

CHRISTMAS MASS SCHEDULE- 2023

4th Sunday of Advent 23 & 24 December

Saturday 5 PM

Sunday 9 AM, 11 AM

Christmas Eve and Christmas Day 24 & 25 December

Sunday 4 PM, 7 PM and 12 Midnight (midnight for real!)

Monday 9 AM, 11 AM and 4 PM

Holy Family Sunday 30 & 31 December

Saturday 5 PM

Sunday 9:00 AM, 11 AM

Solemnity of Mary (New Year's Day also) 31 December & 01 January (Holy Day of Obligation)

Sunday 5 PM (New Year's Eve Mass)

Monday 9 AM & 11 AM (New Year's Day)

Solemnity of the Epiphany of the Lord 06 & 07 January

(regular weekend schedule in effect)

Saturday 5 PM

Sunday 9 AM, 11 AM & 6 PM



Parish Christmas Party: December 17 @ 3.30pm

Christmas Party December 17th - There will be a delicious catered turkey and trimmings Christmas dinner, raffle prizes and lots of door prizes. Wear a Christmas hat, a Christmas sweater, or something red or green, we want to fill the hall with Christmas spirit. There will be entertainment and music so bring your dancing shoes and shake a leg. We have a special guest coming for a visit, Santa will be making his appearance!

If you would like to bring a pan of your favourite cookies or squares for dessert we would really appreciate

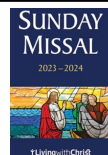
the treats.

See you all on Sunday, December 17th, ho,ho,ho!



Sunday Missals 2023-2024 available for sale at St Pius X Parish office .

Price \$ 7.00



ADVENT CONFESSION

SCHEDULE 2023

Corpus Christi Parish	Wed. Dec. 6 @ 6:00 pm
Immaculate Conception Parish	Thurs. Dec. 14 @ 3:30
St. Pius X Parish	Mon. Dec. 18 @ 5:30 pm
St. Edwards Parish	Wed. Dec. 20 @ 5:30 pm
St. Charles Garnier Parish	Wed. Dec. 20 @ 5:30 pm
Our Lady of Lourdes Parish	Thurs. Dec. 21 @ 4:00 pm

Kelowna Community Gospel Choir

PRESENTS THEIR 10TH ANNIVERSARY CONCERT

GLORIA

Director: Stephen Seaboyer

Accompanist: Shelly Burger

Special Guest: Organist Sandra Fletcher

SATURDAY, December 16, 2023 at 7:00 pm
THE CATHEDRAL CHURCH OF ST. MICHAEL & ALL ANGELS
608 Sutherland Avenue

CONCERT WITH REFRESHMENTS TO FOLLOW
ENTRANCE BY DONATION

www.facebook.com/kelowna.community.gospel.choir/

God of power and mercy open our hearts in welcome. Remove the things that hinder us from receiving Christ with joy so that we may share his wisdom and become one with him when he comes in glory, for he lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, forever and ever.
Amen



Care-Home Masses

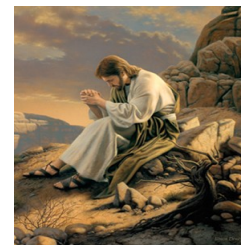
Care-home Masses have started again.

Northwood Regency: 1st Fri @ 10.30am
David Lloyd Jones: 2nd Tues @ 10.30am
Brandt's Creek Mews: 1st Wed @ 10.30am
Three Links Manor: 3rd Tues @ 10.30am
Sandalwood: Date & Time to be announced



Hate No One

no matter how much they've wronged you. Live humbly, no matter how wealthy you become. Think positivity, no matter how hard life is. Give much, even if you've been given little. Forgive all, especially yourself, and never stop praying for everyone.





St Pius X Parish QR CODES ARE HERE!! You will notice that our pews now have a QR code attached ! These have been used in other parishes with GREAT success to enhance donations and ease to parish giving. Here's the general process (each device is different... :)



- 1) With the camera on your phone, place the QR code in the center.
- 2) A yellow "Square Link" box will appear, touch that.
- 3) It will take you to St. Pius X Parish site that you can donate. When requested, use "Sunday Collection" as the reason for the donation. Follow the prompts (it should be relatively simple) and pay with your credit card.
- 4) When complete, you will get a text or an email to confirm your donation.
- 5) NOTE: Because you have to include your name and address during the process, you WILL get a tax receipt for your donation.
- 6) NOTE: This is an encrypted system and has been used with success AND privacy in numerous places before (including churches).

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Thursday
February
8
2024

\$35 CAD
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Immaculata Regional High School
1493 K. L. O. Road Kelowna, BC V1W 3N8 Canada
7:00 - 9:30PM

For more information contact: Rebecca Robertson
E: beccarobertson@shaw.ca C: 250-718-6926

Kelowna Community Gospel Choir

Dear Friends,
Kelowna Community Gospel Choir invites you to share our information with your church community.
KELOWNA COMMUNITY GOSPEL CHOIR: is a non-profit organization that functions as a ministry in the community.
OUR PURPOSE: is to take the gospel message in song to our community and to have fun singing!!
Would you consider posting this information on your Facebook page or Website?

We appreciate your support!

Thank you.

Prayer for Vocations

Eternal God...
Bless your church with holy and faithful priests, deacons, brothers and sisters.
Give those you have called to the married state and those you have chosen to live as single persons in the world, the special graces that their lives require.
Form us all in the likeness of your Son so that in Him, with Him, and through Him we may love you more deeply and serve you more faithfully, always and everywhere.
With Mary we ask this through Christ our Lord.

Amen



RCIA Are you, or do you know someone who is searching, who is asking questions about becoming a Catholic, about deepening relationship with Jesus? Are you a Catholic who has received baptism but not the other Sacraments? Are you from another Church and looking to be received into the Catholic? We look forward to journeying with you in the RCIA program. We would like to hear from you. Please give us a call at 250 762 2587. Please ask to speak with Fr. Obi. You can also email us at: spxklowna@nelsondiocese.org

Dec. 12 - Feast of Our Lady of Guadalupe National Day of Prayer in Solidarity with Indigenous Peoples

Diocesan Prayer

We give thanks for the relationship between Indigenous and non-Indigenous peoples of Canada, and for the blessing of cultures and traditions, as well as for the gifts of creation that we share. Creator God, please walk with us and help us to embrace our mutual journey toward truth and reconciliation. Guide us to healing and peace, and awaken in all a spirit of compassion, justice, community and friendship.



Monday the parish office will be closed, sorry for the inconvenience

