CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE NEWS

1. The Catholic Women's League will be selling Grand in Your Hand tickets after mass on the weekends. Tickets cost $20 each. The prize of $1000 will be drawn Sunday, December 21st after Mass

2. The Catholic Women's League would like to invite members and all ladies of the parish to our Christmas Luncheon at 12:00 noon on Tuesday, December 2 at Sam's Kitchen. We will order off the menu. We are collecting unwrapped gifts for Mizpah Transition House. Please RSVP to Yvonne @ 250-784-5333 or the church office @ 250-782-3456. Looking forward to seeing you there.

Please pray for our 1st Reconciliation/1st Holy Communion, Confirmation and OCIA candidates.

1st Holy Communion

Chizalum Akude, Khayleb Cabilangan, Jellien De Los Santos, Mackenzie Flores, Charlie Gilbertson,
Trevor Larosa, Maria Laygo, Nina Lua, Catriona Maming,
Francesca Mangayao, Amity Maniti, Benjamin Manson,
Alvin Ogueli, James Orano, Aaliyah Placido, Ari Sallenbach,
Sean Termulo, Jonathan Thomas, Yazmine Tuguigui, Glen Valonda

Lucas Alfonso, Marco Amano, Sophia Amano, Vince Amano, Ramon Arevalo, Kevin Banocnoc, Jett Bijl, Averie de Castro, Cholo De Leon, Jeien De Los Santos,
Ryla De Rama, Kale Depositar, John Dumlao,
Francis Escarez, Tenley Juell, Francine Justado, Dorothy Kurjata,
Arianah Maming, Emery Martin, Emelia Morgan, Charlotte Nguyen,
Joshua Solatorio, Justin Ty.

Confirmation

RCIA
Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults

William Lane

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HOPE

We light this candle to proclaim the coming of the light of God into our darkness. With the coming of this light there is hope. Because of Christ, we not only have hope but believe that good is stronger than evil.
God wants us to work for good in this world.

Tuesday, Dec 2 – Sunday, Dec 7

Tuesday	**11:00am Mass** *Mary Norton +* *Rudy Tom +*
Wednesday	**11:00am Mass** *Fran Papp*
Thursday	**11:00am Mass** *Judi Hammond*
Friday	**11:00am Mass** *Mark Stanistreet*
Saturday	**7:30pm Mass** *All those who do Ministries @ NDP* *Carol Dufour*
Sunday	**10:00am Mass** *For all Notre Dame Parishioners*

Prayer Requests

Please pray for all the sick and suffering especially:
Fran Papp, Cheryl Shuman, Carol Dufour, Clarrisa Aragon, Kevin Moeller, Mark Stanistreet, Braeden Norman, Renard Salamanca, Bunny Figura, Rowell Manalang, Judi Hammond, Irene Franke, Lynn Johnson

Contact the parish office if you would like to add your name or the name of your loved one to the list.

2025/26 Budget
Weekly Collection Needed to cover expenses
$**3,943.00**

Envelopes: $**2,801.** Loose: $**685.**
Total Collection: **$3,486.**

Diocesan Annual Appeal 2025-2026
The goal for Notre Dame Parish this year is: $25,921.
Monies donated to date: $18,645.
Thank you to those who have pledged already.

The Advent Wreath

The traditional Advent wreath with its rich symbolism recalls the long wait of our ancestors for the promised Savior and ritualizes our own hope for His second coming. The wreath itself, a circle without beginning and end, reminds us of eternity. The evergreen branches symbolize God's unchangeableness. And as a new candle is lit each Sunday we call our hearts to a new awareness, a fresh anticipation of His birth in Bethlehem.

Season of Advent
Friday, December 12 there will be an opportunity for Reconciliation from 5:00pm – 6:00pm, as well as the regular scheduled Reconciliation on Saturdays from 6:30pm – 7:00pm and First Fridays of the Month during Adoration.

Journey through Advent

The Canadian Conference of Catholic Bishops presents Journey through Advent with the Most Rev. Wayne Lobsinger, Auxiliary Bishop of Hamilton. PAGE 3 WEDNESDAY WEEKLY NOVEMBER 26, 2025 The reflection video for the first Sunday of Advent is now available on their website:
https://www.cccb.ca/evangelization-catechesis-catholic-education/video-resources/journey-through advent/

Notre Dame School Dress Rehearsal for the Concert is on Wednesday, December 17 at 9:00am.
Christmas Concert is on Thursday, December 18 at 6:30pm (Doors open at 6:00pm)

Knights of Columbus

The Knights of Columbus will be selling tickets for a 2025 Ford Maverick Truck after Mass in the Lobby. Funds raised from the Knights of Columbus Charity Appeal are donated back to the dioceses throughout BC
Draw date: December 13.

Electronic Giving

Notre Dame Parish is now offering E-Transfers for Parishioners to use for their weekly donations.
If this is an option that you are interested in, please follow these instructions:
1. Add Recipient – Notre Dame Parish, DC
2. Email Address – nddcaccounting@shaw.ca
3. Message – example: donation, or special collection, Corporal works, etc.
4. Parishioners are reminded that they DO NOT NEED a security question because the donation is automatically deposited into the designated parish account.

PAD (Pre Authorized Debit) is also an option. Form can be picked up at the church

'Therefore, you too must stand ready because the Son of Man is coming at an hour you do not expect.'
-Matthew 24:37-44