

Cathedral of Mary Immaculate

Sacred Heart, Kaslo & Sacred Heart, Procter

Diocese of Nelson

Sunday Mass Schedule

Saturday 5:00 pm, Sunday 8:30 am & 10:30 am
4th Sunday of the month 7:00 pm Filipino Mass
Sacred Heart, Kaslo – Sunday 3:00 pm
Sacred Heart, Procter – 1st /3rd Sunday 1:00 pm

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturdays 10:00 – 11:00 am

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Lent



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First Sunday of Lent ~ 2019 March 10th

Never Give Up - Trust God

Winston Churchill said: “Never! Never! Never! Never! Give Up!”. The Season of Lent is a 40 day journey from sin towards grace, from death due to sinfulness towards new life, from curse to blessing, from darkness to light and from slavery to freedom. On a journey it is important for the traveler to first prepare all things needed. Likewise Christians start the Lenten journey with the right preparation, particularly the spiritual preparation which just might be taken for granted. How will I start this journey?

In our Gospel, we hear of the temptation of Jesus in the dessert which is much like our very own temptations in life. The devil knows sins are easy to commit. Jesus was tempted to use his powers and to follow his own plan rather than relying on the Father’s will and power. The devil tries to convince Jesus to turn stones into bread but instead Jesus answers “It is written, ‘One does not live by bread alone’” (Lk.4:4), the obliged fasting. Next, the devil showed Jesus the vast territories of the world, promising Jesus to make the world His. But Jesus refused to obey the devil instead choosing to follow the Father’s design for Him, to suffer and die on the cross. Jesus rebukes directly the devil by acknowledging St. Luke, “It is written: *(continued on the back cover)*

CATHEDRAL LITURGY SCHEDULE THIS WEEK

Weekday Masses are celebrated in the Blessed Sacrament Chapel unless otherwise noted

Monday March 11th - 8:30 a.m. Mass for the repose of the soul Lina Gariup

In the church Tuesday March 12th - 7:00 pm Mass for the repose of the soul Mario Matosevic

Wednesday March 13th - 8:30 a.m. Mass for the repose of the soul Bill Kardos

Thursday March 14th - 8:30 am Mass for the repose of the souls Pauline & Patrick Perpick

In the church Friday March 15th - 11:30 am Mass for the intentions of Julia Johnson

THIS WEEK IN OUR PARISH

SUNDAY MARCH 10TH



KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS BREAKFAST TODAY



Please join us following Sunday Masses at the Catholic Centre. Everyone is welcome!

TUESDAY MARCH 12TH

- **CWL** - meeting 1:00 pm in the Jubilee room.
- **CONFIRMATION CLASS** - 1:30 pm grade 6/7 classroom St. Joseph School
- **SILVER ROSARY** - 6:30 in the Cathedral (see details)
- **LENTEN MISSION** - 12 noon or 7:30 pm in the Jubilee room

THURSDAY MARCH 14TH

- **ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT**
9:00 a.m. - 12 noon in the chapel

FRIDAY MARCH 15TH

- **SOUP & BUN LUNCH** - 12 noon in the Jubilee Room; (see next page for details)
- **STATIONS OF THE CROSS** - 7:00 pm led by the Knights of Columbus



NEXT SUNDAY MARCH 17TH

- **FOOD COLLECTION** - accepted at all Sunday Masses for Nelson Community Food Centre

NEXT SUNDAY MARCH 17TH READINGS

SECOND SUNDAY OF LENT

First reading - Genesis 15. 5 - 12, 17-18

The Lord made a covenant with Abraham his faithful servant.

Responsorial Psalm - 27. 1, 7 - 8, 9, 13-14

R. 1A *The Lord is my light and my salvation.*

Second reading - Philippians 3.17 - 4.1

Christ will transform our humble bodies, confirming them to his glorious body.

Gospel - Luke 9. 28b-36

While Jesus prayed, the appearance of his face changed.

GONE TO REST IN OUR FATHER'S HOME



Please remember Grace Naka who passed away, and her family, in your prayers. Her funeral was March 9th.

MASS MINISTERS ~ March 16th /17th

CHILDREN'S LITURGY OF THE WORD

10:30 a.m. Karin Palinka

GREETERS

5:00 pm Joyce Tremblay, _____

8:30 a.m. Bonnie Bell, Leonilla Dolormente

10:30 a.m. Assunta Lisanti, _____

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS

5:00 p.m. Joyce Zarikoff, _____, _____

8:30 a.m. William & Bernadette Miles, _____

10:30 a.m. Marlene Suter, _____

MaryLiz McAleer

LECTORS

5:00 p.m. Diane Lines, Bob Tremblay

8:30 a.m. Victor Commandeur, Fran Sutherland

10:30 a.m. Judy Tagami, Phil McAleer

GIFT BEARERS

5:00 p.m. _____, _____

8:30 a.m. Ana Vargas, _____

10:30 a.m. Carere Family

ALTAR SERVERS

5:00 p.m. _____, _____, _____

8:30 a.m. _____, _____, _____

10:30 a.m. Chrisel, Jazmine, Johann, Melina, Evie

MUSIC MINISTERS

5:00 p.m. Lorne Goodwin & Group

8:30 a.m. Donna Goodwin-Wilson, Loree Renwick

10:30 a.m. Mike Vissers & Youth Choir

OUR WEEKLY PARISH FINANCIAL GOAL \$3,654.

SUNDAY MARCH 3RD SUNDAY COLLECTION \$3,450.

THANK YOU

UPCOMING IN OUR PARISH

SILVER ROSE - ROSARY FOR LIFE! - Each year, from early March through mid-December, Silver Roses are stewarded by Knights of Columbus Councils along routes from Canada to Mexico. Every stop the Silver Rose makes throughout the pilgrimage is a rosary-centered occasion for Knights, parishioners, and community members to pray for respect for life, for the spiritual renewal of each nation, and for the advancement of the message of Our Lady of Guadalupe. Please pray the Rosary for Life with us at 6:30pm Tuesday March 12th in the Cathedral before the 7pm Mass, followed by the Parish Mission.

LENTEN MISSION - Tuesdays starting March 12th either 12 noon or 7:30 pm in the Jubilee room. "**Altaration: The Mystery of the Mass Revealed**" addresses head-on one of the biggest problems we all face: How do we get Catholics to appreciate the awesome beauty and mystery of the Massand look forward to attending and participating?

SOUP & BUN LUNCH - Every Friday during Lent with proceeds going to D & P ShareLent. Contact Barry 250.352.2702 if you would like to help.



STATIONS OF THE CROSS - Fridays of Lent at 7:00pm in the Cathedral led by:

MARCH 15 - KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS
MARCH 22 - FILIPINO COMMUNITY
MARCH 29 - DEVELOPMENT & PEACE
APRIL 5 - TRINITY PRAYER GROUP
APRIL 12 - CONFIRMATION CLASS

UNITY MASS - March 31st Sunday morning Masses will be combined and celebrated at 10:00 a.m. If you are scheduled as a minister for March 31st please contact the other Mass' scheduled minister to arrange who will serve.

RECONCILIATION - Wednesday April 3rd

CHRISM MASS - Wednesday April 17th 7:00pm

CONFIRMATION RETREAT - Saturday April 27th
9:00 - 2:00 pm in Fruitvale.

CONFIRMATION - Sunday May 5th

CWL FUNDS - The funds from Pie sales and the Annual Bazaar are being directed to church and Jubilee room upgrade and repairs. Also 2 new speakers were purchased for the back of the church.

Other News and Events

The **CWL DIOCESAN BURSARY APPLICATIONS** are now available in the Parish office as well as from CWL members. Applications due March 31st 2019. Late applications will NOT be accepted. If you have any questions, please phone Fran Sutherland at 250-352-3350.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS SCHOLARSHIP/BURSARY

Deadline Dates and Contact Information:

Council 1560 Gene Poulin Annual Scholarship: April 1.

Contact Randy Gris rgris@shaw.ca

Fourth Degree Pro Deo & Pro Patria (Canada)

Scholarships: May 1st of Grade Twelve Year - Info at info@kofc.org

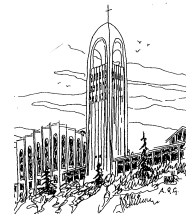
State Bursary: - June 30th. Info at:

www.vcn.bc.ca/kofc/on

RACHEL'S VINEYARD RETREAT: Many women and men who suffer from an abortion decision remain locked in their own internal prison afraid of anyone knowing their deep secret. Rachel's Vineyard weekend retreats are a beautiful opportunity for any person who has struggled with the emotional or spiritual pain of an abortion. The retreat is a specific process designed to help you experience the mercy and compassion of God. It is also an opportunity to release repressed feelings of shame, guilt, anger and grief. The weekend will help your soul find a voice, and transform the pain of the past into love and hope. Registrations are now being accepted for our April 5-7, 2019 retreat. Please contact Sue 250-762-2273, info@rachelsvineyardkelowna.com, www.RachelsVineyardKelowna.com
Strict confidentiality assured.

VOCATION LIVE-IN

On the weekend of April 5 - 7 there will be a Vocation Live-In for boys or young men interested in the priesthood or the consecrated life, at the Seminary of Christ the King, Mission, BC. For more info, call 604.826.8715



(continued from front cover) You shall worship the Lord, your God, and him alone shall you serve” (Lk. 4:8). Finally, the devil uses the temptation of vanity and pride. Oftentimes, possessing these qualities makes a person popular and sought after. However, trusting in one’s power makes one proud and self-sufficient making it easy to disregard God.

These three aspects are a picture of the world now. When one is wealthy, seldom does he see the need to pray and ask God for help. If one is powerful, the need for kneeling down before God is redundant. When one is popular and famous, people adore and imitate you. Instead of worshipping God, adoration is given to the popular one. But Prophet Jeremiah sharply reminds us: “Cursed is the man who trusts in human beings, who makes flesh his strength, whose heart turns away from the LORD. Blessed are those who trust in the LORD; the LORD will be their trust” (17:5, 7).

Since Lent is a time for new life in Christ, may we focus our hearts on that which really matters in life, for the voice of God is calling us to His will and purpose. Make a conscious decision to serve the Lord and do what is pleasing to him. Prayer, fasting and almsgiving are the order of season for God and not our self-glorification. For God alone does not fail and has no end. Let us reject the temptation to trust in ourselves, but rather trust God. “Be With Me Lord, When I Am In Trouble”. (Psalm 91) Amen.

- Fr. Neil

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