# Wednesday Weekly April 12, 2017





Easter
The celebration of sacred love ...
The day of resurrection and life...
The day that brings us joyful hope ...

Blessings to you and your families for a joyous Easter, from the staff at the Diocesan Pastoral Centre.

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:**

- Discernment Weekend Poster
- **1. MESSAGE FROM THE FINANCE OFFICE**: Reminder that **ALL** timesheets need to be submitted by Thursday, April 13, 2017 to the Finance Office. Good Friday is a statutory holiday.
- **2. DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY CITY-WIDE CELEBRATION**: Bishop Stephen Jensen will celebrate Mass for the Solemnity of the Divine Mercy on Sunday, April 23, 2017 at 3:00 PM at Sacred Heart Cathedral. The Divine Mercy Chaplet will be prayed prior to Mass.
- 3. ORDINATION TO THE DIACONATE:

By the Grace of God,

and with the people of the Diocese of Prince George The Most Reverend Stephen Jensen invites you to the diaconate ordination of

> Kenneth Anderson on Wednesday, May 3, 2017

> > 887 Patricia Blvd.

7:00 PM at Sacred Heart Cathedral

A reception will follow in the lower church hall. Your prayers and presence are requested.



For those attending, you are asked to bring a plate of snacks to share. Please put on the table in the lower hall before Mass. Thank you.

Ken is from St. Andrew's Parish in Fraser Lake, he is studying to be a priest for the Diocese of Prince George.

**4. DISCERNMENT WEEKEND-** please see poster attached.



- **5. STEWARDSHIP CONFERENCE:** Will be held in Vancouver June 9-11, 2017. Please visit the conference website at <a href="https://wccsc.ca/">https://wccsc.ca/</a> for more details and for registration. Early bird valid only until April 30, 2017. The conference fee is \$239 and special conference rates for accommodation at the Sheraton are \$165.00 based on double occupancy.
- **6.** \*\*EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES UPDATED INFORMATION:
  - Diocese of Prince George Accountant Finance Department Visit <a href="http://www.pgdiocese.bc.ca/employment-opportunities/">http://www.pgdiocese.bc.ca/employment-opportunities/</a>
  - **CISPG**: Visit <a href="http://cispg.ca/employment-opportunities/">http://cispg.ca/employment-opportunities/</a> for the postings and to apply online.

# Office of Evangelization and Catechesis



1. HEARTS TRANSFORMED – FINAL RETREAT DAYS

Prince George May 6, 2017 Terrace May 13, 2017 Dawson Creek May 20, 2019

If you questions concerning the Retreats please contact Angelo at <u>asabbadin@pgdiocese.bc.ca</u> or (250) 964-4424 ext 230.

### YOUTH AND YOUNG ADULTS NEWS

### YOUTH

1. YOUTH: ANNUAL DIOCESAN YOUTH CONFERENCE (DYC) – CALLING ALL GRADES 7-12, IT'S NOT TOO LATE TO REGISTER FOR DYC 2017! We also welcome any who have already graduated to come back as volunteers and chaperones.

## **DYC is APRIL 21-23, 2017**

All those in grades 7 to 12 can **REGISTER NOW** at <a href="http://www.pgdiocese.bc.ca/youth/">http://www.pgdiocese.bc.ca/youth/</a>

**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.