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SUNDAY BULLETIN for February 3 & 4, 2018

5th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Job 7.1-7; Ps 147; 1 Corinthians 9.16-23; Mark 1.29-39

"Jesus cured many who were sick with various diseases."



Weekly Mass Schedule 5th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Saturday	3rd	5:00pm	Mass
Sunday	4th	9:00am	Mass
Mon.	5th	—	No Mass
Tues.	6th	6:15pm	No Mass
Wed.	7th	9:00am	No Mass
Thu.	8th	11:00am	No Mass at Bulkley Lodge
Fri.	9th	9:00am	No Mass † Willy Koldyk
Saturday	10th	5:00pm	Mass
Sunday	11th	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

Jan 28, 2018

Church \$1310.70

School \$60.00

Thank you for your generous support!



Please remember the following in your prayers:

Stefani, Fofa, Bob, Mary, Marijo, 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, Barbara Schwab

Ministry Schedule

February 10 & 11, 2018

DATE	Saturday, Feb 10	Sunday, Feb 11
GREETERS	Jim & Marie Ziegler Nilda Hudson	CWL
LECTORS	Emily Buenten Cassie Seibert	CWL
Extraordinary Ministers of Communion	David Hemenway Charlotte West	CWL
ALTAR SERVERS	<i>Volunteers</i>	<i>Volunteers</i>

UPCOMING EVENTS

Tues Feb 6—Bible Sharing at 10:15am
Sun Feb 11—Continental Breakfast after Mass
Mon Feb 12—Building Our Faith 7pm
Weekday Masses are cancelled for week of Feb. 5 to Feb. 9.

DIOCESAN EVENTS

Called Together, Giving Sharing, Serving. Update as of Jan. 31, 2018: St Joseph's Appeal Goal = \$26,845. Pledges received = \$17,865. Thank you for your generous continued support.

Welcome to YOUNG ADULT 'RETREAT-ERS':

These Prince George Young Adults have travelled here to ski Hudson Bay Mountain and spend some time in our church. Welcome!

CATHOLIC MISSION IN CANADA (CMIC) COLLECTION will be held on **February 11, 2018** in our diocese. CMIC has worked since 1908 to help the Faith to grow and flourish in remote and impoverished areas of Canada. CMIC supports more than 600 missionaries and 26 Canadian mission dioceses. **Eight communities in the Diocese of Prince George** benefit from CMIC support. In the **2017** year **\$67 366** was distributed to the communities that applied for grants and a **\$36 000** burse was received to support the education of seminarians in our diocese.

We are grateful for the generous support of CMIC and ask you to give generously on February 11. If you are interested in making a monthly donation or do not have envelopes go to: <https://donation.cmic.info>.

PARISH EVENTS

CONTINENTAL BREAKFAST - Sunday Feb 11th
The Knights of Columbus will host a Continental Breakfast in the parish centre following Sunday Mass. The intent is to provide an opportunity for parishioners to socialize and build community.

A small donation will be accepted with any proceeds obtained being directed to tuition support for a student at St. Joseph's School.

BIBLE SHARING GROUP

We have Bible Sharing on Tuesday mornings in the Parish meeting room. 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 February 12 at 7:00 pm in the Parish meeting room. Topic is The Last Things; What happens After We Die?

Everyone is welcome.

Meeting dates for February are 12th & 26th.



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"

A FAMILY GRACE

Pope Francis explains that a few words of Grace before we eat recognizes God's gifts, and puts us in solidarity with those who produce the food and those who do not share in the abundance of food and drink we have. Perhaps too, we may consider the waste of food in our society and in our homes. My mother taught us that to waste food was a sin; it is only now something I think about. Mrs. McKenzie
"God we thank you for this food, For rest and home and all things good; For wind and rain and sun above, But most of all for those we love." Maryleona Frost

OUR NEW LAWN TRACTOR AND BARBECUE SHED

A new storage shed for the school is being framed and painted in a shop during the winter months. There are about 15 sheets of wallboard to be given two coats of paint. If you could do even a few sheets, please give Jason a call at 877-8816. Thank you!

KINDERGARTEN REGISTRATION-for September!

Kindergarten registration starts Monday, January 22nd, for PARISHIONERS AND SIBLINGS. Please call the school office, starting 8:15 am, to secure a registration spot and make an appointment for the registration meeting with the principal. Please bring in your child's care card, birth certificate, baptismal certificate (if you have one) and September tuition fees (if you are new to the school) to secure your spot at the time of your meeting.

Tuition rates for 2018-2019 are: one child - \$255.00, two children- \$330.00 and three or more- \$335.00

Registration is on first- come, first- served basis for phone calls.

- 22nd - 24th – for parishioners and siblings – call starting 8:15 am for registration appointment
- 25th - 29th – St. Joseph's Pre-K families – call starting 8:15 am for registration appointment
- 30th onwards – open (public) registration – call starting 8:15 am for registration appointment

SCHOOL COUNCIL NEWS

We extend a thank you to Mr. Michael DesHarnais for his time on School Council. A position is now open on Council. Council members are required to be Catholic, 19 years of age, and able to meet every month to assist in the running of the school. School Council is an enthusiastic and committed group of volunteers who work as a team. Please contact a Council member or attend a Council meeting to observe if you might be interested in being on School Council. Please note that Non-Catholic parents can work with Council by serving on committees. Just ask! Thank you for considering this invitation.



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.bcyukoncw.com

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. More info to come.



Knights of Columbus Fr. Callaly Council 7973

Continental Breakfast— Sun. Feb. 11

Knights of Columbus will host a breakfast in parish centre following Sunday Mass. The intent is to provide parishioners to socialize. Donations accepted and proceeds directed to a St Joseph's School student tuition.

Why you should become a Knight?

If you're interested in helping those in need, serving your parish, growing in your faith or having exclusive access to top-rated insurance protection for your family, then the Knights of Columbus is the organization for you.

Talk to a Knight nearest you now!!!



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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

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,
Apollinario 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 Feb. 4, 2018 5th 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 Dec, 2017

Dec 3 \$680. Dec 12 \$327. Dec 17 \$180. Dec 24 \$280.

Dec 25 \$625. Dec 31 \$215.

Thank you for your support!

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Update as of Jan. 31, 2018: St Anthony's Appeal Goal = \$4794.

Pledges received = \$1970.

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PARISH EPIPHANY KARAOKE PARTY

Thank you to all for the successful gathering.

Soup and Bun Lunch

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