

March 17, 2021



5th Sunday of Lent March 21, 2021

"If a grain of wheat falls into the earth and dies, it bears much fruit."

John 12:20-33

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 19 Lenten Noon hour Reflections
- March 19 Mass and Diocesan Consecration to St. Joseph
- March 26 Virtual Summit
- April 1– Chrism Mass

Online and TV Opportunities for the Daily and Sunday Mass:

- <u>Sacred Heart Cathedral, PG Facebook</u>
- 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
- Church of the Resurrection, Facebook

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

Are you missing a tax receipt?

We have recently received some calls regarding missing tax receipts for the Diocesan Annual Appeal. Some donors checked the 'Anonymous donation' box, which means that tax receipts are not issued, but it is combined into an Anonymous donors pool instead.

If you are missing a tax receipt from us and you may have checked the Anonymous donor box, please contact the Appeal Office at appeal@pgdiocese.bc.ca or call us at 250-964-4424. Please note that correcting the issue is somewhat time-consuming, and it will take several days before we will be able to issue a receipt.



Chrism Mass

The <u>Chrism Mass</u> will be celebrated on the morning of <u>Holy Thursday</u>, <u>April 1</u>, <u>2021</u>, <u>11:00 AM at Sacred Heart Cathedral</u>. 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 lotof 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 <u>secretary@shcpg.ca</u>.

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!

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Please refer to the previous issue of Wednesday Weekly for details or you may contact Lisa Vaughan-Farell at lvfarrell@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
- 2. **Diocese of Whitehorse** is seeking for Catholic School Principal (closing date is on 11 April 2021 at 11:30 p.m. PDT
 - Please click the link for details Job posting
 - Click Yukon Education <u>'Apply for a job'</u> page
- 3. St. Mary's and Immaculate Conception are looking for a Book Keeper
 - Please click the link for details Book Keeper Ad



Young Adults



Summit: An Online Night of Prayer, Testimony, and Virtual Adoration

"Listen! I am standing at the door, knocking; if you hear my voice and open the door, I will come in to you and eat with you and you with me." – Revelation 3:20

"Come to me, all you that are weary and are carrying heavy burdens, and I will give you rest" – Matthew 11:28

Come join our UNBC/CNC students and young adult community for an online ZOOM gathering of prayer! Revelation 3:20 and Matthew 11:28 are the scripture verses that we'll be meditating on throughout this online Summit! Fr. Pawel will be sharing a reflection on the two scripture verses, and Paula Manrique is giving her testimony. Afterwards, we'll have a time of online adoration with live worship, live-streamed from St. Mary's Church here in Prince George!

Date: Friday, March 26th from 7:30-9:00pm via ZOOM!

All are invited to attend!

How to access the ZOOM link:

Follow the young adult community in Prince George on Facebook here:

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

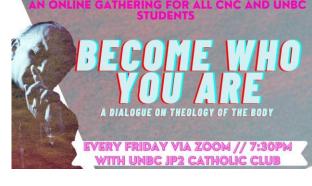
Or email Lisa at: lvfarrell@pgdiocese.bc.ca

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 IOOM link!)



Instagram:



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

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 <u>reception@pgdiocese.bc.ca</u> by **NOON** on Tuesday.

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

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