The Catholic Community of Rutland at Corpus Christi Church

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MASS SCHEDULE

Tuesday 3:00 pm Wednesday & Thursday: 9:00 am Saturday 4:30 pm Sunday 9:00 am & 11:00 am

Reconciliation

Saturday: 12:00 pm - 1:00 pm

Filipino Mass

First Sunday of the Month 5:00 pm

Vietnamese Mass

To Be Announced

Vietnamese Rosary

First Sunday of the Month After the 11:00 am Mass

Care Home Masses

First Friday - Sunpointe 9:00 am Third Friday - Springvalley 10:15 am Fourth Friday - Chatsworth 11:00 am

CONTACT NUMBERS:

Religious Education -	250-765-6869
Society of St. Vincent de Paul - Rutland	250-765-0800
Ozanam House	250-762-4673
Freedom's Door	250-717-0472
Grief to Grace	250-878-7603
Pregnancy Care Centre	250-763-2112
Rachel's Vineyard	250-762-2273
Elizabeth Seton House of Prayer	250-764-4333
Kelowna Right to Life	250-870-4103
Canadian Food for Children	236-420-1970
Fr. Delestre Housing	250-860-1128
Columbia Housing	250-862-3206
Diocese of Nelson - Pastoral Centre	250-448-2725

Website: https://www.nelsondiocese.org

Canadian Conference of Catholic Bishops News & Events

Website: https://www.cccb.ca/

August 31st, 2025

22nd Sunday in Ordinary Time

First Reading
Sirach 3.17-20, 28-29
Second Reading
Hebrews 12.18-19, 22-24a
Gospel

Luke 14.1, 7-14



Fr. Pat is available for hospital visits in emergencies. Please call the Rectory: (778)753-0122 or Parish Office @ (250)765-6869.

The Catholic Chaplaincy phone, (250) 878-1502 is available specifically for emergency & end of life calls.

If you are hospitalized, please be sure to identity yourself as Catholic when being admitted. Family members and parishioners are also asked to notify the parish office of the shut-ins &

hospitalized in our Catholic community.



SOCIETY OF ST. VINCENT de PAUL Corpus Christi Conference

President: Luci Wilcox (250) 765-4556

Thank you for the continued generous donations to your SSVP Conference.

Thank you for your generosity and continued support for the ministry of Society of Saint Vincent de Paul. The people we serve in our Rutland community greatly appreciate your thoughtfulness. Your kind donations have put smiling faces on many children who love the breakfast cereals, snacks and treats that you have given! The positive impact on our neighbours is profound and heart-felt. We would like to inviting you to join us in our mission to serve our neighbours in need. Please consider giving the gift of your time. For more information call Luci at 250-765-4556.

Mary's Pantry is held the second Sunday of each month at Corpus Christi Parish.

Donations can be made any time to: vincentcorpusc@gmail.com

Please make your cheques payable to St. Vincent de Paul.



CWL CORPUS CHRISTI COUNCIL

President: Paulette Wolfe Membership: Marg Ward 250-491-9567

Executive Meeting - Sept 3, 2025 after 9 am Mass. Regular Meeting - Sept 10, 2025 at 10 am

Our CWL Sister Parish is the Cathedral of Mary Immaculate in Nelson, 813 Ward St., Nelson BC., V1L 1T4. Feel free to send them a note to say "hello".

We wish everyone a safe and enjoyable summer.



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Administrator: John Vielvoye

St. Theresa Cemetery offers a final resting place to the parishioners of Corpus Christi Parish.

We offer Cremation, Burial and Family plots. For more information, please visit our Parish website, or call the Parish office.

Mowing and general maintenance are currently underway at the Cemetery. We kindly ask that you refrain from leaving any breakable vases or items that may obstruct the work.

Our Stewardship

Sunday Collection\$ 3,883.40Loose Cash\$ 524.50Mite Box\$ 15.00Cemetery\$ 85.00

Pre-Authorized Giving (SAG) - once per month. direct debit form is located in the Church foyer and on our parish website.

E-transfer to:

etransfer.corpuschristikelowna@nelsondiocese.org

You can mail your donations to: Corpus Christi Parish

750 Rutland Road N. Kelowna, BC V1X 3B7

Please do not include cash in your envelope.

Pilgrimage of Faith News

Our 2025 Pilgrimage of Faith <u>Diocesan</u> Goal is \$26,650.00

Any funds exceeding this amount will be used for ongoing and future project within the Parish.

To date we have contributed \$22,377.66 84% of our Diocesan Goal. Thank you!

Daily Mass Intentions

Sat., Aug. 30th
Sun., Aug. 31st

Repose of the Soul of Joe Rush
9:00 am Intention of the
Parishioners of Corpus Christi &
Bishop Bittman & Fr. Pat Monette
11:00 am Repose of the Soul of

Mr. Nguyen (Loc's Dad)
Tue., Sept. 2nd Repose of the Soul of Michael Muise

Wed., Sept. 2rd Repose of the Soul of Bella Dakin Repose of the Soul of

Sat., Sept. 6th
Glen Jakubowski
Repose of the Soul of
Richard Boon

Please pray for those who have no one to pray for them, and for the sick &

injured at home & in hospital, especially

Bishop Gregory Bittman, Kathleen McKinney,
Audrey Regan, Brent Wood, Trevor Hoffman, Gloria
Chopik, Denise Greyell, Irene Hobson, Erin Wood,
Theresa McCaulley, Roxanne Wagner, Lisa
Marshall, Gene Zimmer, Lana Tolfree, Rita Ketch,
Joe Pires, Joan Sherry, Doug Webb, Patricia Hess,
Loretta Stutard, Alice Macrae, Denise Paley,
Michele Morris, Teresa Hagel, Verna & Lionel
Hoffman, Sibylle & Aloys Orsulic, Don & Jacquie
Schneider, Gerta Clifford, Barbara Hoffman,
Theresa Prah, Lisa Morrison, Veronica Sullivan,
Jordon, Joan White, Daniel & Stanislaw Stypinski,
Rosalinda & Wilfredo Elves, Anna Giarusso, June
Buchan, Carol Gauthier, Betty Klinger, Vince
Cummings, Domenic Cacchioni.

Notice of Hall Entrance Key Change

Please be advised that the locks on the hall entrances have been changed. The key for the down ramp gate remains the same, but new keys are now required for entry into the hall. If you require access, or need a new key, kindly contact the parish office. Thank you.

Corpus Christi Parish is seeking a Catechism Coordinator

The ideal candidate will possess strong organizational skills and a willingness to work collaboratively with both students and parents. The position requires a time commitment of approximately 3 to 6 hours per week, including Wednesday evenings from 5:00 pm to 7:15 pm, A detailed job description is available through the parish office. This role may be shared by two individuals.

Catechism Program - Grades 1-7 - Public Schools - Our Catechism program is open to students in Grades 1 through 7 who attend public schools. This program is designed to help children begin building a strong and lasting relationship with Jesus Christ and the Church. Please reserve Wednesday evenings from 5:40 pm to 7:00 pm for classes. Registration letter and forms are available in the Parish Foyer. Catechists are needed for Grade 3 & 5. Please contact Ann Matthews - 250-765-0355 Please pray for volunteers to come forward!



An Invitation to Children's Liturgy at Corpus Christi Parish - Children ages 3 to 8 are invited to join us downstairs for Children's Liturgy of the Word at the 11:00 am Mass.



Love gardening but don't have one of your own? Come help keep the Corpus Christi Parish Gardens beautiful! We're looking for helping hands to pull a few weeds - no rose care needed. A perfect way for

condo dwellers, or anyone missing their own gardens, to enjoy some time outdoors.

Gr. *8-12 Youth Group News! We are excited to gather again for our first meeting of the year on Sunday, Sept. 14 Here are the details... Where: ICC Parish Center (use EAST entrance); Drop Off: 6:30 pm (doors open 6:15 pm); Pick Up: 8:30 pm; What: Snacks, Games, Ice Breakers, Chat about Plans for the Year! Bring your 2025-26 Youth Group **Registration Form.** To download a registration form, please go to www.kelownacatholicyouthgroup.ca * Please note the new age range. For grade 7 families, we encourage you to check out Our Lady of Lourdes Youth Group monthly events.

RE: Canadian Government Trying to Remove Charitable Tax Status for Religious Organizations We encourage you to correspond with your local MLA, Stephen Fuhr, 306-898 Clement Ave. Kelowna, BC V1Y 0H8. Telephone 250-244-8200.



One Million Children Praying the Rosary October 7, 2025. Pray with the children of the World. Website: https://acn-canada.org/one- million-children/ guide on how to pray the rosary with children https://acn-canada.org/wpcontent/uploads/2025/08/ACN-20241106-174839 GuideHowToPray-2025.pdf



Diocese of Victoria Pastoral Care Training Fall 2025 "God calls us to touch the lives of our aging, lonely, ill, palliative and dying sisters and brothers with accompaniment,

kindness and compassion as the hands and face of Christ. In these sessions, you learn basic tools necessary to accompany those who are in need of the healing ministry of Christ." - Most Reverend Gary Gordon, Bishop of Victoria The valuable and free Pastoral Care Outreach Training series will be offered online this fall. Nine sessions will be held via Zoom on Saturday mornings from 9:30 – noon, starting on

September 27 and running until November 29, 2025 (with no session on October 11 for Thanksgiving). Missed session can be made-up, and a Certificate of Completion is provided to those who complete all nine sessions. Participants will require a phone number and email address, a computer, tablet or smart phone with speakers, microphone and webcam, a reliable Internet connection, and access to Zoom. Please register through your parish by September 16, 2025. For further information, please email moiraking@shaw.ca "I feel so graced to have been "called" to participate in these learning sessions. I feel wrapped in God's arms as He leads me to grow in compassion and awareness of the opportunities to serve as Jesus served." – A participant

DO YOU LOVE TO SING?! Raise your voice with... Kelowna Community Gospel Choir! We're about to start our Christmas season. Auditions (only to help place you in the right section - no pressure) are held throughout September. All voice types welcome! When: Mondays at 6:30PM, starting September 8/25 Where: Missions Springs Church of God, 3705 Mission Springs Dr. Contact: Dale 250-763-0453 Check out our previous Christmas season here: https://www.youtube.com watchv=cGgCrHmTqvw&list=RDcGgCrHmTqvw&start radio=1

Adoration Chapel 27 Year Celebration - Immaculate Conception Church - Please join us in celebrating the 27th anniversary of the Perpetual Adoration Chapel of the Nelson Diocese on September 8, the Nativity of Our Lady. This year to celebrate we ask everyone to thank God our Father, Jesus, the Holy Spirit and Our Lady by offering an hour of thanksgiving prayer and adoration. We thank all adorers alive and deceased who have faithfully adored Jesus 24/7 through all the years. We especially thank our humble devoted coordinator Lori Sharko for her faithfulness and love for Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament. We consecrate our chapel anew to Mary, our Blessed Mother, and honour her on the feast day of her Nativity.

Do you enjoy music? Are you in need of prayer? Or simply longing to spend time with the Lord? Join us for an uplifting evening of prayer, praise, and worship on Tuesday, August 26, from 6:00–7:30 PM at St. Pius X Parish. Come for a few minutes or stay the whole time—just come as you are. Let's give Jesus a bit of our summer and allow Him to refresh our hearts.

Questions? Call or text **Piera** at 250-215-710



Sacrament of Baptism at Corpus Christi Parish Please contact the Parish Office 6 weeks prior to your requested date to ensure time for preparation. At least one parent and Godparent must be a registered Parishioner of a Catholic church.



Sacrament of Marriage at Corpus Christi Parish - In preparation of this most special sacrament, we ask that you contact the Parish office at least six months prior to your Requested Wedding date.



Do you have a child enter-ST. IOSEPH ing Kindergarten this fall? St. Joseph Catholic School is a great choice for your

family! At St. Joseph's your child will receive a quality, faith-based education based on the virtues of kindness, honesty and service. For more information, please contact our office at sikoffice@cisnd.ca or 250-763-3371

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- Testimonial

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250-762-2273

info@rachelsvineyardkelowna.com www.rachelsvineyardkelowna.com

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Diocese of Nelson Perpetual Adoration Chapel - 839 Sutherland Ave. Located off the back of ICC. Entrance is off west alley/driveway. Our Lord Jesus is Inviting you to visit Him in the Perpetual Adoration Chapel. For more

Pilgrimage of Faith donations are accepted at etransfer.pof@nelsondiocese.org

information, please call Lorie: 250-448-5633

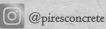
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