# Wednesday Weekly November 20, 2019

### Sunday, November 24, 2019 Our Lord Jesus Christ King of the Universe

**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.



Luke 23-35-43

This will ensure that the same information is being heard across the diocese. THANK YOU

#### **ATTACHMENTS:**

- Advent Reconciliation Poster for the City of Prince George
- 6th Annual Rise Up Advent Coffeehouse -poster
- 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.

1. **\*SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 23, 2019, 10:00AM –** Mass for deceased clergy and religious, Sacred Heart Cathedral, followed by a simple reception.

#### 2. \*Advent Reconciliation Services for City Parishes: -

Please print attached poster for display on your bulletin boards

Christ Our Savior	Dec. 10 at 6:30 PM
Sacred Heart Cathedral	Dec. 13 at 7:00 PM
St. Mary's PG	Dec. 15 at 2:30 PM
Immaculate Conception	Dec. 20 at 7:00 PM
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3. MAKE THE MOST OF ADVENT: Eucharistic Exposition will be offered at St. Mary's Parish from 6:30-7:30 AM Monday-Friday throughout the season of Advent. This is a perfect opportunity to encounter the Word Made Flesh every day in preparation for celebrating His birth at Christmas.

Please use the 1125 Freeman Street entrance.

- 4. **\*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.
- 5. **\*\*CHRISTMAS MASS TIMES:** Please submit all of your Mass times for the Christmas Octave of 2018 via email to Martha at <u>mprimus@pgdiocese.bc.ca</u> as soon as possible. Thank you.

### **Evangelization and Formation**

#### **YOUNG ADULTS**

#### THE 6<sup>TH</sup> ANNUAL RISE UP ADVENT COFFEEHOUSE

You are invited to the 6th Annual Advent Coffeehouse Fundraiser **BE PRESENT** on Sunday, the 8<sup>th</sup> of December in the Conference Wing of the Pastoral Centre! This evening will be filled with celebrating the beautiful season of Advent.

This is a fundraiser for the young adults attending Rise Up in Toronto this year!

The evening will include: local and talented performers, homemade treats from local and gifted bakers, an array of beverages, a silent auction with beautiful gifts, and testimonies from young adults who have attended Rise Up in the past. Come and bask in the beauty of the upcoming Advent season.

- WHEN: December 8, 2019, Doors open at 6:30 PM on Sunday, evening will commence at 7:00 PM
- **WHERE:** Pastoral Centre Conference Wing (6500 Southridge Ave)
- **COST:** Tickets will be sold at the door \$10 per person **or** \$20 per family

Please print attached poster for your parish/school bulletin boards.

#### 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.

All youth grades 7-12 are welcome to attend our next youth meeting led by our Outreach Committee, Wednesday, November 20, 2019 from 6:30-8:30PM in the St. Mary's School Gym.

See attached schedule for youth group dates and events.

## **Diocesan News**

**Immaculata Parish, Burns Lake** hosted a *Life in the Spirit Seminar* November 1-3, 2019. Visitors from Terrace, Smithers, Fraser Lake, and Prince George, along with local church members and over 30 of our own congregation attended the weekend retreat.

The Sisters of Carmel from San Francisco and Indonesia facilitated this powerful weekend. Everyone was touched by their love for the Holy Spirit and God and the delightful manner in which they facilitated the weekend. It was a blessed time filled with deep fellowship, community prayer, music and food. Many thanks to the parishioners who opened their homes to billets, provided rides for our visitors, and filled the kitchen with delicious food.

