

Wednesday Weekly

April 17, 2019

SUNDAY, APRIL 21, 2019

THE RESURRECTION OF THE LORD

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**



*According to the Scripture:
Jesus must rise from the dead.*

John 20. 1-18

ATTACHMENTS:

- **Discernment Weekend 2019 – Camp Morice**
- **Live-in Vocation Weekend Carmelites, Armstrong, BC Poster**
- **Ursuline 100th Anniversary celebration invitation**
- **DYC 2019 REVISED Poster for parish and school distribution**

TO RECEIVE ALL DIOCESAN NEWS DIRECTLY IN YOUR INBOX OR ON YOUR PHONE:

Email Teresa at reception@pgdiocese.bc.ca **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. *DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY CITY-WIDE CELEBRATION: Bishop Jensen will celebrate Mass for the Solemnity of the Divine Mercy on **Sunday, April 28, 2019 at 3:00 PM** at Sacred Heart Cathedral. There will be Exposition and Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament at 1:00 to 3:00 PM; priests will be available for the Sacrament of Reconciliation at 2:00 PM. The Divine Mercy Chaplet will be prayed prior to Mass.

2. CONDOLENCES—We are sad to announce the passing of Margaret Cosh, mother of Catherine Cosh, our Finance Clerk, who passed away Sunday, April 14, 2019. Please pray for the Cosh family during this difficult time of loss and grief. Eternal rest grant unto her, O Lord.

3. WORLD DAY OF PRAYER FOR VOCATIONS IS MAY 12, 2019 GOOD SHEPHERD SUNDAY—The 4th Sunday of Easter, Christians are invited to reflect on the meaning of God’s call and to pray for vocations. Christ the Good Shepherd, continues to lead his people through His Bishops, Priests, and Deacons, and calls many to follow Him in this way.

4. **CAMP MORICE SUMMER 2019 DATES:** go to: <https://www.campmorice.ca/index.php/camp-dates/> to check out what's happening and to register for this summer's camps.
5. **THE BILLINGS OVULATION METHOD®** is a method of Natural Family Planning which empowers women through knowledge of their patterns of fertility and infertility, enabling them to either achieve or postpone pregnancy and monitor their reproductive health. NFP helps married couples respect God's design for married love.

There will be a Billings Ovulation Method presentation at the lower hall of Sacred Heart Cathedral on **Saturday, May 4, 2019 at 7:00 PM**. Come and learn about the science and the practice of this method of fertility awareness.

For more information, contact Cathy Vandenberg at 250-635-7397 or visit www.billings.life/en Please note that all forms of NFP taught in this diocese (Billings, Creighton, and Serena) provide distance teaching opportunities through videos, Skype, email or phone.

6. **URSULINE 100TH ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION** please see attached invitation.

7. ****ANNUAL VOCATION DISCERNMENT RETREAT FOR YOUNG PEOPLE** will be held on May 17-18, 2019 at Camp Morice, Fort St. James. To registration go to



<https://www.pgdiocese.bc.ca/discernment-weekend-registration/>

Please print and display poster attached.

8. ****YOUNG WOMEN THINKING OF RELIGIOUS LIFE?** The Carmelite Sisters in Armstrong, BC are hosting a live-in from May 17-19. See poster for further details or check out their website at www.carmelspall.org
9. **THE CATECHESIS OF THE GOOD SHEPHERD** presentation facilitated by Susan Perna on April 1, 2019 is available for viewing at <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Vhn8jlrNeSk>

The Catechesis of the Good Shepherd is a worldwide Christian ministry for children aged 3-12 years, based on the Bible and liturgy of the Church. It is inspired by the principles of Montessori education.

Catechesis of the Good Shepherd provides:

- An opportunity for children to fall in love with Jesus, the Good Shepherd, in a child-friendly space.
- Guided activities to aid meditation on Scripture and the mysteries of the Christian Faith in small groups, facilitated by trained adults (catechists).
- That each child's unique spiritual needs and abilities are respected and nurtured.

10. **CELEBRATE HOLY WEEK AND EASTER WITH



Free Preview - April 14 – May 12, 2019

Salt + Light TV is available on a free preview from participating cable and satellite providers across Canada, from April 14 - May 12, 2019.

Join us starting Palm Sunday for live Papal events and our line-up of Catholic programming to grow in the knowledge of our faith and Catholic tradition in its many expressions. Be sure to check out S+L's new documentary, *The Francis Impact*, premiering May 5, 2019, 8pm EST/5pm PST.

Check your local provider or visit www.saltandlighttv.org/subscribe for more details. Sharing the joys and hopes of the Gospel through television, radio, print, and online media.

Evangelization and Formation

Young Adults

1. STATIONS OF THE CROSS UP UNIVERSITY HILL ON GOOD FRIDAY

Join the Young Adult community on Good Friday at 10:00AM as we carry a cross up University Hill, making a physical Stations of the Cross, so as to fully enter into Good Friday with our Saviour.

When: 10:00AM -12:00PM on Good Friday, April 19th

Where: University Hill, meet at the corner of Highway 16 and Tyner Blvd.

All are welcome!

Youth

1. **DYC 2019 "CALLED" May 3-5, 2019

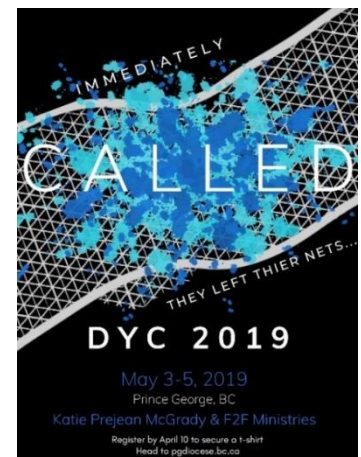
This year's DYC is excited to have Katie Prejean McGrady as the keynote speaker along with Face2Face Ministries.

REGISTRATION IS NOW LIVE!! Head to <http://www.pgdiocese.bc.ca/dyc-2019-registration/> to REGISTER TODAY!

Parishes, please print attached poster for your bulletins and bulletin boards.

This event is open to all in grades 7-12.

Please print attached pdf poster for parish and school distribution.



Since 2007, Katie has been traveling around North America speaking to audiences of all ages on everything from the Eucharist, pursuing a relationship with Jesus, models and methods of evangelization, ice cream flavors, and the best shows to watch on Netflix. Audiences are often challenged and excited by her talks because her presentation style is filled with humor, substantive teachings, engaging stories, and a message of encouragement as people set out to meet and fall in love with Christ and the Church.