Wednesday Weekly November 6, 2019

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 10, 2019 THIRTY-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:

- Advokate Life and Education Fundraiser Invitation
- Called together-Weekly update for 2019-11-06
- St. Mary's Youth Group Schedule of Events

WANT TO SHARE YOUR NEWS IN THE WEDNESDAY WEEKLY? – Email your news to Martha Primus @ mprimus@pgdiocese.bc.ca by NOON on Tuesday. Please use Word format.

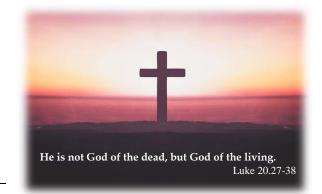
TO RECEIVE ALL DIOCESAN NEWS DIRECTLY IN YOUR INBOX OR ON YOUR PHONE:

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.

- ADVOKATE LIFE AND EDUCATION INVITES YOU TO OUR ANNUAL FUNDRAISING BANQUET ON November 7, 2019 at the Conference and Civic Centre in Prince George, featuring our special guest speaker Jason Jones: Hollywood film producer, author, activist. Come help us complete our new pregnancy centre at Parkwood Place! Table Sponsorship starts at \$250. Individual general seating is FREE. RSVP online at advokate.ca, or by texting BANQUET to 604 832 6311 or by calling (250) 562-4464. Please see attached poster
- 2. *FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 8, 2019, 7:00 PM Mass for deceased members of Knights of Columbus and Catholic Women's League from city councils will be offered at Sacred Heart Cathedral.
- **3. **VOCATION LIVE-IN WEEKEND** for boys or young men interested in the priesthood or the consecrated life to be held November 15 17, 2019, at the Seminary of Christ the King, Mission, BC. For more information call Father Mark Dumont, OSB at 604-826-8975.

Check out their website at http://www.sck.ca/

- 4. *SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 23, 2019, 10:00AM Mass for deceased clergy and religious, Sacred Heart Cathedral, followed by a simple reception.
- **5. TAIZE PRAYER:** Please mark your calendars for our next Taize prayer evening. It will be held Tuesday, November 26, 2019 at 7:00PM at St. Mary's. Refreshments and fellowship to follow in the St. Eugene Room. Please bring a snack to share.



6. ****2019-2020** CALLED TOGETHER: GIVING, SHARING -- please see attached report

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increase from last week's report. They are:

• Christ Our Saviour Parish, Prince George from 29.03% to 67.53%

This week, the Appeal Office would like to highlight that three parishes made a significant

- St. Anthony's Parish, Houston from 41.75% to 62.33%
- St. Joseph's Parish, Smithers from 74.87% to 88.54%

Called Together has reached 70.73% or \$282,904 towards its \$400,000 diocesan goal. We are grateful for the positive response of priests, lay leaders and many parishioners across our diocese. We continue to encourage those who have not yet send in their pledge to please consider making a pledge. Your donations benefit the entire diocese.

7. ST VINCENT DE PAUL

NOVEMBER CONFERENCE MEETING

Please join us for our monthly conference meeting which will be held on **Saturday, November 16** at 9:30 am at Sacred Heart Cathedral following morning Mass. Our monthly conference meeting is an opportunity to nurture and discuss Vincentian spirituality, to explore the ways we can help the poor in our community and come together to pray and share our experiences. This month, we will be discussing the World Day of the Poor, Catholic Social Teaching and Social Justice. All are welcome. We hope you can join us!

JOB OPPORTUNITY - CHRISTMAS HAMPER COORDINATOR

St Vincent de Paul is looking for an energetic person to help with our Christmas Campaign. This is a temporary paid position that would start immediately and end on January 3, 2020. Hours of work will be Monday to Friday 7-8 hours/day. Duties are to coordinate volunteers for Hamper applications, delivery day and dinner; accept and sort donations, prepare/photocopy hamper materials and coordinate delivery of donated items where needed. If you have good organizational and interpersonal skills, the ability to multi-task, and a caring attitude, we would love to hear from you! Interested candidates are asked to please forward a resume to svdppg@shaw.ca. Thank you!

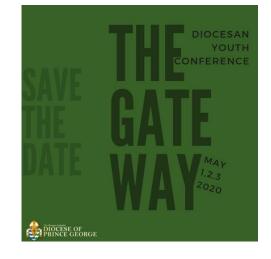
Evangelization and Formation

YOUTH

1. ******MARK YOUR CALENDAR: DYC 2020 – MAY 1-3, 2020

The 25th anniversary of DYC in the Diocese of Prince George:

The Gateway: "I came that they may have life and have it abundantly." John 10:10



2. *St. MARY'S YOUTH GROUP Please see attached schedule for upcoming events.

Our next meeting is this Wednesday, November 6, 2019 from 6:30-8:30PM in the gym at St. Mary's School. Our Spiritual Committee has an awesome evening planned for us! Everyone Grades 7-12 are welcome to attend.

See attached schedule for youth group dates and events.