

# St. Joseph's Parish

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**Pastor:** Rev. Rectorino M. Tolentino, Jr.

## SUNDAY BULLETIN

### Pentecost Sunday

June 8, 2014

*Acts 2.1-11, Ps 104, 1 Corinthians 12.3b-7, 12-13, John 20.19-23*

**"Receive the Holy Spirit.**

*If you forgive the sins of any, they are forgiven them;  
 if you retain the sins of any, they are retained."*



### Weekday Mass Times 10<sup>th</sup> Week in Ordinary Time

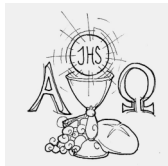
**June 9 - 13**

**Monday**  
**Tuesday** 6:15pm  
**Wednesday** 9am  
**Thursday** 11am @ Bulkley Lodge  
**Friday** 9am

**Praying the Liturgy of the Hours before Weekday Mass:**  
 Morning Prayer: 8:45am; Evening Prayer: 6pm

### Sunday Mass Times

SOLEMNITY, The Most Holy Trinity  
**June 14 - 15**



**Saturday** 7pm † Jessie Eileen Towns  
**Sunday** 9am † Lawrence & Irene Perry

Please remember the following in your prayers:  
**Sarah, Zenny Schwegler, Jennifer Duran Sikkes,  
 Patty Rathjen Sikkes**  
 If you or someone you know would like to be on this list, please call the parish office. Names will be removed at the end of the month to ensure the list is completely accurate and up to date. To keep a name on the list you must call again. Thank you for your understanding.

Ministry Schedule  
**SUNDAY, June 14 & 15, 2014**  
 Solemnity, The Most Holy Trinity

DATE	Saturday, June 14	Sunday, June 15
<b>GREETERS</b>	Nilda Hudson Dan & Yarah Ford	Maria Pacheco Wayne & Andrea Callison
<b>LECTORS</b>	Patty Spicer Christine Tessier	Tina Gemmel Eileen Bouvier
<b>Extraordinary Ministers of</b>	Willy Koldyk Maria Sowa	Al & Tina Bruintjes Johanna Habjan
<b>ALTAR SERVERS</b>	Marco	Jack, Gabe



**upcoming** ⇒ Monday, June 9, 7pm, *Parish Pastoral Council Meeting*, Parish Center;  
**EVENTS** ⇒ Wednesday, June 11, 7pm, *Discovery Faith Study*, Church Foyer;  
 ⇒ Friday, June 13, 9am, *Mass, Anniversary Blessing of the Original Church*

### PARISH MISSION STATEMENT

*"We are the Catholic Community of St. Joseph's Parish, gathered as disciples of Jesus Christ to worship God, to serve others and to grow as loving members of God's family."*

# COLLECTION REPORTS

## SUNDAY COLLECTION

May 31 & June 1, Solemnity, Ascension Sunday

Church \$ 2,891.45  
Pope's Pastoral Works \$ 65.00  
School \$ 255.00

*Thank you for your generosity!*

## Pastor's Notes



Pope Francis is asking the Presidents of Episcopal Conferences to invite Bishops, those in consecrated life and all the faithful to join him in prayer for the invocation of peace which is scheduled at the Vatican on June 8, 2014. The request has been sent to the world's Episcopal Conferences by the Vatican diplomatic service. This is further to the Holy Father's recent pilgrimage to the Holy Land

when he invited Israeli President Shimon Peres, Palestinian President Mahmoud Abbas and His Holiness Bartholomew, Ecumenical Patriarch of Constantinople, to visit the Holy See and pray for peace. The following is the invitation that has been issued for Catholics in our country and all Canadians by the Most Reverend Paul-André Durocher, President of the Canadian Conference of Catholic Bishops.

Together with the Holy Father and all my brother Bishops, I urge Catholics and everyone of goodwill to join in prayer for the meeting at the Vatican this June 8 of His Holiness Pope Francis, His Excellency President Shimon Peres, and His Excellency President Mahmoud Abbas, together with His Holiness Bartholomew, the Ecumenical Patriarch of Constantinople. For most Christians, this is the day of Pentecost, the feast of the Holy Spirit. The Spirit of God hovered over the waters of chaos, bringing the universe into being, and continues to inspire prophets and leaders. By the power of the Holy Spirit, the Virgin Mary became the Mother of Jesus Christ, Prince of Peace. Transformed by the fire and the wind of the Spirit, the disciples of Christ become the community of faith and forgiveness. May the Holy Spirit encourage and strengthen this meeting at the Vatican and all efforts in the Holy Land and throughout the Middle East for peace and justice, healing and reconciliation. May this day be an important moment for each of us as children of our heavenly Father and for all our world in experiencing and deepening God's gift of peace.

+ Paul-André Durocher  
Archbishop of Gatineau and  
President of the Canadian Conference of Catholic Bishops

### Parish Year-End Barbeque

Please come, let us gather together on Sunday, June 22<sup>nd</sup> for a Parish Year-End BBQ and Social. We will celebrate Mass at 11 o'clock in the morning and have loads of fun after at our Parish Garden. Parishioners are asked to bring salad or dessert for that day. The rest of the food will be provided. Thanks to Johanna Habjan, Social Coordinator of our parish and to Jim Schwab, Grand Knight and other members of the Knights of Columbus for organizing this event for us. See you there!!!

**NOTE:** Please be reminded of the Mass Time change on June 22<sup>nd</sup>. We will have Mass at 11 o'clock in the morning. NO 9am Mass. Thank you.



## ST. JOSEPH'S SCHOOL

School Principal: Rosemary McKenzie  
Our school website: [www.stjosephsschool.ca](http://www.stjosephsschool.ca)  
Phone: 250-847-9414

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### SCHOOL COUNCIL NOMINATIONS

St. Joseph's School Council would like to thank Mrs. Ranjit Kerr for her years of service as a Council Member.

Nominations are now being sought for the vacant position on council. The candidate nominated must be a Catholic 18 years of age or older. Please call the office for more information or to make nomination.

**NOMINATE NOW!**



### ST. JOSEPH'S SCHOOL HAS A TEMPORARY .2 PRIMARY POSITION FOR 2014 - 2015

A one-day a week temporary position is open for next school year in grade two. Please send resume, with references,

to: St. Joseph's School, Box 454, Smithers, BC, V0J 2N0 attention: Hiring Committee.

### Employment Opportunities – CISPG

Catholic Independent Schools has available teaching jobs in the communities of Prince Rupert, Prince George, Dawson Creek, and Kitimat beginning in September 2014. If you are interested, please see our website for the job specific ads at: [www.cispg.ca](http://www.cispg.ca). Thank you!

### Parent Support Group BBQ Fundraiser for Fencing the Playground - for families, note the date change!

The PSG will be hosting a Lunch Hour BBQ on Wednesday, June 18<sup>th</sup>. We have changed the date to coincide with the Talent Show. It is our hope that you will all join us over the lunch hour, purchase a hamburger and/or hotdog and help us fundraise money for the Fence Project, and then be entertained by our fabulous students. The prices for students are: cheeseburger or hamburger - \$3.00 each, and hotdog - \$ 2.00 each. Adult purchases are by donation. Please contact Shannon if you are able to help (250-877-1043).



### Camp Morice 2014

Come experience the most beautiful and amazing place in Northern BC! Camp Morice offers a variety of camps for both family and young people alike. You will find friendship and enjoy lots of games and other activities such as swimming and campfire. There is an adventure waiting for everyone which will be loads of fun! Come for an amazing week of faith filled fun that will last a lifetime. Are you ready for your great adventure?

- July 6 - 9: Leadership Training (*for those 15 and up*)
- July 13 - 18: Teen Camp (*completed gr. 7 to completed gr. 12*)
- July 20 - 25: Tween Camp # 1 (*completed gr.4 to completed gr.6*)
- July 27 - August 1: Cana Camp # 1 (*For all families*)
- August 3 - 8: Cana Camp # 2 (*For all families*)
- August 10 -15: Kids Camp (*completed gr.1 t completed gr.3*)
- August 17 - 22: Tween Camp # 2 (*completed gr.4 to completed gr.6*)
- August 22—24: Young Adults' Retreat (*for those 19 and up*)
- August 24 - 29: Teen Camp (*completed gr.7 to completed gr.12*)

For more information and to register, go to [www.campmorice.com](http://www.campmorice.com) or e-mail, [info@campmorice.com](mailto:info@campmorice.com), phone 250-564-5614.

## PARISH LEADERSHIP TEAM

### *Pastor*

Rev. Rectorino M. Tolentino, Jr.

### *Staff*

*Pastoral Assistant:* Dennis Gonia

*Secretary:* Brenda Pyper

### Parish Pastoral Council

*Chairperson & Diocesan Appeal Coordinator:*

Michael desHarnais

*Social Coordinator:* Johanna Habjan

*Liturgy:* Gemma Gillis

*Youth Ministry:* Taryn Lowe

*Development & Peace:* Marj Coupe

*Fundraising:* vacant

*Refugee:* Ann Griffith, Linda Rosner

*Catholic Women's League:* Mary Ellen Kallio

*Knights of Columbus:* James Schwab

*School Council Co-Chairperson:* Rob Blackburn/Trevor Bruintjies

### Parish Finance Committee

*Chairperson:* Garry Heinbecker

*Vice Chairperson:* Wayne Callison

*Maintenance:* Pete Stroet

*Collections:* Rita Coupe

Casey Pyper

### Other Areas of Ministries:

*RCIA & Children's Catechism:* Carol de Gelder & Dennis Gonia

*Children's Liturgy Coordinator:* Ann Marie MacIsaac & Crystal Adams

*Altar Servers:* Nancy Verbeek

*Music:* Lori Cachia & Mary Spicer

## PARISH & DIOCESAN NEWS



Welcome to our Catholic Christian Community:  
Ava Marie Priscilla who was baptized last Sunday, June 1. Ava is a baby daughter of Al & Anna Gauthier.

Kaleigh Sanchez who was baptized last Wednesday, June 4. Kaleigh is a baby daughter of Katrina Sanchez.



### Seminary Live-In for Men, July 4-6, 2014:

The next Vocation "Live-in" for Men at the Seminary of Christ the King, Mission, BC will take place July 4-6, 2014. A Vocation Live-In is an opportunity for young men ages Grade 10 and up to meet other young men interested in the priesthood or consecrated life. During the weekend there are times for community prayer, daily mass and rosary, sports, discussion groups, and a tour of the seminary. For more information, call Fr. Terry Brock, Vocations Director at 250-635-2313.



**Attention Altar Servers:** Last session and ice cream with Fr. Rector on Tuesday, June 17 at the Church foyer. See you there!!!



### St. Joseph's Parish Knights of Columbus Fr. Callaly Council 7973

Sunday June 8<sup>th</sup> is the regular monthly meeting. We will be holding our annual election at this meeting. We will have a full slate of candidates to officially vote in to office so you don't have to worry about a surprise nomination at the meeting. We require a good turnout for meeting. A full house for the election of officers is necessary to help us show that our council is active when we apply for funding. The meeting will be attended by Frank Visentin. This will be his last meeting as District Deputy



### St. Joseph's Parish Catholic Women's League

C.W.L. meeting date has been changed from the 10<sup>th</sup> to the 17<sup>th</sup> of June. Meeting will be after 6:15 Mass.

"Tea & All Occasions Cards" are still available @10.00 each.

Today's C.W.L. Mass is the last for the summer & will resume again in the Fall.

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Visit to the Sick at Home: by appointment.



## SUNDAY MASS TIME 11:30am



### PARISH LEADERSHIP TEAM

Rev. Rectorino M. Tolentino, Jr.

*Pastor*

Dennis Gonia

*Pastoral Assistant*

### Joint Parish Pastoral Council & Finance Committee Members

*Eric Bishop · Stephen Rose · Georgina Dotto*

*Barbara Jarvis · CWL Representative*



### THE SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE, ICON OF GOD'S LOVE FOR HUMANITY

*(Continuation from last Sunday)*

Francis mentioned that, in his Letter to the Ephesians, St. Paul emphasizes that Christian married couples reflect the great mystery of the relationship that Christ establishes with the Church, which means that "marriage responds to a specific vocation and must be considered as a consecration. The man and woman

consecrate themselves in their love. Married couples, thanks to the Sacrament, are invested with a genuine mission, that of making visible, starting with simple and ordinary things, the love Christ has for His Church".

"The plan inherent in marriage is a truly wonderful! It is expressed in the simplicity, and also the fragility, of the human condition. We are well aware of the many difficulties and trials there may be in the life of a married couple. ... The important thing is to keep alive the link with God, which is at the basis of the matrimonial bond. When a husband prays for his wife, and a wife for her husband, the bond remains strong; each one prays for the other. It is true that married life has many difficulties: work, there isn't enough money, there are problems with the children ... and often the husband and wife become irritable and argue amongst themselves. There are always arguments in marriages, and at times even plates are thrown. But we must not be sad about this: this is the human condition. And the secret is that love is stronger than the moments in which we argue, and I therefore always advise married couples never to let the day draw to an end without making peace. There is no need to call in the United Nations peacekeepers. A little gesture is enough: a caress, see you tomorrow, and tomorrow we start afresh. This is life, and we must face it in this way, with the courage of living it together. Married life is beautiful, and must be protected".

Our prayers and sympathy to Gary & Joan Beaudette for the passing away of Roland Beaudette this past week. May the soul of **Roland** and of all the faithful departed rest in peace. Amen.



### Ministry Schedule SUNDAY, June 15, 2014 SOLEMNITY, The Most Holy Trinity

GREETERS	Claudine Ketchell & Tammy Hiebert
LECTORS	Vic & Gail James
EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF COMMUNION	Dawn Bishop & Adrian Meeuwissen
ALTAR SERVERS	Lucas, Alicia, Isabelle, Tiffany
Gift Bearers	TBA
Collection Counter	Robert Perrault
Church Cleaning	Sherry Kelly & Family (June 9 - 14)

### COLLECTION REPORTS

*Thank you for your constant support and generosity!*

### DONATIONS FROM SUNDAY June 1, 2014

Envelopes	\$ 840.40	Sale of Religious Article	\$ 21.00
Loose	<u>\$ 30.00</u>		
Total	\$ 870.40		



### Let us remember in our prayers:

*Denise Fuljames, Helen & Harry Doyle,  
Nicola Dotto, Eric Bishop Sr,*

Our thanks to all who donated food for the Funeral reception of John Luszcz. Thank you to all who helped out in the Funeral Service as well. Let us continue to pray for Molly and her family.

*Thank You!*

### This Week @ St. Anthony's

- ⇒ **June 13**, Friday, Parish Feast, Feast of St. Anthony of Padua, our patron, Mass, 5pm. Please come and let's celebrate the Feast of our patron saint. Through the intercession of St. Anthony, may God bless our families and grant our prayers.
- ⇒ **June 15**, Sunday, Trinity Sunday, Father's Day, Mass, 11:30am Mass