader
 - Registration form

**TO RECEIVE ALL DIOCESAN NEWS DIRECTLY IN YOUR INBOX,
OR ON YOUR PHONE VIA TEXT MESSAGE:**



- Please email Teresa at reception@pgdiocese.bc.ca or text "pgd" to 514-900-0130 to join Flocknote.
- Flocknote is an email and text messaging tool created for churches, ministries, teams and other community organizations.
- It communicates with the people by sending a simple text message.
- Please join us in keeping up with all the diocesan news.

***BC FIRES:** Please keep all those affected by the fires in BC in your prayers. Pray especially for the safety of all firefighters and for rain.

Donations to the BC Fires Appeal

From August 15 until October 12, 2018, the Province of British Columbia will match all donations made by individuals who are residents of B.C, up to \$20 million.

To Donate Go to:

https://donate.redcross.ca/page/28955/donate/1?_ga=2.173605219.1367559493.1534787969-842323674.1499802072

Other websites of interest:

- 1) For information on the 2018 Wildfire Information go to:
<https://www.emergencyinfobc.gov.bc.ca>.
- 2) To volunteer in Prince George: <http://www.volunteerpg.com/>
OR in other BC centers go to:
<https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLScBKM4LVpBzfLbXZxlju97GeZuoLGMJELfeAYkH97GbdH7g/viewform?entry.914620032&entry.1266277695&entry.782395351&entry.1480666445>

1. RESPONSES TO SEXUAL ABUSE REVELATIONS:

- **Letter of His Holiness to the People of God:**
<http://w2.vatican.va/content/francesco/en/events/event.dir.html/content/vaticanevents/en/2018/8/20/lettera-popolodidio.html>
- **Statement by the CCCB:** <http://www.pgdiocese.bc.ca/wp-content/uploads/2018/08/CCCB-statement-Findings-of-Pennsylvania-Investigating-Grand-Jury-EN.pdf> or see attached
- **Bishop Jensen's Letter to the People of the Diocese:** see attached

2. **DIOCESAN FORMATION DAYS** will be held on the evenings of October 2 – 4, 2018 at the Diocesan Pastoral Centre's Conference Wing. More details to come.

3. **WESTERN CONFERENCE FOR LITURGY:** 2018 Western Conference for Liturgy "**Training the Trainers**" will be held October 26 - 27, 2018 in the Archdiocese of St. Boniface, Manitoba. Those responsible for ministry formation will learn basic elements of theology and spirituality to pass on to those they are training, and to root the practicalities of these ministries in theology and spirituality.

For more details go to: <https://wclcanada.wordpress.com/>

To register go to: <http://www.pgdiocese.bc.ca/wcl-2018-registration-form/>

4. **DIocese OF PRINCE GEORGE DIRECTORY AND WEBPAGE PARISH INFORMATION:** Parishes and Schools please review the directory online at <http://www.pgdiocese.bc.ca/directory/> if you have any changes to be made to your parish or school please email Martha at mprimus@pgdiocese.bc.ca.

Also check out your parish and school information on the Diocesan Website make sure it is correct. If it isn't please email the correct information to mprimus@pgdiocese.bc.ca.

5. **SIGNING AUTHORITY FOR PARISHES AND SCHOOLS:** It is that time of year when parishes and schools elect and make changes to their councils and therefore have new signatories for their bank accounts. If you have any changes, please email Martha at mprimus@pgdiocese.bc.ca with the information as soon as possible. (See the Diocesan Bank Signing Authorities Policy).

6. CALLED TOGETHER, GIVING SHARING, SERVING 2017-18 UPDATE



Sacred Heart Cathedral joins Annunciation, Prince Rupert; Christ Our Saviour, PG; St. Andrew's, Fraser Lake; St. Mary's Parish, PG and St. Patrick's Parish, McBride in reaching and/or surpassing their parish goal.

Please see attached memo from Appeal Director.

7. **MONTHLY DAY OF EUCHARISTIC EXPOSITION AND ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT:**
Emmanuel Hermitage invites you to a Personal Date with Jesus on **Tuesday, September 11, 2018** in the Domano Chapel, 6500 Southridge Ave. Mass will be celebrated at 7:30 AM and the Blessed Sacrament will be exposed from 8:00 AM to 8:00 PM for a day of silent prayer and adoration. We will pray for the universal Church and the world, and the people and needs of our Diocese. In particular we will pray for the protection of all human life, for vocations, and for the intentions of those participating in the day. Please mark your calendar on the second Tuesday of each month for Personal Dates with Jesus days.

8. EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES

- ***QUALIFIED CATERER FOR THE DOMANO RENEWAL CENTRE (DRC)**
DRC is seeking a part-time caterer to start September 2018. The catering services would be for events from September through to July of each year. A commercial kitchen is on the premises for caterer use. Flexibility of scheduling is required, along with relevant certification and experience. Resume and cover letter must be received by **Friday, August 31, 2018**.
Please apply in writing to:
The Very Rev. Rectorino Tolentino, Jr., Vicar General/Moderator of the Curia
6500 Southridge Avenue
Prince George, BC V2N 5P9
or
Email: vicargeneral@pgdiocese.bc.ca.
- **EDUCATIONAL ASSISTANT FOR ST. MARY'S SCHOOL**
St. Mary's School, Prince George is seeking a full time Educational Assistant for the 2018-2019 school year. Strong interpersonal skills with students and adults is required. Priority will be given to those with an EA certificate and experience in a school setting. Please apply in writing to the Principal, Jenny Schroeder by e-mail to jschroeder@cispg.ca . Position will remain open until filled. Only considered applicants will be contacted.
- **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



YOUTH AND YOUNG ADULTS:

1. **DIOCESAN YOUNG ADULT FALL RETREAT:** September 28 -30, 2018 more details to come. For more information contact Fr. Ken Anderson or Lisa Farrell at 250-964-4424 Ext 2109.
2. **SUMMIT 54 YOUTH CONFERENCE:**
See attached:

- ✓ Cover letter
- ✓ Poster
- ✓ Registration form