

Wednesday Weekly

June 29, 2016

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:

- **Diocesan Appeal Update**

1. **MISSIONARY OF MERCY VISITING PRINCE GEORGE DIOCESE--JUNE 24 - JULY 24, 2016:**

Fr. Roberto B. Manansala, OFM, one of the Missionaries of Mercy, commissioned by our Holy Father Pope Francis for the Extraordinary Jubilee Year of Mercy, will be coming to the Diocese of Prince George. He is scheduled to visit and minister in the following parishes:

- July 2-3, Sacred Heart Parish, Terrace
- July 4-6, Christ the King Parish, Kitimat
- July 9-10, Sacred Heart Cathedral Prince George
- July 11-12, Sacred Heart Parish, Terrace
- July 13-24, Annunciation Parish, Prince Rupert

2. **2016 SUMMER CLOSURE**

The Diocesan Pastoral Centre will be closed from Monday, July 18 to Friday, August 12, 2016 inclusive. Regular working hours will resume on Monday, August 15, 2016. However, the Finance Office will have adjusted working hours during the closure. If pastors and principals, parishes and schools have concerns that need immediate attention, please e-mail, Fr. Rector at vicargeneral@pgdiocese.bc.ca.

If you require assistance from the Finance Office, you may contact them directly and leave a message to any of the following personnel from the Finance Office: Armand Rey Sadiwa, Catherine Cosh, Lynn Monteith or John Philips. Telephone and e-mail messages will be checked regularly.

DOMANO RENEWAL CENTER-- (DRC) will be closed for the summer as of June 30 and will re-open for the new term on August 15.

As previously announced, Sister Elizabeth Poilievre, FCJ, DRC Co-Director, was asked by her Superior to return and live with her religious community in Edmonton beginning July 2016. An Open House and farewell celebration were held June 2 at the DRC for Sister Elizabeth.

Sister Irene Baker, CSJ, DRC Co-Director, will undertake full-time ministry at “Rainbows” beginning August 2016.

We are very grateful for the ministry that Sisters Elizabeth and Irene provided to the Domano Renewal Centre over the past years.

Fr. Rectorino Tolentino, our Vicar General will be overseeing the administration of DRC *pro tem* while the search for a new director continues.

Meanwhile, DRC will continue to accommodate guests, visitors, parish groups and individual priests or lay persons who need a place of hospitality for meetings, retreats, workshops and seminars. To book the facilities, please call Tamara Monai, DRC Administrative Assistant at 250-964-4475 or email her at drc@pgdiocese.bc.ca

SHEPHERD'S CORNER—During the month of July, “Shepherd’s Corner” will be opened from Monday to Thursday only. It will be closed on Fridays. **The service** will also be closed for the month of August.

3. DIOCESAN ASSEMBLY –~~SAVE THE DATE~~- September 21-23, 2016

For more information, please contact Angelo at (250) 964-4424 (ext. 230) or asabbadin@pgdiocese.bc.ca

4. CAMP MORICE: Online camp registration for Camp Morice is open! There are camps for all ages.

Register at www.campmorice.com or email info@campmorice.com

- July 3-8 : Teen Camp (all who have completed grades. 7 to 12)
- July 10-15 : Leadership Training (ages 15 who want to be volunteers)
- July 17-22 : Tween Camp #1 (all who have completed grades 4 to 6)
- July 24-29 : Kids camp (all who have completed grades 1 to 3)
- Aug 7-12: Tween Camp #2 (all who have completed grades 4 to 6)
- Aug 14-19 : Cana Camp (For all families)
- Aug 21-26: Ignite Camp (all who have completed grades 9 to 12)

The theme for the camps is Star Wars: **The Faith Awakens!**

Join us for an unforgettable summer of Jedi training to become a saint!

5. MONTHLY DAY OF EUCHARISTIC EXPOSITION AND ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

Emmanuel Hermitage invites you to a Personal Date with Jesus on Tuesday, July 12, 2016 in the Domano Chapel, 6500 Southridge Ave. Mass will be celebrated at 7:30 a.m. and the Blessed Sacrament will be exposed from 8:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m. 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.

6. CONDOLENCES--We are sad to announce that Bernard (Ben) Primus father-in-law of Martha who passed away on Sunday, June 26, 2016.

Please pray for the repose of the soul of Ben and for the Primus family during this difficult time of loss and grief.

7. ROSE PRINCE ANNUAL PILGRIMAGE – July 8, 2016 to July 10, 2016

Please come and participate in the Pilgrimage. The Year of Mercy Indulgence may be obtained by those who attend the Pilgrimage and fulfill the following conditions:

- Make the pilgrimage as a sign of your deep desire for true conversion.
- Celebrate the Sacrament of Reconciliation (up to eight days before or after your pilgrimage).
- Participate in Mass and receive Holy Communion.
- Offer a prayer (such as an Our Father) for the Pope and his intentions.

We are in need of Priests to help with Confessions at the Rose Prince Pilgrimage on July 9, 2016 from 1:30 to 3:00pm. Please call Fr. Vincent James at St. Andrew's parish if you can help.