

Wednesday Weekly

August 28, 2019

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 1, 2019

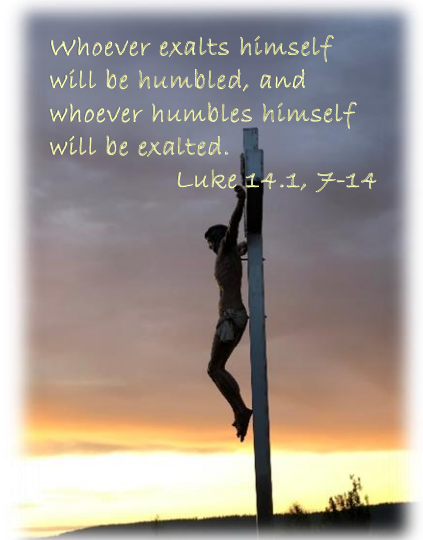
TWENTY-SECOND SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME

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:

- 2019-2020 Called Together Appeal Calendar
- Lectio Divinia Poster – jpg and pdf format
- 2019 Diocesan Convocation
 - Schedule
 - Accommodations
- 2019 Western Conference for Liturgy poster
 - Session Information
 - Schedule for Oct 25 to 26, 2019



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. WE WARMLY WELCOME SISTER MARIFE BALLOS MACALAM, RVM to the Diocese Prince George.

Sr. Marife, from the Congregation of the Religious of the Blessed Virgin Mary (RVM), recently arrived from the Philippines. She joins Sr. Vinda, RVM and her ministry here in the city. They currently reside at the Domano Renewal Centre.

As we welcome Sr. Marife to the diocese we pray that her ministry will be fulfilling, and the people she ministers to will be enriched by her presence.



2. 2019-2020 CALLED TOGETHER: GIVING, SHARING, SERVING: Please see attached schedule for Called Together. Promotional materials (brochures, posters, and video) will be distributed next week. If you know of anyone from your parish who is travelling to Prince George, please ask them to stop by the Pastoral Centre so that the promotional materials for your parish may be delivered. Otherwise, Appeal Office will make arrangements for delivery. Thank you for your cooperation.



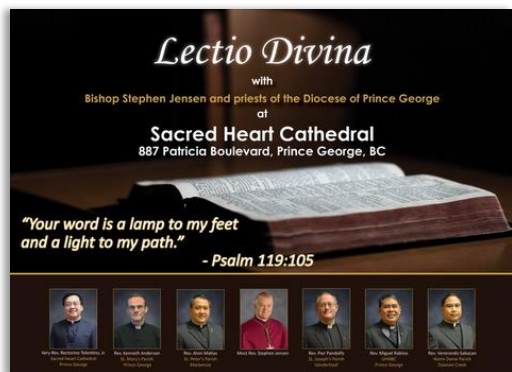
Schedule as follows:

- Kick-Off September 7-8, 2019
- Educational September 14-15, 2019
- Promotional September 21-22, 2019
- Commitment September 28-29, 2019

Please note: Needs of the Church collection will be taken on November 10, 2019 32nd Sunday of Ordinary Time.

- 3. **A SOLEMN HIGH MASS CELEBRATED IN THE EXTRAORDINARY FORM OF THE MASS** of the Roman Rite (according to the 1962 edition of the Roman Missal) is scheduled for Sacred Heart Cathedral on Sunday, September 15, 2019, 3:00 PM. Fr. Daniel Geddes from the Priestly Fraternity of St. Peter, Pastor of Holy Family Parish in Vancouver, will be the celebrant.

See attached for additional information.



- 4. **LECTIO DIVINA:** Beginning next month, on the third Wednesday of the month, Bishop Jensen and priests of the diocese will take turns leading *Lectio Divina* at Sacred Heart Cathedral.

The first *Lectio Divina* is on Wednesday, September 18, 2019. Please see poster for details.

Prints of the poster will be sent to parishes.

- 5. **DIOCESAN CONVOCATION** to be held October 3 - 4, 2019 at the Diocesan Pastoral Centre. Founder of Catholic Christian Outreach Andre Regniér, will be the presenter. All members of the diocese are invited and welcome to attend.

To register go to: <https://www.pgdiocese.bc.ca/2019-diocesan-convocation/>

See attached schedule and accommodation information.



- 6. **DIocese OF PRINCE GEORGE DIRECTORY** Please review the directory online at <http://www.pgdiocese.bc.ca/directory/> if you have any changes to be made to your parish or school please email Martha at mprimus@pgdiocese.bc.ca
- 7. **WESTERN CONFERENCE FOR LITURGY: “When I in Awesome Wonder”:** Encountering Christ in Symbol, Ritual and Movement in Mass. The keynote speaker is Christina Ronzio, Director of the CCCB English-language office for liturgy and the sacraments of the National Office (NLO) 2019 Western Conference for Liturgy will be held October 25- 26, 2019 in the Diocese of Nelson our Lady of Lourdes Parish West Kelowna, BC V4T 0A2.

For registration and more details go to:

<https://www.pgdiocese.bc.ca/western-liturgical-conf-oct-25-26-2019/>

8. **28TH WESTERN CONFERENCE FOR THE CATECHUMENATE (WCC) 2019** will be held at St. Anthony's Parish in Calgary November 22- 23, 2019. Visit our [WCC Blog](#) to register. The executive is excited to collaborate with the Diocese of Calgary in hosting the conference!

Mary Birmingham and Nick Wagner of Team RCIA will be delivering 2 full days of Catechist School. It will help participants to understand the principles of the RCIA journey and practice proven adult learning models. Questions? Email wcc.cochair@yahoo.com

9. **ALPHA IN THE HART:** Christ our Saviour Parish will be hosting the ALPHA program beginning Sunday September 8, 2019 at 5:00 PM, which includes a free meal. ALPHA is a wonderful way to invite people to explore the Christian faith. This weekly event will go through to November. There is no cost or no commitment. All are welcome to attend and to bring a friend. The event is held in the basement hall at Christ our Saviour Parish.
For More Information email: cbomecor@gmail.com

10. **ANNUAL VOCATION DISCERNMENT RETREAT FOR WOMEN 18-34 September 27 – 30, 2019.**

For more information go to <http://vocations.daughtersofstpaul.com/discern>

Please prayer for vocations to religious life!



11. **EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES:**

THE DIOCESE OF PRINCE GEORGE is seeking individuals for the following positions:

- i. **Administrative Assistant** to provide support in the Bishop's office. The successful candidate will work in a fast-paced and collaborative environment, supporting the work of the Bishop and his Vicar General; will possess excellent oral and written communication skills and be proficient in Microsoft Office; knowledge of video editing programs would be an asset. Excellent benefits package, including pension plan.
- ii. **Resident Caretaker for Camp Morice** The diocese requires a resident caretaker for the Camp Morice property in Ft. St. James. The position is responsible for grounds keeping and routine maintenance of the buildings, vehicles and equipment. The caretaker sets maintenance priorities and supervises outside contractors for approved projects. The caretaker manages enquiries and bookings for the facilities, providing hospitality and janitorial services. A comfortable modern home, suitable for a family, and salary are provided.

Deadline for applications will remain open until filled.

Please submit a résumé and cover letter with the job title in the email subject line to:

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Roman Catholic Diocese of Prince George
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Prince George, BC V2 N 5P9
E-mail: vicargeneral@pgdiocese.bc.ca

Thank you for your interest; only shortlisted candidates will be contacted.

- i. **CATHOLIC INDEPENDENT SCHOOLS- Prince George**
• **Teacher Positions** – Continuing and Limited Duration

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

12. CRIMINAL RECORD CHECKS – Just a reminder: – please let Martha Primus mprimus@pgdiocese.bc.ca know if you direct someone to complete a CRC online, there are few who are “unknown”. Send in pledge forms as soon as possible. Reminder that all pledge forms and CRCs are to be filed and stored at the Pastoral Centre.