



# Immaculate Conception Church

ROMAN CATHOLIC DIOCESE OF NELSON

839 Sutherland Avenue, Kelowna BC V1Y 5X4

Phone: 250-762-3910 Website: [icckelowna.ca](http://icckelowna.ca) Email: [iccoffice@shaw.ca](mailto:iccoffice@shaw.ca)

Parish Priest: Fr. Cerlouie Jimenez

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

**PLEASE CALL for appointment.**



**June 18, 2023— 11th Sunday in Ordinary Time**

*Mass will continue to be livestreamed with the link on our website: [icckelowna.ca](http://icckelowna.ca)*

## WEEKEND AND DAILY MASS TIMES

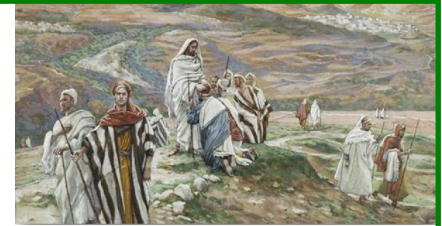
<b>Sundays</b>	<b>9:00 am</b>	Rosary – 8:30 am
	<b>11:00 am</b>	
	<b>5:00 pm</b>	
<b>Weekdays</b>	<b>8:00 am</b>	Rosary – 7:30 am
	<b>Wednesdays 5:00 pm</b>	Rosary – 4:30 pm, Our Lady of Perpetual Help Novena to follow mass
<b>Saturdays</b>	<b>9:00 am</b>	Rosary – 8:30 am
	<b>5:00 pm</b>	(vigil)

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

## RECONCILIATION

**Saturdays:**  
**10:00 – 11:00 am**  
**& 3:45 – 4:45 pm**

*If you are unable to attend confession during these times, please call office for an appointment: 250-762-3910 or Emergencies Only – 250-762-8445*



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



The staff and students of St. Joseph Catholic School invite you to join us for our last school mass of the year - **June 23rd, at 9:30 at ICC.**

As our school year comes to a close, we would like to thank our families and church community for their continued support of Catholic education in Kelowna.

## **POLISH MASS**

Fr. Marian Korzeniowski will be visiting Immaculate Conception Church on Sunday July 16, 2023 to celebrate Mass and hear confession for our Polish Community (in Polish). Sacrament of Reconciliation will start at 2:00 pm, with Mass to follow at 3:00 pm.

## FUNERAL SERVICE

### **MANN, DONNA LOUISE:**

A funeral mass for Donna Mann will be celebrated Wednesday June 21, 2023 at 11:00 am at ICC.

Reception to follow the funeral mass at ICC Hall.

Interment is scheduled for 2:00 at Kelowna Memorial Park Cemetery; 1991 Bernard Ave, Kelowna, BC.



## DOES IT MATTER WHAT I WEAR TO MASS?

Although the Catholic Church has no real dress code for proper attire when attending Mass, there IS an unwritten dress code that requires we are properly dressed out of respect, honour and reverence for the Real Presence of Our Lord in the Holy Eucharist. Because of this, one should make a reasonable attempt to dress modestly and in a way that reflects the importance of the occasion. We believe the extra effort it takes goes a long way to help us all focus on the Word of God and the Eucharist.

With the warmer summer weather here in Kelowna, please be mindful of your attire in attending the Eucharistic Celebration.

Thank you, everyone, for your help in making the Holy Mass a truly prayerful experience for everyone!

**ICC EVANGELICAL GARDENS:** We are looking for a few garden items/tools to assist us in maintaining ICC's Evangelical Gardens. If you have spare watering cans, garden hose, oscillating sprinkler, hand sprayers or various garden tools you are looking to part with, we would greatly appreciate your consideration. Please drop off items at the ICC Office, 8:30–12:30, Mon-Fri.

Thank you for your kind support!

**MASS INTENTIONS Repose – R. Intention – I.**

Sat. 17-Jun 9:00 AM R. Holy Souls in Purgatory  
5:00 PM I. St. Vincent de Paul Families  
Sun. 18-Jun 9:00 AM Intentions of Parishioners  
11:00 AM Intentions of Parishioners  
5:00 PM I. Margaret Dabrowski & Family  
Mon. 19-Jun 8:00 AM R. Michael J. Aprile  
Tues. 20-Jun 8:00 AM R. Armando Chiarello  
Wed. 21-Jun 8:00 AM I. Sarah Bernacki  
5:00 PM R. Armerinda Russo  
Thurs. 22-Jun 8:00 AM I. Tony Serka  
Fri. 23-Jun 8:00 AM R. Janina-Kaleta Sokolowski

Sat. 24-Jun 9:00 AM R. Giacomo Pellizzari  
5:00 PM R. Michele Deinstadt-Turanec  
Sun. 25-Jun 9:00 AM Intentions of Parishioners  
11:00 AM Intentions of Parishioners  
5:00 PM I. Sebastian Niechwiadowicz (Birthday)  
Mon. 26-Jun 8:00 AM I. Peter & Pauline Huang  
Tues. 27-Jun 8:00 AM I. Kristina & Richard Matonog  
Wed. 28-Jun 8:00 AM I. Grant Fuergutz  
5:00 PM I. Jason Pereira  
Thurs. 29-Jun 8:00 AM R. Margaret & Leo Zucatto  
Fri. 30-Jun 8:00 AM I. Jason Pereira

**REMEMBER TO PRAY FOR THE ILL:** Aggie Turner, Juliana Lavell, Maritess Steiman, Rhonda Jennens, Roy Velmonte, Jolana Dusik, Betty Yarrow, Justina Mikosa, Mildred Reyes, Kathe Gonzaga Carpena, Michelle Miller, Victor Kovac, Phillip Dos Santos, Marlene Hughes, Annie Baars, Russ Radi, Heidi Hurson, Dorota Nowak, Chinee Fajardo, Rosario, Luisito & 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, 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](mailto:iccoffice@shaw.ca)*



For security purposes, Immaculate Conception Church is locked when it is not in use. If you would like to visit the church during the week when it is locked, please visit the office (white building next door) to request access or call office 250-762-3910 to make an appointment.

**PERPETUAL ADORATION CHAPEL**

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

We have spots that need to be filled!  
Please consider signing up for an hour.

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

Scheduled hours available are:

**SUN** 9 AM, 3 PM & 7 PM  
**TUES** 7 AM  
**WED** 2 AM, 5 AM & 1 PM  
**THURS** 5 AM  
**FRI** 5 AM  
**SAT** 4 AM

Please call Lorie 250-448-5633



**VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!** We are looking for some regular Sunday night Mass goers willing to sign up for Usher/Collection duties. Volunteers can use our SignUp link to choose dates based on their availability. This is such an easy yet important service to the parish! Training is available for new ushers. Please contact Leanne at the parish office [250-762-3910](tel:250-762-3910) extension 4 or email the office with your name and contact information and "Sunday Usher" in the subject line.

∞ Thank you! ∞

**WHAT DO WE BELIEVE AS CATHOLICS?**

A group is already beginning to form who will study the Catholic faith for the 2023-24 year, and you are invited to join us! Whether you know little about the teachings of the Church and want to learn more or if you are missing some of your sacraments of initiation (eg: Confirmation), this Adult Faith Formation series is for you. Classes will run from 6:30-8:00ish on **WEDNESDAYS** in the Bedford Room of ICC hall beginning on September 13, 2023.

If you are interested or would like more information, please contact Leanne at 250-762-3910 ext 4 or email the parish office.

**MASSES AT CARE HOMES**

***Village at Mill Creek*** – 1<sup>st</sup> Tuesday of the month @ 9:45 am  
***Cottonwoods*** – 3<sup>rd</sup> Tuesday of the month @ 10:30 am  
***The Dorchester*** – Last Tuesday of the month @ 10:00 am

**UPCOMING PARISH DINNER/DANCES!**

**ANNIVERSARY DANCE!!!**

**Friday July 28, 2023**

Refreshments @ 6:00, Dinner @ 6:30

Dancing from 7:30

Music by: ***Vic Dance Band***

Tickets available through ***Loaves & Fishes***

591 Lawrence Avenue, Kelowna BC

250-868-8933



## SUNDAY COLLECTIONS — June 11, 2023

Regular Collection	\$ 8,594.58
Collection to date	\$ 201,849.96
Weekly Collection required	\$ 8,592.00
Collection to date required	\$ 206,208.00
<b>Balance to Date</b>	<b>\$ -4,358.04</b>

Please continue to give on a regular basis so as to not fall behind.

*Thank you for all that you give!!*

## DONATIONS TO ICC

You may email [iccoffice@shaw.ca](mailto:iccoffice@shaw.ca) for more information.

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

**We can now accept E-transfers!**

[etransfer.ICC@nelsondiocese.org](mailto:etransfer.ICC@nelsondiocese.org)

**No password needed.** Indicate where to deposit donation - (example - Sunday collection) - your donation will automatically be deposited.

A Pre-Authorized debit form is available by email or mail if you are interested in signing up for donations through the SAG program. Email or call the office 250-762-3910

**PARISH ENVELOPES:** email [iccoffice@shaw.ca](mailto:iccoffice@shaw.ca) for information on registering or to get donation envelopes.

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

**2023 Collection Envelopes** are now back in the Parish Office. If you have requested 2023 envelopes, please contact the parish office to arrange for pickup.

FILIPINO MASS is celebrated at Corpus Christi Parish

750 Rutland Rd N, Kelowna @ 5:00 pm  
every **FIRST** Sunday of the month.

## *Rachel's Corner*

*"And when you're tired of fighting, chained by your control, there's freedom in surrender. Lay it down and let it go. So, when you're on your knees and answers seem so far away, you're not alone, stop holding on and just be held."*

*Just be Held by Casting Crowns*

Have you felt alone and tired of fighting the pain since your abortion experience? Come on a Rachel's Vineyard™ Retreat and let us walk at your side as you discover that you don't need to live that way any longer.

[info@rachelvineyardkelowna.com](mailto:info@rachelvineyardkelowna.com)

[www.rachelvineyardkelowna.com](http://www.rachelvineyardkelowna.com)

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250-762-2273

## **Fun, Fellowship, Friends: "For you Alone are Holy, You are Great and do Marvelous Things."**

Come! Join us in Kelowna, **August 13-18**, as we Gather in the Spirit, at **Seton House of Prayer**. Up-and-coming Catholic speaker Pauline Dumas McGrath is passionate about seeing every person become empowered and fully alive! Inspired with insights from the Holy Spirit, Pauline's unique style combines personal testimonies and creative practical applications which enhance her gift of teaching. Pauline will lead us to partner with the Holy Spirit to be activated in His Gifts and bring God's love to others, often with signs and wonders following! To register, contact Maria McManus 1-250-707-1423, or at [untamedspirit@telus.net](mailto:untamedspirit@telus.net)

Early Bird Rate: closes June 17, and is \$675 with accommodation at Seton House, (limit 50 people). Commuter rate is \$325. From June 18-July 22, the rate with Seton House is \$725 and \$375 for commuters. **Limited financial assistance is available from Pilgrimage of Faith, \$225 for Seton House and \$108.33 for commuters, please confirm with registration.** Posters and brochures containing detailed information, are in our parish and on the web: <https://www.holyspiritbaptizer.com/gathering-in-the-spirit>

**Hallow** We're thrilled to announce Summer with the Psalms, led by Bishop Robert Barron from Word on Fire, as our next prayer challenge!

For the next month, Bishop Barron will lead us through all 150 Psalms, leaving time at the end of each session for us to rest and reflect on the Word in His peace. Throughout our journey through the Psalms, let us take the time to slow down and notice how God might be speaking to us, as He has throughout time with King David, Jesus, and thousands of Christians.

Still trying to decide about joining us and 125,000 others in prayer this June? Check out how powerful diving deep into the Psalms could be for your prayer life:

*"Hallow has been my everyday companion. So grateful for this place to go and **be fed in God's Word.**"*

*"I am reading Scripture, **praying like never before** and learning Latin. WOW! I LOVE THIS APP!!*

*"Once you make time for God, you realize that there's always time for God. For me, Hallow is the **best investment I've ever made.**"*

If you would like to try Hallow for free for 3 months, there is a code you can use for your free trial.

Call Leanne at the parish office if you are interested and she will email the link. 250-762-3910 ext 4

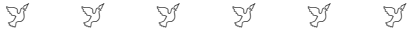
## Sacrament of Baptism at ICC

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



*At least one Parent and all Godparents **must** be practicing Catholics.*

We ask that you call or email the office **at least 6 weeks prior** to your requested date to ensure time for your preparation.



## Sacrament of Marriage at ICC

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 we ask that you contact the office **at least 6 months prior** to your requested wedding date.

*Please **DO NOT** contact priest through social media.*

### ICC OFFICES (Monday–Thursday)

*Please call to make an appointment.*

#### Parish Office:

Andrea Mitton  
250-762-3910 ext. 0  
[iccoffice@shaw.ca](mailto:iccoffice@shaw.ca)

#### Religious Ed Offices

David Ziebart  
250-762-3910 ext. 3  
[david@icckelowna.ca](mailto:david@icckelowna.ca)

Leanne Hopegood  
250-762-3910 ext. 4  
[leanne@icckelowna.ca](mailto:leanne@icckelowna.ca)

## 2023 JULIE WAMBEKE SCHOLARSHIP



The Kelowna Right to Life Society Julie Wambeke Scholarship is now open for submissions! All grade 11 and grade 12 Central Okanagan students are eligible to submit an entry for a chance to earn a \$1,000.00 cash award!

*Thanks to the generosity of our supporters, we are able to offer two additional, \$500 runner-up awards!*

Entrants must submit a 1000+ word essay on one of three topics. The topics and all other details are available at [our website](#). **The deadline for entries is June 30, 2023** with the winners to be announced in July.

*Go here for all the details!*

<https://www.prolifekelowna.ca/post/2023-julie-wambeke-scholarship>

\*If you would like to make a tax-deductible donation to support young pro-lifers as they prepare for post-secondary life, click on the donate button below. Specify you want your donation to go to the Julie Wambeke Scholarship so we can offer even bigger and better awards next year.

## PILGRIMAGE OF FAITH 2023

*PLEASE HELP US REACH OUR GOAL!*

Goal for 2023 appeal is \$67,150

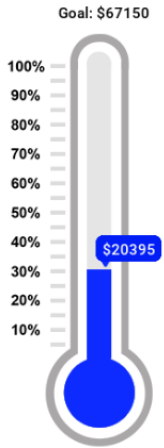
To date - \$20,395 — \$46,755 to go!

Our 2023 Pilgrimage of Faith Appeal is well underway. This annual appeal provides funding for capital project rebates, Catholic education, social and pastoral programs, and many other key services in our Diocese as well as our parish.

ICC's Diocesan goal for this year is \$67,150 and we hope to raise an additional \$10,000 to support some future projects that we may incur as a community of faith. We encourage you all to please participate in this year's appeal.

Remember to fill out your pledge card and drop it along with a cheque/cash in the collection, or donate via e-transfer to: [etranser.pof@nelsondiocese.org](mailto:etranser.pof@nelsondiocese.org) or online via Canada Helps at Canada Helps: <https://www.canadahelps.org/en/dn/24360>. Please make cheques payable to *The Roman Catholic Bishop of Nelson*.

For more information on how to give contact the Pilgrimage of Faith office at the Pastoral Centre at 250-448-2725 ext. 240 or email [appeals@nelsondiocese.org](mailto:appeals@nelsondiocese.org) or logon to the Nelson Diocese website <https://www.nelsondiocese.org/> and click on the 'Donate Now' button.



# Thank You!

for your support

Parishioners wanting to make donations for assistance to Turkey and Syria can do so using the following links:

**Development and Peace:** [Development and Peace - 55 years of solidarity. \(devp.org\)](https://www.devp.org/)

**Red Cross:** [Helping To Strengthen Resiliency - Canadian Red Cross](https://www.redcross.ca/)

Tax receipts are issued directly to the donor from these organizations. Also, any donations made through the Red Cross are matched by the Canadian Government.

Please support these organizations directly, **do not** send donations through ICC, as we are unable to transfer your donations to these organizations and receipt you for 2023 Income Tax –thank you.

**FORMED EASY SIGN UP**

To sign up for this FREE parish-sponsored resource, follow these easy steps ...

- Go to [formed.org](http://formed.org)
- Click on the 'sign up' icon
- Where it says "Find your Parish or Organization," enter ... 'Immaculate Conception Kelowna'
- Click on our parish name
- Enter your email address and create a password

To find this week's featured content, visit [watch.formed.org/this-week-on-formed](http://watch.formed.org/this-week-on-formed).

**Week of June 18, 2023**

- St. John the Baptist | Catholic Saints  
<https://watch.formed.org/videos/st-john-the-baptist-catholic-saints>
- Saint Thomas More: The Age of the Author  
<https://watch.formed.org/videos/saint-thomas-more-the-age-of-the-author>
- The Baptism of Jesus by John the Baptist | The Bible and Baptism | Episode 3  
<https://watch.formed.org/videos/the-baptism-of-jesus-by-john-the-baptist-the-bible-and-baptism-episode-3>

*We are accepting donations for the 23/24 subscription. Thank you for your generosity to keep this program available!*



Men and women who wish to deepen their Catholic faith in the charism of St. Francis of Assisi are welcome to explore the vocation of the Secular Franciscan Order.

Secular Franciscans are an Order within the Roman Catholic Church. The Little Flowers of St. Francis Fraternity gathers monthly for prayer, formation, and fellowship.

For more information, contact  
Sandy Kavanagh at: 250-212-3596.

**SECULAR ORDER OF DISCALCED CARMELITES (OCDS)**

Carmelite Seculars, together with the Friars and Nuns, are sons and daughters of the Order of Our Lady of Mount Carmel and of St. Teresa of Jesus. As a result, they share the same charism with the religious, each according to their particular way of life. It is one family with the same spiritual possessions, the same call to holiness (cf Eph 1.4; 1Pet 1:15) and the same apostolic mission. Secular members contribute to the Order the benefits proper to their secular state of life (Constitutions #1).

For more information please contact  
**Laurent 1-778-212-1945**  
**or Loretta 250-448-5633**



**REGISTRATION**

*New to the Parish? Change of address?*

Please fill in the form below to register or change your present registration. Place in collection basket or return to the Parish Office, or email - [iccoffice@shaw.ca](mailto:iccoffice@shaw.ca)

Name(s) [Family members] \_\_\_\_\_

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Address \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_

Postal Code \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Email \_\_\_\_\_

Envelopes?? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ Not now \_\_\_\_\_

**We are so glad that you are here with us  
to love and serve Jesus in deep unity!**

**Roman Catholic Diocese of Victoria  
Job Posting: Chief Financial Officer**

Complete Job Description and Qualifications is available on the tables in the Foyer of the Church, included as an attachment with our weekly bulletin emails, uploaded on our website: [iccoffice@shaw.ca](mailto:iccoffice@shaw.ca), or available online at: <https://www.rcdvictoria.org/employment>

*Applications must be received by June 30, 2023*

**LATIN MASS SOCIETY OF KELOWNA**

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

[www.latinmasskelowna.com](http://www.latinmasskelowna.com)

or email: [info@latinmasskelowna.com](mailto:info@latinmasskelowna.com)

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

**DIVINE WILL STUDY GROUP**

You're invited to join and study the writings of Luisa Picareta, on the *Divine Will*.

**WHEN:** Tuesdays, 10:30 am—noon & 7:00 pm—8:30 pm

**WHERE:** St. Pius X, 1077 Fuller Ave, Kelowna  
(in the gymnasium)

For more information please call Joanne Ducharme at 778-363-1033, or Paulette Martins at 1-250- 570-2967

FOOD BOXES FOR UKRAINE 2023  
 Glory to Jesus Christ! – Glory to Him Forever!  
**Слава Ісусу Христу! – Слава на Віки!**  
 Slava Isusu Chrystu! – Slava na Viky!

Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ, Friends, and All Caring and Thoughtful People Who Help Ukraine at The Time of War Today!

CNEWA created a separate web-link for donations towards the *Food Boxes For Ukraine* project:

<https://cnewa.org/ca/work/food-boxes-for-ukraine/>

*Food Boxes For Ukraine* is CNEWA's major project in 2023 in response to Ukraine emergency. It is implemented and managed by the Patriarchal Curia of the UGCC through the Patriarchal Fund "Mudra Sprava".

Thank you for your support.

CNEWA, [cnewa.ca](http://cnewa.ca)

[adombrowska@cnewa.org](mailto:adombrowska@cnewa.org)

1-866-322-4441x224

<https://www.facebook.com/cnewacanada>

Skype: CNEWA Canada



**STELLAR**  
SHINE JESUS' LIGHT

**VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL SUMMER CAMP!**

**St. Ann's Church**  
**1296 Main St, Penticton**  
**250.492.3169**  
**August 14-18, 2023**  
**9am-Noon**

Registration Opens  
 Monday, April 17th @ 8am!!  
 Limited Spots Available!  
 K-Grade 5  
 \$50

SCAN QR CODE OR VISIT  
[HTTPS://VBSPRO.EVENTS/P/EVENTS/C3E767](https://vbspro.events/p/events/c3e767)  
**SIGN UP YOUR CHILD**  
 AND/OR SIGN UP TO VOLUNTEER!




**TELEPHONE NUMBERS (Area 250 Unless Indicated)**

Parish Priest	Fr. Cerlouie Jimenez	762-3910
Permanent Deacon	Deacon Rod Attwell	<a href="mailto:rod.attwell@nelsondiocese.org">rod.attwell@nelsondiocese.org</a>
<b>Parish Secretary/Office Manager</b>	<b>Andrea Mitton</b>	<b>762-3910 ext 0</b>
Parish Fax		763-7450
Maintenance	Douglas Rasmussen	762-3910 ext 0
Parish Center Kitchen	N/A	762-3910 ext 8
Youth / Religious Ed.	David Ziebart	762-3910 ext 3
RCIA	Leanne Hopegood	762-3910 ext 4
CWL	Monaco Parker	300-7773
CWL Hospitality Chairperson	Isabell Kabatoff	868-0048
Charismatic Prayer Grp	Piera	215-7100
Clubhouse Daycare		860-4393
Creighton Model Fertility Care		469-2541
Diocese of Nelson Admin. Office		448-2725
Hospital & Shut-in Visits	Annie Baars	762-5072
Hospital Chaplaincy	for end of life calls only	878-1502
IRHS- High School	Robert Plaxton, Principal	762-2730
Kelowna Right to Life	Marlon Bartram	870-4103
Knights of Columbus	Ken Antao	<a href="mailto:Pandosy2558@gmail.com">Pandosy2558@gmail.com</a>
Latin Mass Society		<a href="mailto:info@latinmasskelowna.com">info@latinmasskelowna.com</a>
Legion of Mary	Annie Baars	762-5072
Militia Immaculatae	Eileen Collins	575-3553
Music Ministry	call Parish Office	762-3910
Okanagan Pregnancy Care Centre		763-2112
Rachel's Vineyard		<a href="mailto:info@rachelsvineyardkelowna.com">info@rachelsvineyardkelowna.com</a>
Reach Out Youth Counselling		762-2273
St. Vincent de Paul Society		763-7892
St. Joseph Elementary		826-5562
Seton House of Prayer	Maddy Pedrette, Principal	763-3371
		764-4333