

# St. Joseph's Parish

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## SUNDAY BULLETIN for June 27th & June 28th, 2015 13th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Wisdom 1.13-15; 2.23-24, Psalm 30, 2 Corinthians 8.7, 9, 13-15, Mark 5.21-24  
 "Who then is this, that even the wind and the sea obey him?"



### Week Mass Times 13th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Saturday	27th	7:00 pm	†Betty O'Rielly
Sunday	28th	9:00 am	†Manuel & Cecilia Garcia
Monday	29th	9:00 am	Holy Souls in Purgatory
Tuesday	30th	6:15 pm	†Louis Schibli
Wednesday	1st	9:00 am	Holy Souls in Purgatory
Thursday	2nd	11:00 am	@ Bulkley Lodge
Friday	3rd	9:00 am	
Saturday	4th	7:00 pm	Holy Souls in Purgatory
Sunday	5th	9:00 am	†Romuald Lakowski

### PARISH MINISTRIES

*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:* Melissa Cachia

*Development & Peace:* Marj Coupe

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*Maintenance:* Pete Stroet

*Collections:* Rita Coupe

*RCIA & Children's Catechism:* Dennis Gonia

*Children's Liturgy:* Ann Marie MacIsaac

*Altar Servers:* Nancy Verbeek

### Ministry Schedule

July 4th & July 5th, 2015

### 14th Sunday in Ordinary Time

DATE	Saturday, July 4	Sunday, July 5
<b>GREETERS</b>	Sid & Marg Sikkes Liesel Cleveland	Wayne & Andrea Callison Jean Miller
<b>LECTORS</b>	Norma Stumborg Vigil Stumborg	David Schwab Brian Burrill
<b>Extraordinary Ministers of Communion</b>	David Hemenway Bob Bresser	Foziea Loki Lu Blackburn Johanna Habjan
<b>ALTAR SERVERS</b>	Volunteer Servers	Volunteer Servers

### COLLECTION REPORTS

June 20th & 21st, 2015 – 12th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Church \$2,257.92

Diocesan Appeal Update:

**Parish Goal : \$ 21,666**

**Received: \$ 19,915**



Thank you for your generosity!

*Please remember the following in your prayers:*

**Jane, Jules, Sandy, James, Deven, Janet,  
 Francis, Esther, Frank, Lucia, Zenny,  
 Ricardo and Shelley**



If you or someone you know would like to be on the prayer list, call the parish office at 250-847-2012.. Please note the prayer list will be updated at the end of month.

### 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."

## Note from the pastor



**THE PROPHET:** (1) Since all things start with God, (2) the prophet has to personally believe this conviction and (3) then share this conviction in a world that endorses the opposite.

Did God create death? Did God create illness? If Jesus conquered death and illness, why does it still exist? From John 11:25-26 we read, "Whoever believes in me will live, EVEN THOUGH THEY DIE" followed by an apparent contradiction, "Whoever lives and believes in me will NEVER DIE.". In a nutshell we have Jesus affirming NATURAL DEATH as the necessary reality of the limits of our earthly existence, and UNNATURAL DEATH as the reality of humanity's resistance to God. To conquer death and illness, scripture records Jesus was 'aware that power had gone out of him.' Jesus uses his power to bring life.

The context in which Jesus finds himself is filled with people who doubt. Interesting how the faith of the woman with the bleeding problem ('if I just touch his clothes, I will be clean') is contrasted with the doubt of the disciples ('Jesus, how can you ask who touched you?'). And the crowd 'laughed at' Jesus when he said the child was 'sleeping.' This is the context of the PROPHET today, sharing a message of life in an atmosphere of doubt and ridicule.

Homework: Pray the words, 'Jesus, I believe, help my unbelief.' Let us ask Jesus to help us overcome doubt and ridicule in our faith life.

**Thank you to Melissa Cachia** for her dedicated service in the Church, specific mention to her commitment to the Youth Group and to Scripture/Faith Studies. We send our prayers with her as she accepts her new role with Catholic Christian Outreach at the University of Victoria.

**Rose Prince Pilgrimage, July 3,4,5 at Lejac** (see bulletin board): The incorrupt body of Rose Prince, buried for two years and discovered by accident when the body was being prepared to be moved to a new cemetery, started a search into the life of this First Nations woman, a student and a resident at the Lejac Residential school. Her life is remembered in this diocesan pilgrimage each year. Resources have been secured to formally record her life for the purposes of advancing her Cause for Sainthood. The schedule of the pilgrimage is on the bulletin board; any part that you can attend would be beneficial.

**CAMP MORICE:** wonderful opportunities for children and for families to grow in their faith this summer. See bulletin board for programs. In particular, each parish in the Diocese has been challenged to send youth to the IGNITE weekend. The group FaceToFace Ministries which runs IGNITE was at the Diocesan Youth Conference in May 2014. Let us help promote this opportunity for our Youth to get together and grow in their faith.



**Please mark your Summer calendars for the following meetings and events:**

June 30 Memorial & Reception for Louis Schibli 1pm  
Jul-Aug Camp Programs at Camp Morice, Ft. St. James  
July 3-5 Rose Prince Pilgrimage at Lejac (100th Anniversary)  
July 10-12 St. Joseph's School Fundraiser at Safeway  
July 17-19 St. Joseph's School Fundraiser at Safeway

### Smithers Care Center

A **huge thank you** to all who helped out, gave stuff, and spent money at our profile garage sale! We couldn't have made \$1,900.00 without you all! We are all so thankful for all your support!

-SPL Board



### 'Laudato Si' Praised Be

Development and Peace welcomes this week's release of Pope Francis' encyclical *Laudato Si*, which will be focused on the environment and care for creation. Published on June 18th, the encyclical addresses climate change as a social injustice that requires urgent action. We are called on to recognize that, according to Pope Francis, "respect for creation, then, is a requirement of our faith: the 'garden' in which we live is not entrusted to us to be exploited, but rather to be cultivated and tended with respect." During the coming year Development and Peace along with other Catholic and ecumenical groups will be launching education and action programs to assist us as concerned Christians in addressing the global environmental challenges before us all. For more information: <http://www.dev.org/en/encyclical>

### DEVELOPMENT AND PEACE

Pope Francis' new environmental encyclical "*Laudato Si*" was released on June 18<sup>th</sup>. Celebrating the beauty of the natural world, it calls to all who inhabit the world to preserve its beauty and gifts so that it will live on for all peoples for generations to come. In response to this call, Development and Peace will launch a "*Create a Climate of Change*" campaign this fall. With guidance from the Papal letter, they will be asking Canadians to make lifestyle changes that are environmentally responsible and calling for greater political action. The Prince George Diocesan Development and Peace will hold fall meetings from Friday October 2<sup>nd</sup> to Saturday, October 3<sup>rd</sup> to start building a local campaign. Please mark this date on your calendars and watch for further details - it is hoped that all parishes in the Diocese will be represented.

### Camp Morice 2015 Summer Program

Looking for ways to make summer fun and Christian values enriching? Come and experience Camp Morice. We offer variety of camping encounters for both young people and family: Meet new friends, games, swimming and campfire.

July 05-10 Leadership Training : (ages 13 and above)  
July 12-17 Teen Camp  
July 19-24 Tween Camp #1  
Aug 03-07 Kids Camp  
Aug 09-14 Tween Camp #2  
Aug 16-21 IGNITE Youth Camp for Teens

#### Family Camps:

Aug 23-28 Cana Family Camp

**For more information and/or to register, please go to [www.campmorice.com](http://www.campmorice.com) or email: [info@campmorice.com](mailto:info@campmorice.com). Phone 250-564-5614**

♦ Father Pier is a part of Camp Morice and is able to take children (minimum of two) to the camp except for the IGNITE week.



### ST. JOSEPH'S SCHOOL

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

*Catholic Schools: "Live The Joy of the Gospel"*

#### **VIRTUE: Honour**

*We all have choices in life. Our choices affect not only our relationship with others, but how we get along with ourselves. Students are told, in earnest, "God knows and you know. And that is all who matter." Today, this hour, this is true, just as it is in the hour of our death. Would you be considered a person of honour to your friends, your family members, and others? God blesses us and we are called to bless others with truth, fairness, and lovingness. An honourable life is a life well-lived in God's eyes and your own estimation.*



#### **JOB OPPORTUNITY**

St. Joseph's School has an opening for an intermediate French as a Second Language teaching position (.5 - one year contract for September 2015: For further information, or to fill out an application form, please go to Catholic Independent Schools of Prince George Diocese website at [www.cispg.ca](http://www.cispg.ca) under employment section. Contact Chris Dugdale, Superintendent, by email at [cis@cispg.ca](mailto:cis@cispg.ca) or by telephone at 250-964-5642 if you have questions.

**We say thank you for another school year...** Thank you to our parents whose love and commitment never fails to support and sustain us in our life's journey. Thank you to our teachers who helped us sharpened our minds and opened our eyes to new things. Thank you to our friends and classmates whose company made this year more challenging and/or exciting. Thank you to all the school staff whose silent service keeps everyday of our school year possible. Thank you God for another year of growing up as we fulfill gradually what you will for us.

#### **St. Joseph's School Needs Your Help!**

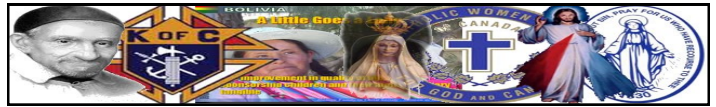
Volunteers are still needed for the Field Restoration & Equipment Replacement Project. Community Barbecue & Bake Sale. This fun event is to be held at Safeway on July 10-12th and then July 17-19th with the goal of raising \$6000.00 for new picnic tables for our school. Please offer your time and gifts of baking, barbecuing & serving

#### **Memorial for Louis Schibli**

A memorial for the late Louis Schibli, a long time parishioner of St. Joseph's Church & pioneer to Smithers will be held on Tuesday, June 30th, 2015 at 1pm. Reception to follow in the foyer. All are welcome to attend.

#### **Rose Prince Pilgrimage**

The Annual Rose Prince Pilgrimage will be held July 3-5, 2015 at Lejac. Please join us in 2015 as we celebrate the 100th anniversary, or first Centenary, of Rose's birth. Father Jack Michalchuk and John Connelly, Office of Catechesis and Evangelization will be the guest speakers. The weekend begins with opening prayer at 7 p.m. Friday and concludes with lunch at 1 p.m. Sunday. Along with presentations by Fr. Jack and John, there will be prayer services, a Healing Mass, the Living Rosary and a Candlelight Procession. Bishop Stephen Jensen will celebrate Mass at 10:30 a.m. Sunday. For more information contact Father Vincent James, OMI at St. Andrew's Parish, Fraser Lake (250)699-6593 or see the schedule on the diocesan website.



The Regional Meeting is scheduled for **Smithers on Sept 19<sup>th</sup>, 2015**

Please participate in Be League, the monthly electronic newsletter at [cwl.ca](http://cwl.ca) by submitting information about your council. Register for the online forum at [forum.cwl.ca](http://forum.cwl.ca) for CWL member-only conversations. Contact your prayer partner. You can find out who she is at the back of the most recent issue of the Canadian League magazine.

#### **Fr. Callaly Council Elected Officers 2015-2016**



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Visit to the Sick at Home: by a



## 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 · CWL Representative*



### Ministry Schedule SUNDAY, JULY 5, 2015 14th Sunday in Ordinary Time

GREETERS	Frank and Liz Gerei
LECTORS	1. Vic James 2. Gail James
EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF COMMUNION	Adrian Meeuwissen and Dawn Bishop
ALTAR SERVERS	Lucas and Alicia Bishop
Gift Bearers	Molly L. and Susan H.
Collection Counter	Dennis Gonia
Church Cleaning	<b>(June 29-July 4)</b> Tammy Heibert

### Volunteers for particular Ministries this Summer

Volunteers are needed to serve as Greeters; Lectors; and Extraordinary Minister of the Eucharist this summer months. Whatever help you may extend for our Liturgical Celebrations will be greatly appreciated. Thank you.

### Soup and Bun Luncheon

Today is our soup and bun luncheon. Our apologies for the mistaken information last week. Please stay after mass and build community through this simple activity.

### Sacrament of Reconciliation

Jesus' love for us is concrete and truly felt especially in the Sacrament of Reconciliation where he embraces us and forgives our offenses. Evan Rose and Leyton Timms will be experiencing this gracious moment today as they celebrate their first confession. Please join us in prayer for them and their family for the graces they need in this special occasion.

### Ministries for July

Please find copies of the ministries for July on the table along the foyer. New copies for church cleaning could be found on the same place as well. If the assignment will not work for you, please inform Dennis or make adjustment by means of finding replacements or swapping schedule with other ministers. Thank you for your service.

### Happy Canada Day on July the First

We pray as we celebrate Canada Day on July 1. We fervently ask God that Canada maybe given grace to be strong in her various aspects, but most specially in her Moral and Spiritual dimension that she may lead the nations of the world to choices and decisions that is in accordance to God's will. Amen.



### We pray for the Sick:

*Denise, Helen & Harry, Eric Sr., Vi, Arsenia,  
Reginald, Kelda, Georgina, Shirley, Shaylyn and  
Max*

### COLLECTION REPORTS

#### Sunday Collections (JUNE 21, 2015)

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### Catechism Corner (from the Catechism of the Catholic Church)

#### ARTICLE 2

#### II. THE RELATIONSHIP BETWEEN TRADITION AND SACRED SCRIPTURE

##### Apostolic Tradition and ecclesial traditions

**83** The Tradition here in question comes from the apostles and hands on what they received from Jesus' teaching and example and what they learned from the Holy Spirit. The first generation of Christians did not yet have a written New Testament, and the New Testament itself demonstrates the process of living Tradition.

Tradition is to be distinguished from the various theological, disciplinary, liturgical or devotional traditions, born in the local churches over time. These are the particular forms, adapted to different places and times, in which the great Tradition is expressed. In the light of Tradition, these traditions can be retained, modified or even abandoned under the guidance of the Church's Magisterium.

#### III. THE INTERPRETATION OF THE HERITAGE OF FAITH

##### The heritage of faith entrusted to the whole of the Church

**84** The apostles entrusted the "Sacred deposit" of the faith (the *depositum fidei*), contained in Sacred Scripture and Tradition, to the whole of the Church. "By adhering to [this heritage] the entire holy people, united to its pastors, remains always faithful to the teaching of the apostles, to the brotherhood, to the breaking of bread and the prayers. So, in maintaining, practicing and professing the faith that has been handed on, there should be a remarkable harmony between the bishops and the faithful."