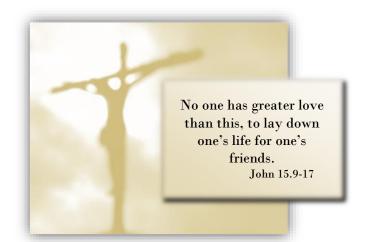
Wednesday Weekly

May 2, 2018

MAY 6, 2018 SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

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**



DEADLINE FOR SUBMISSIONS OF WEDNESDAY WEEKLY NEWS IS NOON ON TUESDAY PLEASE EMAIL mprimus@pgdiocese.bc.ca

ATTACHMENTS:

- Discernment Weekend Poster
- Lobster Kitchen Party Fundraiser For St. Mary's Rainbows (Poster)
- Invitation for Deacon Ken Anderson's Ordination to priesthood

TO RECEIVE ALL DIOCESAN NEWS DIRECTLY IN YOUR INBOX OR ON YOUR PHONE: Email Teresa at <u>reception@pgdiocese.bc.ca</u> **OR TEXT** "pgd" **TO** 514-900-0130 to join **Flocknote** – it is an email and text messaging tool created for churches, ministries, teams and other community organizations. It helps to communicate with the people by sending a simple text message. Please join us in keeping up with all the diocesan news.



1. **FR. TOM SHYMKO** was recently diagnosed with non-Hodgkin Lymphoma. He has given permission for his diagnosis to be shared with the people of the diocese. Fr. Tom is currently in the hospital undergoing treatment. He has asked for your prayers. Being sensitive to his needs at this time is very important; therefore, only visit if you have been given permission to by Fr. Tom.



2. **STAND UP FOR LIFE**

The Prince George Pro Life Society invites you to join them in a peaceful vigil in front of the University Hospital of Northern British Columbia on May 10, 2018 from 4:00 PM until 6:00 PM. Join thousands of Canadians across the country to show that we are ALL IN in the fight for life. If you are unable to be present for the entire time, please stop by and join us when you can.

- 3. CRIMINAL RECORD CHECKS (CRCs): The completion of CRCs online is going VERY well! It is much faster and efficient. However the downside is, if the CRC is for someone who is NEW there is no way of knowing which parish the completed CRC belongs to. PLEASE send an email to mprimus@pgdiocese.bc.ca to advise that someone from your parish has completed a CRC and then send the pledge form in the mail. There are two new CRCs that I do not know which parish the people belong to. Thank you for your cooperation.
- 4. **CELEBRATION IN HONOUR OF OUR LADY OF FATIMA:** The 13th of May is the anniversary date of the apparition of Our Lady to three shepherd children (Lucia, Francisco, Jacinta) in the small village of Fatima in Portugal in 1917.

The Portuguese-Canadian Community in the city will gather together in a Eucharistic Celebration on Sunday, May 13, 2018, 11:00 AM at Sacred Heart Cathedral. Immediately following the Mass, there will be a procession. All are invited to join in this celebration.

As we honour the Blessed Virgin Mary, let us continue to ask her to intercede for us.

5. **VOCATION DISCERNMENT RETREAT FOR YOUNG PEOPLE**—will be held on May 18-20, 2018 at Camp Morice, Fort St. James. See poster for details.

ORDINATION TO THE PRIESTHOOD: Deacon Ken Anderson will be ordained on June 8, 2018, 7:00 PM at Sacred Heart Cathedral.

There will be a reception in the parish hall after the Mass of ordination, all are invited. All are requested to bring a plate of bring finger foods to share.



See the attached invitation.

6. **CAMP MORICE SUMMER 2018 DATES:** go to: <u>http://www.pgdiocese.bc.ca/ecwmv-event/camp-morice-summer-camps/</u> to check out what's happening and to register for this summer's camps.

7. LOBSTER KITCHEN PARTY FUNDRAISER FOR ST. MARY'S RAINBOWS:

- WHEN: Saturday, June 2, 2018—Doors open at 5:00 PM
- **WHERE:** Knights of Columbus Hall in College Heights
- **COST:** 50.00 dollars per ticket

Tickets are available, cash only at Nancy O's

For more information e-mail: terryfedorkiw@hotmail

THE MUSICAL ENTERTAINMENT:

Billy Wiseman and Friends

Please print attached poster and display on your bulletin boards - thank you.

8. EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES:

CATHOLIC INDEPENDENT SCHOOLS- Prince George

• <u>Teacher Positions</u> – Continuing and Limited Duration

Details of these positions and application process can be found at: <u>http://cispg.ca/cispg/careers</u>

DOMANO RENEWAL CENTRE APRIL UPDATE

1. NEW LIFE IN THE SPIRIT RETREAT: A NEW PENTECOST

Did you know that the purpose of Christian life is to become possessed? --by the power of the Holy Spirit!

Please join in this opportunity not only finish our study of the final chapters of the *Acts of the Apostles*, but also to delve into the key themes of evangelization and the power of the Holy Spirit. This retreat is primarily meant for those who participated in the *Acts of the Apostles* Scripture study. A tentative retreat schedule is available online, please see the registration page for a link.

Date:	Friday, May 25, 2018 (registration 6:00 – 7:15 PM)
	Sunday, May 27, 2018 (departure 1:30 PM)
Location:	Domano Renewal Centre (Emmaus House)
Fee:	\$150.00 (accommodation & meals included)
	\$90.00 (without accommodation)
Registration:	Please register online at <u>http://www.pgdiocese.bc.ca/retreats-and-programs/</u> or
	call 250-964-4475. Space is limited!
	Registration deadline is Tuesday, May 22, 2018.