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SUNDAY BULLETIN

21st Sunday in Ordinary Time

August 24, 2014

Isaiah 22.15, 19-23, Psalm 138, Romans 11.33-36, Matthew 16.13-20

"Who do you say that I am?"



Weekday Mass Times
 21st Week in Ordinary Time
August 25 - 29

Monday

Tuesday No Masses this week due to steeple

Wednesday renovations

Thursday

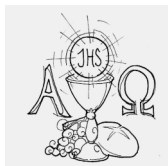
Friday

Sunday Mass Times

22nd Sunday in Ordinary Time A
August 30 - 31

Saturday 7pm *People of the Parish*

Sunday 9am †*Jacoba Vanderhoorst*, †*Louisa Kratz*



Please remember the following in your prayers:

**Austin Motz, Sarah, Barb,
 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, August 30 & 31, 2014
 22nd Sunday in Ordinary Time A

DATE	Saturday, August 30	Sunday, August 31
GREETERS	David & Marj Hemenway June Philpot	Alice & Casey DenBoer Mary Vandermaal
LECTORS	Gemma Gillis Christine Tessier	Tina Gemmel Eileen Bouvier
Extraordinary Ministers of Communion	Bob Bresser Janna Delany	Lu Blackburn Foziea Loki Maria Sowa
ALTAR SERVERS	Volunteer Servers	Volunteer Servers

YOUTH GROUP

Youth Group continues with Melissa Cachia and is scheduled for the first and third Sunday of each month. The **next** Youth Group Meeting is on September 7th at 6:30pm at the Church Foyer.

See you there!!!

Faith Studies will resume in September (date to be announced). If you have questions or suggestions about faith studies, please feel free to contact Melissa Cachia at

Melisscachia_777@hotmail.com



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

August 16 & 17 20th Sunday in Ordinary Time
Church \$ 2,007.90

Thank you for your generosity!

Pastor's Notes

WELCOME

The Parishioners of St. Joseph's Church in Smithers joyfully welcome Father Pier Pandolfo our new Parish Priest

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A Message from our Pastor:

my whole life together with my younger sister Miriam and brother Walter. I have fond memories of a home life rich in food, laughter, work, Italian culture and prayer. I remember my friends walking home with me in hopeful expectation that mom had baked fresh bread. And I remember our 'Sunday' clothes and our evening prayers. And I remember that while our family did not do Disneyland or Hawaii, we went to Italy every 3 to 5 years. I grew up loving to learn and enjoy exploring almost any topic. After high school, I completed a bachelor's degree in math and computer science at the University of Victoria before entering the Seminary of Christ the King (Mission, BC) where I gratefully received my priestly formation with the Benedictine and their motto 'Ora et Labora' (prayer and work). Ordained a priest in November of 1992, I have been assigned to St. Peter's in Mackenzie, Immaculate Conception in Prince George, Christ the King in Kitimat, and Sacred Heart in Prince George before coming to St. Joseph's in Smithers. I enjoy all sport's with preference for team sports, especially soccer. I enjoy Star Trek because under the guise of exploring new frontiers, the show explores meeting new cultures and events while bringing the best and the worst of your own culture and life learning.

-Father Pier Pandolfo



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 Brienesse
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. Shanualea Vliegenthart, 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

and some re-creation.

Labour Day Weekend **August 30, 31 & September 1**

This week is Labour Day weekend.

Labour Day Weekend marks the end of the summer vacation and the beginning of regular activities in parishes and schools. We encourage all to take an active part in the spiritual work of the parish community

PARISH LEADERSHIP TEAM

Pastor

Rev. Pier Pandolfo

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: vacant

Vice Chairperson: Wayne Callison

Maintenance: Pete Stroet

Collections: Rita Coupe

Casey Pyper

Other Areas of Ministries:

RCIA & Children's Catechism: Dennis Gonia

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

Altar Servers: Nancy Verbeek

Music: Lori Cachia & Mary Spicer

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PARISH & DIOCESAN NEWS

The Diocesan Assembly will be held this year from October 1-3rd at the Diocesan Pastoral Centre in Prince George. The Assembly is an opportunity for all to discern and plan the works that will make us more effective in the mission God calls His Church to serve in the 21st century. The extraordinary synod on the pastoral challenges facing family life which takes place in Rome this October offers a key direction for our work in parishes and schools. The Assembly is open to all members of the diocesan community. Information packages are available from your parish office or on the Diocesan website. We hope to see you there!



Knights of Columbus, Fr Callaly Council 7973 are hosting a BBQ Social for Knights, Knight's families and prospective new members.

Date: Sunday September 7, 2014

Time: 2:00pm to early evening

Place: Paul Fradette's Farm

Knights will provide BBQ Ribs & Hotdogs, please bring salads and anything special you would like to drink. The Knights will carpool to get everyone that wants to attend out to Paul's farm and home again.

Please ask Jim Schwab, Paul Fradette or Dan Ford for a map if you are driving on your own to the Fradette farm. The Carpool will leave St. Joseph's parking lot at 1:45pm.



Catholic Women's League

The Catholic Women's League of Canada is a national organization rooted in gospel values calling its members to holiness through service to the people of God.



Rest in Peace

*Our sincere condolences to the Schibli family, on the passing of Trudy Schibli on August 11th, 2014.
"May she rest in eternal peace."*

Misty Mountain Massage

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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. Pier Pandolfo
Pastor

Dennis Gonia
Pastoral Assistant

Joint Parish Pastoral Council & Finance Committee Members

*Eric Bishop · Stephen Rose · Georgina Dotto
Barbara Jarvis · CWL Representative*

Sunday Scriptural Reading:

1st Reading: Isaiah 22.15, 19-23 "I will place on his shoulder the key of the house of David."

2nd Reading: Romans 11.33-36 "All things are from Christ and through him and for him."

Gospel: Matthew 16.13-20 "You are Peter, I will give you the keys of the kingdom of heaven."

Welcome Fr. Pier Pandolfo!!!

St. Anthony's Parishioners in Houston, B.C. welcomes with great joy our new parish priest Fr. Pier Pandolfo. As an expression of this joy, the parishioners had a potluck lunch prepared which had been shared after the celebration of the Holy Eucharist. Fr. Pier is born of an Italian Parents who migrated in Canada. Before coming to St. Joseph's and St. Anthony's parishes in Smithers and in Houston, B.C. respectively, he served Rector in the Cathedral of Sacred Heart in Prince George for seven years. He also served as Pastor of Christ the King Parish in Kitimat for seven years, St. Peter's in MacKenzie and Immaculate Conception in Prince George. Fr. Pier had been in the ministry for 22 years.

Let us pray for our Parish Priest as he starts his ministry with us. May God give him the necessary graces he needs for his ministry. Welcome Fr. Pier!



Let us remember in our prayers:

*Denise Fuljames, Helen & Harry Doyle, Eric Bishop Sr,
Pearl & Vi*

Ministry Schedule SUNDAY, August 31, 2014 22nd Sunday in Ordinary Time A

GREETERS	TBA
LECTORS	TBA
EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF COMMUNION	TBA
ALTAR SERVERS	Lucas, Alicia, Isabelle, Tiffany
Gift Bearers	TBA
Collection Counter	Adrian Meeuwissen
Church Cleaning	Bishop Family Aug.25-30, 2014

COLLECTION REPORTS

Thank you for your constant support and generosity!

DONATIONS FROM SUNDAY August 17, 2014

Envelopes	\$410.00	Tent Rentals	\$150.00
Loose	<u>\$ 8.30</u>		
Total	\$418.30		

Farewell Gary and Joanne Beaudette

Gary and Joanne Beaudette decided to move to Prince George after 28 years of living in Houston, B.C. The couple had been an active members of St. Anthony's Parish serving as Lectors and Extra-Ordinary-Ministers of the Holy Eucharist aside from being regular parishioner. Thank you for sharing your life with us Gary and Joanne. You will forever be remembered.

St. Anthony's Parish, Houston Garden Party plus Silent Auction

St. Anthony's Parish will have its annual Garden Party plus Silent Auction on the 7th of September (Sunday). We encourage everyone to come and participate in this annual affair. Have fun and help St. Anthony's Parish at the same time. In relation to this, we ask for parishioners support in the preparation for the said occasion. Please approach Georgina Dotto, the coordinator of this event, for more information. Thank you.

