

Schedule for Ministers

Mon. Dec. 31, 6pm Mass

Sacristan – Roy M.

Readers – #1 – Ed. B., #2 – Lucy L., Comm. – Scott A.

Eucharistic Ministers – Shirley M.

Music Ministry – Rachel E. & Jean L.

Altar Servers – Rosemary T. & Amani B.

Greeters – Madeline H., June B.

Tues. Jan. 1, 10am Mass

Sacristan – Scott A.

Readers – #1 – Julie D., #2 – Anne A., Comm. – Neil M.

Eucharistic Ministers – Mary B., Julie D., Ed B., Remy J., Raicelys G.

Music Ministry – Imelda K.

Altar Servers – Pascal B, Jonah B, Sean B.

Greeters – Cathy R., Sylvia M.

Sat. Jan. 5th

Sacristan – Marianne B.

Readers – #1 – Eunice R., #2 – Eunice R., Comm. – Neil M.

Sun. Jan. 6th

Sacristan – Scott A.

Readers – #1 – Lucy L., #2 – Gerry A., Comm. – Jacinta J.

Eucharistic Ministers – TBA

Music Ministry – Imelda K.

Altar Servers – Rosemary T., Amani B.

Greeters – Hoekstra Family

Coffee – No one signed up

Prayers of the Faithful/Prayer List: if you would like your name or a loved one's name (with their permission first) included on the bulletin Parish Prayer list please call the office at 250-494-3110.

PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK... And all who are suffering in any way in our Parish and in our families especially: Eugene Chorneyko, Meg Morrissey, Rosa Santos, Ted Mooney, Carmen Telechea, Kathryn Simpson, Elmo Sheppard, Toran Younge, Doug Chappell, Bob Day, Anne Arthur, Jim Graf, Moira Day, Nick Deuling, Olivia Whitfield-Carson, Sandy Jaser, Len and Stanley D'Souza, Malinowski Family, Maddox Polasek, Carrie Malinowski, Jennifer Knoll, Anne Watson, Ethel Krause, Paul Pasqualetto, Kian Hooshmand-Hall, Ann Grison, Dawna Werbeski, Wayne and Joanne Banks, Marie Horn, Pat Thomas, Sheila Dafflyen, Betty Jolie, Chrissy Kozier, and Regis and Irene Mahussier.

Dec. Birthdays and Anniversaries

Tim & Rachel Donegan – Dec.30th
14th Wedding Anniversary

Dec. 30, 2018



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Office Hrs - Tues.-Fri. 9:30am-1:00pm

Sacrament of Reconciliation:

Fridays after Mass (9:30am) or Saturdays 5:30-6pm. Anyone wanting reconciliation outside of these hrs may arrange with Fr. Ben.

Adoration – Every Fri. after 9am mass to 11am.

Parish Contact List

Parish Council Chair – Bernadine J. – 250-494-7972

Finance Council Chair – Scott A. – 250-494-1983

Sacristans– Roy M. – 1-778-740-0508

Music Ministry – Imelda K. – 250-494-5921

Eucharistic Ministers – Bernadine J. – 250-494-7972

Lectors/Readers Coordinator – Neil M. - 250-494-8418

Sunday School/Catechism– Shirley M. – 250-494-8418

Safe Environment Rep. – Dina T. – 250-494-7069

Youth Coordinator – Michelle R. –604-351-5216

Development and Peace – John M. – 250-494-9590

Sick/Homebound Services – Dina T. -250-494-7069

Greeters – Anne-Marie R. – 250-494-9220

Holy Cross School Office – 250-492-4480

Knights of Columbus – Roy E. – 778-513-8454

Catholic Women's League – Sylvia M.. – 778-516-4341

Ministerial Singers – Terri W. – 250-809-1734

Sunday Collection

Dec. 23—Actual \$2262.89(Budget \$2880)

Christmas Offering - \$4220.15

Daily Masses

(No Mon. Mass unless specified)

Tuesday - 7pm

Wednesday to Friday - 9am

(except 2nd Wed. of month, Mass is at Sr's Village, 9:30am)

Saturday - 6pm

Sunday - 10am

Sacred Heart Mission Mass (Reserve):

Every Sunday – 12:30pm

NO MASS

No Mass Wed. Jan. 2

Regular Mass schedule resumes

Thurs. Jan.3 with 9am Mass

Change to Parish Office Hours

Mon. Dec.31 – office closed

Tues. Jan. 1 – office closed

Wed. Jan. 2 – office closed

Thurs. Jan. 3- Office open 9:30am-1pm

Fri. Jan. 4 – Office open 9:30am-1pm

Holy Child New Year's Mass Schedule

Mon., December 31st

6pm – Holy Mass

Tues. January 1st

10am – Holy Mass

Orepe Breakfast Today! Sun. Dec. 30th

Join us after mass today for a delicious crepe breakfast. This is a fundraiser for our Youth Group's pilgrimage to Medjugorje and is by donation.

DAILY READINGS Dec. 31 – Jan. 6

Mon. – 1 John 2.18-21

Tue. – Numbers 6.22-27

Wed. – 1 John 2.22-28

Thur. – 1 John 2.29; 3.1-6

Fri. – 1 John 3.7-10

Sat. – 1 John 3.11-21

Sun. – Isaiah 60.1-6

MASS INTENTIONS

Jan. 1 Tue: Souls in Purgatory

Jan. 2 Wed: NO MASS

Jan. 3 Thurs:R/Krystyna Ostrowska

Jan. 4 Fri: I/Bev MacIntyre

Jan. 5 Sat: R/Monique Lesperance

Please check out the new pamphlets in the pews, which tell you all about our pre-authorized giving plan (SAG).

The Diocese of Nelson invites applications for the position of **Administrative Assistant to Catholic Schools and Faith Formation** in the Catholic Pastoral Centre in Kelowna. Join us in fostering lifelong faith formation and authentic discipleship in our parishes and schools.

For more info., visit

www.dofnelsonfaithformation.com

Catholic Women's League

1. All ladies of the parish are invited and encouraged to join the Catholic Women's League of Canada – Holy Child Council, which has been serving the parish in all ministries since 1945! Our membership drive for renewing members and new members starts on the first Sunday of January. This fee is \$35. Add your name to the "Voice of Catholic Women in Canada". CWL National makes presentations to our government on issues of Life, Social Justice and Development. By joining the League, you will gain a sense of belonging, encouragement in your faith life, and the feeling you are making a difference in your parish!

2. CHANGE OF DATE!! CWL sponsored "Day of Reflection" is now scheduled for Sat. Jan.12th. All ladies of the parish welcome to attend and find out more about the Catholic Women's League. Watch the bulletin for further details.

The 2019 Sunday coffee sign up sheet is now posted on the bulletin board in the foyer. Please sign up.

Living in the Spirit Prayer Group

Holy Child's prayer group which formerly met on Sundays will now be meeting on Tuesdays after evening Mass in the chapel. Starting on Tues. Jan 8th. Come join the praise and worship.

Sacristy Door

The foyer of our church building was intentionally designed as a gathering space for our parish community; designed to be a place where folks can greet each other and we can welcome visitors. However, having the door to the sacristy opening right off the foyer makes it difficult for our celebrants and members of the liturgical team to spiritually prepare for the celebration of Mass. Members of the Parish Pastoral Team have discussed this issue and subsequently recommended to

Fr.Ben that the foyer entrance to the sacristy be closed prior to and after Mass. Those involved in the day's liturgy will access the sacristy via the chapel. This will allow our parishoners to continue to meet and greet each other while allowing others to prepare appropriately for the Mass. If you would like to speak to Fr. Ben prior to Mass or immediately after Mass please wait in the foyer or speak to the sacristan who will alert Fr.Ben that you are waiting to speak to him. Thank you everyone for your cooperation.

-Parish Council

Safety of Children

Fr.Ben would like to remind parents and caregivers that they are responsible for providing direct supervision to their children during and after Mass. Parental supervision is the best way to ensure children are safe in our parish. Thank You.

It's time for snow angels to appear at Holy Child !

The snow has arrived and we need snow angels to keep our church and sidewalks clear during winter months. If you or your family can commit to one month of duty please contact Scott Austin at 250-494-1983 for details. Thanks for being an angel.

Youth group bottle drive continues!

Please leave your bottle donations in the hall (under the youth group bottle drive sign).

Please remember to pick up your 2019 donation envelopes in the foyer on the table.

If you can't find your envelopes, or there is an error with your name/address, please notify Shawna at 250-494-3110.

