



St. Joseph's Parish

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Pastor: Rev. Benjamin Gamos OSA

SUNDAY BULLETIN for September 15 & 16, 2018

Twenty-Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Isaiah 50.5-9; Ps 116; James 2.14-18; Mark 8.27-35

"The Son of Man must undergo great suffering."



Weekly Mass Schedule 24th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Saturday	15th	5:00pm	Mass	† Jessie Eileen Towns
Sunday	16th	11:30am	Mass	
Mon.	17th	—	No Mass	
Tues.	18th	6:15pm	Mass	
Wed.	19th	9:00am	Mass	
Thu.	20th	11:00am	Mass at Bulkley Lodge	
Fri.	21st	9:00am	Mass	† Ivo Vanderhorst
Saturday	22nd	5:00pm	Mass	intention for Lyndon & Jessica Stumborg
Sunday	23rd	9:00am	Mass	

Reconciliation: Saturday 3:30—4:30pm

Adoration: First Friday of Month 6:30-7:30pm

PARISH MINISTRIES

Secretary: Mary Spicer

Parish Pastoral Council

Chairperson: _____

Social Coordinator: Johanna Habjan

Liturgy: Gemma Gillis

Youth Ministry: Pederson Family

Development & Peace: Marj Coupe

Catholic Women's League: Eileen Bouvier

Knights of Columbus: James Schwab

School Council Chair: Rob Blackburn

Parish Finance Committee

Finance Chairperson: Wayne Callison

Bookkeeper: Brenda Pyper

Maintenance: _____

Collections: Rita Coupe

Children's Liturgy: Mindy Stroet

Altar Servers: Nancy Verbeek

Music: Mary Spicer, Barbara Schwab

PARISH MISSION STATEMENT

"We are the Catholic Community of St. Joseph's Parish, gathered as disciples of Jesus Christ to worship God, to serve others and to grow as loving members of God's family."

COLLECTION REPORTS

Sept 9, 2018

Church \$1316.75 Roof \$240.00

Thank you for your generous support!



Please remember the following in your prayers:

Ethan, Art, Fosica, Margaret, Mary, Olivia, Sophie, Nolan, Quinn, Scott, Leland, Maurice, Owen, Nelson, Ryan and James

If you know of someone sick or shut-in who would like the church to visit or bring communion, call 847-2012

Ministry Schedule

Sept 22 & 23, 2018

DATE	Saturday, Sept 22	Sunday, Sept 23
GREETERS	Dave & Marj Hemenway	Casey & Alice DenBoer Mary Vandermaal
LECTORS	Eileen Bouvier	David Schwab Brian Burrill
Extraordinary Ministers of Communion	Charlotte West Janna Delany	Al Bruintjes Tina Bruintjes Mary Stroet
ALTAR SERVERS	Volunteers	Volunteers

UPCOMING EVENTS

Fri Sept 28: Sexual Revolution—50 Years Since Humanae Vitae

DIOCESAN EVENTS

SEXUAL REVOLUTION MOVIE coming to St Joseph's Church

On Friday Sept. 28 @ 7pm A Documentary will be presented (right here at St Joseph's, Smithers) on the fallout of the free-love experiment against the backdrop of Pope Paul VI's encyclical about Love, Sex and Marriage.

ANNUAL DIOCESAN APPEAL 2018

TODAY is the Educational Weekend for *Called Together – Giving, Sharing, Serving*. As in the past, your pledge truly benefits the programs and ministries throughout our Diocese.

St Joseph's Parish Goal is: \$27,386

PARISH EVENTS

UNITED CHURCH HARVEST LUNCHEON

Please join us on Monday Sept. 24 @ 12:00

All ladies of the parish are invited to Smithers United Church basement. Let us be thankful together.

ST JOSEPH'S SCHOOL – TEACHER POSITIONS AVAILABLE

St Joseph's is seeking enthusiastic, caring teachers for the 2018-19 school year. 0.2 Kindergarten position; and Part time Learning Assistance position. Please contact Rosemary McKenzie at school for more information or apply online at cispg.ca/cispg/careers.

BIBLE SHARING GROUP

We begin our new year of Bible Sharing on Tuesday Sept. 25th at 10:15 am in the Parish Centre. We gather to socialize for a few moments before we start our Bible Sharing at 10:30 am for an hour. This is drop-in so if you are only able to make it once in a while that's fine or if you would like to come and see what we are all about please come. We follow "Celebrating the Word", a study of the readings from the Resurrection Ministries of the Congregation of the Resurrection in Waterloo, Ontario. Please join us if you can.

BUILDING OUR FAITH

We are taking a break for the summer and will resume in the fall. Topics to be determined.

PROLIFE EVENTS:

Seeking Office Manager/ Lay Counsellor for the Smithers Crisis Pregnancy Care Centre. The Pro-Life board is hiring a part-time Care Centre manager with a heart and passion for helping women who are unsure about a pregnancy. The position is 3 hours every Monday, Wednesday, and Friday. Computer proficiency required; Lay counsel training will be made available. If you are interested but can only commit for one day per week we are certainly flexible. For more information or to apply for all or part of the position please contact the Board by sending an email to: bband55@telus.net



ST. JOSEPH'S SCHOOL
School Principal: Rosemary McKenzie
Our school website: www.stjosephs.ca
Phone: (250) 847-9414

Catholic Schools: "What Do You Want of Me, Lord?"

PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE-an academic tip

Rote memorization of basic Math facts needs to be done. And this is one part of education that needs reinforcement at home. My dad grilled his seven children on their facts. I paid my three sons for written pages of times tables. Memorization is not fun. And it takes time. Both aspects are good to acknowledge with your children because ... well, the discussion could be considered a life lesson. Children's learning styles are different: some may need to say the Math facts, many would benefit from writing them out, and some would learn them better by listening to them. Some children learn facts quickly and some learn them very slowly. That too is a life lesson. Please support your children with learning their Math facts at home.

GRADE 7 ART PROJECT

We are looking for bathtub/dog tag chains of a foot long or longer. If you happen to have any and would like to donate them, please drop off in the office. Thanks

STAFFING FOR 2018-2019

Pastor – Fr. Benjamin Gamos, OSA
Principal – Mrs. Rosemary McKenzie
Secretary – Mrs. Arlene McGibbon
Kindergarten – Mrs. Cara Polanin
Grade 1 – Ms. Shannon Wellington
Grade 2 – Mrs. Jennifer Mitchell
Grade 3 – Mrs. Erin Briennesse
Grade 4 – Mrs. Karen Kuemper
Grade 5 – Mrs. Liz Creyke/Mrs. Cathy Doyle
Grade 6 – Mrs. Lexie Wilson
Grade 7 – Mrs. Nicole Twigge
French K-4– Mr. Thomas Watkins
French 5-7- Ms. Christine Tessier
Music K-7 – Mr. Colin Maskell
Learning Assistance – Ms. Barb Trowbridge
Library & Book Keeper – Ms. Christine Tessier
Educational Assistants: Mrs. Joanne Boot, Mrs. Nancy Verbeek, Mrs. Shanualea Vliegthart,
Mrs. Kellie Williams, Mrs. Cathy Doyle,
Mrs. Margaret Buenten
Lunch Hour Supervisors: Mrs. Claudia Busatto and
Ms. Christine Tanner
Pre – K: Mrs. Aleida Raffan

EARLY MORNING SUPERVISOR

We are looking for a volunteer early morning playground supervisor for Monday. The time is from **8:10am-8:25am** and it is great way to meet the students and parents from our school. Please contact the school office.



**Knights of Columbus
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**Catholic Women's League
Smithers**

Please join us.....

United Church Harvest Luncheon

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Check out the new provincial website:
www.bcyukoncw.com and www.CWL.ca



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SUNDAY MASS TIME 11:30 am



PARISH LEADERSHIP TEAM

Pastoral Assistant/Caretaker: _____

Joint Parish Pastoral Council &
Finance Committee Members

Eric Bishop · Georgina Dotto
CWL Representative

Ministry Schedule SUNDAY September 16, 2018 24th Sunday in Ordinary Time

GREETERS	Volunteer needed
LECTORS	Volunteer needed
EMC	Volunteer needed
ALTAR SERVERS	Volunteer needed
GIFT BEARERS	Volunteer needed
COLLECTION COUNTER	Volunteer needed
CHURCH CLEANING	Volunteer needed



We pray for the Sick:

Vic, Jessalyn, Joan, Tony, Ken, Devynn, Bob,
Helen & Harry, Sara, Reginald, Juanito, Kelda,
Shaylyn, Rufina, and Apolinario

Our New Fundraiser

Grand In Hand

This is a 50/50 draw with a \$1000 prize. Tickets \$10 ea.

Tickets are on sale from the 1st of month with the draw on the last day of the month. There will be 6 draws for the fiscal year, in the following months:

December
February
March
June
September
October

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Church \$305.00

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St Anthony's CWL

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Food Bank

Please remember to contribute non-perishable items in the basket at the church.

Soup and Bun Lunch

Please join us after Mass on the 4th Sunday of each month.
(unless otherwise posted on schedule)