

Cathedral of Mary Immaculate

Sacred Heart, Kaslo & Sacred Heart, Procter

Diocese of Nelson

Sunday Mass Schedule

Saturday 5:00 pm, Sunday **March 31 10:00 am**
4th Sunday of the month 6:00 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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Fourth Sunday of Lent ~ 2019 March 31st

Second Chance

“This fellow (Jesus) welcomes sinners and eats with them.” (Luke 15.3)

Do you practice compassion?

I know somebody who was struggling with an addiction to drugs. No matter how many times he tried to be sober, he fell astray. But when he told his family and friends asking them for help and prayers, he was healed. When we had time to talk, he told me that the unconditional love of God and his family and friends, gave him back his life.

In our Gospel (Luke 15.1-3, 11-32) the Parable of the Prodigal Son, the compassionate father gladly welcomes his penitent son. The older brother is astounded. “What? That brat gets a party instead of being punished? What about me?” The older son feels unappreciated but the father didn’t divide portions of his love between a worthy and an unworthy son. Just like God our Father does not differentiate between us. We are all sinners yet God sent His only Son Jesus Christ to save us. Even if we deserve punishment, we are still God’s creation. When we are truly sorry for all our sins, we surely deserve a second chance. “I will get up and go to my father and say to him: Father, I have sinned against heaven and before you.” *Let us pray. O God thank you for loving me and giving me a chance to see and experience your mercy. Amen.* - Fr. Neil

CATHEDRAL LITURGY SCHEDULE THIS WEEK

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

Monday April 1st - 8:30 a.m. Mass for the intentions of Adam Kowalshyn

In the church Tuesday April 2nd **ST. FRANCIS OF PAOLA** - 7:00 pm Mass for the repose of the soul Mario Matosevic

Wednesday April 3rd - 8:30 a.m. Mass for the intentions of Gino Rossi

Thursday April 4th **ST. ISADORE** - 8:30 a.m. Mass for the repose of the soul Americo Capriglione

In the church Friday April 5th **ST. VINCENT FERRER** - 11:30 a.m. Mass for the repose of the soul Dale Melnechuk

THIS WEEK IN OUR PARISH

SUNDAY MARCH 31ST

- **UNITY MASS**- 10:00 a.m. in the Cathedral. Please join us at the Catholic Centre following Mass for some fellowship, refreshments and a presentation.

MONDAY APRIL 1ST

- **KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS** -meeting 7:00 pm in the Knights' chambers

TUESDAY APRIL 2ND

- **LENTEN MISSION**- 12 noon or 7:30 pm in the Jubilee room
- **CWL** - Exec. meeting 1:00 pm in the Jubilee room.

WEDNESDAY APRIL 3RD

- **ALTAR SERVERS** - 6:00 pm meeting in the church
- **RECONCILIATION** - 1 pm for School and 7 pm for parish

THURSDAY APRIL 4TH

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

FRIDAY APRIL 5TH

- **SOUP & BUN LUNCH** - 12 noon in the Jubilee Room; (see details next page)
- **CONFIRMATION CLASS** - 1:30 pm grade 6/7 classroom St. Joseph School
- **STATIONS OF THE CROSS** - 7:00 pm led by the Trinity Prayer Group



NEXT SUNDAY APRIL 7TH

- **COFFEE & FAIR TRADE SALES** - after all Masses in the Jubilee room.

NEXT SUNDAY APRIL 7TH READINGS

FIFTH SUNDAY OF LENT

First reading - Isaiah 43. 16 - 21

I am about to do a new thing: I will give drink to my chosen people.

Responsorial Psalm - 126. 1 - 2a, 2b - 3, 4 - 5, 6

R.3 *The Lord has done great things for us; we are filled with joy.*

Second reading - Philippians 3. 8 - 14

I have suffered the loss of all things, in order that I may gain Christ.

Gospel - John 8. 1 - 11

Let anyone among you who is without sine be the first to throw a stone.

MASS MINISTERS ~ next weekend April 6/7th

CHILDREN'S LITURGY OF THE WORD

10:30 a.m. Brie McWade

GREETERS

5:00 pm Frances Welwood, Kim Boday

8:30 a.m. Joyce Tremblay, Fran Sutherland

10:30 a.m. Lisa & George Trainor

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS

5:00 p.m. Electa Bunce, Ron Welwood, _____

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

10:30 a.m. Assunta Lisanti, _____,
Bernadette McAllister

LECTORS

5:00 p.m. Larry Hanlon, Merelyn Jones

8:30 a.m. Bob Tremblay, Laura Torrns

10:30 a.m. Chuck Bennett, Miriam Williams

GIFT BEARERS

5:00 p.m. Reshma Pereira, Ayaan D'Souza

8:30 a.m. Evelyn Trainor, _____

10:30 a.m. Ginny Canivel, Rosa Friedrich

ALTAR SERVERS

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

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

10:30 a.m. Keelan, Rhylan, Jazmine

MUSIC MINISTERS

5:00 p.m. Lorne Goodwin & group

8:30 a.m. Mike Vissers

10:30 a.m. Mathilde Klassen, Carmela Clare

OUR WEEKLY PARISH FINANCIAL GOAL \$3,654.

SUNDAY MARCH 24TH SUNDAY COLLECTION \$1,681.

THANK YOU

UPCOMING IN OUR PARISH

DEANERY RECONCILIATION SCHEDULE

April 2 Tuesday @7pm	Grandforks
April 3 Wednesday	Nelson
@1 pm with St. Joseph School	
@7 pm Cathedral Parish	
April 4 Thursday	Trail
@1pm St. Michael School	
@7pm Trinity Parish	
April 9 Tuesday @7pm	Castlegar
April 10 Wednesday @7pm	Fruitvale
April 11 Thursday @7pm	Rossland

LENTEN MISSION - please join us Tuesdays either 12 noon or 7:30 pm in the Jubilee room. "**Altarion: 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:
APRIL 5 - TRINITY PRAYER GROUP
APRIL 12 - CONFIRMATION CLASS

SPRING WORKBEE - Saturday April 13th 9:30 am meet in the parish yard to help clean up the grounds for Holy week & Easter. The more the merrier. Call George 250.825-4243 for details.



CHRISM MASS on Monday, April 15 at 7:00 pm at the Cathedral of Mary Immaculate.

We would like to offer billets to priests and visitors coming to the Cathedral for this annual celebration. Please call the parish office 352.7131 if you have a spare bed to offer. Please let us know if you, or someone you know in our parish, is celebrating a special anniversary (25th, 40, 50, 60 etc) this year.



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

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION - Sunday April 28th 10:30 a.m. Mass

CONFIRMATION - Sunday May 5th 8:30 a.m. Mass

Other News and Events

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

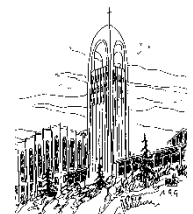
State Bursary: - June 30th. Info at: www.vcn.bc.ca/kofc/on



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



COOK NEEDED - for Women's Retreat in Vernon. Female Catholic volunteers may call MarieClaude Hebert 250.505.5325 for details.



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