

PARISH PRAYER LIST

(please call the office - 250-494-3110)

LORD HEAR OUR PRAYER FOR OUR SICK SISTERS & BROTHERS... and all

who are suffering in any way in our community and in our families, especially: George Szucs, John Morrissey, Debra Webb, Christine Delaurier, Vivian Dolezsar, Philomena Keogan, Eugene Chorneyko, Rosa Santos, Kathryn Simpson, Elmo Sheppard, Toran Younge, Anne Arthur, Jim Graf, Nick Deuling, Olivia Whitfield-Carson, Sandy Jaser, Malinowski Family, Carrie Malinowski, Jennifer Knoll, Reid & Anne Watson, Paul Pasqualetto, Kian Hooshmand-Hall, Ann Grison, Dawna Werbeski, Marie Horn, Pat Thomas, Sheila Dafflyen, Betty Jolie, Chrissy Kozier, Richard Roess, Cecilia Roess, Jack Rowland, Jo-Ann Rowland, Margo Preston, Jody Richter, Geraldine Koropchuk, Bill Appel, Cindy Garner, Jack Appel, Dina Tremblay, Carey Roess, Henry Bernard, Nicole LaVallee, Gerry Pagliocchini, Rachel Donegan, Jenny Pilkington.

Healing Prayer

Heavenly Father, we pray that You will lay your healing Hands upon all those who are sick. We beg You to have compassion on all those who are suffering so that they may be delivered from their pitiful circumstances.

In Jesus, we pray.
Amen.

MASS INTENTIONS

PARISHIONERS' INTENTIONS
FRONT LINERS
ALL THE SICK
ALL SOULS IN PURGATORY
All those who are suffering in one way or another

DAILY READINGS

Monday: Acts 16:11-15; Psalm 149: 1-6, 9; John 15:26-16:4

Tuesday: Acts 16:22-34; Psalm 137: 1-3, 7-8; John 16:5-11

Wednesday: Acts 17:15, 22-18:1; Psalm 148: 1-2, 11-14; John 16:12-15

Thursday: Acts 18:1-8; Psalm 97: 1-4; John 16:16-20

Friday: Acts 18:9-18; Psalm 46: 2-7; John 16:20-23

Saturday: Acts 18:23-28; Psalm 46: 2-3, 8-10; John 16:23-28

7TH SUNDAY OF EASTER: ASCENSION
Acts 1:1-11 Psalm 47 Ephesians 1:17-23 Matthew 28:16-20

MAY 17, 2020

SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER



HOLY CHILD PARISH

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Sacrament of Reconciliation:

Fridays after Mass (9:30am)

Saturdays-5:30-6pm.

Adoration – Every Thursday – 9:30 - 11:00 AM

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SUNDAY COLLECTION

THANK YOU! GOD BLESS YOUR GENEROUS HEARTS! God loves a cheerful giver!

(2 Cor. 9)

MASS SCHEDULE

(No Mon. Mass unless specified)

TUESDAY	7PM
WEDNESDAY*- FRIDAY	9AM
SATURDAY	6PM
SUNDAY	10AM
Sacred Heart Mission Mass	1PM (at Penticton Reserve)
*2 nd Wed. of the month- Mass is at Sr's Village- 9:25AM.	

HOLY CHILD PARISH LIVE
STREAMING OF HOLY
MASS AT 10 AM (SUNDAY-
FRIDAY)

SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER



READINGS

Acts 17:22-31

17:22 Then Paul stood in front of the Areopagus and said, "Athenians, I see how extremely religious you are in every way.

17:23 For as I went through the city and looked carefully at the objects of your worship, I found among them an altar with the inscription, 'To an unknown god.' What therefore you worship as unknown, this I proclaim to you.

17:24 The God who made the world and everything in it, he who is Lord of heaven and earth, does not live in shrines made by human hands,

17:25 nor is he served by human hands, as

though he needed anything, since he himself gives to all mortals life and breath and all things.

17:26 From one ancestor he made all nations to inhabit the whole earth, and he allotted the times of their existence and the boundaries of the places where they would live,

17:27 so that they would search for God and perhaps grope for him and find him--though indeed he is not far from each one of us.

17:28 For 'In him we live and move and have our being'; as even some of your own poets have said, 'For we too are his offspring.'

17:29 Since we are God's offspring, we ought not to think that the deity is like gold, or silver, or stone, an image formed by the art and imagination of mortals.

17:30 While God has overlooked the times of human ignorance, now he commands all people everywhere to repent,

17:31 because he has fixed a day on which he will have the world judged in righteousness by a man whom he has appointed, and of this he has given assurance to all by raising him from the dead."

Psalms 66:8-20

66:8 Bless our God, O peoples, let the sound of his praise be heard,

66:9 who has kept us among the living, and

has not let our feet slip.

66:10 For you, O God, have tested us; you have tried us as silver is tried.

66:11 You brought us into the net; you laid burdens on our backs;

66:12 you let people ride over our heads; we went through fire and through water; yet you have brought us out to a spacious place.

66:13 I will come into your house with burnt offerings; I will pay you my vows,

66:14 those that my lips uttered and my mouth promised when I was in trouble.

66:15 I will offer to you burnt offerings of fatlings, with the smoke of the sacrifice of rams; I will make an offering of bulls and goats. Selah

66:16 Come and hear, all you who fear God, and I will tell what he has done for me.

66:17 I cried aloud to him, and he was extolled with my tongue.

66:18 If I had cherished iniquity in my heart, the Lord would not have listened.

66:19 But truly God has listened; he has given heed to the words of my prayer.

66:20 Blessed be God, because he has not rejected my prayer or removed his steadfast love from me.

1 Peter 3:13-22

3:13 Now who will harm you if you are eager to do what is good?

3:14 But even if you do suffer for doing what is right, you are blessed. Do not fear what they fear, and do not be intimidated,

3:15 but in your hearts sanctify Christ as Lord. Always be ready to make your defense to anyone who demands from you an accounting for the hope that is in you;

3:16 yet do it with gentleness and reverence. Keep your conscience clear, so that, when you are maligned, those who abuse you for your good conduct in Christ may be put to shame.

3:17 For it is better to suffer for doing good, if suffering should be God's will, than to suffer for doing evil.

3:18 For Christ also suffered for sins once for all, the righteous for the unrighteous, in order to bring you to God. He was put to death in the flesh, but made alive in the spirit,

3:19 in which also he went and made a proclamation to the spirits in prison,

3:20 who in former times did not obey, when God waited patiently in the days of Noah, during the building of the ark, in which a few, that is, eight persons, were saved through water.

3:21 And baptism, which this prefigured, now saves you--not as a removal of dirt from the

body, but as an appeal to God for a good conscience, through the resurrection of Jesus Christ,

3:22 who has gone into heaven and is at the right hand of God, with angels, authorities, and powers made subject to him.

John 14:15-21

14:15 "If you love me, you will keep my commandments.

14:16 And I will ask the Father, and he will give you another Advocate, to be with you forever.

14:17 This is the Spirit of truth, whom the world cannot receive, because it neither sees him nor knows him. You know him, because he abides with you, and he will be in you.

14:18 "I will not leave you orphaned; I am coming to you.

14:19 In a little while the world will no longer see me, but you will see me; because I live, you also will live.

14:20 On that day you will know that I am in my Father, and you in me, and I in you.

14:21 They who have my commandments and keep them are those who love me; and those who love me will be loved by my Father, and I will love them and reveal myself to them."



Lord, we pray for those who have been devastated by recent tragedies. We remember those who have lost their lives so suddenly. We hold in our hearts the families forever changed by grief and loss. Bring them consolation and comfort. Surround them with our prayers for strength. Bless those who have survived and heal their memories of trauma and devastation. May they have the courage to face the days ahead.

Help us to respond with generosity in prayer, in assistance, and in comfort to the best of our abilities. Keep our hearts focused on the needs of all the community. We ask this in Jesus' name. Amen.

Act of Contrition

O my God, I am heartily sorry for having offended Thee, and I detest all my sins because of thy just punishments, but most of all because they offend Thee, my God, who art all good and deserving of all my love.

I firmly resolve with the help of Thy grace to sin no more and to avoid the near occasion of sin.
Amen.

An Act of Spiritual Communion (by St. Alphonsus Liguori)

My Jesus, I believe that You are present in the Most Holy Sacrament. I love You above all things, and I desire to receive You into my soul.

Since I cannot at this moment receive You sacramentally, come at least spiritually into my heart.

I embrace You as if You were already there and unite myself wholly to You.

Never permit me to be separated from You.

Amen.

Prayer to the Most Holy Redeemer (Anima Christi)

Soul of Christ, sanctify me.
Body of Christ, save me.
Blood of Christ, embolden me.
Water from the side of Christ, wash me.

Passion of Christ,
strengthen me.
O good Jesus, hear me.
Within thy wounds hide
me.
Never permit me to be
parted from you.
From the evil Enemy
defend me.
In the hour of my death
call me.
and bid me come to thee,
that with your saints I
may praise thee
for age upon age.
Amen.

**parish & parish offices closed to
public until further notice.**

There are essential personnel that need to have access to the church/office such as your secretary, maintenance person, janitorial staff, etc. They should be able to enter the church/office with a good and valid reason authorized by the pastor.

This directive is about the general public and public gatherings for Mass, the sacraments, prayer or adoration, etc. and not being able to provide access to the church/office until such time it is safe to do. This is the only way we can 100% guarantee the safety of our clergy and parishioners from the corona virus.

**COVID-19 UPDATE FROM
THE DIOCESE:**



**Dear Priests, Staff and
Parishioners,**

**Greetings in the Lord! I hope
this finds you well.**

This week I have met with the Bishops of BC and Yukon, as well as the Consultors and Deans of the Diocese, to begin planning for the re-opening our parishes for Mass and prayer. Since this needs to be done carefully and thoughtfully, parishes, parish offices and the Catholic Pastoral Centre will remain closed to the public until May 29th. I will update you again as the date draws near.

**Information will be
forthcoming about how we will**

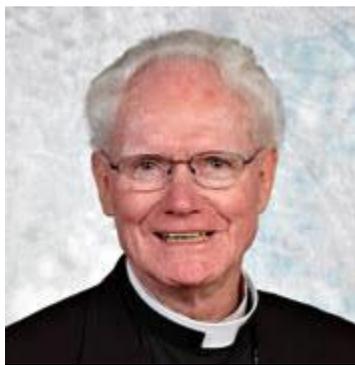
**accomplish this. We will need
your generosity, cooperation
and patience in order to do
so. Besides myself, all of our
priests are acutely aware of
the need to begin celebrating
our sacramental life again, and
to gather as a community of
Faith, albeit in limited
numbers.**

**Please pray for us as we do
for you. Although it will be a
slow, step by step process, we
will do whatever we can so
that our communal Faith life
may flourish once more.
Please know that by following
whatever restrictions remain in
place, we are all striving to
keep one another safe and
healthy.**

God bless you abundantly!

✠ Gregory Bittman

Bishop of Nelson



[Bishop Emeritus Eugene Cooney](#)
– 60th Anniversary of Priestly
Ordination: On June 4, our dear
Bishop Emeritus Cooney will
celebrate 60 years as a priest! If
you would like to send him a
letter or a card to mark the
occasion, please address it to
him and mail it to or drop it in the
outside mailbox of the chancery
office at 3665 Benvoulin Road,
Kelowna, BC, V1W 4M7. It will
be bulk mailed to him.

MAY 18, 2020: JOHN
PAUL II - 100TH
BIRTHDAY!!!



**HAPPY BIRTHDAY ST.
JOHN PAUL III!!! PRAY
FOR US!**

Thank You!

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YOUR DONATIONS
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IN ANY WAY...**

**THANK YOU FOR
YOUR CONTINUED
SUPPORT TO THE
PARISH!**

Websites:

www.nelsondiocese.org for Mass with
Bishop Bittman 9 AM Sunday from
Immaculate Conception Church, Kelowna

www.youtube.com for "Bishop Robert
Barron daily Mass"

www.cccb.ca for the Canadian
Conference of Catholic Bishops

www.usccb.org for the U.S.
Conference of Catholic Bishops

www.universalis.com for daily Mass
readings and the Breviary prayers for the
hours throughout the day

www.bccdc.ca for information from
the Chief Medical Officer and the Minister of
Health

[Holy Child Parish hot-line for all parishioners. We want to help our parish family in this challenging time.](#)

Do you need someone to talk to? Are you feeling anxious? Are you afraid? Are you lonely? The persons on this hotline are there to listen and help. There is a list of spares to help also.

We want you to know that you are not alone. We are available for errands: help ordering groceries and medications to be delivered, etc.

Also, if you know of someone who needs help, please let us know. (*Seek their permission first!) Be assured prayers are being said. Do you have any special prayer requests?

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