



# St. Joseph's Parish

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## SUNDAY BULLETIN for January 13 & 14, 2018

2nd Sunday in Ordinary Time

*1 Samuel 3.3-19; Ps 40; 1 Corinthians 6.13—20; John 1.35-42*

*“The disciples of John came and saw where Jesus was staying, and they remained with him.”*



### Weekly Mass Schedule

Saturday	13th	5:00pm	Mass	† Jesse Eileen Towns
Sunday	14th	9:00am	Mass	† Jeanine Murdoch
Mon.	15th	—	No Mass	
Tues.	16th	6:15pm	Mass	† Marina Bresser
Wed.	17th	9:00am	Mass	† Corry Sikkes
Thu.	18th	11:00am	Mass at Bulkley Lodge	
Fri.	19th	9:00am	Mass	
Saturday	20th	5:00pm	Mass	
Sunday	21st	9:00am	Mass	† Dolores Krauskopf

### 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

*Jan 4, 2018*

Church \$1081.35    Jan 1 Church \$1105.00

School \$190.00    NOCC \$67.00

*Thank you for your generous support!*



*Please remember the following in your prayers:*

*Olivia, Sophie, Nolan, Lindsay, Shannette, Quinn, Maria, Makayla, Crystal, Scott, Rita, Nick, Erik, Leland, Maurice, Owen, Nelson, 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:* Mike DesHarnais

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

January 20 & 21, 2018

DATE	Saturday, Jan 20	Sunday, Jan 21
<b>GREETERS</b>	Jin & Marie Ziegler Nilda Hudson	K of C
<b>LECTORS</b>	Vigil Overstall Eileen Bouvier	K of C
<b>Extraordinary Ministers of Communion</b>	Maria Sowa Johanna Habjan	K of C
<b>ALTAR SERVERS</b>	<i>Volunteers</i>	<i>Volunteers</i>

## UPCOMING EVENTS

Mon. Jan 15—Building Our Faith at 7pm  
Tues Jan 16—Bible Sharing at 10:15am  
Wed Jan 17—K of C meeting  
Thurs Jan 18—Holy Family Icon Prayer Hour at 7pm



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

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

## DIOCESAN EVENTS

### 2018 SHARE LENT MEETING/WORKSHOP:

The Development and Peace Diocesan Council (Catherine Nolin Hanlon, Dick Mynen, Annie Kearns & Kate Schenk) send their New Year's greetings, and invite you to the Development and Peace: *Together for Peace* Diocese of Prince George Share Lent meeting/workshop.

They hope you can attend, or send a rep from your parish. The BC Animator, Jeremy Laurie, will be at the workshop.

**DATE:** Sunday, January 21, 2018

**TIME:** 11:00 AM (Mass)

12:00-12:30 PM (K of C Pancake Breakfast)

12:45-5:30 PM (meeting/workshop)

**LOCATION:** Mass & Pancake Breakfast: **Immaculate Conception Parish church and hall**  
Workshop/meeting: **Immaculate Conception School Library**

3285 Cathedral Ave., Prince George, BC

Please join us for the workshop and bring a friend along! Feel free to share this message with anyone in your parish who is interested in learning more about the Share Lent campaign.

Please confirm your attendance by emailing

[Catherine.Nolin@unbc.ca](mailto:Catherine.Nolin@unbc.ca) by Wednesday, January 17, 2018 so that there are right amount of refreshments.

To order materials and/or for more information on the 2018 Share Lent Campaign check out:

<https://www.devp.org/en/sharelent2018/materials>

## PARISH EVENTS

Knights of Columbus: **FAMILY HOUR OF PRAYER**

with a Holy Family Icon

Thursday January 18, 2018 @ 7:00pm

### **BIBLE SHARING GROUP**

We will start this year's Bible Sharing on Tuesday morning, January 9th in the Parish Centre. As we have in the past gathering at 10:15 and starting our Bible Sharing at 10:30 am.

### **BUILDING OUR FAITH**

Using the DVD Series Symbolon

Next session is on Monday January 15 at 7:00 pm in the Parish meeting room. Everyone is welcome.

Topic is **Why do I need the Church**

**The Mystery of the Catholic Church**

We will also meet on January 29.

## JANUARY- A NEW YEAR

*"As the year comes to a close, it is time for reflection – a time to release old thoughts and forgive old hurts. Whatever has happened in the past, the New Year brings fresh beginnings. Exciting new experiences and relationships await. Let us be thankful for the blessings of the past and the promise of the future." A quote from Peggy Toney Horton.*

### **Grades 4,5,5/6,&7 SKI DAYS – Jan. 24<sup>th</sup> and Feb. 7<sup>th</sup>**

If you have not sent in the ski permission forms and payments, please do so immediately. We have to get all the forms into the ski hill asap.

## **SCHOOL and BUS FEES**

There are a number of families who brought in post-dated tuition cheques just until December. If you are one of these families, please send in the payment for the remainder of the school year, January to June. Bus fees for the second term are now due as well. If you would like to sign up for Pre-Authorized Debit, please come to the office and fill out the form. A void cheque is also needed.

## **ADVISORY FROM THE RCMP- reminder**

The Smithers RCMP and the staff from St. Joseph's School would like to remind parents and motorists that there is a new NO PARKING area on Manitoba Street, between 1<sup>st</sup> Avenue and Broadway. This restriction has been implemented to ensure the safety of children walking to and from the school yard. Police will be conducting patrols of the area to educate road users about this new traffic flow area. Permanent signs will be installed in the spring of 2018. Thank you, Constable Thompson, St. Joseph's School RCMP Liaison Officer.

## **PSG SPAGHETTI DINNER & DESSERT AUCTION**

The PSG is having this fun-filled family event on January 26<sup>th</sup>. More details to follow...

In order to make this event a success we need help!! Currently we are looking for volunteers for :

1) Friday Jan 19th to bake cakes: 9:00am start time, most likely done by noon, 4 people needed.

2) Wed Jan 24th to make sauce and meatballs: 9:00 am, 6 people needed and done by 1pm.

3) Friday Jan 26th starting at 1:30pm (b/c that day is a hot lunch day), boiling noodles and washing lettuce for salad, 6 people. Hopefully done by 4pm.

Then we need a new crew to come serve, 6 people again and after dinner 6 people to do the dishes!

Hmmm sounds like a lot of work...but with many people it will be a blast. Thank you , PSG



### Catholic Women's League Smithers

#### For February Meeting:

All members are asked to sew cosmetic bags for Passage House. They should be about 7"x10" and have a drawstring. February is Baby Layette month. Please bring new baby items to the meeting.

Check out the new provincial website at [www.BCYukonCWL.ca](http://www.BCYukonCWL.ca)

We'd appreciate your help with our upcoming Convention in April. Please contact Eileen Bouvier. There will be a **Quilt Display** on Feb. 10 & 11. A fundraiser for the Diocesan Convention. More info to come.



### Knights of Columbus Fr. Callaly Council 7973

#### Monthly Meeting

Date: Wednesday January 17th  
Time: 7:00 pm  
Location: St Joseph's Parish Centre.

District Deputy Don Coburn will be in attendance at the meeting. Annual fees for 2018 of \$40.00 are due. The fees can be paid to the FS at the monthly meeting.

Please give a helping ride to Knights that require ride to attend the meeting. The executive will meet at 6:15 prior to the monthly meeting.

Knights of Columbus: **Family Hour of Prayer** with a Holy Family Icon  
Thursday January 18, 2018 @ 7:00pm



### Aqua North Plumbing & Heating

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### Babine Animal Hospital

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Veterinarian

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Visit to the Sick at Home: By appointment



## SUNDAY MASS TIME 11:30am

### PARISH LEADERSHIP TEAM

Pastoral Assistant/Caretaker: \_\_\_\_\_

Joint Parish Pastoral Council &  
Finance Committee Members

Eric Bishop · Georgina Dotto  
CWL Representative



### We pray for the Sick:

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



### Our New Fundraiser

#### Grand In Hand

This is a 50/50 draw with a \$1000 prize. Tickets \$10 ea.

Tickets are on sale from the 1st of month with the draw on the last day of the month. There will be 6 draws for the fiscal year, in the following months:

December  
February  
March  
June  
September  
October

### St Anthony's CWL

A reminder that CWL membership is due. \$36. Please pay Susan Hak.

### Food Bank

Please remember to contribute non-perishable items in the basket at the church.

### Ministry Schedule

### SUNDAY Jan. 14, 2018 Epiphany of the Lord

<b>GREETERS</b>	Volunteer needed
<b>LECTORS</b>	Volunteer needed
<b>EMC</b>	Volunteer needed
<b>ALTAR SERVERS</b>	Volunteer needed
<b>GIFT BEARERS</b>	Volunteer needed
<b>COLLECTION COUNTER</b>	Volunteer needed
<b>CHURCH CLEANING</b>	Volunteer needed

### COLLECTION REPORT Oct & Nov, 2017

Oct 22 & 29 \$517.00 Nov 5, 12 & 19 \$1478.00

Thank you for your support!

### PARISH EPIPHANY KARAOKE PARTY

On Sunday January 28th, come join us for an afternoon of fun, food and entertainment after Mass (til 4pm) in the basement of the church.

It's a potluck luncheon and Karaoke party! Bring your singing voice, your favorite casserole dish or dessert; and BYOB includes coolers, wine and beer (no hard liquor please).

### Soup and Bun Lunch

Please join us after Mass on the 4th Sunday of each month.  
(unless otherwise posted on schedule)