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SUNDAY BULLETIN

Solemnity, St. Peter and St. Paul

June 29, 2014

Acts 12.1-11, Psalm 34, 2 Timothy 4.6-8, Matthew 16.13-19
 "Who do people say that the Son of Man is?"



Weekday Mass Times 13th Week in Ordinary Time June 30 - July 4

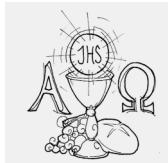
Monday
Tuesday 6:15pm
Wednesday 9am
Thursday 11am @ Bulkley Lodge
Friday 6:15pm followed by Exposition & Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament, SUMMIT

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

Sunday Mass Times

14th Sunday in Ordinary Time A
 July 5 - 6

Saturday 7pm *People of the Parish*
Sunday 9am *People of the Parish*



Please remember the following in your prayers:
**Caterina Napoli, Sarah, Barb, Austin Motz,
 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, July 5 & 6, 2014

14th Sunday in Ordinary Time A

DATE	Saturday, July 5	Sunday, July 6
GREETERS	Dan & Yarah Ford Nilda Hudson	Wayne & Andrea Callison
LECTORS	Jim Schwab	Michael DesHarnais Marj Coupe
Extraordinary Ministers of Communion	Willy Koldyk Jean Moisey	Theo Sikkes Dorothy Cardinal Carol deGelder
ALTAR SERVERS	Volunteer Servers	Volunteer Servers



Thank you to everyone who participated in the Discovery Faith Study! We had our last session on Wednesday, June 25th and are planning to continue with faith studies in September. If you have any questions or suggestions about faith studies, please feel free to contact me at melisscachia_777@hotmail.com.

Summits will continue on the first Friday of the month, with the next Summit being July 4th following the 6:15pm Mass. A Summit is a night of Eucharistic Adoration, and will consist of a personal testimony or story of faith, a reflection on the purpose of confession, and praise and worship music. During adoration, the Sacrament of Reconciliation will be offered. Following adoration, we will be making sandwiches for the Broadway Place. Please bring a loaf of bread if you can. Everyone is welcome to attend.

Youth Group will continue this summer on the first and third Sundays of the month. The first youth group meeting will be on July 6th at 6:30pm at the Church Foyer. See you there!!!



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

June 21 & 22, Solemnity, The Most Holy Body & Blood of Christ

Church \$ 1,758.75

Pre-Authorized Debit for the Month of June \$ 570.00

Thank you for your generosity!

Pastor's Notes

THANK YOU!

SMITHERS & HOUSTON

Dear Sisters and Brothers, Parishioners of St. Joseph's & St. Anthony's:

Greetings of Peace!

As I celebrate Mass this weekend, I also mark my last weekend with you. Let me share with you my heart full of gratitude for more than six years that you allowed me to journey with all of you. **THANK YOU VERY MUCH** to all of you my dear parishioners for the many ways you have shown your support, hospitality, generosity, love and care to me as your pastor. Please know how deeply grateful I am for all that you have done to me during my ministry with you. St. Joseph's Parish and School and St. Anthony's Parish will forever occupy a special place in my heart.

May I also share with you what waits ahead of me as I leave Smithers and take my Sabbatical Year. I will fly to the Philippines on July 1. For the whole month of July up to mid-August, I will process the renewal of my passport, apply for a US student Visa, and visit with families. Starting Fall this year, I am registered to The Liturgical Institute, Mundelein Seminary, Illinois. I will begin to study Master of Arts in Liturgical Studies. For Christmas 2014 and Easter 2015, I will be able to celebrate it with my family in the Philippines. January 2015, I will undergo a priest-renewal program in Holy Land. In May, the hope is to do a 30 days retreat. June 2015, I will go back to The Liturgical Institute for another semester. August 2015 I am expected to return to the Diocese for a new assignment coming from Bishop Stephen Jensen. I feel so blessed to be given a chance to do a Sabbatical Year.

As I leave and start another phase of my journey, may I leave you with similar words that St. Paul said to the Ephesians: "I am a witness to your faith and service to the Lord, for this reason, I do not cease to give THANKS for you as I remember you in my prayers" (cf. Eph 1:15-16)

Thank you again, Smithers and Houston. God bless you all. See you in the future!

Sincerely,
Fr. Rector



**SUMMER
2014**

We welcome Fr. Daquin Iyo, OMI who will do a replacement ministry this month of July and part of August. He will celebrate regular daily Mass and weekend Mass with you. Please extend hospitality to him.



ST. JOSEPH'S SCHOOL

School Principal: Rosemary McKenzie

Our school website: www.stjosephsschool.ca

Phone: 250-847-9414

Catholic Schools: We Walk Humbly With Our Lord

WE NEED YOU TO JOIN THE SCHOOL COUNCIL

School Council Nominations

There are three parishioners who have been nominated for a School Council position. The nominees are the following: Shannon Melbeuf, Jim D-Andrea, Tanya Flynn. Fr. Rector met with all of them and they had expressed their intention to serve the School Community as School Council Members. Election

will take place in September during the Annual General Meeting of the Parish and School.

STAFFING FOR 2014-2015

Pastor – Fr. Pier Pandolfo

Principal – Mrs. Rosemary McKenzie

Kindergarten – Mrs. Jennifer Mitchell

Grade 1 – Ms. Shannon Wellington

Grade 2 – Mrs. Laurie Nielsen (*Monday to Friday*) &

Ms. Trowbridge (*Fridays*)

Grade 3 – Mrs. Erin Briennesse

Grade 4 – Mrs. Karen Kuemper

Grade 5 – Mrs. Liz Creyke/Miss Carlene Creyke

Grade 6 – Mrs. Lexie Wilson

Grade 7 – Ms. Cara Diehl

Grades 3 – 7 French – Madame Marie-Line Fortin

Grades K – 2 French – Mrs. Taryn Lowe

Learning Assistance - Mrs. Lori Cachia

Music K-7 - Mrs. Taryn Lowe

Library – Mrs. Christine Tessier

Educational Assistants: Mrs. Joanne Boot, Mrs. Nancy Verbeek, Mrs. Shanulea Vliegthart, Mrs. Kellie Williams, Mrs. Cathy Doyle and

Mr. Peter Haines

Lunch Hour Supervisors: Mrs. Claudia Busatto and Mrs. Sue Utz

Pre – K: Teacher (*To Be Announced*), Assistant - Mrs. Margaret Buenten

Bookkeeper – Mrs. Bina Tucker

School Secretary – Mrs. Arlene McGibbon

After School Program – Margaret Buenten, Claudia Busatto

God bless you and your family this summer.

May you look for and find

the awe-someness of God 's creation

and also be blessed with some rest

Camp Morice 2014 (*Go to www.campmorice.com*)

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 to 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*)

More info: e-mail, 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

A Night of Thanksgiving and Prayerful Wishes, Farewell Party for Fr. Rectorino Tolentino



The Filipino community would like to host a thank-you party to Fr. Rectorino for the 6 years of dedicated service to the parishioners of Smithers and surrounding areas.

This will be a potluck dinner, please let us know how many people in your group or family will attend so we can plan the seating arrangements. Signup sheets will be in the church foyer.

**June 29, 2014 - Doors open at 5:00 PM
Supper starts at 6:00 PM
St. Joseph School Gym**

For further information or questions and RSVP please contact Mark Sanchez (cell) [778-210-0930](tel:778-210-0930)



A special THANK YOU to the ladies who came to prepare sandwiches and did baking for the funeral in Morricetown on such a short notice, all was greatly appreciated.

Have a good Summer!



THANKS to all members of St. Joseph's Parish Knights of Columbus, Fr Callaly Council 7973 for the job well done last Sunday during the Parish Annual Barbeque. On behalf of the Parish Pastoral Council and Fr. Rector, thanks also to all who came, gathered, those who prepared and cleaned up after.

BURSARY

Joanne Chafe Memorial Bursary

The Western Conference of Catholic Religious Educators (WCCRE) invites applications to their bursary, created in recognition of the work of Dr. Joanne Chafe, former

Director of the National Office of Religious Education of the Canadian Conference of Catholic Bishops. The bursary is available to a lay person residing in western or northern Canada, who serves in catechetical ministry and who wishes to pursue further formation. Applications will be accepted until July 15, 2014.

Broadway Place (Smithers Homeless Shelter)

Now that we are in the warmer seasons please keep the clients of Broadway Place in mind. Any new or good clean used clothing is appreciated such as jackets (light or rain), pants, sweat pants and tops, pajamas and summer socks. Also needed are canned soups, stews, coffee, tea, hot chocolate, shampoos, conditioners, liquid soaps, toothbrushes, toothpaste, regular household cleansers, blankets, sleeping bags and back packs. Items can be placed in the wooden boxes in the foyer. All donations are appreciated. Thank you!

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Mon & Tue 9am- 4pm; Wednesday 9am-12nn; Thu 2pm—5pm

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



Canada Day, July 1 (from the ORDO)

Canadians should seek to be witnesses to Christ in Canada and the world, and to continue working to influence those in government to act from Christian principles and attitudes.

Christians, realizing they do not have a lasting home here, should pray and work for justice and peace in Canada and throughout the world, so that all God's people may share in the goods of this earth. God's kingdom will come only when all people are ready to let Christ's teaching guide and rule their lives and actions.

Rose Prince Pilgrimage

The Annual Rose Prince Pilgrimage will be held July 4-6, 2014 at the Lejac Pilgrimage site. This year is the 65th anniversary of the death of Rose Prince. Fr. Garry LaBoucane, OMI will be the guest speaker. The weekend begins with an opening prayer at 7 p.m. Friday and concludes with lunch at 1 p.m. on Sunday. Along with presentations by Fr. Garry, there will be prayer services, Stations of the Cross, a Healing Mass, the Living Rosary and a Candlelight Procession. Bishop Stephen Jensen will preside at Mass on Sunday. For more information, please see the diocesan website or contact Father Vincent James, OMI at St. Andrew's Parish, Fraser Lake (250)699-6593.



Let us remember in our prayers:

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

Ministry Schedule

SUNDAY, July 6, 2014

14th Sunday in Ordinary Time A

GREETERS	TBA
LECTORS	Adrian Meeuwissen & Shirley Collins
EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF COMMUNION	TBA
ALTAR SERVERS	Lucas, Alicia, Isabelle, Tiffany
Gift Bearers	TBA
Collection Counter	Robert Perrault
Church Cleaning	Claudine Ketchell & April Kopas (June 30– July 5)

COLLECTION REPORTS

Thank you for your constant support and generosity!

DONATIONS FROM SUNDAY June 22, 2014

Envelopes	\$ 120.00
Loose	\$ 10.00
Total	\$ 130.00

Sign up for Ministries during Summer

Summer time is here, and most go for vacation. To ensure that our ministries in the Church are taken care of, we would provide a sign-up sheet for July and August to ask help in continuing our ministries (*greeters, lectors, EMCs*) especially during Sunday celebration. We ask those who are available and capable to please do not hesitate to come forward and help us in our Sunday Celebration. Sign-up sheet can be found at the Church entrance way. Thank you.

Thank You Fr. Rector!

The Parishioners of St. Anthony's Parish would like to express their thanksgiving and gratitude to Fr. Rectorino M. Tolentino, Jr. who had served the parish for the last six (6) years. Thank you, Father Rector, for your ministry. May God bless you and your ministry that you may draw more people to God through the service of self that you commit yourself.

Thank You!

Potluck Lunch today!

In thanksgiving for Fr. Rector's six years of ministry in our parish and marking the end of his term as our pastor, we are going to have a potluck lunch downstairs after Mass today. Please join us as we celebrate the fruitful years of his ministry together. Thank you.