



The Roman Catholic
**DIOCESE OF
PRINCE GEORGE**

March 10, 2021

4th Sunday of Lent

March 14, 2021

"God sent his only-begotten Son so that the world might be saved through him."

John 3:14-21



When Applicable - please ensure that the following items are in your bulletin and/or are also announced.

This will ensure that the same information is being heard across the diocese. Thank you

Dates to Remember

- **March 12** - Lenten Noon hour Reflections
- **March 19** – Mass and Diocesan Consecration to St. Joseph
- **April 1**– Chrism Mass

Online and TV Opportunities for the Daily and Sunday Mass:

- [Sacred Heart Cathedral, PG Facebook](#)
- [Annunciation Parish Prince Rupert Facebook](#)
- [Sacred Heart, Terrace YouTube Channel](#)
- [Daily Mass with Bishop Robert Barron](#)
- [Mass – Warming Faithful Hearts](#)
- [Christ Our Saviour, PG Facebook](#)
- [St. Mary's, PG Youtube Channel](#)
- [St. Joseph's Parish, Smithers Facebook](#)
- [Christ the King Parish YouTube Channel](#)

Attachments

- Appeal 2020-21 Update
- CCCB Note on Approved COVID-19 Vaccines
- The Mass of Chrism 2021 Poster
- DYC poster

For those with cable or optic TV please check with your provider for the following or go directly to:

- [Salt & Light](#)
- [Vision TV](#)
- [EWTN TV](#)

Diocesan Appeal Update



There's no much update for this week however, please refer to the latest attachment as the previous one was linked incorrectly.

**Thank you again for
your kind generosity
and commitment.**

CCCB Note on Approved COVID-19 Vaccines

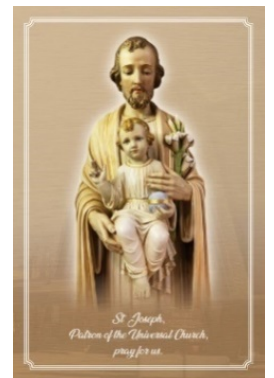
Please refer to the attached letter from CCCB regarding ethical concerns related to currently approved COVID-19 vaccines.

Mass and Diocesan Consecration to St. Joseph

Mass and Diocesan Consecration to St. Joseph will take place on the Solemnity of St. Joseph, Husband of the Blessed Virgin Mary, March 19, 2021, 12:10 PM at Sacred Heart Cathedral.

It will be LIVESTREAM via [Diocesan Facebook page](#) and [Cathedral's Facebook page](#)

Priests are encouraged to join Bishop Jensen in prayer either by celebrating Mass simultaneously on that day at noon in their respective parishes **OR** join in via livestream.



For parishes who would like to order print-outs of the prayer card, please contact **Fr. Rectorino Mendoza Tolentino, Jr.** at 250-564-5225 Ext. 224 or email fr.rector@shcpq.ca.

Other liturgical resources will be made available in the coming months to assist you and your parish in planning for this year long celebration.

For your information, the CCCB is preparing a webpage dedicated to the Year of St. Joseph, which will be available beginning 19th March 2021. Accordingly, the webpage will have many resources, including prayers and devotions, catechesis for adults and children, Church documents, an online resource list and a Consecration to St. Joseph for use in dioceses/eparchies, parishes, religious communities, families (domestic churches) and schools.

Attachments (*please refer to the previous WW issue*)

1. Poster to promote the Mass and Diocesan Consecration to St. Joseph
2. Prayer Card - Prayer to St. Joseph

Chrism Mass

The Chrism Mass will be celebrated on the morning of **Holy Thursday, April 1, 2021, 11:00 AM at Sacred Heart Cathedral**. Obviously, priests, religious and other lay faithful outside the City of Prince George will not be able to attend. However, so that the Chrism Mass maintains its character as a gathering of the whole diocesan community led by the Bishop, the celebration will be made available through the means of social media. Priests are strongly encouraged to join in prayer.

Both Facebook pages of the Diocese of Prince George and Sacred Heart Cathedral will livestream the Chrism Mass. It will also be broadcasted via FM Radio 102.5 for those who will attend by the parking lot of the Cathedral. If parishes want to livestream the Mass through their Facebook page, you may send ahead of time your request for cross-posting to secretary@shcpg.ca.

The Holy Oils that will be blessed will be sent to parishes outside the city within the Easter Season. Only after you have received the new set of Holy Oils, that you can properly dispose of the old set of oils. The cathedral will prepare the same number of set of oils for each parish using the number from the previous Chrism Mass.



NET Food Donation Invite – Diocesan Wide

This invite is for all parishioners and community members who have one of the eight Catholic Schools (CISPG) located in your community!

Please refer to the previous issue of Wednesday Weekly for details or you may contact **Lisa Vaughan-Farell** at lvarrell@pgdiocese.bc.ca or 250-964-4424 **EXT 2109** for more information on how you can give this way.



Rachel's Vineyard Spring Retreats 2021

For a psychological & spiritual journey for healing after abortion.

Kelowna Retreat: April 16 to 18

Call / email: 250-762-2273 info@rachelsvineyardkelowna.com

Cache Creek Retreat: May 5 to 7

Call / text: 250-267-5081 rvkamloops@yahoo.ca

If you or someone you know is suffering from post-abortion trauma, there is no need to suffer in silence. Rachel's Vineyard is here to help!

Visit Facebook Rachels Vineyard Kelowna

Employment Opportunities

- **Catholic Independent Schools - Prince George:** 11 Full-time teaching vacancies in Beautiful BC*

*Please visit <http://cispg.ca/careers/> for details

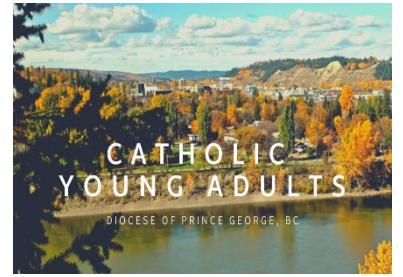


Young Adults

Stay Connected with the Young Adult Community of the PG Diocese!

Stay connected with all things young adult across the Diocese by joining the Catholic Young Adults – Diocese of Prince George, BC Facebook Group! Click the link below to join and keep updated on all that's going on! Catholic Young Adults – Diocese of Prince George, BC:

<https://www.facebook.com/groups/453972271386325>



The UNBC JP2 Catholic Club's Weekly Event "BECOME WHO YOU ARE" - a Friday night ZOOM Gathering

An online night of fellowship, games, prayer and discussion on the 'Theology of the Body'

Date: Every Friday night, 7:30-9pm (ongoing)

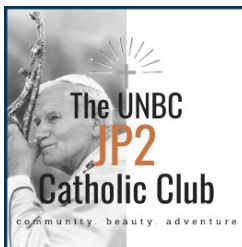
For all CNC and UNBC students

Check us out on Facebook and Instagram (and to access the ZOOM link!)

Facebook: Catholic Young Adults-Diocese of Prince George, BC



Instagram:



Virtual Diocesan Youth Conference // DYC 2021!

Yes, DYC is happening this year – online!

Stay tuned for more information to come! Registration opens next week!!

Follow us on **Facebook:** Catholic Youth of the Diocese of PG

Follow us on **Instagram:** @dyc_pgofficial



Want to share news in the Wednesday Weekly?

Email reception@pgdiocese.bc.ca by **NOON** on Tuesday.

Late entries will be published in the following week's edition. Please send in Word format.

To receive all diocesan news directly in your inbox or on your phone email 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.