IMMACULATE CONCEPTION PARISH Diocese of Prince George

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OUR PARISH MISSION STATEMENT

We are a Catholic community nourished through the Word and the Sacraments. Striving to follow Christ, we reach out and welcome all, witnessing through loving actions in service, education, and celebration.

OFFICE HOURS: Monday to Friday 9:30AM - 3:00PM

MASS TIMES: Daily Monday – Friday 9:00AM

Sunday 9:00AM, 11:00AM & 7:00PM

SACRAMENTS: Baptism Contact Parish Office

Reconciliation Before Mass, or by appointment

Marriage Contact Parish Office at least

six months in advance

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PASTORAL MINISTRIES CONTACTS

FINANCE COUNCIL CHAIR: Jennifer Wilczek HOME/HOSPITAL VISITS: Contact Parish Office

PARISH COUNCIL CHAIR: Daniel Burri CHILDREN'S MINISTRY: TBA

HOSPITALITY/COFFEE Daniel Burri CHURCH

SUNDAY: ENVIRONMENT: Phyllis Sarrazin

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS Fern Cote Social Action &

GRAND KNIGHT: Soup Kitchen: Sr. Michaela

K of C Meetings 2nd Thursday of the month VOCATIONS: Fr. Terry Brock

Go therefore and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and the Holy Spirit . . .

Matthew 28.16-20



May 26, 2024 – Most Holy Trinity Sunday



		9AM	For the People of IC
Sun	May 26	11AM	RIP of Joshua Vaughn-Farrell
		7PM	
Mon	May 27	9AM	RIP of Maria Correia
Tue	May 28	9AM	For the intentions of Sr. Doris in thanksgiving for her ministry
Wed	May 29	9AM	RIP of Arlette Santos
Thu	May 30	9AM	
Fri	May 31	9AM	RIP of Ursula Najsznerska

Mass intentions may be requested for various reasons (eg. a deceased loved one, someone who is ill, a birthday or anniversary, etc.) A Mass offering may be given for the intention but is not required.

If you have a Mass intention request, please call the parish office by Wednesday of each week so that the intention can be published in the bulletin.

Important Dates

- Children's Liturgy May 26, 2024, at 11AM Mass. Every 2nd and 4th Sunday of the month for May and June. For children 3 to 6 years old.
- IC School hosts the 3rd Annual Golf Fundraiser June 1, 2024 see poster and letter in foyer for details.
- Walk for Life June 1, 2024 further details in the bulletin.
- Clergy Retreat please pray for our priests June 10 14, 2024
- Monthly Adoration at Domano Chapel Tuesday, June 18, 2024, 8:00 AM 8:00 PM—3rd week for the month of June only due to the Priests' Retreat.
- K of C Monthly Meeting (every 2nd Thursday of the month @ 7:00PM) – Next meeting will be Thursday, June 13, 2024
- K of C Pancake Breakfasts will resume in September 2024..

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SUMMER MASS SCHEDULE

10:00 AM AND 7:00PM

BEGINNING

JULY 7 TO AUGUST 25, 2024

INCLUSIVE

Congratulations to those Fully Initiated ** and to all Confirmed

Alex Kainen Naníso Kevin Naishe Ben Dacía Kori Mary Kristalyn** Matthew Ellora Hadassah Leighton Rylend Jayden T.** Lucas Taylor Hailey Dawson Grant Jayden A. Jacob

Priests' Retreat and Daily Mass at IC June 10 -1 4 Inclusive

The priests in our diocese are on retreat from Monday, June 10 to Friday, June 14.

Fr. John and Fr. Matthew will be on this retreat, hence daily Mass at IC will be at 8:00AM for that week.

Please keep our priests in your prayers.

HOME/HOSPITAL VISITS

If you or someone you know are confined to home, are unable to come to Church and would like a pastoral visit, please call or email the parish office and let us know.

Also, when being admitted to the hospital let the registration clerk know that you wish to be visited as the Privacy Act limits the information that hospitals can release, and we have no other way of knowing you are in hospital.

Want to receive your bulletin via email?

Please help us to reduce printing costs for our bulletin by adding your name to the email distribution list.

Email the parish office to provide your email address.

IC FINANCE UPDATES

If you do not currently have envelopes and would like to use them, please email or call the parish office.

If you would like to donate by PAD you will find the application <u>here</u>. Or if you would like to donate by EFT, we are registered through <u>icparish@pgdiocese.bc.ca</u> for a direct deposit. <u>Click here for instructions on how to etransfer</u>.

Society of St Vincent de Paul – Clothing Donations Needed

St Vincent's Thrift Store (1645 3rd Avenue, Prince George, 250-562-5136, store manager, Colleen) is looking for clothing of all types, infants to adults. The thrift store is open Mondays to Saturdays, check out our Facebook Page, St Vincent De Paul Society PG.

All our proceeds go to feed and clothe the needy of our city.

Additionally, we need volunteers to work alongside our staff, Mondays to Saturdays, who have flexible schedules—especially suitable for retirees, or young people needing volunteer experience.

Holy Family Camp 2024 - Save the Date

If you wish to join us again (or for the first time), you can mark your calendars for this year's diocesan Holy Family Camp, which will take place at Camp Morice from Friday June 28th to Tuesday July 2, 2024. We will begin Friday in the late afternoon/early evening, and end at midday on Tuesday. Registration will open later this spring.

Questions can be directed to Fr. Ken at <u>kanderson@pgdiocese.ca</u>

or to Therese Steiner at ray.therese1999@gmail.com

SHEPHERD'S CORNER

Located on 2nd Ave. Prince George, Shepherd's Corner is a diocesan outreach that ministers to street people. We are supporting the work of this outreach by collecting hygiene items. Suggestions include (small sizes): toothbrushes, combs, toothpaste, dental floss, hand soap, shampoo, deodorant, nail clippers, lip balm, hand sanitizers, Kleenex pouches, hand lotion, feminine hygiene products, disposable razors......

THERE IS A BOX IN THE FOYER FOR YOUR DONATIONS.

From Decline to Revival: Charting a Path Forward – May 30, 2024 – Divine Renovation

Pastors, diocesan staff, and ministry leaders across Canada share a common desire to reverse the Church's statistically alarming decline.

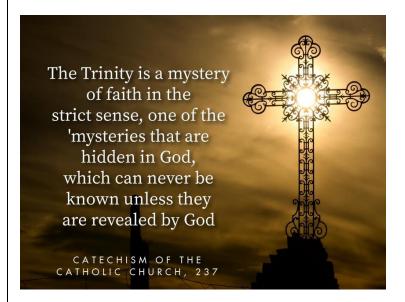
Externally, the Church grapples with closures, dwindling vocations, and the culture's waning acceptance of Christian values. Internally, this decline fosters a sense of hopelessness and concern among leaders in the Church today.

The call is for every parish to establish a new path forward, grounded in mission and evangelization, to help more people experience Jesus personally and enter the sacramental life of the Church.

To confront these challenges together, Divine Renovation invites you to this year's DR Online Connect: Canada event, From Decline to Revival: Charting a Path Forward on **Thursday, May 30** where you will:

- Connect with fellow mission-inspired Canadians for a 90 minute conversation
- Learn effective strategies to guide parishes in transitioning from maintenance to mission
- Be inspired by a parish who will share how they've been able to defy the trends

Register here: https://divinerenovation.tfaforms.net/f/DR-Online-Connect-Canada



Resources for Trinity Sunday

- How to understand the Trinity Bishop Barron
- Catholic Kids Media- Solemnity of the Most Holy Trinity (Cycle B)

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