

Wednesday Weekly

January 29, 2020



My eyes have seen your salvation.

Luke 2.22-40

THE PRESENTATION OF THE LORD
WORLD DAY FOR CONSECRATED LIFE
FEBRUARY 2, 2020

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

WANT TO SHARE NEWS IN THE WEDNESDAY WEEKLY? – Email Martha Primus @ mprimus@pgdiocese.bc.ca by NOON on Tuesday. Please send in Word format.

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**. This 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.

Stay connected with all diocesan events with the **2019-20 DIOCESAN CALENDAR**. [Click here](#), then click on this image



to get the pdf format.

ATTACHMENTS:

- Pastoral letter from the Catholic Bishops – on Euthanasia and Assisted Suicide
- 2020 Marriage Prep Poster
- EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY: The Archdiocese of Winnipeg
- Young Adults Ski Smithers Poster

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1. **VOCATIONS: Encourage any young men you know to attend a Vocation Live-In at Seminary of Christ the King in Mission, BC.** This is an opportunity for young men to spend a weekend at the seminary. It gives them a chance to meet other boys and/or men searching for God’s will in their lives.

The next Vocation Live-ins for the College and High School Seminary is February 7-9, 2020

If you want to attend, please contact:

College Seminary Live In:

Father Matthew Gerlich, OSB

Email: rector.majors@yahoo.ca or

High School Seminary Live In:

Father Peter Nygren, OSB

E-mail: frpeterosb@gmail.com

Please contact Fr. Terry Brock, Vocations Director at vocations.pgdiocese@gmail.com for Diocesan Vocations News.

2. **SACRAMENTAL RECORDS FOR 2019:** Please “Download” and submit all of your sacramental records from Parish Friendly for the 2019 year via email to Teresa at reception@pgdiocese.bc.ca ASAP.

Make sure you do not open the file before sending- as it cannot be uploaded if opened.

If you do not have Parish Friendly – please send a hard copy of your parish registers for all sacraments received in 2019 to Teresa via fax, scan or postal mail.

SOME PARISHES ARE A FEW YEARS BEHIND IN SUBMITTING THEIR RECORDS or have never submitted digital records. If you are not sure if you are up to date, or not sure for which years the digital records have been submitted, please contact Teresa at 250-964-4424 or email reception@pgdiocese.bc.ca.

3. **SAFE PARISH AND COMMUNITIES:** A reminder to submit your PIC report to Martha Primus via email mprimus@pgdiocese.bc.ca from Parish Friendly. If you have done so thank you, if not please submit as soon as possible.
4. ****DIOCESAN MARRIAGE PREPARATION WEEKEND –See attached poster**



For details and registration click here: <https://www.pgdiocese.bc.ca/marriage-preparation-retreat>

5. EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES

- **CATHOLIC INDEPENDENT SCHOOLS- PRINCE GEORGE** is hiring for the 2020-2021 school year.

Openings include a principalship in Smithers, BC as well and teachers at our eight schools in the diocese. If you are interested or know someone who is interested in working in our CISPG schools please head to our website at <http://cispg.ca/cispg/careers/> for details of the postings and to complete the online application.

- **THE ARCHDIOCESE OF WINNIPEG** is seeking a Director of the Pastoral Services Department. The Director’s primary responsibility will be to support and coordinate the staff of the Pastoral Services Department with particular focus on how they, as a team, can assist with the implementation of the pastoral proposals of the recent Archdiocesan Synod. Applications will be accepted until February 28, 2020. The full listing is found on the Archdiocesan website: www.archwinnipeg.ca/employment.html or see attached employment ad for details.

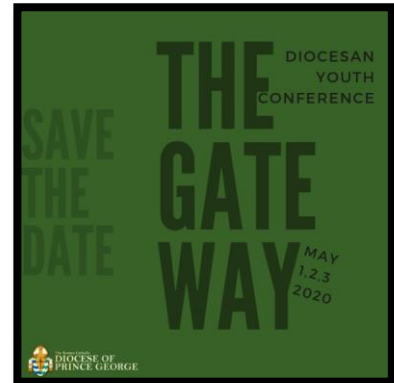
Evangelization and Formation

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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

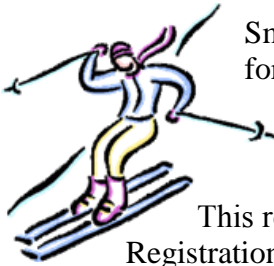


REGISTER NOW AT:

<https://www.pgdiocese.bc.ca/youth/registration-2020-dyc/>

YOUNG ADULTS

2. **THE ANNUAL YOUNG ADULT SMITHERS SKI RETREAT: ‘VERSO L’ALTO’//TO THE HEIGHTS**



Smithers. Skiing. Retreating. Bl. Pier Giorgio Frassati. What more could one ask for? Come join us February 14-16, 2020 on the beautiful slopes of Hudson Bay Mountain and the beautiful parish of St. Joseph’s for a time away from the busyness of daily life. Ages 19 and up.

This retreat will fill out quickly, and registration is up and running, so don’t delay! Registration will close February 10th. All information such as prices and car-pooling will be on the registration link. To register or for more info, email Lisa at lvfarrell@pgdiocese.bc.ca.
Please print attached poster to display on your parish bulletin board.