

June 21, 2023

The 12th Sunday of Ordinary Time June 25, 2023

"Are not two sparrows sold for a penny? Yet not one of them will fall to the ground apart from your Father. And even the hairs of your head are all counted. So do not be afraid; you are of more value than many sparrows."



-Matthew 10.26-33

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:

- <u>Sacred Heart Cathedral, PG Facebook</u>
- <u>St. Joseph's Parish, Smithers Facebook</u>

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

- Salt & Light
- <u>Vision TV</u>

• <u>EWTN TV</u>

Attachments

- 2024-26 National Collection Schedule
- Camp Emile Facilities Poster
- Job Ad Executive Assistant for the Bishop of Nelson
- Advokate Hope for Women Site Manager's Assistant Job Description

Aid to the Church in Need Releases Annual Report

Aid to the Church in Need (ACN) has released its annual report for 2022. More than 364,000 individual benefactors donated a record total of \$200,028,422 in 2022—almost 13 million more than in 2021.

ACN funded 5,702 projects in 2022, including 353 in Ukraine to help priests, religious, seminarians and other Church workers who have been working with refugees and others in desperate situations. 972 were construction projects, around one third of which were churches or chapels. 1,253 vehicles, including cars, motorcycles, boats, buses, trucks and bicycles, were purchased to make it easier for pastoral workers to carry out their missions, especially in Africa and Latin America.

The largest project of the year was the restoration of a partly destroyed parish centre in Iraq, which amounted to over 1.3 million dollars, and the smallest was a training program in Colombia, valued at 400 dollars.

The full annual report can be viewed here: <u>https://acn-canada.org/over-200-million-dollars-in-donations-for-suffering-christians-around-the-world/</u>

World Day for Grandparents and the Elderly

The third World Day for Grandparents and the Elderly will be celebrated on Sunday, July 23, 2023. The theme Pope Francis has chosen for this year's World Day is "His mercy is from age to age" (Luke 1:50).

The CCCB has prepared promotional resources for this year's World Day, including a 30-second video of high school students visiting a retirement home. Parishes are invited to make use of these resources as the World Day approaches.

The CCCB resources can be found on their website here: <u>https://www.cccb.ca/faith-moral-issues/family-and-life/grandparents-and-the-elderly/</u>

Ready-to-Use Social Media Assets from the CCCB

The CCCB has ready-to-use social media assets for various platforms and parish bulletins made available by its Office for Evangelization and Catechesis.

Parishes which are interested in the use of these assets for their websites, social media, or bulletins can find them on the CCCB website here: <u>https://www.cccb.ca/evangelization-catechesis-catholic-education/ready-to-use-social-media-assets/</u>

National Collection Schedule

The 2024-26 National Collection Schedule for parishes is available. If you have not already received it earlier in the year, please find a copy of the schedule attached to this week's Wednesday Weekly.

Bishop Robert Barron's Film Series "The Mass" currently streaming for free

Word on Fire is currently making Bishop Robert Barron's best-selling film series "the Mass" available for free on their website in support of the National Eucharistic Revival, which is a movement dedicated to restoring understanding and devotion to the Real Presence of Jesus Christ in the Eucharist.

The series can be found on their website here: https://videos.wordonfire.org/themassepisode1

Camp Emile is now Open for Bookings

The facilities at Camp Emile are now available for bookings. Please see the attached poster for details.

Camp Morice Events and Bookings

Camp Morice Summer Camping: send booking questions and requests to info@campmorice.com.

Open camping is available periodically throughout the summer for \$40/cabin/night or \$20/RVsite/night.

Two family camps are open: Family Camp June 30-July 3, Family Cana Camp August 8-11.

Couples for Christ Family Camp: July 28, 29, 30.

A website will be available soon.

One Million Children Praying the Rosary for World Peace – Save the Date: October 18, 2023

Aid to the Church in Need (ACN) Canada will be holding this year's One Million Children Praying the Rosary on Wednesday, October 18, 2023. In addition to children and their families, CAN invites pastoral workers in parishes and schools to contact Valérie Vulcain, the campaign coordinator, to be included on the mailing list for campaign materials which will be sent in August.

For more information about the campaign, please see the ACN press release here: https://acncanada.org/one-million-children-praying-the-rosary-for-world-peace/

Formed

Formed, a website full of Catholic content including talk-shows, documentaries, kids entertainment, and educational series on various topics of the faith, is now available for anyone within the Prince George diocese to sign up for free.



Learn more at formed.org

The best Catholic content. All in one place.

It's EASY and FREE to register!

- 1. Visit formed.org/signup
- 2. Enter our parish zip or name
- 3. Enter your name and email
- Enjoy and share with others
- in our local community!

After you sign up, download the free FORMED app from App Store or Google Play.



Employment Opportunities

Catholic Independent Schools Diocese of Prince George (CISPG)

Catholic Independent Schools Diocese of Prince George (CISPG) is hiring for September 2023 for full-time teaching positions in Prince George, Smithers, Prince Rupert, Kitimat and Dawson Creek. Please help spread the word! Postings found at <u>http://cispg.ca/careers</u>

Diocese of Prince George

Parish Secretary: Christ Our Saviour Parish will be hiring a new secretary to start in August. 8-10 hours a week, time is flexible. Duties include preparing documents for receiving Sacraments, preparing the weekly bulletin, answering calls and emails, filing documents, ordering supplies, taking and preparing minutes at meetings, etc. For more information, or to drop off your resume, please call or email Fr. Michael (meboumche@pgdiocese.ca) or Teresa (cos.pg@outlook.com).

Diocese of Victoria

The Diocese of Victoria is hiring a Chief Financial Officer. The CFO serves as the financial administrator of the Diocese and reports directly to the Bishop. This is an exceptional opportunity for an individual who wants to be part of the Diocese's senior management team and to oversee the stewardship of the organization's fiscal resources in support of the mission of the Diocese. The position of Chief Financial Officer is an ecclesiastical office which is open to lay women and men, and is governed by the provisions of the Code of Canon Law. The deadline to apply is June 30, 2023, but they reserve the right to shorten or extend this deadline depending on interest, so please apply early to ensure your application will be considered. The job posting can be found here: https://www.rcdvictoria.org/employment

Diocese of Nelson

The Diocesan Office of the Diocese of Nelson, situated in Kelowna, BC, is seeking a professional Executive Assistant to the provide exceptional administrative support to the Bishop of Nelson in a professional, courteous and efficient manner. Please see the attached job ad for more information and how to apply.

Diocese of Kamloops

Financial Officer: The Diocese of Kamloops is seeking an experienced individual to lead financial operations across the Diocese and its Parishes. Reporting to the Bishop of the Diocese, the successful individual will have an opportunity to lend their experience and financial acumen o support their faith community, while staying engaged professionally. This role would be ideal for a seasoned professional looking to start the transition into a more flexible, balanced lifestyle. Qualified candidates are asked to submit their resume along with a covering letter to deaconpaul@rcdk.org citing "Financial Officer RCDK" in the subject line. We will receive resumes

up to June 29, 2023 at 4 PM. We appreciate all expressed interest in this position; however, only candidates selected for an interview will be contacted. No phone calls please. The Job Posting can be found at https://www.rcdk.org/employment-opportunities

Safe Environment and Human Resources Office: The Diocese of Kamloops is seeking an experienced and energetic, self-starting individual with excellent leadership skills to serve as the Safe Environment and Human Resources Officer in the Diocesan Office. This individual is an integral member of the Diocesan Leadership Team, working closely with other Diocesan staff, and building close relationships with the clergy, lay leaders, and volunteers throughout the Diocese. Qualified applicants are asked to submit their resume via email, along with covering letter to deaconpaul@rcdk.org citing "Safe Environment and Human Resources Officer" in the subject line. Resumes will be accepted until June 29, 2023 at 4 PM. We appreciate all expressed interest in this position; only the candidates selected for an interview will be contacted. No phone calls please. The Job Posting can be found at https://www.rcdk.org/employment-opportunities

Advokate Life and Education Services

Prince George: Do you long for a career that makes a difference? Hope for Women Pregnancy Services is seeking a Site Manager's Assistant to help support their ministry to women and children in the Prince George area. The ideal candidate has some experience in counseling, strong administrative abilities, and is enthusiastic about our cause. Please see the attached job description for information on how to apply.

Face to Face Ministries

Retreat Leader: Face to Face Ministries is hiring a Retreat Leader who will be responsible for helping plan and facilitate Face to Face events, such as School Retreats, contracted events, Depths Retreats, and the United Conference, as well as being involved in summer programming. A large portion of the Retreat Leader role is planning and facilitating the Face to Face School Retreats with another retreat leader. The deadline to apply is June 30, 2023. If you would like more information or are interested in applying, please see the job description on their website: <u>https://f2f.ca/employment/</u>

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. To receive all diocesan news directly in your inbox or on your phone email <u>reception@pgdiocese.bc.ca</u> 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.