

## **Wednesday Weekly**

**May 20, 2015**

### **1. Adrian Dominican Sisters – Prince George**

The Diocese of Prince George bids a fond farewell to the Adrian Dominican sisters whose ministry in the city of Prince George will end in May. Sr. Kathy Nolan, OP and Sr. Jude Van Baalen, OP will be returning to the United States to serve in new areas of ministry with their congregation. Since her arrival in 2007, Sr. Jude has served as Pastoral Assistant for Sacred Heart Cathedral and St. Mary's Parish, as Coordinator for Shepherd's Corner and as Diocesan Spiritual Advisor for the Catholic Women's League. For the past two years, Sr. Kathy has provided family counselling services at the Diocesan Pastoral Centre, at Catholic Independent Schools, and volunteered at Shepherd's Corner. We are very grateful for their spirit-filled presence in the diocese and wish them many blessings in their new endeavors!

### **2. Sr. Connie Harkin**

Please place the following information in parish bulletins:

Notre Dame Parish in Dawson Creek will be celebrating Sr. Connie Harkin's 50 year Anniversary as a member of the religious congregation of the School Sisters of Notre Dame School on May 31, 2015. The celebration will commence with Mass at 10:00 am followed by a Barbeque at the School Gymnasium. Parishioners from across the diocese are most welcome to join the Parish in celebrating this wonderful occasion with Sister Connie on her Golden Jubilee.

### **3. Appeal Update (see next page)**



## 2014-2015 Annual Diocesan Appeal

### *Building Together in Faith*

As of: May 19, 2015

**DIOCESAN GOAL - \$400,000**

Parish	Households	Appeal Goal	Total Pledged	Total % of Goal	# of Pledges	Pledges Received
Annunciation, Prince Rupert	268	26,034	16,316	62.7%	60	15,276
Christ Our Saviour, Prince George	177	20,033	21,131	105.5%	64	18,948
Christ the King, Kitimat	558	44,475	33,020	74.2%	131	30,350
Resurrection, Fort St. John	381	38,531	25,810	67.0%	92	23,845
Holy Cross, Tumbler Ridge	24	3,778	1,375	36.4%	7	1,375
Immaculata, Burns Lake	78	14,751	9,937	67.4%	25	9,748
Immaculate Conception, Prince George	200	30,654	30,691	100.1%	99	28,390
Notre Dame, Dawson Creek	241	27,612	27,856	100.9%	125	25,951
Our Lady of Peace, Chetwynd	51	12,027	3,905	32.5%	12	3,905
Our Lady of Snows, Fort St. James	88	7,600	1,980	26.1%	12	1,780
Sacred Heart, Prince George	605	47,323	30,079	63.6%	132	29,195
Sacred Heart, Terrace	472	52,537	55,404	105.5%	186	51,694
St. Andrew's, Fraser Lake	72	13,128	14,368	109.4%	49	12,498
St. Anthony's, Houston	45	5,191	3,645	70.2%	20	3,625
St. Joseph's, Vanderhoof	82	11,374	15,955	140.3%	30	15,605
St. Joseph's, Smithers	150	21,666	19,785	91.3%	82	20,065
St. Mary's, Prince George	577	44,315	38,430	86.7%	137	37,518
St. Mary's, New Hazelton	31	5,088	3,680	72.3%	14	3,250
St. Patrick's, McBride	60	3,511	4,655	132.6%	19	4,595
St. Peter's, Mackenzie	44	10,372	6,225	60.0%	24	6,185
Unaffiliated Donors			2,286		6	2,286
<b>Totals</b>	<b>4,204</b>	<b>440,000</b>	<b>366,533</b>	<b>91.6%</b>	<b>1,326</b>	<b>346,084</b>

Parish Rebates	<u>5,315</u>
Diocesan Appeal Total to Date	<u><u>340,769</u></u>