

IMMACULATE CONCEPTION PARISH

Diocese of Prince George

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September 28, 2025
26th Sunday in Ordinary Time



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

BISHOP -DIOCESE OF PRINCE GEORGE

Most Rev. Stephen Jensen

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Rev. John Garden

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BOOKKEEPER

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Mrs. Zealline Sadiwa

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Mrs. Kathleen Barth

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PASTORAL MINISTRIES CONTACTS

FINANCE COUNCIL CHAIR: Jennifer Wilczek

HOME/HOSPITAL VISITS: Contact Parish Office

PARISH COUNCIL CHAIR: Teresa Saunders

CHILDREN'S MINISTRY: Eunice Joyce

HOSPITALITY/COFFEE

CHURCH

SUNDAY COORDINATOR: Kerri Svendsen

ENVIRONMENT: Martha & Team

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS Eugenio Calisto

SOCIAL ACTION &

GRAND KNIGHT: (250)-640-4533

SOUP KITCHEN: Sr. Michaela

K of C Meetings 2nd Thursday of the month

VOCATIONS: Fr. Ken Anderson

Praise the Lord, O my soul! . . .



DAY	DATE	TIME	INTENTION
Sun	2025-09-28	9AM	Intentions of Breanna and Gareth Dyer
		11AM	For the People of IC
		7PM	RIP of Aleksandar Veselinovic
Mon	2025-09-29	9AM	RIP of Kevin Flynn
Tue	2025-09-30	9AM	RIP of Aime Braet
Wed	2025-10-01	9AM	RIP of Jake Roderick
Thu	2025-10-02	9AM	RIP of James Lynch
Fri	2025-10-03	9AM	RIP of Arnold Fenrick

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, please call the parish office by Wednesday of each week so that the intention can be published in the bulletin.

RCIA – RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS

Are you, or anyone you know interested in the Catholic Faith? The RCIA is a journey of faith for unbaptised Adults, Baptised Adults from another Christian Faiths, and Baptised Adults from the Roman Catholic Faith who have not received First Holy Communion and/or Confirmation. If you are interested in RCIA please contact Martha 250-964-4898 or email the parish office at icparish@pgdiocese.bc.ca. Please reconnect if you connected the office previously.

Our RCIA program is collaborative with St. Mary's Parish.

CATECHESIS FOR CHILDREN

Children who are not registered in a Catholic School and wish to receive the sacraments of First Communion, Reconciliation and Confirmation, are asked to email the parish office at icparish@pgdiocese.bc.ca or call 250-964-4898. Programs will be offered in the spring, but we need to know now to arrange resources.

ADVERTISE YOUR BUSINESS IN OUR BULLETIN

Would you like to advertise in our bulletin? If so, please contact the parish office via email for more information on how to advertise your business.

WANT TO RECEIVE YOUR BULLETIN VIA EMAIL?

Please send an email to the parish office with your request.



- **Children's Liturgy of the Word** –today Sep. 28, 2025 and every 2nd and 4th Sunday of the month until June.
- **2025 Jubilee Presentations at St. Mary's.** Next session is **Oct 3, at 6:00 PM.** Fr. Ken Anderson
<https://www.youtube.com/@saintmarysprincegeorge5396>
- **Priests' Study Days** October 7 to 10, Please note on **Wednesday, Oct. 8th ONLY--** Daily Mass will be at 8:00AM
- **RCIA commencement** – Thursday, Oct. 9 at 7PM Meeting Room
- **K of C Monthly Meeting** – Thur., Oct 9, 2025 @ 7PM. Parish Hall
- **Ministry Workshop for NEW Liturgical Ministers** Tues., Oct. 14, 2025 @ 7:00PM
- **Next Monthly Adoration at Domano Chapel** Wed., Oct. 15, 2025 8AM to 8:00PM. Due to the priests' gathering
- **K of C Pancake Breakfast** – Sun., Oct 19 after the 9AM and 11AM Mass
- **Stewardship Sunday** – Oct 19, 2025
- **Review of Liturgical Ministries for current ministers—** Tues., Oct. 21, 2025 @7:00PM

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**Immaculate Conception
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PARISHIONER INFORMATION UPDATE

1. Are you new to our parish? If so, **welcome!** Please take a registration form from the foyer OR check out our webpage at www.icparish.ca for a fillable form. Please submit via email icparish@pgdiocese.bc.ca or drop off at the parish office.
2. Has your contact information changed? Please contact the parish office at 250 964 4898 or send an email with your changes.
3. Would you like to make your donation by envelope, please email or call the parish office.

A reminder to make all cheques payable to RCEC Immaculate Conception Parish or RCEC-IC

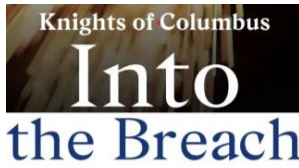
DIOCESAN WEDNESDAY WEEKLY

SEPTEMBER 24, 2025

INTO THE BREACH

A call to battle for Catholic men, urging men to embrace masculine virtues in our world. *Into the Breach* helps men to learn how to be stronger fathers, better husbands and men fit for the breach.

Sessions take place in the Sacred Heart Cathedral Lower Hall, on Thursday Oct 2, 16, 30 and Nov. 13 and 27.



PRE-AUTHORIZED DEBIT

Pre-authorized debit helps to simplify your contributions on a bi-weekly or monthly basis. If you are interested, please go to our website at <https://www.icparish.ca/> or pick up a pre-authorized form from the church foyer and hand it in to the parish office with a **void cheque** icparish@pgdiocese.bc.ca

DIOCESAN ANNUAL APPEAL



Called Together – Giving, Sharing, Serving is more than just another collection. Christian stewards recognize God as the source of all of our many gifts. We are grateful for these abundant gifts and are eager to give back in appreciation to demonstrate our love for Christ and for one another and to assist those who need our support. Many people in our smaller parishes, missions and ministries rely on your contributions to our Appeal to support the work they are doing. All of us share as Christ's disciples in the mission of the Church.

Many thanks to all who have completed a pledge form and have moved us closer to our goal as a parish family.

Our Diocesan Goal: \$ 30,397

Parish Goal: \$ 5,600

Combined: \$35,997

Envelopes are available in the foyer for pick-up.

INVITATION TO RACHEL'S VINEYARD HEALING RETREAT

Find calm for your mind and peace for your soul.

If you have been impacted by an abortion experience, please come to our Weekend Retreat from November 14-16 in Prince George.

CONFIDENTIALITY ASSURED

Now accepting applications.

Contact Adele

Email: rachelsvineyardpg@proton.me

Call/Text 778-675-0152

We warmly invite you to join us

Celebrating

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St. Mary's PARISH

Tuesday, October 7th

We will begin our celebration with **Holy Mass at 5pm**, with our main celebrant, **Bishop Stephen Jensen**, followed by a **parish potluck** in the school gym, where we will provide the main dish with the help of **St. Mary's Knights of Columbus and CWL!**

For those with the last name starting with **A-L**, please bring a salad or an appetizer. For those with the last name starting with **M-Z** please bring a dessert.

1088 Gillett St. PG, BC V2M 2V3. Parish Phone: 250-564-4097.

PRO-LIFE

Life Chain – October 5, 2025

This year's Life Chain in Prince George will take place on October 5, 2025 from 2:00 PM to 3:30 PM, on the paved walkway by HWY 16 and Ferry Avenue.

To everything there is a

Season

and time to every

purpose under heaven.


Ecclesiastes 3:1


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