# IMMACULATE CONCEPTION PARISH

# Diocese of Prince George

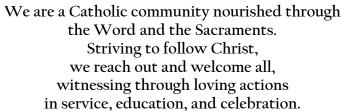
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November 16, 2025

33rd Sunday of Ordinary Time—World Day of the Poor

# **OUR PARISH MISSION STATEMENT**



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

MASS TIMES: Monday - Friday 9:00AM Daily

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

Contact Parish Office **SACRAMENTS:** Baptism

> Reconciliation Before Mass, or by appointment

> > Contact Parish Office at least Marriage

> > > six months in advance

BISHOP - DIOCESE OF PRINCE GEORGE

PASTOR ~ IMMACULATE CONCEPTION PARISH

ADMINISTRATIVE AND PASTORAL ASSISTANT Mrs. Martha Primus

**BOOKKEEPER** 

PRINCIPAL~IMMACULATE CONCEPTION SCHOOL

Most Rev. Stephen Jensen Email: sjensen@pgdiocese.bc.ca

> Rev. John Garden Email: jgarden@pgdiocese.bc.ca

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Mrs. Kathleen Barth Email: icsoffice@cispg.ca

### PASTORAL MINISTRIES CONTACTS

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

Teresa Saunders PARISH COUNCIL CHAIR: CHILDREN'S MINISTRY: Eunice Joyce

HOSPITALITY/COFFEE **CHURCH** 

Kerri Svendsen ENVIRONMENT: Martha & Team SUNDAY COORDINATOR:

SOCIAL ACTION & KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS Eugenio Calisto

GRAND KNIGHT: (250)-640-4533 SOUP KITCHEN: Sr. Michaela

K of C Meetings 2<sup>nd</sup> Thursday of the month VOCATIONS: Fr. Ken Anderson

The Lord is coming to judge the people with equity.

Psalm 98



DAY	DATE	TIME	INTENTION
Sun	2025-11-16	9AM	RIP of Donna Julien
		11AM	RIP of Muriel Worley
		7PM	For the People
Mon	2025-11-17	9AM	RIP of Juanita Harper
Tue	2025-11-18	9AM	
Wed	2025-11-19	9AM	
Thu	2025-11-20	9AM	
Fri	2025-11-21	9AM	

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.

# JOB POSTING—IC ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT

The Parish is looking for an Administrative Assistant who will be responsible for general administrative duties, including an understanding of financial operations. The successful candidate will work as part of a pastoral team.

The candidate must possess excellent interpersonal and communication skills and have proficient skills with computer programs relevant to the position. Familiarity with Church structures, website administration and social media will be a definite asset.

The position will start December 8, 2025 and run as a temporary contract until the end of June 2026, with the possibility of renewal. More information can be obtained by calling 250 964 4848 or emailing <a href="mailto:icparish@pgdiocese.bc.ca">icparish@pgdiocese.bc.ca</a>.

Please email your cover letter and resume to Rev. John Garden at <a href="mailto:igarden@pgdiocese.bc.ca">igarden@pgdiocese.bc.ca</a>

IC= Immaculate Conception Incredible Community



- K of C Pancake Breakfast today, Sun., Nov 16, 2025 after the 9:00AM and 11:00AM Mass
- RCIA- Thu, Nov. 20 at 7:00PM in the Meeting Room
- K of C will be hosting an International Rosary Thursday, Nov. 20, 2025 at 7:00PM at Immaculate Conception
- Children's Liturgy of the Word –Sun, Nov. 23, 2025 and every 2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Sunday of the month.
- Monthly Adoration at Domano Chapel Wed., Dec. 10, 2025 8:00AM to 8:00PM.
- K of C Monthly Meeting Thu., Dec 11, 2025 @ 7:00PM. Parish Hall
- 2025 Jubilee Presentations at St. Mary's. Next session is Dec 5, at 6:00 PM. Fr. Matthew Bellerive https://www.youtube.com/@saintmarysprincegeorge5396
- Immaculate Conception Feast Day December 8, 2025. Mass at 9:00AM Potluck Dinner 5:30PM details to follow.

# 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 <a href="mailto:icparish@pgdiocese.bc.ca">icparish@pgdiocese.bc.ca</a> or call

250-964-4898. Programs will be offered in the spring, but we need to know now to arrange resources.

# IC FOOD DRIVE FOR ST. VINCENT DE PAUL

Thank you to everyone who made donations to our food



drive. SVDP picked up the donations on Thursday and stated "THANK YOU, this is the biggest food drive we have ever picked up from on parish!

### **PLEASE NOTE**

SVDP is in desperate need of a group of volunteers to take over the sandwich line, one Tuesday evening a month. We need at least 4 individuals to make and serve sandwiches at the St. Vincent de Paul Drop In Center. If you are able to help in this way, please contact Deirdre Creegan at 250-613-1525.

# FREE HOSPITAL BED

Do you know of anyone, who is looking for a hospital bed? You are in luck, there is electric hospital bed with mattress available for free. If you are interested, please call or email the parish office for more information.

# **DIOCESAN ANNUAL APPEAL**

Thank you for your contribution to the Appeal. Donations can still be made with the use of Interac e-Transfer appeal@pgdiocese.bc.ca or CanadaHelps at

https://www.canadahelps.org/en/dn/12061 If you'd like to make other arrangements, please email appeal@pgdiocese.bc.ca for assistance.

# IC Parish envelope packages are still available in the foyer.

Please pray for the many needs we have throughout the diocese.

Our Diocesan Goal: \$30,397
Parish Goal: \$5,600
Combined: \$35,997

TOTAL PLEDGED TO DATE: \$17,570.00 or 58%

### **PSG Sisters Soup Fundraiser for IC School**

PSG is thrilled to kick-off a fundraiser with **Sisters Soup** Factory from November 3 to November 15! A variety of delicious, dried soup bags are available for purchase for \$13 each. The school will receive \$3.00 for every bag sold.

Not only are these soups perfect for chilly days, but they also support the IC students and this local business.

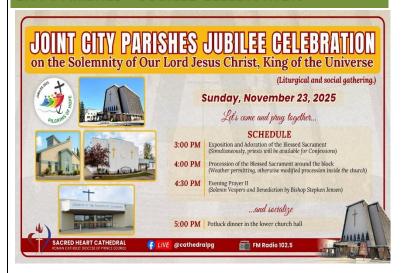
Order yours soon and enjoy a warm bowl of goodness while contributing to our school!

There are hard copies of the order form in the church foyer.

All order forms are due by Saturday, November 15 Thank you for your support!

<u>Diocesan Wednesday Weekly</u> for November 12, 2025

# CITY PARISHES -- JUBILEE CELEBRATION



Parishioners are invited to come and celebrate. Please see poster for the schedule. For the potluck, please bring a main dish to share and according to the first letter of your last name, please bring: vegetable or salad (A-I); dessert (J-R); beverages (S-Z).

# HOW TO LEAVE YOUR FINANCIAL LEGACY



Michele Santos, returns to provide a follow-up session to the "End of Life" seminar that took place November 2024. This 45-minute session to be held on Saturday, November 29, at

**10:30AM in our Parish Hall.** This promises to be engaging and informative, ensuring participants leave with valuable insights that will address how to **leave a financial legacy**. The presentation will be followed by an open Q&A to allow for discussion and questions. Michele is an investment expert and advisor to the Diocese of Prince George.

To register go to

https://forms.cloud.microsoft/r/3vNkR4hVRL



Or Scan QR code

# COUPLES FOR CHRIST

Christian Life Program intended to bring couples into a renewed understanding of God's call to them. To be held Sundays November 16, 23, & 30, 2025 from 1:00PM to 3:00PM at the Diocesan Conference Hall. For more information call 250-981-2066 or email chonanorman.cfc@gmail.com

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