



Immaculate Conception Church



Parish Priest: Fr. Cerlouie Jimenez

Office Hours: Monday to Friday, 8:30 am to 12:30 pm

PLEASE CALL for appointment.

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Website: icckelowna.ca Phone: 250-762-3910 Email: iccoffice@shaw.ca

February 5th, 2023 – 5th Sunday in Ordinary Time
ICC's Main Office will be CLOSED February 6th 7th & 8th.

WEEKEND AND DAILY MASS TIMES

Sundays	9:00 am	Rosary – 8:30 am
	11:00 am	
	5:00 pm	
Weekdays	8:00 am	Rosary – 7:30 am
Wednesdays	5:00 pm	Rosary – 4:30 pm, Novena to follow mass
Saturdays	9:00 am	
	5:00 pm	(for Sunday)

Monday of long weekends & Stat. holidays: 9:00 am
 First Friday – Benediction/Adoration 3:00 pm, Mass 4:00 pm

RECONCILIATION

All confessions inside the church.

Saturdays:

10:00 – 11:00 am

& 3:45 – 4:45 pm or by appointment

–please call office 250-762-3910 or 250-762-8445 (leave message)



To find readings of the day go to the
 Canadian Conference of Catholic
 Bishops website: <https://www.cccb.ca/>

KELOWNA CATHOLIC PARISHES YOUTH GROUPS NEWS!

Westside Warriors 'Faith Night' Hockey Game – Saturday, Feb. 18.

Join our Junior Youth (Grades 6 & 7) and Senior Youth (Grades 8-12) for this annual fun event as all the youth groups in Kelowna / W. Kelowna take in a Westside Warriors hockey game, featuring video testimonials by team chaplain Don Richmond, players and coaches in our community! We will be purchasing group tickets, so **sign up deadline is Monday, Feb. 13.** Bus leaves Immaculate Conception Church parking lot at 6:15 pm and returns at 10:00 pm. Bring \$5.00 and your loudest cheer! Online sign-up and registration form available at www.kelownacatholicyouthgroup.ca.

Mark your calendars ...

- **Junior Youth (Gr. 6 & 7) Lent Evening Retreat** Friday, March 3 from 6:00 – 8:30 pm at St. Charles Garnier. To sign up or for a registration form, go to www.kelownacatholicyouthgroup.ca.
- **Senior Youth (Gr. 8-12) Lent Overnight Retreat** 5:00 pm on Friday, March 3 to 1:00 pm on Saturday, March 4 at Seton House of Prayer. To sign up or for a registration form, go to www.kelownacatholicyouthgroup.ca.

For more information or to sign up for any of these events, please contact david@icckelowna.ca or leanne@icckelowna.ca.

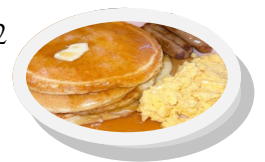


ICC Knights of Columbus Council

would like to invite you to join them for breakfast **Sunday February 5th.**

The food will be blessed and the fellowship will be divine!!!!

When: Sunday, February 5th, 2022
Time: 10:00 am to 1:00 pm
Where: ICC Parish Hall
Cost: Free-will Donation
Menu: Pancakes, eggs, sausage, tea and coffee



Please come out and support our Knights in their Ministry to serve our Community through various programs, scholarships, pilgrimages, charity and disaster efforts.

On Monday February 13th, 2023 at 8:00 am, we will have a mass of the *Holy Spirit* as we dedicate the Holy Spirit Skylight that will be installed atop our sanctuary ceiling.

The image of the Holy Spirit on the skylight evokes the "Epiclesis" that happens at each Holy Mass as the priest calls on the Holy Spirit to sanctify the oblation that will become the body, blood, soul and divinity of our Lord Jesus Christ in the Blessed Sacrament.

Everyone is welcome!

**Bishop Thomas J. Lobsinger,
OMI Memorial Bursary Program**

The annual British Columbia and Yukon Bursary program known as the Bishop Thomas J. Lobsinger, OMI Memorial Bursary Program is underway. The 2023 program is now receiving applications. We are privileged to offer fourteen bursaries of \$1,000.00 each to Catholic students across the Province of British Columbia. These bursaries are made available on a one-time only basis to young practicing Catholic students who are in post secondary education at a recognized institute of higher learning within the Province of British Columbia. Applications are accepted *from January 1, 2023 until June 30, 2023* with the bursaries being awarded in the fall. The Terms of Reference may be found on our web site (kofcbc.org) after Jan 1, 2023.

Requests for application should be addressed to:

Knights of Columbus BC & Yukon
2809 Mara Drive, Coquitlam, BC V3C 5T9
Attn: Herb Yang, Bursaries Chairman

Or email: herbykofc@gmail.com

Deadline for requests for application is June 1, 2023.

We would like to congratulate the many recipients once again over the past years and look forward to the opportunity to assist many more young people in the advancement of their education.



ST. CHARLES GARNIER PARISH

COMMUNITY SCREENING OF THE LETTER

We are happy to announce that we will be holding a community screening of The Letter, a film by Laudato Si' Movement featuring Pope Francis among five leaders representing the voices of indigenous people, the youth, the poor and the wildlife of our planet. This will be open to the general public as requested by the Pope. "All major faith traditions—70% of humanity—encourage us to protect our common home." We can work together.

The screening will take place on **March 5, 2023**, at 3PM at **St Charles Garnier Parish Hall**, 3645 Benvoulin Rd, Kelowna. The screening will be followed by refreshments and small-group discussion after the film. Get ready for this big day! Watch the trailer of *The Letter* here: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=l3EBHebH17Y>

**ATTENTION ALL
YOUTH & PARENTS**



****Act now as Registration is closing****

Join Pope Francis, and hundred of thousands young Catholics from around the world for the 16th International World Youth Day Pilgrimage! **World Youth Day 2023 is from July 25, 2023, to August 9, 2023, in Lisbon, Portugal.** Participants will grow in their faith and their appreciation for the power and presence of Jesus in the Church today.

WYD is open to all young people (18-35 years)**; this event is an opportunity to personally experience the universality of the Catholic Church, and to share with the whole world the hope of many young people who are committing their lives to Christ and His Church.

For more information on registration, cost, itinerary

please contact: Deacon Rod Attwell

E-mail: rod.attwell@nelsondiocese.org

Text or Call: 250.212.3990

*Registration is required immediately, as flights and accommodations must be booked.

**Minors (under 18 years) must be accompanied by a parent or guardian.

CATECHISM IN A YEAR

We know that so many of you have enjoyed learning and praying alongside Fr. Mike Schmitz with the #1 religious podcast in the world, *Bible in a Year* or his Sunday homilies.

We're excited to announce that you can continue learning and praying with Fr. Mike with his newest series, *Catechism in a Year*, which started on New Year's Day!

With this new series from Ascension, you'll listen to the entire Catechism of the Catholic Church in 365 days. You can find the CIAY in the Hallow app or Check out the Introduction today at <https://ascensionpress.com/pages/catechisminayear> and get ready to start 2023 with Fr. Mike Schmitz!

If you have any questions you can call Leanne at 250-762-3910 ext 4

LOST & FOUND:

Lost Rosaries: Last seen in ICC church back in late November... small, brown leather satchel with stud, containing two rosaries –one dark brown/black colour, one charcoal colour. *Rosaries are very sentimental.* If you have seen their whereabouts kindly contact the office, or turn into lost and found at Usher's Counter in church entrance.

Single Earring Found: A round/loop, gold earring has been found in the church. Please contact Parish Office to identify.

Thank you for your help!

Perpetual Adoration Chapel

The Adoration Chapel is *fully open* to all of our faithful; all restrictions have been lifted!

Our Lord Jesus is calling you to visit Him in The Perpetual Adoration Chapel. Please consider signing up for an hour.

Regular, scheduled hours available are:

SUN 7 A.M. & 9 A.M.

TUES 7 A.M., 9 A.M., 12 P.M. (NOON)
& 1 P.M.

WED 2 A.M., 5 A.M. & 1 P.M.

THURS 5 A.M. & 8 A.M.

FRI 12 A.M., 3 A.M., 4 A.M. & 5 A.M.,
& 12 P.M. (NOON) & 11 P.M.

SAT 4 A.M. & 8 A.M.



Please call Lorie at 250-448-5633

ICC SACRAMENTS

BAPTISM:

Please contact the Parish Office **FIRST** when enquiring about your child's baptism.



Parents and Godparents must be practicing Catholics.

Please call or email the office at least 6 weeks prior to your requested date to ensure time for your preparation.

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MARRIAGE:

As a Catholic, the most important part of preparing for the sacrament of marriage is asking Jesus to be at the center of the marriage.



In preparation of this most special sacrament please contact the office at least 6 months prior to your requested wedding date.

Parish Office 250-762-3910 or iccoffice@shaw.ca

Please do NOT contact priest through social media.

MASSES AT CARE HOMES:

Village at Mill Creek – 1st Tuesday of the month @ 9:45 am

Cottonwoods – 3rd Tuesday of the month @ 10:30 am

The Dorchester – Last Tuesday of the month @ 10:00 am

MASS INTENTIONS Repose – R Intention – I

Sat	04-Feb	9:00 AM	R.	Marcus Novel
		5:00 PM	I.	Akurienne Family
Sun.	05-Feb	9:00 AM		Intentions of Parishioners
		11:00 AM		Intentions of Parishioners
		5:00 PM	I.	Matteo Marin-Rasmussen
Mon.	06-Feb	8:00 AM	R.	Zaim Dzamalovic
Tues.	07-Feb	8:00 AM	I.	Stephanie Scovill
Wed.	08-Feb	8:00 AM	I.	Daniella Plaxton
		5:00 PM	R.	Angelo Pellizzari
Thurs.	09-Feb	8:00 AM	R.	Virginia (Maggie) Fuergutz
Fri.	10-Feb	8:00 AM	R.	Rosa D'Agostino

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Sat	11-Feb	9:00 AM	R.	Jesus Salas
		5:00 PM	I.	Christian & Jessica
Sun.	12-Feb	9:00 AM		Intentions of Parishioners
		11:00 AM		Intentions of Parishioners
		5:00 PM	R.	Victor Seguin
Mon.	13-Feb	8:00 AM	I.	Pricilla Mayhew-Kahan
Tues.	14-Feb	8:00 AM	R.	Rosa Wipfli
Wed.	15-Feb	8:00 AM	R.	Hans & Hildegard Noveletto
		5:00 PM	R.	Holy Souls in Purgatory
Thurs.	16-Feb	8:00 AM	R.	Joseph & Helen Seguin
Fri.	17-Feb	8:00 AM	R.	Andrew & Veronica Geber

REMEMBER TO PRAY FOR THE ILL:

Michelle Miller, Victor Kovac, Phillip Dos Santos, Marlene Hughes, John Casey, Annie Baars, Russ Radi, Heidi Hurson, Dorota Nowak, Chineé Fajardo, Luisito and Crispin Clemente, Nancy Brisson, Paul Meyer, Ginoefa Diakow, Rick Lock, Cathie Lock, Mertis Filiatrault, Sister Barbara, Candace Gilmore-Stephensen, Anne Engel, Aisley Ducharme, Catherine Fortunat, Michael M, Trudy Szulkies, Cherie Lynn Walsh, Suzanne Crowe, Alicia L, Rosa Maria Santos, Arthur Cobham, Marcus Cresswell, Ray Pauluk, Desjardines families, Rachel Donegan, & Ernie Poitras.

If you have a loved one that you would like on the prayer list or if you know of someone who no longer needs to be on the list please contact Andrea at the Parish office 762-3910 ext. 0, or email at iccoffice@shaw.ca



We will have the 2022 income tax receipts for St. Vincent de Paul donations at the back of the church February 18. Please pick yours up to save us postage and remember you can always donate on line at icc.ssvp@gmail.com (no password required)

Rachel's Corner

"My emotions were finally released, an almost impossible task. This allowed God to enter in and begin the healing process." Testimonial

Does it feel like your emotions are trapped deep inside since the day of the abortion, and you don't have the place or the right way to release them? Sometimes the ability to release them is exactly what you need in order to let the healing begin and feel like the person you hoped to be. Join us on the next Rachel's Vineyard Retreat®.

info@rachelvineyardkelowna.com

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250-762-2273

Sunday Collection — January 29th, 2023

Regular Collection	\$7,509.38
Collection to date	\$39,964.84
Weekly Collection required	to be determined
Collection to date required	to be determined

Balance to Date **\$39,964.84**

If you requested 2023 envelopes,
please check the tables in the entrance of the church.
Please continue to give on a regular basis
so as not to fall behind.

Thank you for all that you give!!

Latin Mass Society of Kelowna

For information on Latin Mass Society of Kelowna, Mass or events schedules, please visit their website:

www.latinmasskelowna.com

or email: info@latinmasskelowna.com

2475 Dobbin Road, Unit 22, Suite #532
West Kelowna, BC V4T 2E9

DONATIONS TO ICC

You can mail donations to - ICC:
839 Sutherland Ave, Kelowna, BC V1Y 5X4

We accept E-transfers!

etransfer.ICC@nelsondiocese.org No password needed.
Please indicate where to deposit donation (example: Sunday collection). Your donation will be deposited.

KINDLY INCLUDE YOUR FULL NAME AND NOTE YOUR FUNDS
ALLOCATIONS WHEN SENDING E-TRANSFERS.

A Pre-Authorized debit form is available by email or mail if you are interested in signing up for donations through the SAG program.

Please contact the parish office iccoffice@shaw.ca or
250-762-3910 for e-transfer or SAG information.

*Please inform the office of any changes
in address/contact information.*

2022 Income Tax Receipts will be out in February 2023.
PLEASE DO NOT use your 2022 envelopes anymore.

ENVELOPES FOR 2023

Envelopes for 2023 are now on the tables in the entrance of the church for pick up.

Please do not take/use envelopes that do not belong to you; you may not have the same envelope # you were assigned last year.

If you would like a box of envelopes, or you do not see that your envelopes have generated for this year please contact the office (iccoffice@shaw.ca) and a box will be made up for you and put into the entrance of the church.

Envelope usage – hints and info:

- ***Please do not use envelopes that do not belong to you.***
Envelopes are assigned to individuals and the number is assigned to that individual/account.
- If you are away or unable to come to church for a few weeks/months, you can put those weeks donations in **one envelope**. You don't have to use every weekly envelope for the missed weeks.
- Avoid tape on envelopes, it can at times rip a chq.
- Please write **VERY clearly** if you use your own envelope (or visitor envelope) if you would like to have an income tax receipt.

Thank you for your continued support of Ukraine.

The Rosary for Peace in Ukraine continues every Wednesday afternoon @ 4:30 pm, immediately preceding the 5 pm mass. Please continue to pray for our brothers and sisters in Ukraine, and for peace in the world.

There is an urgent request for sleeping bags, blankets and FIRST AID SUPPLIES, which will be shipped to Ukraine. Winter conditions increase the need for extra support. Financial donations will be issued income tax receipts.

Donations of men's & ladies skates for our refugee families settled in Kelowna would brighten their winter experience!

Donations may be dropped off at the ICC Office
(in the Parish Hall) between 8:30 and 12:30, Monday – Friday.

