

St. Mary's and Christ the Servant



St. Eugene Church –
St. Mary's Reserve
Est. 1897



St. Mary's Church –
Cranbrook
Est. 1898



St. Peter's Church –
Moyie
Est. 1904



Christ the Servant
Church – Cranbrook
Est. 1975

16th Sunday of the Year (July 19, 2026) “Let anyone with ears listen.”

Father Rex Mediente Velmonte

ST. MARY'S CHURCH 45 – 10th Avenue South, Cranbrook, BC
CHRIST THE SERVANT PARISH 1100 -14th Avenue South, Cranbrook, BC V1C 2Y3
Parish Office: 1100 – 14th Avenue South **Phone:** 250-426-4266

Email: cranbrook@nelsondiocese.org

Facebook Page: St. Mary's Christ the Servant Cranbrook Catholic Church

Website: <https://stmcts.wixsite.com/stmcts>

Secretary: Emily Grieve

Office Hours: 9 am – 3 pm (Tuesday - Friday)

ST. MARY'S SCHOOL:

Principal: Vanessa Fer

Phone: 250-426-5017

Website: smc.cisnd.ca

ST. EUGENE MISSION:

Dorothy: dorothyalpine@gmail.com

PARISH COMMITTEES/ORGANIZATIONS:

Finance Committee: John Zimmer 250-489-8680

Pastoral Council: Scott Blissett 250-919-9400

Knights of Columbus: Eldon Harder 250-919-7554

Catholic Women's League (CWL):

St. Mary's: Sherri Hudak 250-421-8261

Christ the Servant: Helen Hammond 250-919-0163

Maintenance: Edmund Frenette 250-426-1840

Outreach Ministry: Gisele 250-426-1840/Pat 250-489-8110

Prayer Group: Lynne Williams 250-489-1702

Ministry to the Sick: Doug 250-489-3623/Philip 604-787-5320

Adoration Chapel: Doug Mitchell 250-489-3623

EK Catholic Connection (18-39): Ian Kent 778-829-7661

CND Associates: Gerri Fletcher 778-517-1319

SACRAMENTS

Sacrament of Confession/Reconciliation:

CTS - Saturday (4:15 – 4:45 pm)

STM - Tuesday (9:30 – 10 am)

Sacrament of Baptism/Marriage:

Please contact the Parish Office.

Sacrament of the Sick:

If you or a family member is sick, hospitalized or facing death and wish to have a priest visit, please call the parish office.

Religious Education:

Kerry Stanley @ 250-919-8094 or email
catechism.cranbrook@nelsondiocese.org

Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults (RCIA)

Gerri Fletcher @ 778-517-1319 or email
fletchergm48@gmail.com

For emergencies:

Call 250-426-4266 or email
cranbrook@nelsondiocese.org

WELCOME TO OUR PARISH

Our great hope is that each
Mass will increase in our hearts
LOVE for Jesus, His Gospel
and for one another.

17th Sunday of the Year (July 25 & 26)

SACRISTANS:

5pm – Rob Lecavalier

9am – Scott Blissett

11am – Gisele Frenette & Elyse Richmond

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS:

5pm – Sharlyn Sorge

9am – Gloria Urban & Adam Paish

11am – Gisele Frenette & Elyse Richmond

LECTORS/READERS:

5pm – Maria Ngoma & Diane Baher

9am – Linda Benette & Teresa Knight

11am – Anna Maria Scavo & Doreen Brons

ALTAR SERVERS:

5pm – Philip Meeks

9am – Sera, Ron & Daniel Sony, Keto Okeke,
Peyton & Melanie Burville

11am – Joshua & Praise Chama, Liam Martin,
Matthais Burton

USHERS:

5pm – Ron Thom & Michael Murphy

9am – Roman Vopat & Ian Kent

11am – Wayne Price & Preston Czernicki

GREETERS:

5pm – Michael Murphy & Benedict Makali

9am – Gerry & Jeannie Kambeitz

11am – Terry & Hilary Segarty

ATTENTION

If you want to be on our email list for our
Sunday Bulletin and other important info
and activities in our parish family, please
email or call the parish office. Thanks!

July 12th, 2026

	ACTUAL	BUDGET	VARIANCE
SUNDAY COLLECTION	\$3,240	\$4,269	-\$1,029
YEAR-TO- DATE	\$129,207	\$119,532	\$9,675

God loves a cheerful giver and
a generous heart.... thank you!

Fr. Rex wants to get to know his
parishioners personally. If you
want him to come for a visit
and/or bless your house, please call
him at 250-485-8036. He's looking
forward to hearing from you. May
God bless you always!

The Catholic Mountain Star Summer
Edition is now available on our website.
It is the quarterly newspaper of the
Diocese of Nelson. Be informed. Be
knowledgeable. Find out what's
happening in our diocesan community.

Want to Learn to Sing Hymns?

You're invited to a weekly get-together every
Tuesday at 7:30 pm at St. Mary's starting July
7th to sing and explore music from our rich
Catholic tradition.

If you like to sing but don't feel ready to commit
to a Sunday choir, you are encouraged to join
this group and sing in a low-pressure
environment. **All ages welcome!**

For more information, please contact
Philip Meeks at 604-787-5320

WEEKLY MASS

Monday – Thursday	July 20- 23	NO MASS		
Friday	July 24	9 AM	CTS	Rep. Guiseppe Romeo
Saturday	July 25	5 PM	CTS	Rep. Udo Grady
Sunday	July 26	9 AM	CTS	PRO POPULO
		11 AM	STM	Rep. Lois Giles

OUR PILGRIMAGE OF FAITH APPEAL '26

Diocesan Goal: \$26,800

Amount raised: \$7,905

Parish Goal: \$20,000

***We must fulfill our Diocesan goal
before funds can be raised for our
Parish goal.***

So far, we have about 31 families/households participating. This year, we are hoping to install a new garage door and storage room at Christ the Servant. We need to do something to make our parish safer and utilize the storage room better.

Please make cheques payable to:

The Roman Catholic Bishop of Nelson,
donate via e-transfer to:

etransfer.pof@nelsondiocese.org

or scan the QR code for credit card donations



Thank you for your
generosity!

**Help us improve the
Diocese of Nelson
Website
by taking a quick survey:**



You may also access it here: <https://forms.gle/eeA8SkbEytACLCpQ8>

Your feedback is much appreciated!

UPCOMING EVENTS!

Monday, July 20

- Outreach Ministry @ STM Hall (8-10 am)

Thursday, July 23

- Rosary & Chaplet of Divine Mercy

Sponsored by K of C at CTS Sanctuary 7 pm

Friday, July 24

- Friday Eucharistic Adoration (after 9 am Mass until 10:30 am)

Can you not keep awake one hour? (Mark 14:37)

Tuesday, July 28

- Mass & Kootenay Street Village (10:30 am)

Thursday, July 30

- **MEMORIAL MASS:** Giovanna Martin (10:30 am & STM)

Saturday, August 8

- **WEDDING:** Carson Stang & Carrie Phillips

Saturday, August 29

- **WEDDING:** Jonathan White & Eve Sperling (1:30 pm @ STM)

2026 -2027 Catechism

Catechism registration is open. Classes will be on Tuesdays from 6-7pm at Christ the Servant from September 2026 to May 2027. Registration is due by August 31. Forms are available at the office or online. Contact Kerry Stanley with questions at 250-919-8094. <https://bit.ly/CatechismReg2026>

Or scan the QR Code:



Thanks to all the Volunteers who took the time to help with the annual St. Mary's CWL Garage Sale! There were many donations, and the help was so much appreciated!

-St. Mary's CWL Members

**WAYS YOU CAN CONTRIBUTE
FINANCIALLY TO OUR PARISH:**

--- PARISH ENVELOPES

They're available at the entrance of the church. Don't forget to write your name and address the first time you use it.

--- PRE-AUTHORIZED GIVING PLAN

Fill out the form that is available at Christ the Servant office. Please bring with you a VOID cheque.

--- E-TRANSFER

etransfer.stmcranbrook@nelsondiocese.org

No password is required. In the message, include your parish envelope # (if you're using one) and how the donation is to be directed.

--- QR Code

Scan the QR Code to support our parish. It will take you to our Canada Helps page, a secure donation partner. A receipt will be issued immediately.



*Thank you for your continued generosity
to the financial needs of our parish. God bless!*

PRAYERS FOR THE SICK

Clarence Oddy, Brian Fletcher, Sherri Hudak, Dennis Federko, Lou McDonald, Gabrielle Faith, Giuseppina Marchiori, Marilyn Oliver, Mary McCann, Flo Tomicki, Steve Higgins, Gerry Parker, Kayla Killoran, Wayne Thomas, Eric Thomas, Shania Thomas, Marilyn McClinchey, Ed Maurier, Elizabeth Lafaut, Patricia Fitzgerald, Wendy Killoran, Xavier Reyes, Gloria Carriere, Margaret Kennedy, Brian Smith, Olivia P, Tiffany Velmonte Arcaya, Oscar Bearinger, Maria Ammaturo, Flo Reid,

Please pray for those who are sick in our community and in our parish family, especially those who live with chronic illnesses. May God's infinite love heal and strengthen them!

Everyone is invited to join us for our coffee fellowship after the 9 am Mass at CTS Hall. This is a time to greet visitors personally and to get to know each other better. If you see someone you don't know, introduce yourself and welcome them to our parish family. We're hoping you can stay if possible. If you don't drink coffee, there's also tea, juice, and treats!



The **Roman Catholic**
Diocese of Nelson &

the Community of Immaculate Conception Parish, Kelowna, BC

cordially invite you to the

Ordination of **Sem. Jeffrey E. Loma**
to the **Sacred Order of Transitional Deacons**

Through the laying on of hands of:

MOST REV. GREGORY J. BITTMAN

Bishop of the Diocese of Nelson

**Wednesday | 19 | August
7:00 PM | 2026**

**Immaculate Conception Church,
Kelowna, BC Canada**

