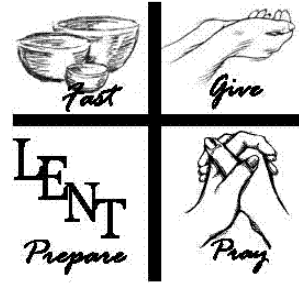


# Wednesday Weekly

## March 1, 2017



**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:

- **Accountant- Finance Department Job Posting** (Ad)
- **Appeal Update**
- **CIS Prince George Positions Available for 2016-17**
- **Easter Triduum** (poster)
- **Lenten Penance Services in the city** (poster)
- **Liturgy and Parish Leadership Workshops Northern Deanery** (poster)
- **Share Lent Solidarity Visitor** (poster)

1. \*\* **ATTENTION ALL MUSIC MINISTERS** – you are invited to the music practices to prepare for the **Chrism Mass to be held on April 10, 2017 at 7:00 PM** at Sacred Heart Cathedral.

The practices will include learning the ICEL setting for the Mass as well as preparing the other hymns for Mass.

The practices will take place at the cathedral on the following days:

- **Monday, March 6, 2017 at 7:00 PM** (ICEL setting)
- **Wednesday, March 15 at 7:30 PM** (ICEL setting and other music)
- **Monday, April 3 at 7:00 PM** (ALL music for Chrism Mass).

Please enter the cathedral through the side door.

To prepare for the practices please listen to the ICEL setting of the **Gloria #7**

**Ctrl +Click** on the following link: [CCCB \(ICEL\) Chants from Celebrate in Song](http://nlo.cccb.ca/index.php/documents/music/99-chants) or

Type in the following in your browser:

<http://nlo.cccb.ca/index.php/documents/music/99-chants>

2. \* **CITY DEANERY**
  - **Lenten Penance Services** at 7:00 PM on Tuesday evenings during Lent
    - March 2, 2017 at Christ Our Saviour Parish
    - March 28, 2017 at Sacred Heart Cathedral
    - April 4, 2017 at St. Mary's Parish
    - April 11, 2017 at Immaculate Conception Parish
  - **Preparing to enter the Mystery... Understanding the Liturgy of the Easter Triduum** on Monday, April 3, 2017 at 7:30—9:00 PM St. Mary's Parish, 1088 Gillet Street, Prince George with Very Rev. Rectorino Tolentino, Jr. (**See poster for more details**)

3. **NORTHERN DEANERY--Please include the following announcement in your Sunday Bulletin:**

**Liturgy and Parish Leadership Workshops at Notre Dame Parish, Dawson Creek**  
Parishioners in the Northern Deanery (Church of the Resurrection, Our Lady of Peace Parish, Holy Cross Parish and Notre Dame Parish) are invited to attend the following workshops:

- **Liturgy Workshop on March 24, 2017**  
**6:30 PM – 8:30 PM** at Notre Dame Parish, Dawson Creek.  
This is specifically intended for those who are serving various ministries at Mass: Lectors, Extraordinary Ministers of Communion, greeters, musicians, choir members, and altar servers.
- **Parish Leadership Workshop on March 25, 2017**  
**9:00 AM – 2:00 PM** at Notre Dame Parish, Dawson Creek.  
This is specifically intended for members of: Parish Pastoral Council, Parish Finance Council, and School Council members, as well as those who are in leadership positions; i.e. CWL or Knights of Columbus.

The workshops will be led by Very Reverend Rectorino M. Tolentino, Jr., Vicar General, Liturgy Commission Chairperson, and former Pastor of St. Joseph's Parish and St. Anthony's Parish of the Diocese of Prince George.

To register please call Pauline Bates at 250-782-3456, Notre Dame Parish.  
(See poster for more details)

4. **\*DEVELOPMENT AND PEACE – CARITAS CANADA SHARE LENT 2017  
SOLIDARITY VISITOR FROM HAITI:**



The Diocese of Prince George is pleased to welcome the Development and Peace – Caritas Canada Solidarity Visitor in March 2017. Marie-Ange Noël comes to us from La Vallée de Jacmel in Haiti and is the Coordinator of Fanm Deside – a Development and Peace – Caritas Canada Partner Organization in Haiti. Fanm Deside is one of the three partner organizations supported by The Catholic Women's League of Canada 1% program (<https://www.cwl.ca/wp-content/uploads/2013/12/1-brochure.pdf>).

Marie-Ange will be in the City of Prince George from March 9 to 12, 2017 **please see attached poster for details.**

Fanm Deside is a women's movement that focuses on women's rights and promoting gender equality in Haitian society. Fanm Deside accompanies and supports women in need and is an advocate for their rights with different governmental institutions and non-governmental organizations

5. **\*\*NORTHERN CATHOLIC NEWS:** Please send your submissions as soon as possible to [mprimus@pgdiocese.bc.ca](mailto:mprimus@pgdiocese.bc.ca). **The deadline is March 15, 2017 for the next edition which will be distributed in the Easter Season.**

**Editorial policy:** The Northern Catholic News (NCN) provides news and information about the Church throughout the diocese. We welcome submissions, but to allow us to share as much parish news as possible, all submissions may be edited for clarity and brevity.

**Guide to written length:** Most news stories can be told effectively in 300 words or less.

6. **MONTHLY DAY OF EUCHARISTIC EXPOSITION AND ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT:** Emmanuel Hermitage invites you to a Personal Date with Jesus **on Tuesday, March 14, 2017** 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.

7. **\*\*EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES WITH THE DIOCESE OF PRINCE GEORGE**

**Pastoral Centre**

- **Accountant – Finance Department** – (See attached advertisement or visit our website at <http://www.pgdiocese.bc.ca/employment-opportunities/>)

**CISPG:** See attached or visit <http://cispg.ca/employment-opportunities/> for the postings and to apply online.

## Office of Evangelization and Catechesis



### 1. HEARTS TRANSFORMED –

The next meeting in Prince George will be held on **March 9, 2017** from 6:30 PM to 9:00 PM at the Diocesan Pastoral Centre on the Conference Room (old library).

Everyone else will have their meetings from March 20-26, 2017, as the flexibility of the program allows in their respective communities.

We look forward to journeying with you. If you have other questions contact Angelo at [asabbadin@pgdiocese.bc.ca](mailto:asabbadin@pgdiocese.bc.ca) or (250) 964-4424 ext 230

### 2. MARRIAGE PREPARATION WEEKEND: Living a Joy-Filled Marriage

**Date:** April 1-2, 2017

**Cost:** \$250 per couple

**Includes:** Workbooks, Lunches, Coffee and Snacks.

Please register online at [www.pgdiocese.bc.ca/oc/](http://www.pgdiocese.bc.ca/oc/)

Contact Angelo in the Office of Evangelization and Catechesis for more information by phone at (250) 964-4424 (ext. 230) or email [asabbadin@pgdiocese.bc.ca](mailto:asabbadin@pgdiocese.bc.ca)

## YOUTH AND YOUNG ADULTS NEWS

### 1. \* YOUTH: ANNUAL DIOCESAN YOUTH CONFERENCE (DYC)

**APRIL 21- 23, 2017**

All those grades 7 to 12 can REGISTER NOW at <http://www.pgdiocese.bc.ca/youth/>

**Registration Fees:** \$70 for participants  
\$20 for volunteers/chaperones

**To receive a limited edition DYC T-shirt**, be sure to register before **April 10, 2017**.

This weekend is filled with; adventure, dynamic talks, workshops, games, adoration, praise and worship, and an evening celebration showcasing artists from across our diocese. It is an opportunity to reunite with old friends and meet new ones.

In his address to young people at World Youth Day 2016, Pope Francis said:

*Precisely in this world at war, we need brotherhood, we need closeness, and we need friendship. And this is the sign of hope: when there is brotherhood.*



Returning back is Face2Face Ministries, and we welcome Clay Imoo, keynote speaker, who will help us unpack what it means to truly look out for one another as brothers and sisters in Christ! Come out for this packed three-day conference April 21-23, 2017 in Prince George, BC.

2. **\*LOOKING FOR A FREEZER, FRIDGES AND STOVES:** The group of volunteers who prepare meals for DYC participants are looking for newer fridges and stoves. Those that are available at the Pastoral Centre, are not in great working condition. If you have a fridge or stove that is in **good working condition** and would like to donate it, please contact Angelo at 250-964-4424 ext 230 or email [asabbadin@pgdiocese.bc.ca](mailto:asabbadin@pgdiocese.bc.ca) Thank you.

## **YOUNG ADULTS:**

### **1. MARCH SUMMIT NIGHT**

**Where:** Christ our Saviour Parish  
4514 Austin Road

**When:** Friday, March 10, 2017 @ 7:00 – 9:00 PM

**What:** Come and BE STILL for a night of prayer, praise and worship, and adoration; away from the BUSYNESS of life.

Fr. Jack Michalchuk will be sharing a short reflection, followed by an opportunity for reconciliation.

Bring a snack to share and plan to stick around for fellowship afterward. This is a primarily young adult event, but all are welcome!