# **OUR LADY OF LOURDES CATHOLIC CHURCH**

September 22nd, 2024



# PARISH OFFICE

2547 Hebert Road

West Kelowna, B.C. V4T 2J6

NOTE: NEW Email: WestKelowna@nelsondiocese.org

**Phone**: (250) 768-4114 **Fax**: (250) 768-1077

Website: www.ololwestkelowna.com

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

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

#### SACRAMENT OF CONFESSION:

Saturday 9:30-11:00am & 4-4:50pm Sunday 8-8:50am and 10:20am-10:50am

#### SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM:

Pre-registration in the parish office is required two months in advance. For more information please call the parish office. Thank you!

#### **SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE:**

Contact the Parish Priest 6 months in advance.

### SAFE ENVIRONMENT POLICY COORDINATORS:

Elliott & Pat Neumann pat@blaeberry.com

### **OUR LADY OF LOURDES SCHOOL:**

Principal: Kathryn (Kat) Grootjes

Secretary: Carol Cameron

Phone: (250)768-9008 Website: www.olol-bc.com



# **ANGELS ACADEMY PRESCHOOL & OUT OF SCHOOL**

<u>CARE:</u> For more info. please call 250-768-9008

#### PRESIDENTIAL KIDS ACADEMY DAYCARE:

(Childcare Center located at OLOL School) For more info. please call 778-721-8162

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 - September 15th, 2024

Actual <u>Budget Variance</u> \$ 5,392.44 \$ 7,130.00 \$ -1,737.56

Sunday Collection \$ 5,392.44 \$ 7,130.00 \$ -1,737.56 Year-to-date \$ 279,429.99 \$ 278,070.00 \$ 1,359.99

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

#### PARISH STAFF:

**Parish Priest:** Fr. Cerlouie F. Jimenez **Office Manager:** MaryJane Ganje **Religious Education:** Maria McManus

catechism.westkelowna@nelsondiocese.org

Custodian: Guy St. Laurent

#### PARISH MINISTRIES/ORGANIZATIONS:

**Pastoral Council:** Elizabeth Hoole (250) 767-6366 **Finance Committee:** John Currie (250) 768-9616

Maintenance: Ron Regan (250) 574-8827

Knights of Columbus: Andrew De Pieri (250) 212-0934

Catholic Women's League (CWL):

Iris Vlake (250) 707-9202 or (604) 309-3115 **Youth:** Raymond & Camille Sola-Abagat (250) 258-1458 and Andrew & Kristine Lamarche (250) 878-7851

ololparishyouthministry@gmail.com

RCIA: Doug Carroll (613) 363-8246 Prayer Group: Marcia Lawrence

Society of Saint Vincent de Paul (SSVP): (250) 801-5905 Communion to the Sick: Robert Graham (778) 392-5623

**Hospital Visitation:** 

KGH Emergency Chaplain: (250) 878-1502

# **MASS TIMES:**

Saturday: 9am & 5pm

Sunday: 9am

11am (also Live Streamed)

Weekdays: (see BULLETIN for details)
Monday: 7:45am (9am Holiday Mondays)

Tuesday-Friday: 9am

First Tuesdays: 9am & 7pm First Fridays: 9am & 4pm

ONLINE SERVICES:

YouTube: www.ololwestkelowna.com Facebook Page: Our Lady of Lourdes Parish West Kelowna

# - 25th Sunday in Ordinary Time -

"Whoever wants to be first must be last of all and servant of all." September 23rd-29th, 2024

**Monday, September 23rd:** (Saint Pius of Pietrelcina)

7:45am Rep. Georges Francois &

Barbara Mary de Verteuil

Tuesday, September 24th: (Blessed Émilie Tavernier-

Gamelin)

9am Rep. Gil Fortier & Jim Anderson

Wednesday, September 25th: (Sts. Cosmas & Damian)

9am Int. Jeannile Bourk

Thursday, September 26th: (Sts. John de Brébeuf, Isaac

Joques & Companions)

9am Int. Lorette Pallot

**Friday, September 27th**: (Saint Vincent de Paul)

9am Souls in Deepest Purgatory

Saturday, September 28th: (St. Wenceslaus, St. Lawrence

Ruiz & companions)

9am Deceased Family of Elisio & Antonia Cunha

5pm Rep. Lenor & Cliff Lisney

Sunday, September 29th:(Sts. Michael, Gabriel & Raphael)

9am Intentions of Parishioners \*11am Intentions of Parishioners

\*Also Live-Streamed

#### **Liturgy Committee**

Fr. Cerlouie F. Jimenez (250) 768-4114

Andrea & Brook McLaughlin —Altar Servers

B35mcl@gmail.com

Doug Carroll—Sacristan & Senior Altar Servers

(613) 363-8246

Hank Cormier—Hospitality & Ushers (778) 755-1924

Deborah Carroll—Ministry of Lectors (613) 363-6947

Sylvia Jurys—Extraordinary Ministers of

Holy Communion (778) 797-2620

Sylvia Coughlin—Music Ministry (780) 402-0806

#### LEARN ABOUT THE CATHOLIC FAITH

Adults interested in becoming a Catholic or adults curious about the Catholic faith should call Doug at 613-363-8246 (cell). Or email the office at weskelowna@nelsondiocese.org.

The Rite of Christian Initiation begins in September.

### SAVE THE DATE - Saturday, October 12th

Second Annual Rosary Rally. We will walk from Our Lady of Lourdes to the waterpark behind Dairy Queen with the statue of the Virgin Mary.

We will pray as a community in union with all the Prayer groups throughout Canada. Please meet in the parking lot at the back of the church at 11:30am.

# **UPCOMING EVENTS:**

# Tuesday, September 24th

Prayer Group - 6:30pm

# Wednesday, September 25th

- Devotion to Our Mother of Perpetual Help after 9am Mass
- *Religious Education* 6:15pm-7:30pm

## Thursday, September 26th

• Baby Steps for Life knitting group - 9:30am

# Friday, September 27th

• **Eucharistic Adoration** (After Mass til 10:30am) Can you not keep awake one hour? (Mark 14:37)

## Sat. & Sun., September 28th & 29th

• Society of St. Vincent de Paul Collection

## SOCIETY OF ST. VINCENT DE PAUL IS NOW ACCEPTING

**E-TRANSFERS** — Please put your

**full name on the MEMO line** for tax receipt purposes. Send your donation to: **ssvp.olol@gmail.com** 

Thank you and God bless!

The Society of St. Vincent de Paul Is in need of toiletries! If you can donate, please bring to the church on St. Vincent de Paul Sunday (September 28th & 29th) at any of the masses. There will be donation boxes set up. Suggested items: Shampoo & conditioner, deodorant, soap, toilet paper, toothbrushes etc. Thank you for your support. God Bless.

# Do you have a desire to learn more about our Catholic Faith?

Do you love being with Children? Joining the Religious Education program as a Catechist is the opportunity to learn and grow in Faith, for you and the next generation. For more information, please e-mail Maria McManus, catechism.westkelowna@nelsondiocese.org.

#### PLEASE NOTE:

On Monday mornings the Rosary will be prayed starting at 7:15am, followed by Mass at 7:45am.

This will make it possible for teachers and students attending Mass to get to school before 8:30am.

Thank you

#### SETON HOUSE—SPECIAL SECOND COLLECTION

October 12th/13th there will be a special second collection in support of Seton House of Prayer in all parishes in the diocese. Donation envelopes will be available, please fill in your information so you can be receipted for your donation. Thank you!

Our Lady of Lourdes Elementary School Calendar Fundraiser OLOL School asks for your support in their newest fundraiser!

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2025 Dog Guide Puppy Calendar from Our Lady Of Lourdes Christian Elementary - Super Pup Dog Guide Calendar Fundraiser

(superpupcalendar.ca)

#### Weekly Men's Bible Study

Starting on Monday, September 23rd at 7 PM in the Knights Room at Our Lady of Lourdes School. Is open to all men in the Parish over the age of 18. Snacks and refreshments provided by the Knights of Columbus. Come and share in a pint (or maybe a dram) over some Scripture reading. Sessions will be approximately 1 hour long. Our topic for the first 12 weeks is apologetics, for men who want a better scriptural understanding of the Catholic faith.

Registration not necessary but will help with knowing how many men to plan for.

Please register with Andy De Pieri at: andrew\_de\_pieri@mac.com

#### 2ND ANNUAL MEN'S FALL RETREAT

Saturday October 26, 2024 Seton House of Prayer

Join the Knights of Columbus for our 2nd annual Men's Fall Retreat, where you will have the opportunity to deepen your faith and connect with your brother's in Christ. Through talks, reflection, group discussions, adoration and prayer, you will leave with a renewed sense of purpose and a strengthened connection to your faith.

GUEST SPEAKERS:

Fr. Sebastian Puthenpura Deacon Rod Attwell

**African Drummers** 

**Nelson Diocese Clergy Choir** 

Cecella's Classical Plano St. Charles Garnier Singers

Jimenez Family Singers

SPACE IS LIMITED -REGISTER TODAY! REGISTRATION DEADLINE OCTOBER 12TH

COST \$30 | INCLUDES MEALS REGISTRATION: PANDOSY2558@GMAIL.COM

This retreat is open to ALL men in the parish, not just Knights.

The Hills are Alive with the Sound of Music All proceeds in support of Seton House of Prayer Featuring: Vic's Dance Band Blakey Okanagan Irish Dancers **Tony Serka Filipino Dance Our Lady of Lourdes School Chold OLOL Parish Family Chol Holy Cross Guitar Club** 50/50 Draw Door prizes and more



Monday, October 21, 2024 | | Immaculata High School Gymnasium

Doors @ 5:30 p.m. | | Performance @ 6:30 p.m.

Tickets: Adults \$30, Students \$15 (13-18), Children \$10 (12 and under)

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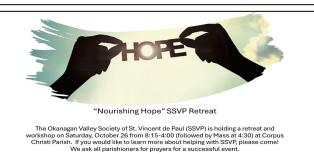
All tickets must be purchased through the online link, listed below. Donations can also be made on the same page. Receipts will be issued in February 2025.

https://theromancatholicdioceseofnelso.regfox.com/seton-house -fundraiser



There are still spots available for the Angels 2024/25 school year for preschool children ages 2.5 to 5 years old at Angels Academy inside Our Lady of

Lourdes School. Anyone interested can email them at angelsacademv@cisnd.ca



Congratulations to *Eric Doering and Ashley Degner* who were united in holy matrimony at Our Lady of Lourdes on September 14th!

May God bless you always!

Let us warmly welcome:

Thomas Israel, son of Kyleigh & Michael Israel who was baptized at Our Lady of Lourdes Church on September 14th.

May the lives of his parents and godparents be examples of faith, hope and love to inspire them!

#### Collection for the Needs of the Church in Canada:

Supporting Bishops in Their Pastoral Mission Across the Country The Collection for the Needs of the Church in Canada will take place on September 28th & 29th. This annual initiative is an important opportunity for the faithful to actively support and assist the Bishops in their ministry of accompanying, teaching, guiding, sanctifying, and caring for the Church in Canada. Please support the Collection. We thank you in advance for your generosity and continued commitment.

# Pilgrimage of Faith Campaign: (February – December 2024)

Diocesan Goal \$55,200 Parish Goal \$30,000 Total Goal \$85,200

So far, we received \$ 46,123.00 with 105 families/households participating.

Thanks and may God bless your generosity!



E-transfers are accepted at *Our Lady of* Lourdes Parish. Send your offering via etransfer:

etransfer.ololwestkelowna@nelsondiocese.org NO PASSWORD IS REQUIRED

**REMINDER**—if you are making a donation by E-transfer, please be sure to include both your first and last name so you can be receipted properly.

Pilgrimage of Faith donations are also accepted at etransfer.pof@nelsondiocese.org No password required.

# St. Pius X Parish, Corner of Gordon Dr. & Fuller Ave. 47th Annual Bazaar

Saturday, September 28th 8am to 2pm

Treasures, Books, Children's Booth, White Elephant, Jewelry, Quilt Table, Baking Booth, BBQ-burgers & dogs, Tea Room, 50/50 Draw and much more!!

Please bring your reuseable shopping bags.

# Children's Liturgy 11am Mass

Begins Sunday, October 6<sup>th</sup>. For Children ages 3 to 6.

Please bring your child(ren) to the Front Foyer, for prayer with Fr. Cerlouie at 10:55am.



3pm & 12pm

The Catholic Women's League is asking you to please start dropping off your gently used jewelry for the CWL Christmas Fair. Place your items in the basket on the table at the back of the Church.

Thank you

# Perpetual Adoration Chapel - Do you want to spend an hour with the Lord?

Immaculate Conception Church are looking for volunteers for their Perpetual Adoration Chapel. Available hours: Sun: 5am, 7am, 11am, 1pm & 3pm; Mon: 1am, 2am, 4am, 5am & 3pm; Wed: 1am, 2am & 3am; Thurs: 1am & 9am; Sat: 2pm,

For more info, call Laurie @ 250-448-5633. God bless!

# YOUR PRAYERS WILL BE GREATLY APPRECIATED FOR THE FOLLOWING SICK

Rob Greene, Warren & Diana Smith, Irene Herman, Mark Walliser, Theresa Merslack, Seth Perera, Viola Hogarth, Lorraine Zazula, Loretta Douglas, Lexi Abbott, Chanda Boser, Brian Usher, Wolf Mashohn, Walter Derkatch, Deanne Winkler, Rosemary Martin, Brian Robert, David Anderson, Doreen Marks, Mary Margaret Hanson, Peter Boser, Donna Donahue, Irmgard Magura, Gloria & Rob Lees, Todd Mallen, Martha Jenkins, Amanda & Giorgio Cortina, Sheila Teeple, Mason Ivanitz, Aubrey Wyshyski, Rodney & Dominica Wong, Judith Caver, Jordyn Ruppel, Mervin Boser, Jeanette Ouellette, Isabella Holinaty, Elaine Gramiak, Molly Kong, Phyllis Brunel, Minnie MacKonka, Leona Geber, Billy MacDonald, Helen Pfliger, Marek Haczkiewicz, Mary Mezzarobba, Derrick Ruppel, David DuPerron, Diane Ray, Anne Engel, Henry Senko, Brady Budgell, Joey Johnson, Shauna Webster, Brian Lefebvre, Cathy Sinclair, Giovani Giacomello, Edith Bolla, Sylvia Zrim, Hugh Stead, Milka Cule, Mike Lakovic, Angela Barron, Marie Rudy, Suzanne DesRuisseaux, Eileen McArthur, Henning Hansen, Dolores Nolin, Tina & Carl Kalbfleisch, Patricia Howe, Larry Gosselin, Paul Kolle, Ruzica Kukec, Vittoria Spindor, Harold & Julie Pierce, Heather Klein, Claude Monet, Amedeo Pontini, Lillian Mouillierat, Jean Lee, Bill Andrews, Lidia Klicper, Keifer Sherry, Helen Evans, David & Margaret Gingras, Patricia & Victor Watniruk, Isobel Kelly, Tom Manion, Aime Beaulieu, Eileen Kowalski, Giorgia Soro, Donald Labreque, Giuseffina Bertoncello, Nicole Turner, Maurice Allen, Maia Bee, Andrew Henry, Don Topham, Roy & Tiffany Velmonte, Madeleine Wise, Andrea Emilia & Caceres family.

### **OLOL YOUTH GROUP**

Any youth starting Grade 5 next school year are able to register for OLOL Youth Group by grabbing the form on our bulletin board or emailing us. See you in the Fall!

#### Come and join us!

Grades 5-7 Junior Youth
Grades 8-12 Senior Youth
Once a month—Fun, Fellowship & Faith Formation
ololparishyouthministry@gmail.com

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#### **CWL SNOWBIRDS 2025**

Memberships are open for all the Lucky Snowbirds who will be away for November, Decembers etc for the new CWL Year starting January 2025

Membership Cost: \$35.00.

 Lois Schiller and Fay Betuzzi are the new Membership Convenors.

Membership can be placed in the Sunday collection—please be sure to put "CWL Membership—Attention Lois and Fay" on your envelope. They may also be dropped off at the Parish office. Please do not leave them in the CWL Mail Slot.

Note: all monies will be deposited the first week of January to reflect the New Year. You will receive a receipt when you pay for your membership. 

Thank you!

### Sunday, October 6th - Annual LIFE CHAIN!

Life Chain is a North America-wide show of support for the preborn. Since 1983, pro-lifers in hundreds of communities have stood & declared the truths that abortion kills babies & harms women, and that there is support, forgiveness & healing for those facing a crisis situation or living with a past abortion. Join us in solidarity with over 300 locations across Canada at Life Chain 2024! In Kelowna, please meet at Gagnon and Harvey Avenue behind the Dairy Queen (Harvey & Gordon) at 1:45 pm on Sunday, October 6th. For more information, call us at 250 870-4103, email <a href="mailto:kelownarighttolife@hotmail.com">kelownarighttolife@hotmail.com</a>, or visit prolifekelowna.ca

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

\*\*Save-On, Superstore, Starbucks, Walmart, Tim Horton's & T-Bones cards are available from the Parish Office for immediate purchase, Mon-Fri, 9am-2pm... Thanks!

Join us in meditating on the **Mysteries of the Holy Rosary** before Holy Mass --Mondays: 7:15am, Holiday Mondays: 8:30am
Weekdays: 8:30am
Saturdays: 8:30am & 4:25pm Sundays: 8:25am *Our Lady of the Rosary, pray for us!* 

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

Has abortion left you feeling empty and alone? Rachel's Vineyard retreats are available for any man, woman, or family member who has struggled with the emotional and spiritual pain of abortion. If you are searching for peace and inner healing from an abortion experience, this retreat is for you. Register now for our October retreat in Kelowna. For more information call Vicki, 250-762-2273 or e-mail <a href="mailto:info@rachelsvineyardkelowna.com">info@rachelsvineyardkelowna.com</a> Confidentiality assured.

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