



The Roman Catholic
**DIOCESE OF
PRINCE GEORGE**

Wednesday Weekly

May 19, 2021



Pentecost Sunday

May 23, 2021

*"As the Father has sent me, so I send you.
Receive the Holy Spirit."*

John 20.19-23

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

- **May 22** – Discernment Retreat

Attachments

- [Appeal Update \(May 19, 2021\)](#)

Year of St. Joseph – Webpage



Online Broadcast of the Daily / Sunday Masses:

- [Sacred Heart Cathedral, PG Facebook](#)
- [Annunciation Parish Prince Rupert Facebook](#)
- [Sacred Heart, Terrace YouTube Channel](#)
- [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](#)

Called Together Update

We continue to have a few donations trickle in, for which we are very grateful.

A reminder that the Diocesan Annual Appeal will conclude the 2020-2021 appeal year on June 30, 2021. All donations received after that date will be credited to the 2021-2022 appeal year. The "active phase" of the next appeal will not begin until September, however.

An updated report is attached to the Wednesday Weekly. Please note that there are still unfulfilled pledges outstanding. For most parishes, these donations would form part of your parish rebate. It may be worth reminding parishioners through your online bulletins or email messages that there isn't a lot of time left for those pledges to be fulfilled and that those funds will go to parish projects. Any additional donations received by June 30th will be rebated to most parishes (those who have exceeded their goal in pledges received), so it may be a good time to encourage additional donations to help with your parish projects.

We have been very grateful to Sacred Heart Parish in Terrace and Christ the King Parish in Kitimat, who have generously contributed a meaningful portion of their parish rebates to the smaller parishes and missions throughout the Diocese who have reduced grants from Catholic Missions in Canada. Not only were these parishes generous in their contributions, but their joy in being able to assist others was very gratifying. These two parishes join Immaculate Conception Parish and St. Mary's Parish in Prince George in making substantial gifts. We are very grateful for your leadership and generosity.

We continue to be very thankful to those who have been generous in their donations and in their prayers through this very difficult year. We continue to be encouraged by the awareness across the diocese that we are all working together and are responsible to help meet the needs of the parishes, missions and ministries throughout our Diocese.

RCEC Payroll Timesheets Due Friday

As this is a long weekend, please ensure that your timesheets are in to Catherine by the end of day on **Friday, May 21st**. Timesheets received after that deadline may not be able to be processed in time for the current payroll period, and may have to be deferred to the next pay period. Your cooperation is greatly appreciated. Have a lovely Victoria Day long weekend!

Catholic Women's League Fundraiser



The BC/Yukon Provincial CWL Council has the honour of hosting the 2022 National Catholic Womens League Convention to be held in Kelowna. This is very exciting for them to welcome all members from across Canada to the marvelous Province and Territory. As part of their fundraising efforts for this event, they are selling beautiful pashminas which would make great gifts for any catholic woman.

Support CWL! Please click the poster for details →



*Rest in
Peace*

It is with sadness that we inform you that Fr. James Irudayasamy's brother Peter died in India of an apparent heart attack (he had recently tested negative for the Covid-19 virus). He is survived by a wife and son.

Let us pray for Peter and the Irudayasamy family, particularly Fr. James who cannot travel to be with them.

*"Eternal rest grant unto him, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon him.
May he Rest in Peace. Amen."*

Danny Brock Retirement

Please see the CONFIDENTIAL attachment for information about Danny Brock's retirement in Victoria. Danny was a big part of our Catholic high school in Prince George for many years. If you know Danny, we would encourage you to participate in response to the request from St. Andrew's Regional High.



CONFIDENTIAL-
Danny-Brock-
Retirement.pdf

Employment Opportunities

1. **Catholic Independent Schools - Prince George:**
 - a) Principal of Learning Services
 - b) Full-time teaching vacancies in Beautiful BC
 - *If you are interested or know someone that may be a good fit for one of the positions, please visit the CISPG website [Careers | Catholic Independent Schools \(cispg.ca\)](https://www.cispg.ca) for more details and job descriptions. Questions can be directed by email to cis@cispg.ca*
2. **Catholic Independent Schools – Victoria Island:** seeking for Religious Education Teacher & Retreat Leader at St. Andrew's Regional High School in Victoria.
 - *Please click the link for details – [Job posting](#)*
3. **St. Mary's and Immaculate Conception** are looking for a Book Keeper
 - *Please click the link for details – [Book Keeper Ad](#)*
4. **Diocese of Victoria** is seeking for Catholic Chaplain for the University of Victoria and Camosun College
 - *Please click the link for details – <https://www.rcdvictoria.org/employment>*



Young Adults

Virtual Discernment Retreat 2021

What is God asking of me?

Join us for a 1-day discernment retreat on May 22

For details, please see the poster →

To register, click the link ↓

<https://www.pgdiocese.bc.ca/youth/2021-discernment/>



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!)

Instagram:



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



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.