



# St. Joseph's Parish

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## SUNDAY BULLETIN for June 25th and 26th, 2016

13th Sunday in Ordinary Time

1 Kings 19.16b, 19-21, Psalm 16, Galatians 5.1, 13-18, Luke 9.51-62

*"Jesus set his face resolutely toward Jerusalem."*



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

|                  |             |                 |                                      |
|------------------|-------------|-----------------|--------------------------------------|
| <b>Saturday</b>  | <b>25th</b> | <b>5:00 pm</b>  | <b>Intention for Shannon Bolen</b>   |
| <b>Sunday</b>    | <b>26th</b> | <b>9:00 am</b>  | <b>† Manuel &amp; Cecilia Garcia</b> |
| <b>Monday</b>    | <b>27th</b> | <b>9:00 am</b>  | <b>Parish Intention</b>              |
| <b>Tuesday</b>   | <b>28th</b> | <b>6:15 pm</b>  | <b>Parish Intention</b>              |
| <b>Wednesday</b> | <b>29th</b> | <b>9:00 am</b>  | <b>Parish Intention</b>              |
| <b>Thursday</b>  | <b>30th</b> | <b>11:00 am</b> | <b>@ Bulkley Lodge</b>               |
| <b>Friday</b>    | <b>1st</b>  | <b>9:00 am</b>  | <b>Souls of Purgatory</b>            |
| <b>Saturday</b>  | <b>2nd</b>  | <b>5:00 pm</b>  | <b>Parish Intention</b>              |
| <b>Sunday</b>    | <b>3rd</b>  | <b>9:00 am</b>  | <b>Parish Intention</b>              |

### Ministry Schedule

**14th Sunday in Ordinary Time**  
**July 2nd, 2016 (5PM) & July 3rd, 2016 (9AM)**

|                        |  |
|------------------------|--|
| GREETERS: 5 PM<br>9 AM | Dan & Yarah Ford<br>Alice & Casey DenBoer, Mary Vandermaal                 |
| LECTORS : 5 PM<br>9 AM | Emily Buenten, Christine Tessier<br>Nick & Teresa Witkowskyj               |
| EMC: 5 PM<br>9 AM      | David Hemenway, Bob Bresser<br>Foziea Loki, Lu Blackburn, Dorothy Cardinal |
| ALTAR SERVERS          | Volunteer  |
| MONEY COUNTERS         | Rita Coupe & Johanna Habjan,   |

### COLLECTION REPORTS - June 18th & June 19th, 2016

|               |                   |               |                |
|---------------|-------------------|---------------|----------------|
| <b>Church</b> | <b>\$2,477.95</b> | <b>School</b> | <b>\$ 5.00</b> |
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### 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:* Vacant

*Development & Peace:* Marj Coupe

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*Knights of Columbus:* James Schwab

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

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*Finance Vice Chairperson:* Wayne Callison

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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

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*Please remember the following in your prayers:*

Morris, Rachael, Ernest, Leland, Pete, Edith, Al, Ryan, Shelley, Mackinley, Barb, Matt, Tanya, Peter, Ron, Little James, Nelson, Lucia, Tristan, Ricardo, James and Linda

To add someone to the list, please call the Office (847-2012);

NOTE: the list is refreshed at the beginning of each month.

*If you know of someone sick or shut-in who would like the church to visit or bring communion, call 847-2012*

### 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."*



## Pastor's Note

Fr. Pier Pandolfo  
St. Joseph's Parish and  
St. Anthony's Mission Parish

**Discipleship: a spirit of focus on Jerusalem** Jesus had a single focus: fulfilling what he was called to be and do. And so he headed for Jerusalem and what he knew was inevitable there. He warned the disciples — and us — not to be distracted in our calling by life's ordinary demands or the possibility of discomfort, pain or death. It's hard to be single-minded with so many competing priorities in life. How do we balance our baptismal calling with the other demands we encounter? Where is our focus? **Homework:** focus endures difficulties and ignores distractions; examine what is the central focus of your home.

**Extra-ordinary Year of Mercy: Corporeal Work: shelter the homeless:** Concrete exercise: visit or donate to a homeless shelter. Spiritual exercise: think about how **God IS sheltering me;** examine the home I live in for what I think is important; and reflecting on Mt 7:24-27, I can ask myself, 'What is the rock that my house is built on?'

**Quote from Pope Benedict:** "Was the Council a wrong road that we must now retrace if we are to save the Church? The voices of those who say that it was are becoming louder and their followers more numerous. Among the more obvious phenomena of the last years must be counted the increasing number of integralist groups in which the desire for piety, for the sense of mystery, is finding satisfaction. We must be on our guard against minimizing these movements. Without a doubt, they represent a sectarian zealotry that is the antithesis of Catholicity. We cannot too firmly resist them. But we must likewise ask ourselves, in all earnestness, why such contractions and distortions of faith and piety have such an effect and are able to attract those who, by the basic conviction of their faith as well as by personal inclination, are in no way attracted by sectarianism. What drives them into a milieu in which they do not belong? Why have they lost the feeling of being at home in the larger Church? Are all their reproaches unfounded? Is it not, for example, really strange that we have never heard bishops react as strongly against distortions in the heart of the liturgy as they react today against the use of a missal of the Church that, after all, has been in existence since the time of Pius V? Let it be said again: we should not adopt a sectarian attitude, but neither should we omit the examination of conscience to which these facts compel us."

**Rose Prince Pilgrimage, July 8-10:** happens outside Fraser Lake at the Lejac school site. Rose Prince, a student who later become a care parent at the residential school, died at the age of 34 in 1949. Two years later in 1951 her body was found to be incorrupt. Beginning in 1990, there has been a gathering around her new burial site. The guest speaker this year is Deacon Rennie Nahanee, coordinator for the First Nations Office for the Archdiocese of Vancouver.

**Summer Youth and family Camps:** Camp Morice provides great opportunities. Visit [www.campmorice.com](http://www.campmorice.com).

## upcoming EVENTS

|            |   |
|------------|---|
| June 27    | Fun Day at St. Joseph's School                |
| June 28    | Last Day of School—Kindergarten Mass & Awards |
| July 3-8   | Camp Morice-Teen Camp                         |
| July 8-10  | Rose Prince Pilgrimage—Fraser Lake            |
| July 10-15 | Camp Morice-Leadership Week                   |
| July 17-22 | Camp Morice-Tween Camp #1                     |
| July 24-29 | Camp Morice-Kids Camp                         |
| Aug. 7-12  | Camp Morice-Tween Camp #2                     |
| Aug. 14-19 | Camp Morice-Cana Camp                         |

### DIOCESAN EVENTS

**RETIREMENT:** Effective August 5, 2016, Mary-Anne Lewis Jamin will retire as Chancellor of the Diocese of Prince George. She submitted her official letter of resignation to Bishop Stephen Jensen on June 2, 2016. Mary-Anne was hired by Monsignor Lawrence Turgeon in 1991 and worked as his secretary until Bishop Gerald Wiesner, OMI, was ordained Bishop in 1993. After 20 years as secretary and then executive assistant to the Bishop, Mary-Anne was appointed Vice Chancellor and then Chancellor of the Diocese by Bishop Jensen.

In retirement she plans to work on a number of personal projects and hopes to have more time with her children and grandchildren.

We are grateful to Mary-Anne for her many contributions and faithful service to the Diocese over the last 25 years.

**ROSE PRINCE ANNUAL PILGRIMAGE** in Fraser Lake will begin on Friday, July 8th at 7pm and closes on Sunday July 10th after lunch at 1pm. Guest speaker will be Deacon Rennie Nahanee, Squamish First Nation Elder. Everyone is encouraged to attend this spiritual event.

### PARISH ACTIVITY

#### NEW OFFICE HOURS

The office will be open Wed-Friday from 10-2pm.

#### FIELD RESTORATION PROJECT:

This past week we welcomed 10 young adults from "Opening

The World" to construct four picnic tables with the Knights of Columbus, led by Henry Doherty, for placement on our playground. To say that we were inspired by these young people would be an understatement. Their can-do attitude, work ethic and willingness to help others was refreshing. Thank you for all of their hard work. The school and community will be able to enjoy these picnic tables for many years to come."

#### KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS RAFFLE WINNERS:

Congratulations to the Stam family, Adrian and Charlotte for winning the Knights of Columbus Raffle of Family Camp Registration at Camp Morice this summer. Thank you to the Knights of the Columbus for their generosity to the parish and support of Camp Morice.

#### MISSIONARY PRIEST OF MERCY DESCRIPTION

On Ash Wednesday Pope Francis commissioned more than 1,000 priests who were sent out around the world as ambassadors of mercy. what are they actually doing? their role involves two primary aspects: preaching about mercy, and making it concrete through the Sacrament of Confession.

The missionary priest of mercy will be available for the sacrament of Reconciliation.

He will preach about God's mercy as Jesus did using the parables of the Lost Sheep, the Lost Coin, and the Prodigal Son.



**ST. JOSEPH'S SCHOOL**  
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*Catholic Schools: "Proclaim Jesus with Loving Hearts"*

VIRTUE: Enthusiasm

God made life good and Jesus came so that we may have life and have it to the fullest! Let us all show enthusiasm for the last week of school and especially on Fun Day!

UPDATE FOR FIELD RESTORATION PROJECT

The light poles have been relocated to the basketball court. They are on a timer to ensure that families can enjoy the court in the evening. Thank you again to BV Electric Ltd. for donating their time and equipment to make this possible. The picnic tables for the field have been constructed. Cement pads will be built within the next few weeks and then the picnic tables will be placed on them. Thanks again to Opening the World and the Knights of Columbus, especially Henry Doherty for donating their time on this project. Funds are continuing to be raised for the final phase: replacing the aging playground equipment and our outdoor classroom. It is not too late to get involved. If you would like to donate or volunteer, please contact Mindy Stroet at 250-917-8178 to discuss how you can be involved. Thank you.

LAST DAY EVENTS - JUNE 28<sup>th</sup>—Come and Join US!!!

In the church- Mass at 9:00am, led by the Kindergarten class, during which our grade sevens will be recognized individually. Mass will be followed by the grade 7 DeMazenod Award presentation.

After recess, we will go back to church for the Service Awards and A & B Honour Roll for grades 4 to 7 plus the year-end slide show prepared by Mrs. Polanin. Check with individual teachers for class award presentations. After lunch, report cards will be handed out and students are dismissed at 1:15. Buses will run. Happy Summer time!

**SUMMER FAMILY AND YOUTH CAMP OPPORTUNITIES**

**CAMP MORICE, STEWART LAKE by Ft. St. James**

For more information, please visit their website: [www.campmorice.com](http://www.campmorice.com) or call telephone number: 250-964-5641 or ask Fr. Pier Pandolfo.

**TEEN CAMP**

Sun, Jul 3, 3PM—Jul 8, 11:30 AM  
 Registration \$275.00

**LEADERSHIP WEEK**

Sun, Jul 10, 3PM—Fri Jul 15, 11:30AM  
 Registration N/A

**TWEEN CAMP #1**

Sun, Jul 17, 3PM—Fri, Jul 22, 11:30AM  
 Registration \$245.00

**KIDS CAMP**

Sun Jul 24, 3PM—Fri, Jul 29, 11:30Am  
 Registration \$245.00

**TWEEN CAMP #2**

Sun, Aug 7, 7:30PM—Fri Aug 12 11:30AM  
 Registration \$ 245.00

**CANA CAMP**

Sun, Aug 14, 3PM—Fri, Aug19, 12PM  
 Registration \$ 320.00



Visit the CWL BC and Yukon website [bcyukoncwl.com](http://bcyukoncwl.com) to find the newsletter, "The Communicator". Visit the CWL National website at [cwl.ca](http://cwl.ca) for great information and to find "Be League".

National Convention - August 15-17 in Halifax, Nova Scotia.

The CWL Bulletin board will be renovated this summer. Contact Laura Bolster at 847-2538 or [laurar.bolster@gmail.com](mailto:laurar.bolster@gmail.com) with suggestions.



Knights of Columbus Fr. Callaly Council  
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**"Camp Morice Raffle Winners"**

The Knights are please to announce the winners of **Knights of Columbus Raffle of "Family Camp Registration" at Camp Morice** this summer. Congratulations to the Stam family, Adrian, Charlotte, Evelyn and Lucy. Enjoy your Cana Camp! On August 14-19: The Knights encourage families to consider the program at Camp Morice,

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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 ·*

|         |   |               |
|---------|---|---------------|
| July 3  | <b>14th Sunday in Ordinary Time</b>                     | 11:30 AM Mass |
| July 10 | <b>15th Sunday in Ordinary Time</b>                     | 11:30 AM Mass |
| July 17 | <b>16th Sunday in Ordinary Time</b>                     | 11:30 AM Mass |
| July 24 | <b>17th Sunday in Ordinary Time</b>                     | 11:30 AM Mass |
| July 31 | <b>18th Sunday in Ordinary Time</b><br>Jubilee of Mercy | 11:30 AM Mass |

### A Journey Through the Mass

Liturgy of the Word

As the Eucharist became more separated from the Fellowship meal, and as Christians were expelled from the synagogues, there developed a more formal scripture service whose structure was probably influenced by the synagogue morning prayer service.

Generally by the sixth century the service of the Eucharist was preceded by the service of the Word. Different numbers of readings, ranging from 3 to 6 were chosen, with the belief that **Rome's practice was 3 readings. Further what started as continuous readings of scripture developed into thematic readings when the liturgical year developed (i.e. readings appropriate for Easter and Christmas).**

Currently, the lectionary arranges the Sunday readings in a three-year cycle, the characteristic feature of each year being the gospel: year A is based on Matthew, year B on Mark and **year C on Luke. St. John's Gospel occurs on the first Sundays of Lent, during the Easter Season, and on certain Sunday's during year B.**

"Readings from Scripture and the chants between the readings form the main part of the liturgy of the word. The homily, profession of faith, and general intercessions or prayer of the faithful expand and complete this part of the mass." (GIRM #33)

### Ministry Schedule

**SUNDAY, June 26, 2016**  
**13th Sunday in Ordinary Time**

|                                      |                               |
|--------------------------------------|-------------------------------|
| GREETERS                             | Adrian and Jo Meeuwissen      |
| LECTORS                              | Vic & Gail James              |
| Extraordinary Ministers of Communion | Adrian Meeuwissen & Vic James |
| Altar Servers                        | Alicia & Lucas                |
| Gift Bearers                         | Volunteer                     |
| Collection Counter                   | Pls. See Bulletin Board       |
| Church Cleaning                      | Pls. See Bulletin Board       |

### SUNDAY June 12, 2016

**Loose \$ 25.00      Envelope \$ 390.00**  
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### From the Catechism of the Catholic Church **"I BELIEVE IN GOD THE FATHER ALMIGHTY, CREATOR OF HEAVEN AND EARTH"** Paragraph 2. The Father

I. "IN THE NAME OF THE FATHER AND OF THE SON AND OF THE HOLY SPIRIT"

237 The Trinity is a mystery of faith in the strict sense, one of the "mysteries that are hidden in God, which can never be known unless they are revealed by God".<sup>58</sup> To be sure, God has left traces of his Trinitarian being in his work of creation and in his Revelation throughout the Old Testament. But his inmost Being as Holy Trinity is a mystery that is inaccessible to reason alone or even to Israel's faith before the Incarnation of God's Son and the sending of the Holy Spirit.

### We pray for the Sick:

**Dorothy, Denise, Helen & Harry, Arsenia, Sara, Bob, Reginald, Juanito, Kelda, Shaylyn, Max, Rufina, Apolinario and Pol**

