

# *Tenth Sunday in Ordinary Time*

## *Bulletin for 9<sup>th</sup> June 2024*



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**Fr. Emmanuel Onumadu from Quesnel parish will be celebrating Mass this weekend**

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• [Genesis 3:8-15](#) • [Psalm 130](#) • [2 Corinthians 4:13-5:1](#) • [Mark 3:20-35](#) •

St. Paul must have been a marvel! Not only was he a passionate apostle and evangelist, but he was also a skilled theologian and writer. He founded some of the most important churches in the ancient world. More than one-quarter of the New Testament was either written by him, written about him, or attributed to him. What's more, Paul accomplished all of this while enduring ongoing persecution and suffering!

What kept Paul going? Today's second reading gives us the answer: his heart was filled with a heavenly vision. Paul could consider beatings and shipwrecks as "light affliction" because he had received glimpses of the "eternal weight of glory" that awaited him *2 Corinthians 4:17*. He could make light of how his "outer self" was "wasting away" because the Lord kept renewing his "inner self" *4:16*. And he was able to keep his focus off the hardships staring him in the face because he kept seeking insight into "what is unseen," the eternal truths of a loving, faithful God *4:18*.

All of this may sound hopelessly out of reach, but the truth is, the kind of heavenly vision St. Paul describes is open to everyone. That's because it doesn't depend on our talents but on the Spirit's grace. All he asks of us is faithfulness to prayer, an open and humble heart, and a promise to be patient as he slowly opens our eyes.

God wants to give you a heavenly vision! Even in the midst of any "light afflictions" you may be experiencing, he can give you his consolation and strength. Even when you can't seem to see the way ahead, he will bring the path to heaven into sharper focus. So keep fixing your heart on "what is unseen." Keep asking the Spirit to help you look at "what is seen" with new eyes *2 Corinthians 4:18*.

This is one prayer he loves to answer!

*the Word among us, June 2024*

## *World Day of Prayer for Priests, 7<sup>th</sup> June*

Catholics worldwide are urged to pray for Priests on the 7<sup>th</sup> June – the World Day of Prayer for Priests. The day was begun by Saint John Paul II in 2002 with the objective of having all Catholic faithful join in prayer for the sanctification of Priests. The World Day of Prayer for Priests coincides with the Feast of the Sacred Heart of Jesus.



*"He who, in repenting of his sins, thinks only of God, has the truest contrition." St. John Vianney*

## *The Holy Father's Intentions for the Month of June 2024*

### **For migrants fleeing their homes:**

We pray that migrants fleeing from war or hunger, forced to undertake journeys full of danger and violence, find welcome and new opportunities in the countries that receive them.



# Mass Times

## Sunday Mass

Our Lady of the Mountains	Saturday	5:00 pm	Rosary at 4:30 pm
Our Lady of the Mountains	Sunday	9:00 am	Rosary at 8:30 am
St. Christopher's Mt. Currie	Sunday	11:30 am	
St. Francis of Assisi, Pemberton	Sunday	1:00 pm	

## Daily Mass

No Daily Mass this week – 10<sup>th</sup>-14<sup>th</sup> June

## Our Lady of the Mountains

**Rosary before Mass** on Saturdays and Sundays: for those who have left the Church  
**Bible Study** Tuesdays 5:00-6:00 pm – all welcome

## Changes coming to Mass times in July

Our Lady of the Mountains	Wednesday at 9:00 am
St. Francis of Assisi, Pemberton	Wednesday at 7:00 pm
St. Christopher's Mt. Currie	Friday at 11:00 am

## MASS LECTORS



### Our Lady of the Mountains

**Sat 15<sup>th</sup> June** Sam

**Sun. 16<sup>th</sup> June** Nathan

### St. Francis of Assisi

**Sun 16<sup>th</sup> June** Cheryl

Volunteer

**Sacrament of Reconciliation – Contact Fr. Andrew L'Heureux Cell: 778-257-4203**

## Needs of the Church in Canada – second collection this weekend

Every year, the Bishops of Canada appeal for financial assistance to assist in their ministry of accompanying, teaching, guiding, sanctifying and caring for the Church in Canada. Each diocese makes its annual contribution to the national Episcopal Conference and to the respective regional episcopal assembly. Any additional funds from the collection are at the disposal of the diocese for its own pastoral needs.

## Ciborium for Queen of Peace Monastery Special Collection

On 24<sup>th</sup> June 2021, one of our Pemberton parishioners, Mariel del Castillo was called to enter the Queen of Peace Monastery as a postulant. In 2022, she moved to become a novitiate and received the Dominican habit and her new religious name, Sr. Mary Joseph of the most sacred heart of Jesus. To celebrate this milestone, our parishes presented Sr. Mary Joseph and the Queen of Peace Monastery with a new Chalice for their Chapel.

In June this year, Sr. Mary Joseph will make her temporary profession of vows, valid for the next three years. In thanksgiving of this gift from God, Fr. Andrew would like to present to the sisters a ciborium that matches the previously gifted chalice.

Special envelopes for this collection may be found in the church entrance, donate any time: in collection baskets, in the parish office or by e-transfer.



## Vacation Bible School 6<sup>th</sup>-9<sup>th</sup> August, St. Francis of Assisi

Vacation Bible School will run at St. Francis of Assisi this year from 6<sup>th</sup>-9<sup>th</sup> August, 9:00am to 12:00pm. A Radical Ride on the Wings of Prayer is a Cat Chat program designed for young Catholics from 4 – 11 years old. This program consists of five stations: faith, music, arts & crafts, fun & games, food.

Registration forms on the notice board at Our Lady of the Mountains, or register with Bernie Ellingson at St. Francis of Assisi. The fee is \$20, or by donation.



For the wonderful thing about saints is that they were human. They lost their tempers, got hungry, scolded God, were egotistical or testy or impatient in their turns, made mistakes and regretted them.

Still, they went on doggedly blundering toward heaven.

Phyllis McGinley

### Office Hours

Monday to Thursday 9:30am-3:00pm  
In important or urgent matters, call:  
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### Donations / New Church Pledge Form

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