Wednesday Weekly October 17th, 2012

1. Halloween Fundraising and UNICEF

The Canadian Conference of Catholic Bishops recommends that Canadian Dioceses and Catholic Schools use only Catholic charitable organizations - specifically the Holy Childhood Association and the Canadian Catholic Organization for Development and Peace - as recipients of Halloween fundraising projects by children. The CCCB no longer proposes UNICEF as a third option because of its collaboration with the United Nations Population Fund which publicly promotes sexual and reproductive rights including abortion and artificial contraception.

2. Vocation Live-In: Christ the King Seminary

Please repeat the following notice in parish bulletins for the next three weekends:

Father Terry Brock, Diocesan Vocation Director, will be traveling with interested young men to a Vocation Live-In to be held at Christ the King Seminary in Mission, BC on November 16-18. This is an opportunity for young men - in Grade 10 and older - to spend a weekend at the seminary and to meet other young men discerning God's will. Please pray for vocations and encourage young men to consider attending this weekend. To register or for further details, please see the bulletin board or contact Father Terry at 250-635-2313 or tbrock@telus.net. Registration Deadline is October 28, 2012 (50 percent of airfare provided by the Diocesan Vocations Fund).

3. Blessing of the Graves – Prince George

Please place the following notice in Prince George bulletins. Thank you.

Blessing of the Graves will take place Sunday, November 4th at 2:00 pm. Everyone is invited to attend. We will be meeting at the main entrance of Memorial Park Cemetery. Please dress for the weather.

4. Appeal News

Please use the Appeal Newsletter #52 as a bulletin insert this weekend. Thank you.