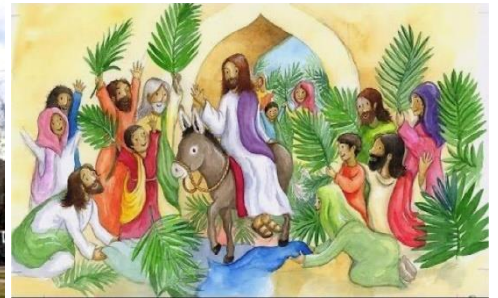


ROMAN CATHOLIC PARISH OF ST. PIUS X

For Health Care Workers.

We pray for health care workers who serve the sick and the elderly, specially in the poorest countries; may they be adequately supported by government and local communities.



Pastor: Fr. Gerald

Fr. Gerald's email: sxpastor@shaw.ca

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Office Manager: Angelica Ortiz

April 10th Passion (Palm) Sunday

Readings: Isaiah 50.4-7 Philippians 2.6.11.

Gospel: Luke 22.14-23.56.

MASS SCHEDULE - ST. PIUS X

Saturday	5:00 p.m.
Sunday	8:30 am & 11:30 a.m.
Tuesday	Rosary 8:20 a.m. Mass 9:00 a.m.
Wednesday	Rosary 8:20 a.m. Mass 9:00 a.m.
Thursday	Rosary 8:20 a.m. Mass 9:00 a.m.
Friday	Rosary 8:20 a.m. Mass 9:00 a.m.

MASSES AT CARE FACILITIES:

-2nd Tuesday of the month Northwood Retirement 2:00 p.m.

Reconciliation

Only by appointment.

Baptism

Contact the office two months before planning a date for preparation & instruction.

Marriage

contact the office at least six months prior to the date for preparation & instruction.

Interested in becoming a Roman Catholic?

Adults should contact the Parish office.

Anointing the Sick

Please notify the Parish of hospitalized and shut-in parishioners. **For emergencies, and end of life blessings, please call 250-878-1502 at any time.**

Please pray for the sick and injured at home and in hospital, especially Tessa McGibbon, June Hanushchak, Elizabeth Gutenberg, Christine Zlogar, Leona LaPierre, Mona Hawco, Vince Cummings, Oliver Fabris, James McGlinchey, Rita Gemin, Betty Klinger, Desjardins Family, Trudy Szulkies, Brenda Campbell, Arlene Pilgrim, Ashleigh Landry, Ernie Poitras, Kelly Howden, Manuela Ungureanu, Dana Duguay, Cathie Lock, Rick Lock, PJ Cuomo, Pam Renzi, Evelyn Burzminski, Dan Ryder, Dario & Irene Nonis, Patricia Graham, Beatriz Hernandez, Jo Stewart, Anita Kurapatwa, Marilyn Butts, Milton Keddy, Bernie Ehresman, Helen Curran.

Merciful Jesus, grant them a healing of mind and body, and restore their strength and spirit. Amen

WEEKLY MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday	April 09	Lionel Moyer	-R-
Sunday	April 10	Parishioners of St. Pius X	-INT-
Sunday	April 10	Passion -Sunday Palms	-INT-
Tuesday	April 12	CWL	-INT-
Wednesday	April 13	Hani Yousif	-R-
Thursday	April 14	Washing of the Feet	-INT-
Friday	April 15	Good Friday	-INT-
Saturday	Abril 16	Easter	-INT-
Sunday	Abril 17	Parishioners of St. Pius X	-INT-
Sunday	Abril 17	Resurrection	-INT-

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- Canadian Food for Children**
Angel & Martha Calderer - 236-420-1970
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Peter Huang- 250-763-5830
- Knight of Columbus Insurance**
Joe Faubert -250-488-9805
- Catholic Women's League**
Mary Ann Rehlinger 250-763-3396
- Hospital & Shut-in Visits**
Elizabeth Hobart - 236-420-0599
- St. Pius X Custodians** Maria & Nuno Henriques



KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

Meet the First Thursday of the month at 7:30 pm at the Columbus Villa. Parish Breakfast every second Sunday of the month after both masses. Join us today. Visit KofC.org/Join Us



CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE

Meet 2nd Tuesday of the quarter after 9:00 am mass.
Membership: Mary Ann Rehlinger
250-763-3396



SOCIETY OF ST. VINCENT DE PAUL

Meet the 1st & 3rd Tuesday of the month at 6:30 pm in the Fr. Mulvihill Room.



KOREAN CATHOLIC COMMUNITY

LEGIO meets each Friday at 11:00 am in the Fr. Martin Room. **COMMUNITY** meets 3rd Sunday of the month at 12:30 pm in the Fr. Martin Room.



ST. PIUS X QUILTERS

Meet each Wednesday at 10:00 am in the Fr. Martin Room.

PARISH COUNCIL MEMBERS

- Jim Mazzei **Chairperson**
- Victoria Oppertshauser **Social Justice**
- Dennis Barnes **Financial Chair**
- Martin Landry **Maintenance Chair**
- Mary Ann Rehlinger **Catholic Women's League**
- Peter Huang **Pastoral Worker**
- Angela Pomeroy **Religious Education**

BIG WHITE MASS: TBA

St. Pius X Parish Interac/etransfer Donations

We now have our own email address for Interac/etransfer donations to St. Pius X Parish.

When you are sending interact donations please send them to etransfer.spxkelowna@nelsondiocese.org

Be sure to indicate clearly to which fund the donation is to be directed in the message box of the e-transfer. For example: Sunday Offering, Special Church Care, Christmas, New Years, and/or one of the Ordered Collections, or if is to be split between two or more of these.

Donations will be automatically deposited directly in the St. Pius X Parish bank account when the transfer is made so a password is NOT required to make the transfer.

We thank you for your support.

God Bless.

WELCOME TO OUR PARISH

If you are an out-of-town visitor or a guest of a parish family, we are pleased to have you join us in celebration. If you are searching for a place to call "home", why not join our Parish Family? We would love to have you! There is always room for more at the Table of the Lord. Simply complete this form and return it to the Parish office or drop it in the collection basket. Long time residents who are not registered are also invited to fill out the form.

PARISH REGISTRATION

NEW PARISHIONER

INFORMATION CHANGE

NAME: _____

ADDRESS:

POSTAL CODE: _____

TELEPHONE: _____

EMAIL: _____

CHURCH ENVELOPES

Would you like a box of envelopes? Numbered boxes identify the donor for income tax purposes. A tax receipt will be issued each year and sent to the address registered with the Parish.

YES NO

Would you like the bulletin emailed to you each week?

YES NO

An Invitation to Pray for Peace

Parishioners of St. Pius, you are being invited to come and pray for peace on Wednesday evenings, in the Church at 7:00 pm, during Lent. The goal is to have as many voices united in prayer, as possible, at one time. So, if family and work commitments prevent you from praying at Church, we encourage you to join us in prayer at 7:00 pm wherever you are, with whomever you are with at the time. The prayer session will consist of reciting the Blessed Holy Rosary, followed by the Divine Mercy Chaplet - a prayer commitment of about 30 minutes. Copies of the prayers will be attached to the electronic bulletin.

We do not want to under-estimate the power of prayer in effecting positive change in our world. We have merciful advocates in Mary and Jesus. So, please set your watch or phone alarms and join us on Wednesday evenings. Hosted by the St. Pius X Women's Ministry.

Diocesan Communications Directors,

Please find below a CCCB Media Release (in English and French) published moments ago on the website.

Canada's Catholic Bishops Welcome Pope Francis' Apology to Indigenous Peoples: <https://www.cccb.ca/media-release/canadas-catholic-bishops-welcome-pope-francis-apology-to-indigenous-peoples/>

Les évêques catholiques du Canada entendent les excuses du pape François aux peuples autochtones: <https://www.cccb.ca/fr/media-release/les-veques-catholiques-du-canada-entendent-les-excuses-du-pape-francois-aux-peuples-autochtones/>

St. Joseph Catholic School is now accepting applications for September 2022 enrollment. St. Joseph provides a supportive, caring, and safe environment for students in Kindergarten through Grade 7. We are also proud to offer our amazing Outdoor Academy program in collaboration with the Clubhouse Farm. Students experience season-specific programming that connects them to the land and gives them the opportunity to see how things change, grow, and evolve. This spring our theme is Local Sustainable Agriculture. With over 80 years of academic excellence and the best Kindergarten program in Kelowna we invite your family to join our family! For more information, visit our website at stjosephkelowna.ca, email us at sjkoffice@cisnd.ca or call 250-763-3371.

Our Lady of Lourdes School is launching its biggest fundraiser of the year and we need your support! April 11th marks the date when the Auction goes live! Please visit <https://www.olol-bc.com/> or wait for the link in the bulletin so that you can take part in the fun of shopping! Our Lady of Lourdes School appreciates your consideration to support our school!

We are looking for Eucharist Ministers for all Masses, if you are interested and would like to be part of our ministry, we would love to have you.

We are currently looking for Ushers for the Saturday 5:00pm and Sunday 8:30am Masses, if you are interested, please call **Trish** at **250-763-1090**, a nice way to meet the parishioners of St. Pius.

Rachel's Corner

"Jesus has to bring up the wound so that we can realize we're not fine. When you believe that you're fine, pretending that this brokenness is as good as it gets, that things are as they are meant to be-then you're going to cobble together something far less than what Jesus wants for you. Jesus comes into our wounds to undo the undoing." Father Mike Schmitz

Join us on the next Rachel's Vineyard Retreat™ and allow His mercy to put you back together again.

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Knights of Columbus: The Fr. Delestre Council of the Knights of Columbus is pleased to announce that it will again be offering bursaries to students who are graduating from high school this year and who are planning to attend an accredited post-secondary school in BC. One-time bursaries are also available for students already in post-secondary programs who are continuing their studies in accredited post-secondary education in BC.

Applications can be requested, by contacting Paul Gabias by email, pgabias@gabiaswellness.com. All applications must be received on or before April 30th to be considered.

Jesus the River of Life Charismatic Conference April 29-30, 2022. Summerland BC - Holy Child Church. Join Father Trevor Nathasingh as he examines the word of God from Rev. 22:1-2, "The River of the Water of Life, flowing from the throne of God, for the healing of the Nations."

Come and experience the Word of God, living and active in us, as we listen to the promptings of the Holy Spirit and learn how to cooperate with God as he reveals His perfect plan for us. There is no registration fee, but a love offering will be accepted.

Register: Zoom Link - email Loree Renwick by April 26
ndccrs2020@gmail.com

or on-site April 29: Holy Child Church, Summerland BC
Pre-conference info: call/email Roy MacIntyre 1-778-740-0508
roymacintyre@shaw.ca

or visit: <https://www.holyspiritbaptizer.com/conference>

Post-conference: talks on web.

IMMAC HOMESTAYS NEEDED FOR 2022-23

Do you enjoy learning about other cultures?

Do you like kids? Do you have a spare room?

If you answered yes to these questions, you could be just the family we're looking for! We are building our list of homestay families for the 2022-23 school year! We expect to have students from Latin America, Asia and Europe. This is a great experience for your whole family and we pay \$1000 (tax free) per student per month. If you'd like to learn more, have a look at this link <https://www.immaculatakelowna.ca/homestays.php> and/or contact Shelley Brodeur at irhs.ahc@cisnd.ca.

This Solidarity Sunday, **Development and Peace's** People and Planet First campaign invites you to give from the heart and thanks you warmly for your generosity. Your donation transforms the lives of some of our most vulnerable sisters and brothers across the world.

In Cambodia, for instance, your solidarity helped our partner DPA establish a community fishery in Srey Packly's village. She said, "Thank you very much to DPA and to the donors for supporting my family and fellow villagers to have fresh and healthy fish to eat and to improve our livelihoods." Such is the difference you can make by giving to your Share Lent parish collection or at devp.org/give. Thank you for helping us build a world of justice.

ST PIUS EASTER SCHEDULE

WEDNESDAY (April 13)

Mass with anointing of the sick -----9AM

HOLY THURSDAY (April 14)

Evening Mass of the Lord's Supper -----7:00 PM

GOOD FRIDAY (April 15)

Stations of the Cross----- 10:00 AM

Good Friday service of the Lord's Passion-----3:00PM

HOLY SATURDAY (April 16)

Sacrament of Confession -----10:00AM – 11:00AM

Easter Vigil -----5:30 PM

EASTER SUNDAY (April 17)

Holy Mass----- 8:30 am

Holy Mass----- 11:30 am

Dear friends: The Catholic Christian Outreach (CCO) Kelowna Mission is set to begin in less than one month. And we need your help. We have one mission leader, four more CCO staff, plus Lindsay Charland whom many of you know, 12 awesome students, and great expectations of what our Lord wants to do in the Diocese of Nelson. The CCO Mission team is working in coordination with the Bishop's office as well as CCO partner parish, Immaculate Conception to engage other local parishes, leaders in the diocese, and the students at Immaculata High School, among many other opportunities. They are so excited to come!

But, at this late hour, the team has not yet found a place to lay their heads. I'm asking you to consider if you might be willing to host a group of CCO staff/students in groups of two or more, for a stretch of time in May? I know it's just in a few weeks, but maybe the Lord is calling you to lend some space, somehow?

If you're open and willing, please respond using the following form:
<https://forms.gle/PV3t676zeENyRbdT6>

Each of the twelve students coming on this mission have a call and good reason for wanting to be with you in Kelowna this May. They come from all over Canada. I had the chance to meet one of them, Christine, on campus at Concordia last month and she is dynamite! (She's Gabrielle Raymond's girl, so just imagine.) You can read their individual stories here:

1. [Alex Stapleton – CCO](#), 2. [Cassandra Werkman – CCO](#), 3. [Christine Esteron – CCO](#), 4. [Daniel Horvath – CCO](#), 5. [Mari Chambers – CCO](#) 6. [Matthew Arthur King – CCO](#), 7. [Matthew Durand – CCO](#), 8. [Micaela Ayotte – CCO](#), 9. [Monica Nugent – CCO](#), 10. [Raquel Neeser-Carazo – CCO](#), 11. [Samuel Visser – CCO](#), 12. [Sarah Morrison – CCO](#).

The CCO staff are: Evalina Williamson (Mission Leader), Michael Sloan, Dan Oberg, Katelyne Bohman and Amanda Ho. ([Our Missionaries - CCO](#))

All this to say, we really do need home-stay accommodations for the mission team from May 7-31 (May 4-6: group training). This is a real opportunity to connect with amazing individuals who are on fire with the Lord. The young people are such encouraging witnesses and are great role models for young kids in our Catholic families. How might God show up for you and your family in your generosity? If you are able, please consider hosting a group of CCO staff and students. If you are unable, please consider passing this message along to someone you think might have space and could benefit from this kind of experience.

God bless, Bishop Greg