Wednesday Weekly Addition March 20, 2013

1. CWL Scholarships

As the deadline is fast approaching, parishes are asked to put this notice in parish bulletins this weekend:

Graduating Students: Please check out two Provincial CWL bursaries: Molly Boucher (\$500) and Life Members Arts and Culture (\$500) by accessing the criteria and forms from www.cwl.bc.ca. Deadline March 31st.

2. Religious Education Trust

The Religious Education Trust provides funding to support and encourage initiatives for religious education in our diocese. The closing date for submission of applications for the next RET distribution is April 1, 2013. A copy of the Application form is attached. Forms can be faxed to Lynn Monteith at (250)964-2101 or mailed to the address on the form.

3. Appeal News

Here is an appeal update from Fr. Richard Beaudette. The appeal spreadsheet is on the next page:

We are a little over half way through our Appeal year and there has been a generous response to the Appeal so far. Seven parishes are now over goal and together will receive rebates of \$18,611. The total pledges have reached \$401, 908, which gives us \$383,297 or 96% of our diocesan goal of \$400,000. Some parishes which struggled with their goal in the past have really made a strong effort this year. For that effort and their success, we are grateful.

For all parishes that have not reached their goal, a third letter to parishioners who have not pledged will be sent out shortly.

Let's all work together to make this Appeal year another success.

	House-	Appeal Goal	Total	Total %	# of	Average	Pledges
Parish	holds		Pledged	of Goal	Pledges	Pledge	Received
Annunciation, Prince Rupert	290	29,711	23,814	80.2%	90	252	21,414
Christ Our Saviour, Prince George	185	20,077	23,345	116.3%	72	333	20,170
Christ the King, Kitimat	599	51,412	37,783	73.5%	149	257	34,585
Resurrection, Fort St. John	317	35 <i>,</i> 584	25,543	71.8%	96	272	21,658
Holy Cross, Tumbler Ridge	27	4,163	2,380	57.2%	12	178	2,230
Immaculata, Burns Lake	85	13,098	8,675	66.2%	27	327	7,775
Immaculate Conception, Prince George	191	26,343	23,368	88.7%	80	323	21,223
Notre Dame, Dawson Creek	262	28,328	23,504	83.0%	103	233	22,226
Our Lady of Peace, Chetwynd	66	11,942	8,061	67.5%	27	315	7,911
Our Lady of Snows, Fort St. James	99	8,774	2,705	30.8%	22	133	2,455
Sacred Heart, Prince George	610	48,285	42,738	88.5%	195	209	38,393
Sacred Heart, Terrace	500	52,684	53,129	100.8%	196	278	48,279
St. Andrew's, Fraser Lake	70	10,082	12,110	120.1%	45	280	11,610
St. Anthony's, Houston	41	4,776	5,010	104.9%	24	212	4,845
St. Joseph's, Vanderhoof	91	12,125	15,730	129.7%	39	430	14,750
St. Joseph's, Smithers	165	22,029	16,620	75.4%	61	288	15,830
St. Mary's, Prince George	527	42,110	47,985	114.0%	176	290	44,255
St. Mary's, New Hazelton	34	5,278	4,565	86.5%	15	334	4,085
St. Patrick's, McBride	62	3,576	6,110	170.9%	26	210	5,810
St. Peter's, Mackenzie	45	7,983	8,605	107.8%	25	354	8,425
Unaffiliated Donors			10,128		2	4,564	10,128
Totals	4,266	438,360	401,908	91.7%	1,482	284	368 <i>,</i> 056