



The Roman Catholic
**DIOCESE OF
PRINCE GEORGE**

Wednesday Weekly

June 30, 2021



14th Sunday in Ordinary Time

July 4, 2021

*"A Prophet is not without honour,
except in his hometown."*

Mark 6.1-6

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

Online Broadcast of the Daily / Sunday Masses:

- [Sacred Heart Cathedral, PG Facebook](#)
- [Annunciation Parish Prince Rupert Facebook](#)
- [Sacred Heart, Terrace YouTube Channel](#)
- [St. Joseph's Parish, Smithers Facebook](#)
- [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](#)

Year of St. Joseph – Webpage



As We Enter The Post-Pandemic World

Now that restrictions on the size of congregations in churches have been removed by provincial health authorities, the Dispensation from the obligation to attend Mass on Sundays has ended. Now we should all once again gather to worship God through the highest prayer, the Holy Mass. The *Catechism of the Catholic Church* teaches:

“2176 The celebration of Sunday observes the moral commandment inscribed by nature in the human heart to render to God an outward, visible, public, and regular worship "as a sign of his universal beneficence to all."¹⁰⁹ Sunday worship fulfills the moral command of the Old Covenant, taking up its rhythm and spirit in the weekly celebration of the Creator and Redeemer of his people.

2177 The Sunday celebration of the Lord's Day and His Eucharist is at the heart of the Church's life. "Sunday is the day on which the paschal mystery is celebrated in light of the apostolic tradition and is to be observed as the foremost holy day of obligation in the universal Church."¹¹⁰

2178 This practice of the Christian assembly dates from the beginnings of the apostolic age.¹¹² The Letter to the Hebrews reminds the faithful "not to neglect to meet together, as is the habit of some, but to encourage one another."¹¹³

Tradition preserves the memory of an ever-timely exhortation: Come to Church early, approach the Lord, and confess your sins, repent in prayer.... Be present at the sacred and divine liturgy, conclude its prayer and do not leave before the dismissal.... We have often said: "This day is given to you for prayer and rest. This is the day that the Lord has made, let us rejoice and be glad in it."¹¹⁴

The Sunday obligation

2180 The precept of the Church specifies the law of the Lord more precisely: "On Sundays and other holy days of obligation the faithful are bound to participate in the Mass."¹¹⁷ "The precept of participating in the Mass is satisfied by assistance at a Mass which is celebrated anywhere in a Catholic rite either on the holy day or on the evening of the preceding day."¹¹⁸

2181 The Sunday Eucharist is the foundation and confirmation of all Christian practice. For this reason the faithful are obliged to participate in the Eucharist on days of obligation, unless excused for a serious reason (for example, illness, the care of infants) or dispensed by their own pastor.¹¹⁹ Those who deliberately fail in this obligation commit a grave sin.

2182 Participation in the communal celebration of the Sunday Eucharist is a testimony of belonging and of being faithful to Christ and to his Church. the faithful give witness by this to their communion in faith and charity. Together they testify to God's holiness and their hope of salvation. They strengthen one another under the guidance of the Holy Spirit.”

Monthly Day of Adoration



Emmanuel Hermitage invites you to a Personal Date with Jesus PERSONAL DATE WITH JESUS

Where: Domano Chapel

Date: July 13th (second Tuesday of the month)

Time: from 8 am to 8 pm

Christ Our Saviour Parish

Christ Our Saviour Parish has several youth cassocks, surplices, and albs available for free to a parish or school that can use them. The surplices have squared or rounded necklines and come in sizes for children XS - XL. The albs and cassocks are in a variety of colours. There are many off-white albs, and a minimum of 8 each of red, green, and purple cassocks. All range in size for kids XS - XL. Perhaps your parish can use them for servers, or your school for costumes for Christmas plays or choirs. They are all in good used condition and have been recently washed and ironed. Please email Lucy at cos.llq@outlook.com if your parish or school would like some or all of them.

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. St. Mary's and Immaculate Conception are looking for a Book Keeper

- Please click the link for details – [Book Keeper Ad](#)



Young Adults

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



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