



The Roman Catholic  
**DIOCESE OF  
PRINCE GEORGE**

# Wednesday Weekly

**November 10, 2021**

**World Day of the Poor**

**The Thirty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time**

**November 14, 2021**

*And then he will send out the angels,  
and gather his elect from the four winds,  
from the ends of the earth to the ends  
of heaven.*

*-Mark 13.27*



**When Applicable** - please ensure that the following items are in your bulletin and/or are also announced so that the same information is heard across the diocese. Thank you.

**Online Broadcast of the Daily / Sunday Masses:**

- [Sacred Heart Cathedral, PG Facebook](#)
- [Annunciation Parish Prince Rupert Facebook](#)
- [St. Joseph's Parish, Smithers Facebook](#)
- [Church of the Resurrection, Facebook](#)

**Attachments**

- [Appeal 2021-22 Update](#)

**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**



## Indigenous Representatives to meet with Pope Francis in December

From December 17-20, 2021, Pope Francis will meet with a delegation of 25-30 First Nations, Inuit, and Métis Elders, knowledge keepers, residential school survivors, and youth. The delegation will be accompanied by a small group of Canadian Bishops.

The Assembly of First Nations, the Métis National Council, the Inuit Tapiriit Kanatami, and other Indigenous leaders have been involved in planning the delegation through ongoing dialogue with the CCCB. Vatican representatives have also confirmed that the Holy Father will take part in private meetings with the First Nations, Inuit and Métis delegates to hear their personal stories of the legacy of the residential schools. There will also be an opportunity for the delegates to share their hopes and expectations for the Holy Father's future pilgrimage to Canada with him directly.

Read the full CCCB news release [here](#).

## Diocesan Appeal and Healing and Reconciliation Update

It was a fairly quiet week for the Diocesan and Healing and Reconciliation Appeals. We are another \$1,800 nearer the Diocesan Appeal goal, and the Healing and Reconciliation Appeal added another \$800 to the total to reach \$53,662 pledged.

We did see over \$5,000 in additional pledges which will be returned as parish rebates.

Annunciation Parish managed to climb over the 200% mark this week, and Immaculate Conception surpassed 130% of their goal. St. Andrew's in Fraser Lake added another 6% to their total and St. Joseph's in Smithers added nearly 8%. St. Peter's in Mackenzie had a big jump of nearly 15%.

Thank you to everyone who has contributed their financial and spiritual support to the needs of our diocese. We ask for your continued support for the many needs of our small parishes, missions and ministries throughout Northern B.C. as well as the contributions made to the important work of healing and reconciliation.

## MaterCare International

MaterCare International is an organization of Catholic health professionals dedicated to the care of mothers and babies. MCI's mission is to carry out the work of Evangelium Vitae (the Gospel of Life) by improving the lives and health of mothers and babies, both born and unborn, through new initiatives of service, training, research, and advocacy designed to reduce the tragic levels of abortion world-wide and maternal and perinatal mortality, morbidity in developing countries. Learn more at this link on the diocesan website: [www.matercare.org](http://www.matercare.org).

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