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SUNDAY BULLETIN for October 14 & 15, 2017

28th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Isaiah 25.6-10; Ps 23; Philippians 4.12-14; Matthew 22.1-14

"Invite everyone you find to the wedding banquet."



Weekly Mass Schedule 28th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Saturday	14th	5:00pm	Mass † Jesse Eileen Towns
Sunday	15th	9:00am	Mass
Monday	16th	9:00am	Mass
Tuesday	17th	6:15pm	Mass
Wednesday	18th	9:00am	Mass
Thursday	19th	11:00am	Mass at Bulkley Lodge
Friday	20th	9:00am	Mass
Saturday	21st	5:00pm	Mass † Julia Sowa
Sunday	22nd	9:00am	Mass

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

Oct 7 & 8, 2017

Church \$1761.25 School \$30.00
Diocesan Appeal \$525.00 Special Collections \$80.00
Thank you for your generous support!



Please remember the following in your prayers:

Nolan, Casey, Nick, Erik, Leland, Maurice, Owen, Adrian, Nelson, Lucia, Ryan, little James.

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 MINISTRIES

Secretary: Mary Spicer

Parish Pastoral Council

Chairperson: Michael desHarnais

Social Coordinator: Johanna Habjan

Liturgy: Gemma Gillis

Youth Ministry: Pederson Family

Development & Peace: Marj Coupe

Catholic Women's League: Eileen Bouvier

Knights of Columbus: James Schwab

School Council Co-Chairpersons: Kelly Ehalt & Etienne St-Onge

Parish Finance Committee

Finance Vice Chairperson: Wayne Callison

Casey Pyper, David Schwab, Jos Konst

Bookkeeper: Brenda Pyper

Maintenance: _____

Collections: Rita Coupe

RCIA & Children's Catechism: _____

Children's Liturgy: Ann Marie MacIsaac

Altar Servers: Nancy Verbeek

Music: Lori Cachia & Mary Spicer

Ministry Schedule

Oct 21 & 22, 2017

DATE	Saturday, Oct 21	Sunday, Oct 22
GREETERS	Dan & Yarah Ford Nilda Hudson	Jim & Marie Ziegler Jean Miller
LECTORS	Trevor Brintjes Vigil Overstall	Kristi Pederson Brian Burrill
Extraordinary Ministers of Communion	David Hemenway Janna Delany	Tina Gemmell Lu Blackburn Maria Sowa
ALTAR SERVERS	Volunteers	Volunteers

UPCOMING EVENTS

Mon Oct 16: 7pm Building Our Faith
Tues Oct 17: 10:15am Bible sharing.



ST. JOSEPH'S SCHOOL
School Principal: Rosemary McKenzie
Our school website: www.stjosephs.ca
Phone: (250) 847-9414

Catholic Schools: "Care for Everyone in Our Common Home"

DIOCESAN EVENTS

2017-18 CALLED TOGETHER --DIOCESAN ANNUAL APPEAL

To date **Called Together** 2017-18 has reached 37.66% or \$150, 643 of its overall goal. The majority of parishes have sent in their pledges from their parishioners for Commitment Sunday. Thank you for facilitating the Commitment Sunday in your parish.

Our Parish Goal is: \$26,845 Total Pledged: \$3480.

Notice: Cheques should be payable to either:

RCEC- Diocesan Appeal or RCEC – Called Together

IGNITE BC REUNION: MARK YOUR CALENDARS! We will be LIVE streaming Face2face's United Conference November 18-19 in Prince George. Location & details to come! Last year was the first year we tried this live stream and it worked tremendously well. This is open to all those who have attended IGNITE BC in the last 3 years as well as any newcomers ages 14-19. For more details about the conference: <https://f2f.ca/united/>

SAVE THE DATE FOR DYC 2018 happening **April 20-22, 2018** in Prince George, BC. Details to come over the next several months but for now, mark those calendars!

PARISH EVENTS

BIBLE SHARING GROUP

Our Bible Sharing Group has begun. We gather Tuesdays at 10:15 for tea or coffee and then study the readings for the coming weekend from 10:30 am to 11:30 am. We use "Celebrating the Word" as our guide, a program put out by the Resurrection Ministries of the Congregation of the Resurrection Ontario-Kentucky Province in Ontario. Fr. Eli will join us when possible. If you would like a copy of "Celebrating the Word" for this coming week's Bible Sharing please email me at mcoupe@hotmail.com and I will email you a copy. Marj Coupe'

BUILDING OUR FAITH

Using the DVD Series Symbolon

Next session **October 16, at 7:00 pm in the Parish Meeting Room**

Topic is The Bible. Everyone is welcome.

Materials from the first two sessions are available for anyone who is interested.

THANKSGIVING CELEBRATION AND MEAL

A big thank you to Christine Kilb for organizing and spearheading this wonderful lunch. And thank you to the parents, students and all the volunteers that helped prepare, serve and clean-up on Thursday and Friday. All the donations of carrots and potatoes – many home grown – were appreciated. It is truly a blessing to be able to enjoy a lovely meal with friends and family.

CALLING FOR LIDS

Kindergarten is looking for **LIDS** from ice cream buckets, large Beceel containers, and the likes. They are needed before Halloween, Thank you.

CHESS SETS

We are looking for chess sets so the students can learn to play. If you have one that you would like to donate to the school please drop it off in the office. Thanks.

CROSS COUNTRY RUN

The Cross Country Run will be held on Thursday, October 19th. This is a district event which our school organizes for all the schools in the area. We will need many parent volunteers to help with marshaling, handing out juice, first aid, and score keeping. Please consider signing up for one of the volunteer positions. A note will go home soon with more information. **NOTE: RIDES WILL NOT BE ORGANIZED BY THE SCHOOL. IT IS YOUR RESPONSIBILITY TO PROVIDE TRANSPORTATION TO AND FROM RIVERSIDE PARK.** Thank you. **Also if you happen to know any high school students who may be interested in running the course with the children please call the office.**

FOR YOUR INFORMATION

Thanks in part to the government Learning Resources Grant we received last spring, we were able to purchase a class set of iPads.

ST JOSEPH'S CHILDREN'S CLOTHING AND TOY SALE

Our annual fall clothing and toy sale is on Saturday, October 28th, from 9am to 11am. For more information, or to book a table, please email Erin Briennesse, erbriennesse@gmail.com. It's a great fundraiser for our school.

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Office Hours:
Variable: By appointment
Visit to the Sick at Home: By appointment



SUNDAY MASS TIME 11:30am



PARISH LEADERSHIP TEAM

Rev. Elizer Pelingo, OSA
Pastoral Assistant/Caretaker: _____
Joint Parish Pastoral Council &
Finance Committee Members
Eric Bishop · Stephen Rose · Georgina Dotto ·
CWL Representative



We pray for the Sick:

Joan, Glenn, Leonie, Tony, Ken, Devynn, Bob,
Dorothy, Helen & Harry, Sara, Reginald, Juanito,
Kelda, Shaylyn, Rufina, Apolinario and Pol

Thank You!

Adrian Meeuwissen and Marguerite Goncalves

A big thank you for the lovely flowers for the altar at St. Anthony's over the summer.

Ministry Schedule SUNDAY Oct 22, 2017 29th Sunday in Ordinary Time

GREETERS	Volunteer needed
LECTORS	Volunteer needed
EMC	Volunteer needed
ALTAR SERVERS	Volunteer needed
GIFT BEARERS	Volunteer needed
COLLECTION COUNTER	Volunteer needed
CHURCH CLEANING	Volunteer needed

COLLECTION REPORT Sept.10,17,&24, 2017

Church \$299.00 \$282.00 341.30 Silent Auction \$1399.00

Thank you for your support!



Catholic Women's League

Bake Sale scheduled for Oct 14 & 15, 2017
Funds raised to assist 2018 Diocesan CWL
convention, hosted by Smithers Council
(April 20-22, 2018)

Parish Bazaar - November 18. More info to come.

General meetings are held at 7pm on **second Tuesday of each month**. All ladies are welcome!

Next meeting is Nov 14th at 7pm.

Membership fees are now due ...\$40.



Knights of Columbus Fr. Callaly Council 7973

Regional Meeting Planned— 4th Degree

Oct 15th Sunday afternoon at St Joseph's meeting room and parish centre. Knights from Terrace and Kitimat will be attending meeting with a social to follow.

Why should you become a Knight?

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