



St. Joseph's Parish

Box. 1429 2994 Burrard Ave., Vanderhoof, BC V0J3A0

5th Sunday of Lent- C

March 13, 2016



Office Hours:

Tuesday- 9:30 am-1:30 pm

Thurs.-9:30-1:30pm

Friday- 10am-2pm

MASS TIMES:

Saturday:

St. Joseph's - 7:15pm

Sunday:

St Joseph's - 9:30am

Holy Trinity Saikuz-
12:30pm

Tuesday:

St. Joseph's- 6:30pm

Wednesday, Thursday &

Friday:

St. Joseph's- 12:15pm

Pastor: Fr. Rene Antonio

Parish Secretary:

Julie Kulchar

Parish Phone: 250-567-9151

Pastor's Phone: 250-944-0550

*Monday, March 14, 2016, 7pm
Sacred Heart Cathedral,
Patrcia Blvd, Prince George, BC*

Sacramental Preparation

Thur, 3:30-4:30pm

Parish Center

Lent Reconciliation

Mar 18, Fri, 7pm

Feast of St. Joseph

Mar. 19

1st Reading: Is. 43:16-21

Responsorial Psalm: "The Lord has done great things for us, we are filled with joy."

2nd Reading: Phil.3:8-14

Gospel: John 8:1-11

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Praying the Rosary: (St. Joseph's)

Every Friday- 7pm (chapel)

Every Sunday-9am (Before the Mass)

Parish Life:

Catholic Women's League - Maggie Saito (250-524-0333)

Children's Liturgy - Vacant

Development & Peace - Anne Geddes (250-567-9221)

Evangelization, Alpha & R.C.I.A. - Vacant

Liturgical Arts and Environment- Anne Irving (250-567-4335)

St. Joseph Kids' Group (SJK) - Kevin Wallace (250-567-9456)

Knights of Columbus - Bernie Larusic

Music Ministry - Barbara Wallace (250-567-4377)

NeighbourLink - Laurie Wallace (250-567-9456)

St. Joseph Youth Crusaders - Bob Geddes (250-567-9221)

Website - Bob Geddes and Leslie Michaud

Pastoral Council:

Chairperson: Maggie Saito (250-524-0333)

Vice Chairperson:

David Simoes

Secretary: Abel Martins

Members:

Kevin Wallace, Yasmin Bernabe, Bob Geddes, Anne Irving, Cristy Brennan, Diana

Loranger, and Laurie Wallace.



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Lent: Being Made New

Each of the forty day or forty year periods mentioned above was preparatory. So it is for us we enter each year into Lent. We can progress in the call to be made new. The Apostle Paul reminded the Corinthians, "if anyone is in Christ, he is a new creation; the old has passed away, behold, the new has come." (2 Cor. 5:17)

The Church, our Mother and Teacher, invites us to empty ourselves through fasting, abstinence, prayer, charity and almsgiving. We are invited to recommit ourselves to do battle with the disordered appetites and passions which are a bad fruit of the effects of sin and hold us back.

During Lent we are called to engage in spiritual warfare. (See, 2 Cor. 10:4, Eph. 6: 14 - 16) We do battle with the "world", the "flesh" and, yes, the Devil. Satan, the father of lies (John 8:44), is the enemy of Jesus Christ and therefore the enemy of all who seek to attain the fullness of salvation in Him. During these forty days we are invited to say "yes" to every grace offered to us. **However, the choice is ours.**

—Deacon Keith Fournier " Short Books for Christian Living"
www.catholic.org/news

Ministries Schedule

SATURDAY Mar.12

Greeters: 1. Celina Bylycia
2. John Michaud

Lectors: 1. Jim MacLellan
2. Karen Bacroft

E. Minister: Alex Rodriguez

Servers: Carla Tumbaga
Nancy Mangune
Eloisa Vidayo

SUNDAY Mar. 13

Greeters: 1. Angel Kulchar
2. Bill MacDonald

Lectors: 1. David Simoes
2. Mary Bulkholder

E. Ministers: 1. Julie Kulchar
2. Anne Irving

Servers: Alex Kulchar
Stephanie Hall
Michael Hall

Children's Liturgy:

Heather Cross & Angela K.

Coffee Prep: Julie K.

Goodies: Heather Cross

Church Linens: Leslie Michaud

Church Cleaning:

Geddes/MacDonald Family

Parish Centre Cleaning:

Geddes/MacDonald Family



PRAYER REQUESTS:

For Kevin Wallace, Lena Alexis, Robert Almond, Dorothy Andres, Ken Andres Mackie Basil, Julie Brown, Cliff Childers, Doug Clare, Cooper Cursley, Albert Gilmore, Kathy Hansen, Ryan John, Roy Junior (Casimir), Jennifer Lock, Rose Marie MacDonald, Robbie MacKay, Julia Martins, Richard Martens, Dave Melo, Michael Nelson, Dorothy Nielsen, Elsie Quaw, Madison Scott, Michelle Todd, Ian Scott, Bryan Wallace, Fr. Jim Jordan, Joseph Wiebe, Rita Wruth and Patrick Irving, and for all who are in need of God's healing grace.

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION: Saturdays: 6:30 to 7:00 p.m. and upon request.

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM: Instruction for parents and godparents is required. Contact Father Rene for more information and to set up an appointment.

SACRAMENT OF MATRIMONY:

Please contact Father Rene for an appointment at least six months prior to your proposed wedding date as all couples are required to undergo marriage preparation classes.

St Joseph's "Spring is in the Air" Fundraiser

Friday April 29, 2016 5PM.

at St Joseph's gym

Host a table of 10 people create your own mini potluck dinner
Bring food and tableware and decorate your table(s) beverages organized for each table.
St Joseph's to provide tea, coffee and juice

For reservation of tables & chairs, call Barbara Wallace
ph.250.567.4377

NO MASS

TUESDAY AND WEDNESDAY (Mar. 15 and 16)

MEN'S BREAKFAST

Neighbourlink, Mar. 19,
Saturday at 7AM

LOGO CONTEST!

Be CrEatIve! Open to all

-St. Joseph's Parish 100th
year anniversary Sept 1, 1917-
Sept 1, 2017

-make your own theme and col-
or. Deadline of Submission:
April 3, 2016

"MOVE IT" Night

Dance and Exercise

Mar, 17- 7pm, St Joseph's Gym

Drop-in is by donation.

Sacramental Preparation.

For First Communion

March 17, 2016

April 7, 14, 21, 2016

April 28 - Sacrament of Con-
fession

Thursday, 3:30-4:40pm,

St. Joseph's Parish Center

"SKI MERCIFUL" YOUNG ADULT SKI RETREAT

Who: Young Adults ages 19-40

When: Friday & Saturday March 18-19, 2016

Where: Hudson Bay Mountain Resort, Smithers

All young adults ages 18-40 are welcomed to join us. Please
email Eunice at ehii@pgdiocese.bc.ca or Angelo at asabba-
din@pgdiocese.bc.ca or (250) 964-4424 (ext. 230)

K of C Meeting

Mar 15, Tuesday, 6:30 PM

For the week of Mar. 6, 2016

Envelops: 27 out of 75

HOLY TRINITY Collection: 40.85

ST. JOSEPH'S Collection: 1,091.25

Weekly Goal : 2, 150.00

Other amount: 20.00

Update Diocesan Appeal: As of

Mar. 9, 2016

Appeal goal: 11,125.00

Total Pledged: 8,345.00

Total % of Goal: 75.0%

Pledges Received: 8,340.00

Volleyball Games on

Sunday!, Mar 13, 7PM

THE MEMORARE

REMEMBER, O most gracious
Virgin Mary, that never was it
known that anyone who fled to
thy protection, implored thy
help, or sought thy intercession
was left unaided. Inspired with
this confidence, I fly to thee, O
Virgin of virgins, my Mother; to
thee do I come; before thee I
stand, sinful and sorrowful. O
Mother of the Word Incarnate,
despise not my petitions, but in
thy mercy hear and answer me.

Finance Council: Alex Rodriguez (250-567-4607),

Alex Kulchar, John Michaud, and Robin Work

NEED TO RENT A GYM OR KITCHEN

For details, contact Julie Kulchar
at St. Joseph's Parish Office
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LENT LITURGICAL SCHEDULE

Mar. 14- Chrism Mass -(Monday) -
7:00 pm - Sacred Heart Cathedral

Mar. 18- Lent Reconciliation Service
-(Friday) -7:00 pm -St. Joseph's

Mar. 20 - Palm Sunday -
9:15 am -Gathering at corner of Bur-
rard Ave. and Victoria St.
-9:45 am - Mass at St Joseph's
-12:30 pm- Mass at Holy Trinity
(Saikuz)

Mar. 24 - Holy Thursday -7:00 pm -
Mass of the Lord's Supper Washing of
the Feet

-Reposition of the Blessed Sacrament
-8:30 -11:00 pm - Vigil and Adoration

Mar. 25 - Good Friday
-3:00 pm - Veneration of the Cross
-Liturgy of the Word
-Communion

Mar.26 - Holy Saturday
-9:00 pm - Easter Vigil Mass

Mar. 27 - Easter Sunday
-9:30 am - Mass at St. Joseph's
-12:30 am - Mass at Holy Trinity
(Saikuz)

"A little bit of mercy
makes the world less cold
and more just." -Pope Francis