

OUR LADY OF LOURDES CATHOLIC CHURCH



PARISH OFFICE

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OFFICE HOURS: MONDAY – FRIDAY (8:30AM—2:30PM)

After Hour Emergency/Sick Call/Funeral: (250) 768-5144

SACRAMENT OF CONFESSION:

Saturday: 4:15-4:45pm
(Crying Room)

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM:

Pre-registration in the parish office is required two months in advance. For more info, please call the parish office... thank you!

SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE:

Contact the Parish Priest 6 months in advance

SAFE ENVIRONMENT POLICY COORDINATOR:

Sylvia Jurys: (250) 769-0214

OUR LADY OF LOURDES SCHOOL:

Principal: Kathryn (Kat) Grootjes

Secretary: Kirsten Kurjata

Phone: (250) 768-9008

Website: www.olol-bc.com



**ANGELS ACADEMY PRESCHOOL,
DAYCARE & OUT OF SCHOOL CARE:**
(Childcare Centre at OLOL School)
For more info, please call 250-768-9008!

St. Patrick's Mission Church
(Shannon Lake Road) NO MASS

Please remember to include Our Lady of
Lourdes Parish or School in your estate
planning...thanks and God bless!

SUNDAY COLLECTION REPORT – October 11th

	Actual	Budget	Variance
Sunday Collection	\$ 4,723.91	\$ 6,611.00	\$ -1,887.09
Year-to-date	\$223,437.03	\$284,273.00	\$ -60,835.97

*God loves a cheerful giver and a
generous heart...thank you!*

PARISH STAFF:

Pastor: Fr. Rex M. Velmonte

fr.rvmv@telus.net

Office Manager: MaryJane Ganje

Religious Education Coordinator: Cathy Sinclair

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Phone: (250) 768-4114 ext. 102

Custodian: David Young

PARISH MINISTRIES/ORGANIZATIONS:

Pastoral Council:

Finance Committee: John Currie (250) 768-9616

Maintenance: Ron Regan (250) 574-8827

Knights of Columbus (K of C):

Arnie Kouwenhoven (250) 317-1516

Catholic Women's League (CWL):

Contact: Catherine Stroman (250) 769-1445

Youth/RCIA:

Liturgy Committee: Sylvia Jurys (250) 769-0214

Society of St. Vincent de Paul (SSVP): (250) 801-5905

Ministry to the Sick: Robert Graham (778) 392-5623

Hospital Visitation: Lillian Stamer

KGH Emergency Chaplain: (250) 878-1502

Prayer Group: Marcia Lawrence

MASS TIMES:

CHURCH:

Saturday: 5pm & 6:30pm

Sunday: 10am & 11:15am

PARISH CENTRE:

Sunday: 8:45am & 11am

Weekdays: 9am (see BULLETIN
for more details)

- 29th Sunday in Ordinary Time -

"Give therefore to Caesar the things that are
Caesar's, and to God the things that are God's."

October 19th – October 25th, 2020

MONDAY – THURSDAY, October 19th – 22nd

--- NO MASS

FRIDAY, October 23rd (Saint John of Capistrano)

9am Repose: Lorraine Marshall

SATURDAY, October 24th (Saint Anthony Mary Claret)

5pm Repose: Ray Jurys

6:30pm Repose: Gavril & Dorina Morariu

SUNDAY, October 25th

PARISH CENTRE ---

8:45am Intention: Pro Populo

11am Intention: Bishop Gregory

CHURCH ---

10am Repose: Wilbert Krueger

11:15am Repose: Witold & Genowefa Nowak
& John Nowak

(Celebrant: Bishop Gregory)

Please don't forget to sign up every
week (*between Monday
and Friday*) on our website ---

www.ololwestkelowna.com

or call the Parish Office,
if you're coming to Mass!
May God bless you always!

Volunteers Ready to Work!

The students at Immaculata Regional High School are looking for volunteer work! They are required to complete 30 hours each year and while this year is different in so many ways, the students still need to complete their hours. If you or someone you know could use some help in their yard or with a socially distant project, please contact Mrs. Brodeur at 250-300-3028 or irhs.ahc@cisnd.ca. We may have just the worker for you! Thank you for your continued prayers and support.

Mary's Pantry – Approximately 433 pounds of food as well as \$320 cash were brought in last weekend. Thank you so much!

UPCOMING EVENTS:

Sunday, October 18th

• Baptism: Gianna Balajonda (12noon)

Sat. & Sun., October 17th & 18th

• Special Collection – **World Mission Sunday**
Friday, October 23rd

• **Friday Adoration** (right after 9am Mass
until 10:30am)

Saturday, October 24th

• Baptism: Jack Nolan Federko (11am)

Sat. & Sun., October 24th & 25th

• Society of St. Vincent de Paul Monthly Collection

Sunday, October 25th

• Baptism: Logan William Barisoff
& Teo Joaquim Kuzmenko (4pm)

Friday, November 20th

• Wedding: Ian Scott Redgrove
& Katherine Hollingsworth

We continue to ask our gifted and generous parishioners to please keep donating those homemade **non-medical masks** to the church. You may drop it off in the office or when you come to Mass. Thanks in advance and God bless!

Pilgrimage of Faith Appeal 2020

Diocesan Goal **\$41,400**

Parish Goal **\$30,000**

\$71,400 TOTAL

Pledges/Donations Received: **\$71,886.10**

Families/Households Participating: **167**

If you are planning to contribute, put your donation in an envelope marked

'Pilgrimage of Faith: Parish Project'

Your cheque MUST be issued to the "Roman Catholic Bishop of Nelson" and you have to fill out a POF Pledge Form.

Place it in the collection basket or drop it off in the office.

Thank you very much for your love and support to the needs of our diocese, especially of our parish family.

Please continue to pray for its success!
May God bless you always!

**YOUR PRAYERS WILL BE GREATLY
APPRECIATED FOR THE FOLLOWING SICK**

Diane Ray, Edna Baker, Fred Ruppel, Anne Engel, Henry Senko, Brady Budgell, Hank Dziekan, Joey Johnson, Shauna Webster, Brian Lefebvre, Cathy Sinclair, Rosa D'Agostino, Giovanni Giacomello, Edith Bolla, Sylvia Zrim, Hugh Stead, Sophie Borys, Marlene Pasula, Rudy Herman, Nancy Brisson, Leonor Lisney, Audrey Nalewajek, Milka Cule, Mike Lakovic, Angela Barron, Tanya Smith, Marie Rudy, Suzanne DesRuisseaux, Sara Gramiak, Eileen McArthur, Henning Hansen, Dolores Nolin, Tina & Carl Kalbfleisch, Patricia Howe, Jacqueline Kirby, Noel Rajakarunanayake, Larry Gosselin, Rosie Rushton, John Stapleton, Paul Kolle, Cristine Lightheart, Ruzica Kukec, Vittoria Spindor, Harold & Julie Pierce, Heather Klein, Helen Pfliger, Dan Hovorka, Claude Monet, Evelyn Werner, Amedeo Pontini, Bill McArthur, Louise Wickett, Lillian Mouillierat, Jean Lee, Bill Andrews, Lidia Klicper, Isabella Kirk, Keifer Sherry, Helen Evans, Eileen Olenick, David & Margaret Gingras, Tristan Smith, Patricia & Victor Watniruk, Isobel Kelly, Tom Manion, Aime Beaulieu, Mary Turkovics, Eileen Kowalski, Giorgia Soro, Donald Labreque, Giuseffina Bertoncello, Nicole Turner, Maurice Allen

NEEDED - ONE MICROWAVE for a St.

Vincent de Paul client. If you can donate a microwave in good condition, please call the SVP phone at 250-801-5905 and leave a message with your name and phone number. We will call you back. Thank you and God bless!

Diocese of Nelson Matrimonial Tribunal

Divorced and looking for closure? Remarried and yearning to return to the sacraments? The Diocese of Nelson Matrimonial Tribunal is here to help. We can be reached by phone, 250 448 2725 ext. 280, or e-mail and are more than willing to answer any questions about the process itself, any fees that may be involved, or simply how to begin a case.

ATTENTION:

Starting the month of October, the YouTube Online Sunday Mass will now be held at 10am Mass (used to be at 11am). Here's the link ---

<https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCU8SSUEwsHNwcePeMwkL7PA>

Friendly Reminder:

We encourage all parishioners to arrive **at least 5 minutes early before Mass.** If you are not here when Mass is about to start and someone is waiting at the door that didn't sign-up but wants to come in, we have to let them in.

If you come late to the side door, and we have given your spot already, then we can't let you in if it's full... meaning, we have 50 people in the Church already.

We still strongly encourage each and every one of you to sign up for the Mass online. Thanks and God bless!

OUR LADY OF LOURDES SCHOOL

Student #'s: 115

Please continue to support our school by sending your children and grandchildren for a catholic education. We also have a **Child Care Centre (Angels Academy)** for preschool, daycare and out of school care available!

And please also continue to pray for the safety and protection of all the students and the staff, especially from this coronavirus pandemic! May our loving God embrace them with hope, joy wisdom and knowledge!

ATTENTION:

We need your HELP! Our parish school budget has been hit hard as a direct result of COVID 19. We are heading into an already deficit budget year with unforeseen expenses to protect staff and students. One most pressing expense is the installation of another sink for hand washing at \$3,500. Young children need uncongested areas to wash their hands several times a day and to not have to rely completely on hand sanitizer. Donations to help support this installation would be greatly appreciated. Please contact the school office and thanks!

PERPETUAL HELP **DEVOTION:**

Come and join us every Wednesday right after 9am Mass for devotion to Our Lady of Perpetual Help (*except when there's no Mass or there's a Funeral Mass that day*).

Devotion to Our Lady of Perpetual Help is a tradition deep in the Catholic faith throughout the world. Prayers of intercession are often asked of the Blessed Virgin. Our Lady has several names in various other languages such as Perpetuo Succursu, Nuestra Señora del Perpetuo Socorro and Mother of Perpetual Succour. The icon shows the Blessed Virgin protecting Jesus with her arms around him. Her solemn face isn't looking directly at him, but at us. The two archangels Michael and Gabriel carry instruments of Christ's crucifixion, a lance and sponge, a 3-bar cross and nails. The letters beside each figure identify their names using the Greek alphabet.

Rachel's Corner

"My past O Lord, to Your mercy; my present to Your love; my future to Your providence." St. Padre Pio

Has it been hard to even imagine a future when all you can think about is the pain, shame and regret from a past abortion decision? You are not alone. Give that past to our merciful Lord, on a Rachel's Vineyard™ Retreat, and allow Him to love you as your wounds begin to heal.

www.RachelsVineyardKelowna.com
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250-762-2273

Like us on Facebook: Rachel's Vineyard Kelowna

BABY STEPS FOR LIFE...

You may have noticed that our table has been **removed from the back of the church...but** only for the summer...however, there will no doubt be many "busy fingers" that will continue knitting & crocheting during the summer months. We have a supply of wool available for anyone interested in helping out & adding to our supply of knitted items...so please help yourselves to the wool & you can drop off your finished items when we resume in September. Thanks to all those who have donated yarn & material for quilts. Our finished items will be shipped to Third World countries in need.

OUR LADY OF LOURDES SCHOOL PSG ... SHOPPING CARD PROGRAM....

****Save-On, Superstore, Starbucks, Tim Horton's, T-Bones, Boston Pizza & Walmart cards are available from the Parish Office for immediate purchase, Monday to Friday, 9am-2:30pm...thanks!**

Spiritual Adoption Program

MONTH EIGHT, October 20th - Developing Baby:

Now your spiritually adopted baby is finished developing and is concentrating on gaining weight; she might be making her mother uncomfortable with her size. She will need a layer of fat to help her stay warm after she leaves the perfect temperature inside her mother's womb. In a short time, her baby will be born. Your baby's mother appreciated the prayers you have said for her and her baby throughout the pregnancy. It has not been easy, but your prayers have given her the grace she needed to bring her baby to term.

Let's warmly welcome to our parish family --- Gianna, daughter of Ma Edlyn & Christian Balajonda --- who was baptized on Sunday, October 18th!
May our loving and generous God bless her and watch over her and her family!

Knights of Columbus Charity Appeal Tickets.

It's available online only. Please use the following link for your purchase so our council gets credit for it ---
<https://kofcdraw.net/c8520>
Thank you for your continued support and may God bless you always!

HELP NEEDED ---- A parishioner is seeking to hire carpentry assistance in finishing a shed in West Kelowna. Roof and doors required.
Please contact 403-818-7194 and thank you!

Our prayers and condolences to the Wizinsky Family for the death of Shirley last Thursday, October 15th. May she rest in the peace and hope of Christ!