



The Roman
Catholic Diocese
of
Prince George

Wednesday Weekly

September 23, 2026

26th Sunday in Ordinary Time |
September 27, 2026

“For John came to you in the way of righteousness and you did not believe him, but the tax collectors and the prostitutes believed him; and even after you saw it, you did not change your minds and believe him.”

Matthew 21.28-32

THIS WEEK ON FORMED

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New this Week!

Called Together Diocesan Annual Appeal

We've managed to get through the kick-off and into the active phase of our Appeal. As in prior years, we can't provide updated donation numbers as we've just started processing what's come in.

This weekend centers on the parish priest or his designate making a short presentation about the importance of the appeal and how it supports the different ministries and small parishes and missions throughout the diocese. Our parishioners need to know that the funds they donate are being well used and that their contribution makes a big difference in the lives of so many people.

As always, if you have any questions, please feel free to contact me at jfowlie@pgdiocese.bc.ca.

Monthly Day of Adoration

Emmanuel Hermitage invites you to a Personal Date with Jesus on **Wednesday October 14th, 2026** at the **Domano Chapel, 6500 Southridge Ave.**

Mass will be celebrated at 7:30 AM and the Blessed Sacrament will be exposed from **8:00 AM to 6:00 PM** for a day of silent prayer and adoration. We will pray for the universal Church and the world, for our Bishop and Priests, and for the people and needs of our Diocese. In particular we will pray for the protection of all human life, for all the sick, for vocations, for Peace in our world, and for the intentions of those participating in the day.

Please, mark your calendar on the **SECOND WEDNESDAY of each month** for *Personal Date with Jesus days*, which we will continue holding at the **Domano Chapel** as weather and circumstances allow.

Diocese of Nelson – Job Posting for Financial Administrator

The Diocese of Nelson, which encompasses the Okanagan and Kootenays of beautiful British Columbia, is recruiting for the position of Diocesan Financial Administrator. The office is located in Kelowna at the Catholic Pastoral Centre.

The Financial Administrator is responsible for oversight of all Financial, administrative and business affairs of the diocese. Provides strategic financial guidance and effective advisory support to the Bishop, parishes and Catholic Independent Schools of the Nelson Diocese (CISND). The Financial Administrator ensures compliance with regulatory requirements and fosters long-term financial sustainability of the Diocese.

If you are interested in this position, please see the attached job posting for more details and application instructions

Knights of Columbus – Into the Breach: The Dignity of Work

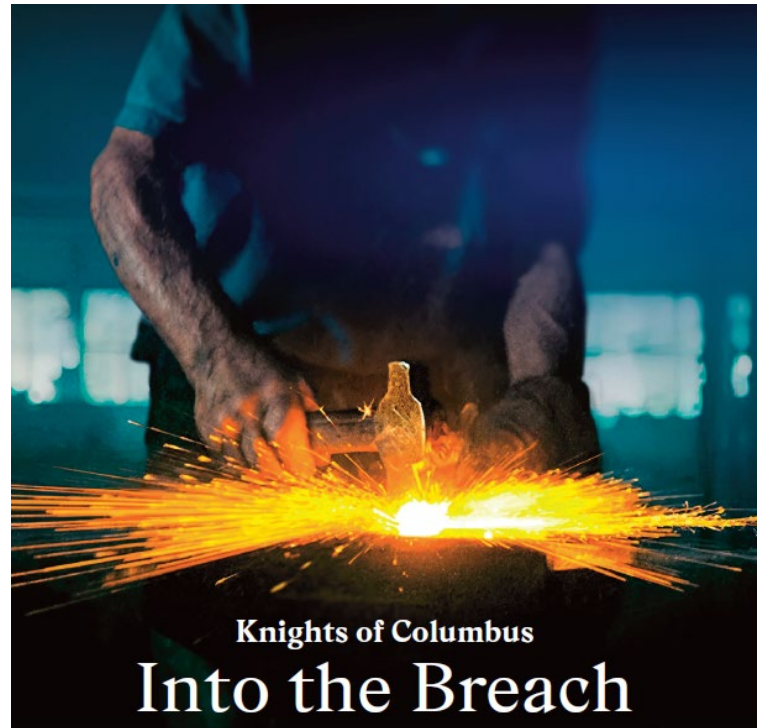
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Location: Emmaus House (Diocesan Pastoral Centre – 6500 Southridge Ave)

Dates: October 2, 16, 30 and November 20 & 27, 2026

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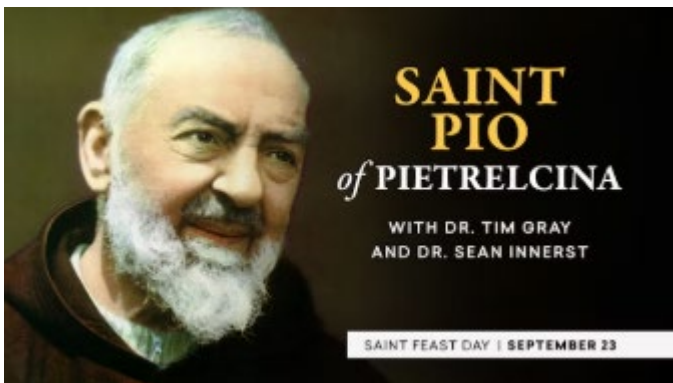
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Don't have a Formed account? Follow the steps to sign up for free under your Parish here: <https://help.formed.org/support/solutions/articles/9000210892-how-do-parishioners-sign-up-for-free-under-the-parish->

Did you know? Formed has a leadership resource website for those members of a parish who lead or participate in ministry. You can find those resources here: <https://leaders.formed.org/>

Teaching TOB to Tots, 'Tweens, and Teens: Theology of the Body Basics, Sexuality, and a Loving Response to Transgender Issues

Wednesday, October 7, 2026 from 7:00-8:00pm at The Diocesan Pastoral Center Conference Wing (6500 Southridge Ave.) and online.

We invite you to come to hear international speaker and author, Monica Ashour from TOBET, the Theology of the Body Evangelization Team, present this compelling teaching with stories, truth, and real compassion. Learn more at tobet.org

A link to stream the talk will be released at a later date. If you want to receive the link as soon as it is available, please let us know your email here:

<https://forms.cloud.microsoft/r/c6GUM70ik6>

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Pro-Life

Advocate – 2026 Celebrate Life Gala Church Promo Package

Dear Pastors and Church Leaders,

We are excited to invite you and your congregation to our 2026 Celebrate Life Gala, an evening dedicated to celebrate and champion our life-saving mission!

This year's Gala will be held on:

- Date: Thursday, October 1, 2026
- Time: 7:00 - 9:00 pm (pre-dinner reception at 6:00pm)
- Location: Civic Centre

The Celebrate Life Gala is our largest annual fundraising event, which enables us to continue to create educated communities where families thrive and babies' lives are valued and welcomed. Your partnership is so valuable to the lives we touch and we would love for you to join us.



How your church can help:

Attend the Gala: We encourage you, your leadership, and members of your congregation to join us for an evening of fellowship, inspiration, and support for a vital cause. Tables are available for purchase and/or free through General Seating and can be reserved at <https://celebratelifegala.ca/prince-george/>

Spread the Word: We kindly ask for your assistance in sharing information about the Gala with your congregation. Please consider including an announcement in your bulletins, newsletters, or during service. Below is a link to our church promo package, where you will find posters, PowerPoint slides, bulletin inserts, social media graphics, and announcements for your convenience.

Your support, whether through attendance or by helping us reach more people, is deeply appreciated and makes a tangible difference.

Promo Package on Google Drive:

https://drive.google.com/drive/folders/1pb9bCMDjis38QQBJ_ORVw4U1jw0SlOVW

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