Schedule for Ministers

Mon. Dec.24, 6pm Mass

Sacristan - Trevor R.

<u>Readers</u> – #1 – Kinga K., #2 – Natalie B., Comm. – Jacinta J.

<u>Eucharistic Ministers</u> – Trevor R., Maggie R., Sylvia V., Mary B., Thea F., Raicelys G., Ed B. <u>Music Ministry</u> – Celina T.

<u>Altar Servers</u> – Pascal B., Jonah B., Sean B. Greeters – Madeline H., June B.

Mon. Dec.24, 8pm Mass

Sacristan - Roy M.

<u>Readers</u> – #1 – Mark Z., #2 – Eunice R.,

Comm. - Mary-Anne S.

Eucharistic Ministers – Rick B.

<u>Music Ministry</u> – Imelda K., Manuela

Altar Servers - Ameila D., Claire D.

Greeters - Dolan Family

Tue. Dec.25, 10am Mass

<u>Sacristan</u> – Ventura S.

<u>Readers</u> – #1 – Gerry A., #2 – Tim D.,

Comm. - Anne A.

<u>Eucharistic Ministers</u> – Dina T., Larry A., Imelda K.

Music Ministry - Keilty Family

Greeters - Barth Family

Sat. Dec.29

Sacristan - Neil M..

<u>Readers</u> - #1- Neil M., #2 - Neil M.,

Comm. - Scott A.

Sun. Dec.30

Sacristan – Trevor R.

Readers - #1 - Gerry A.., #2 - Julie D.,

Comm. - Maggie R.

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Eucharistic Ministers - Lorena A., Ilse C.,

Thea F., Ventura S., Lidia K., Roy M

Music Ministry - Celina T.

<u>Altar Servers</u> – Amelia D, Claire D., Ben D. Samuel D.

Greeters - Bev M., Raicelys G.

Coffee - Youth Crepe Breakfast

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

PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK... And all who are suffering in any way in our Parish and in our families especially: 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 Daflyen, Betty Jolie, Chrissy Kozier, and Regis and Irene Mahussier.

Dec. Birthdays and Anniversaries

please report to parish secretary at 250-494-3110

Dec. 23, 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.

<u>Adoration</u> – 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

 $Euch aristic\ Ministers-Bernadine\ J.-250-494-7972$

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

 $Greeters-Anne-Marie\ R.-250\text{-}494\text{-}9220$

 $Holy\ Cross\ School\ Office-250\text{-}492\text{-}4480$

 $Knights\ of\ Columbus-Roy\ E.-778\text{-}513\text{-}8454$

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

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

Sunday Collection

Dec. 16-Actual \$2057.65(Budget \$2880)

Pilgrimage of Faith -\$18,720 (Goal -\$17,450)

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

Change to Parish Office Hours

Mon. Dec.24 - office closed

Tues. Dec.25 - office closed

Wed. Dec.26 - office closed

Thurs. Dec. 27- Office open 9am-2pm

Fri. Dec.28 – office closed

NO MASS

No Mass Wed. Dec.26 and Thurs. Dec.27

Regular Mass schedule resumes Fri. Dec.28 with 9am Mass

Holy Child Christmas Mass Schedule

Mon., December 24th

6:00pm – Family Mass 8:00pm – Holy Mass

Tues., December 25th

10:00am - Holy Mass

Mon., December 31st

6pm - Holy Mass

Tues. January 1st

10am - Holy Mass

It's time for snow angels to appear!

We need them 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.

DAILY READINGS Dec. 24 – Dec. 30

Mon. – Isaiah 62.1-5

Tue. – Isaiah 62.11-12

Wed. – Acts 6.8-10; 7.54-59

Thur. – 1 John 1.1-4

Fri.– 1 John 1.5-2.2

Sat.- 1 John 2.3-11

Sun. – Sirach 3.2-6,12-14

MASS INTENTIONS

Dec. 25 Tue: Christmas Day

Dec. 26 Wed: NO MASS

Dec. 27 Thurs: NO MASS

Dec. 28 Fri:R/Frank Trovao

Dec. 29 Sat: I/Robert Fisher &

Melissa

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

Catholic Women's League

May the blessings of Our Saviour be yours this Christmas.

- 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!
- CWL sponsored "Day of Reflection" Saturday Jan.19th, 2019

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.

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.
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www.dofnelsonfaithformation.com

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 fover 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.

YOUTH GROUP

Our youth group is having a Games night Friday Dec.28th from 7-9pm All youth grades 8-12 are welcome to attend.

Orepe Breakfast -Sun. Dec. 30th

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

Thank you to everyone who supported our youth by buying poinsettias!

Youth group bottle drive continues!

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