

OUR LADY OF LOURDES CATHOLIC CHURCH

April 5th, 2026



PARISH OFFICE

2547 Hebert Road

West Kelowna, B.C. V4T 2J6

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 2 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
Full-Time Acting Principal: Chad Sheehan
Secretary: Carol Cameron
Phone: (250)768-9008 Website: www.olol-bc.com



ANGELS ACADEMY PRESCHOOL & OUT OF SCHOOL

CARE: 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 – March 29th, 2026

	<u>Actual</u>	<u>Budget</u>	<u>Variance</u>
Sunday Collection	\$ 14,314.47	\$ 7,750.00	\$ 6,564.47
Year-to-date	\$ 106,781.31	\$ 103,750.00	\$ 3,031.31

*\$1,025.00 donated towards Glass Wall Project

Development & Peace—Share Lent \$ 2,484.00

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: Ana Marie Di Vito

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: David Traynor

Knights of Columbus Council 8520 | Our Lady of Lourdes - West Kelowna, BC

Catholic Women's League (CWL):

Iris Blake (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 (Daily) & 5pm (Sunday Vigil)

Sunday: 9am

11am (also Live Streamed)

Weekdays: (see BULLETIN for details)

Monday: 7:45am (9am Holiday Mondays)

Tuesday-Friday: 9am

First Tuesdays: 9am & *7pm (*Sept-June)

First Fridays: 9am & 4pm

ONLINE SERVICES:

YouTube: www.ololwestkelowna.com

Facebook Page: Our Lady of Lourdes Parish West Kelowna



~ **Easter Sunday** ~

“I have seen the Lord”

April 6th-12th, 2026

Monday, April 6th:

9am No Mass
3pm Chaplet of Divine Mercy and Novena followed by Mass Our Blessed Mary’s Intentions

Tuesday, April 7th: (Saint John Baptist de la Salle)

9am No Mass
3pm Chaplet of Divine Mercy and Novena followed by Mass Int. Douglas & Tina Rasmussen & Family

Wednesday, April 8th:

9am No Mass
3pm Chaplet of Divine Mercy and Novena followed by Mass Spec. Intentions of Michele Cain

Thursday, April 9th:

9am No Mass
3pm Chaplet of Divine Mercy and Novena followed by Mass Rep. Bill Tymensan

Friday, April 10th:

9am No Mass
3pm Chaplet of Divine Mercy and Novena followed by Mass Int. Anne Engel

Saturday, April 11th: (Saint Stanislaus)

9am Rep. Marcus Novel
3pm Adoration and Chaplet of Divine Mercy and Novena
4pm Confession
5pm Rep. Nirupa Perera

Sunday, April 12th: (Divine Mercy Sunday)

9am Intentions of Parishioners
*11am Intentions of Parishioners
3pm Adoration and Chaplet of Divine Mercy Prayers

**Also Live-Streamed*

Divine Mercy Novena

Sunday, April 5th—Saturday, April 11th

Starting on Sunday, April 5th until Friday, April 10th the Chaplet of Divine Mercy Novena will be said daily beginning at 3pm. Mass will follow immediately after.

On Saturday, April 11th Adoration and the Novena will be start at 3pm, with **confession to follow at 4pm.**

Mass will be at 5pm.

Sunday, April 12th — Divine Mercy Sunday

3:00pm Adoration and Divine Mercy Prayers.

UPCOMING EVENTS:

Tuesday, April 7th

- **Prayer Group** - 6:30pm in the church

Wednesday, April 8th

- **Devotion to Our Mother of Perpetual Help** - after 9am Mass—**CANCELLED**
- **Holy Mass** at Heritage -10:30am
- **Religious Education** — beginning at 6:15pm with a para-liturgy. 6:30pm classes

Thursday, April 9th

- **Baby Steps for Life** knitting group — 9:30am

Friday, April 10th

- **Eucharistic Adoration** —**CANCELLED**

Sat & Sun, April 11th & 12th

- **Food Bank Sunday.** Once again, we are asking for your generous donations of non-perishable items for the less fortunate of our communities... thanks in advance!

The **Society of St. Vincent de Paul** collected \$5,765.35 from our generous parishioners the weekend of March 28th & 29th...*thank you very much and may God bless you always!*



Congratulations.....

- to **Nicole Ortwein, Sophia Brandner, Martin Weiss, Lauren Weiss, and Jana Saretsky**, who will receive the Sacraments of Baptism, First Eucharist & Confirmation
- to **Arabella & Emalie Ortwein** who will receive the Sacraments of Baptism and First Eucharist
- to **Loki Sundqvist, Axel Nagy and Kaden Rogall** who will receive the Sacraments of Confirmation and First Eucharist
- to **Lily Sundqvist, Natalie & Sydney McMorran, Aila Bee, Nicole Labrecque, and Matthew Saretsky** who will receive the Sacrament of Confirmation

at Our Lady of Lourdes Parish during the Easter Vigil, Saturday, April 4th. Welcome!




The Parish Office will be closed on Good Friday, April 3rd and Easter Monday, April 6th. Regular office hours will resume on Tuesday, April 7th.



Our condolences and prayers to:


- Maria McManus and family on the recent passing of her husband, Brian, on March 29th, 2026.

May his soul, and the souls of all the faithful departed, rest in peace.




Congratulations to Jana Bomans and Jonah Saretsky who were united in holy matrimony at Our Lady of Lourdes on March 28th, 2026!
May God bless you always!

GLASS WALL UPDATE!
Cost: \$41,000.00
Amount Donated to date: \$29,605.00
Thank you for your generous donations!




E-transfers are accepted at [Our Lady of Lourdes Parish.](#)
Send your offering via E-transfer:
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.



Pilgrimage of Faith Campaign:
(February – December 2026)
Diocesan Goal **\$53,650**
Parish Goal **\$20,000**
Total **\$73,650**

So far, we received **\$9,728.00** with 27 families/households participating.
Thanks and may God bless your generosity!



12 Reasons Why Your Child Should Be An Altar Server
Reason #12: Creates meaningful memories and family pride: Many adults remember altar serving as a formative childhood experience. For families, it becomes a shared source of **pride, tradition, and connection** within parish life.
...to be continued next week!

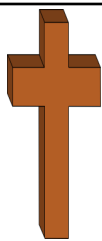
Our Lady of Lourdes is looking for parish volunteers to be Assistants in case of an Emergency.
The Parish Council is putting together teams of parishioners for each mass who will respond to Emergencies and Evacuations. No prior experience is necessary but is welcomed and training will be provided.
Please contact the parish office if you can help.

- 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
 - Rob Graham—Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion (778) 392-5623
 - Sylvia Coughlin—Music Ministry (780) 402-0806

SPIRITUAL ADOPTION PROGRAM
MONTH ONE – Developing Baby – Your spiritually adopted baby has been quite active over the past month. Already your baby is 10,000 times bigger than at conception. Your baby has developed the foundations of her brain, spinal cord and nervous system by the 20th day. Her heart began to beat on the 21st day, pumping blood through her own circulatory system, and the blood type can be different from her mother’s. Your baby is most vulnerable during the next month of being aborted. Pray that the Lord of Life might move the heart of her mother to give her the most precious gift of all – the gift of life.

COME—Nelson Diocesan Catholic Renewal Conference
April 24th & 25th
St. Anne Church, 7610-87th St., Osoyoos

Speaker: Father Jack Michalchuk
Friday Evening Praise and Worship at 6:30pm. Mass with Healing Prayers at 7pm.
Saturday 9am - 4pm. Mass 5pm
Accommodations available at Best Western Plus Hotel and Suites - 2 queens beds - \$150.78 inc Tax
Avalon Inn - queen or king bed - \$114.84 inc Tax
Contact: Loree Renwick - NDCCRS2020@GMAIL.COM



CATHOLIC MEN'S CONFERENCE One in Christ, United in Mission

April 24 & 25, 2026

Immaculate Conception Church, Kelowna

Keynote Speaker: Fr. Larry Richards

Early Bird Registration—**Before April 15:**

Regular \$65, University Student \$15

Register at: www.heroicmen.ca

Scroll down to **Kelowna Conference**

Sponsored by: *Knights of Coumbus ~*

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James Bond!

As our **Annual Black Tie Fundraiser on April 11th** approaches, we are gratefully seeking donations of wine for our popular "Wall of Cheer." Contributions of monetary donations are also warmly welcomed and will be used to purchase larger items for the event.

All tangible items donated with an accompanying receipt are eligible for a tax receipt. Monetary donations also qualify for tax receipts; however, please note that gift cards are not eligible.

We sincerely appreciate your generosity and support in helping make this event a success.



Young Adults of the Diocese of Nelson

World Youth Day 2027 is from

July 27th, 2027 - August 11th, 2027 in Seoul, Korea

*Dates include both Days in the Diocese and WYD

Join Pope Leo XIV and hundreds of thousands of young Catholics (18 - 35 years old) from around the world for the World Youth Day Pilgrimage!

Participants will grow in their faith and their appreciation for the power and presence of Jesus in the Church today.

Interested? Save your spot!

E-transfer \$500 to

etransfer.DPC@nelsondiocese.org

before May 10, 2026

Add "WYD 2027 deposit" + "your full name" + "your parish" in the e-transfer message

Priest Chaplain: Fr. Ferdinand Bayarong

For more information, please contact:

Deacon Rod Atwell

rod.atwell@nelsondiocese.org

"Take courage!
I have overcome
the world."
(John 16:33)



OLOL YOUTH GROUP

Come and join us!

Grades 4-7 Junior Youth

Grades 8-12 Senior Youth

Once a month—Fun, Fellowship & Faith Formation

lolparishyouthministry@gmail.com

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 & 10:25am

Our Lady of the Rosary, pray for us!

YOUR PRAYERS WILL BE GREATLY APPRECIATED FOR THE FOLLOWING SICK

Bishop Gregory, Falko Kriel, Corinne Jones, Sylvia Coughlin, Darie Turner, Chelsea Ruppel, Candy Bredo, Marnie Freeman, Vern Belsheim, Viola Hogarth, Bernice Ruppel, Chris Boyle, Anne Cook, Anne Engel, Madeleine Wise, Claire McNichol, David DuPerron, Bogumila Bubak, Audrey Strilchuk, Uziah Fisher, Charlene Huyton, Maxine de St. Aubin, Magdalena del Rocio Mercado, Tracy Thomson, Lelita Dela Cruz, Lorne Schmidt, Rose Grimard, Anna Lakovic, James Ray, Betty & Karl Kist, Pierre Giraud, Gerard DuPerron, Brenda Currie, Stefan Wiewior, Dave Manns, Rob Greene, Diana Smith, Irene Herman, Seth Perera, Loretta Douglas, Lexi Abbott, Brian Usher, Wolf Mashohn, Walter Derkatch, Rosemary Martin, Brian Robert, David Anderson, Doreen Marks, Peter Boser, Irmgard Magura, Todd Mallen, Amanda Cortina, Sheila Teeple, Mason Ivanitz, Rodney & Dominica Wong, Judith Cayer, Jordyn Ruppel, Isabella Holinaty, Elaine Gramiak, Molly Kong, Phyllis Brunel, Leona Geber, Marek Haczkiewicz, Mary Mezzarobba, Derrick Ruppel, Diane Ray, Henry Senko, Brady Budgell, Joey Johnson, Shauna Webster, Brian Lefebvre, Cathy Sinclair, Edith Bolla, Sylvia Zrim, Milka Cule, Angela Barron, Marie Rudy, Suzanne DesRuisseaux, Eileen McArthur, Henning Hansen, Dolores Nolin, Tina & Carl Kalbfleisch, Patricia Howe, Larry Gosselin, 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, Margaret Gingras, Patricia & Victor Watniruk, Isobel Kelly, Eileen Kowalski, Georgia Soro, Donald Labreque, Giuseffina Bertonecello, Nicole Turner, Maurice Allen, Don Topham, Tiffany Velmonte, Andrea Emilia & Caceres family.

Catholic Mountain Star Spring 2026 Edition

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You can also view it on the Nelson Diocese website.

FILIPINO MASS is celebrated at **Corpus Christi Parish**

750 Rutland Rd N, Kelowna @ 5pm every **FIRST** Sunday

Diocese of Nelson Perpetual Adoration Chapel

839 Sutherland Avenue. Located off the back of Immaculate Conception Church; entrance is off west alley/driveway.

Email: adorationkelowna@gmail.com

Contact: **Luke Mitton | Text/Telephone: 778-214-0680**

The Adoration Chapel is still verifying the schedule. We request that all scheduled Adorers verify their scheduled hours and information with the contact information above and also indicate yes/no if you would like to have your email added to the spare list.

Current available permanent hours: Monday: 1am and 2am

Adoration Chapel will be closed from the Mass of the Lord's Supper until the Easter Vigil, 8:00 pm, Saturday April 4th, 2026



• The CWL Diocesan and OLOL Parish bursary application forms are now available. They are located on the **CWL bulletin board** in the back of the church.