

St. Joseph's Parish

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February 16, 2020
Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Saint Joseph, Pray for us

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PARISH ORGANIZATIONS / ACTIVITIES AND LEADERS

CHURCH / WORSHIP

Altar Servers	Fr. George	(604)756.1963
Church-Flowers	Ala Korzeniecki	(604)820.8356
Extraordinary Min. of H.Com	Maria Hedderson	(604)826.0749
Lectors	Maria Hedderson	(604)826.0749
Music Ministry: 5PM CHOIR	Woonhwa Park	(604)814.0034
9AM CHOIR	Greg Trainor	(604)826.5069
11AM CHOIR	Maria Dubé	(604)302.3354
New Beginnings Prayer Group	Judi Holt	(604)832.0334
Parish Sacristan	Joseph Livera	(604)820.2798
Ushers	Frank Faria	(604)826.9579
Visits / Services to Care Homes	Shaeleen / Jack Ethier	(604)826.1205

ACTIVITIES

Bazaar	Sandy Trainor	(604)826.5069
	Blake Lindgren	(604)820.7476
Building Committee	Eric Popma	(604)826.3085
Catholic Women's League	Melanie Iozzo	(778)878.4949
Finance/ Project Advance	Lucienne Lehmann	(604)820.6983
Food Bank	Wendy Neigel	(604)425.0392 Ext-40
Funeral Receptions	Sigid Lefebvre	(604)826.4274
Grotto / Pilgrimage	Ryan Murphy	(604)789.6402
Knights of Columbus	Trevor Traub	(604)826.9409
Legion of Mary	Shaeleen Lochbaum	(604)826.7203
Pastoral Council		
PREP - Catechism	Fr. George	(604)756.1963
Prison Ministry Liaison	Anne McLaughlin	(604)239.1060
Pro-Life	Mary Holtby	(604)826.2009
RCIA - Catechumenate	Fr. George	(604)756.1963
Rosary Makers	Shaeleen Lochbaum	(604)826.7203
Security	Wendy Neigel	(778)201.5000
St. James Elementary School	Tina Girard	(604)820.1877
St. John Brebeuf High School	Anita Quinn	(604)820.5120
Sunday Coffee	Aldora Bettencourt	(604)826.1722
Youth Ministry		

SCHEDULE OF MASSES

- Weekend: Saturday: 5 pm
Sunday: 9 & 11 am
- Weekdays: 9 am

DEVOTIONS/SACRAMENTS

- Adoration: 8-9 am daily
- Adoration & Healing Service: 7pm
First Friday of the month
- Confessions: 15 minutes before Mass
- Baptisms / Marriages / Funerals:
Contact the Parish Office or Pastor

MEETINGS

- * Parish Council: Every 3rd month
- * Finance Committee: Every 3rd month
- * K of C 3rd Thurs. 7 pm
- * CWL 1st Thurs. 7 pm
- * Legion of Mary: Every Wed. 10 am
- * Prayer Group: Every Thurs. 7 pm
- * Discipleship: Every Mon. 7 pm (Hall)
- * RCIA Mondays 7 pm
- * PREP 1st Tues. Parents - 6:15 pm
Every Tues. Grades 1-7 - 6:15 pm

Bible Verse for the week: 1 Cor. 11:31-32

But if we judged ourselves, we would not be judged. But when we are judged by the Lord, we are disciplined so that we may not be condemned along with the world.

Upcoming:

- Mon. Feb. 17 7:00pm Discipleship series
Tues. Feb. 18 6:15pm PREP grades 1-7
Wed. Feb. 19 10:00am Legion of Mary
11:00am Food Bank for seniors, disabled, parents with young children
Thurs. Feb. 20 9:00am Food Bank
7:00pm Prayer Group
7:00pm K of C meeting

Mass Intentions:

- Mon. Feb. 17 9am Domenic Cividino +
Tues. Feb. 18 9am Patrick Carey +
Wed. Feb. 19 9am Bob & Cel Croner +
Thurs. Feb. 20 9am Jack & Kathleen Ethier
Fri. Feb. 21 9am Tony Bettencourt +
Sat. Feb. 22 9am Fr. Tom Nicholson

**Sunday, February 23, 2020
Seventh in Ordinary Time**

- Sat. Feb. 22 5pm Zachary Restiaux health
Sun. Feb. 23 9am Tony Mannella +
Sun. Feb. 23 11am Cabral Family

Stewardship Reflection:

“For I tell you, unless your righteousness exceeds that of the scribes and Pharisees, you will never enter the kingdom of heaven.” (Matthew 5:20)

The scribes and Pharisees lived according to the letter of the law, and they used this to elevate themselves above the other people. Jesus is clear - it's the love that you have in your heart that will get you to heaven. Simply following church rules out of obligation, not love, does not put you on the path to heaven. Attending Mass on Sunday and then gossiping about a fellow parishioner on the parking lot is an example of a modern day Pharisee.

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Old Palms

Ashes that are used to mark the beginning of Lent (Ash Wednesday) come from the palms that were blessed and distributed at the previous year's Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord. You are invited to bring in your palms from last year. Please put them on the table in the foyer no later than Sunday, February 23rd.

Please Pray for our Sick Parishioners: Peggy Baker, Bob Curley, Alice Desmone, Anne Dranchuk, Roger Ducharme, Ambrose Duperon, Kathleen Ethier, Eugene Filiatrault, Hilda Finch, Paola Giacometti, Dan Haughian, Jean Hellier, Joanne Higgins, Lilia Huff, Ala Korzeniecki, Lucienne Lehmann, Pat Love (daughter of Miep Schalk), Sr. Roberta Marie Lapierre OSC, Bruno Manella, Diana Martin, Henry Merz, Mabsie Merz, Catherine Nicholson, David Nicholson, Cara Openshaw (daughter of Peggy Baker), Pat Peters, Amanda Priest, Allan Rausch, Zachary Restiaux, Florence Selig, Frank Teindl, and Zita Walt.

St. James & St. Ann's Catholic School:

You are invited to join us for St. James & St. Ann's School **Movie Night Fundraiser** on **Friday, February 21, 2020**, to watch Frozen 2 in our school gym! Doors & Concession open at 5:30pm and movie starts at 6:00PM. **\$5/person** or **\$25/family**. For more information, check out <https://www.stjameselementary.ca/events/>

"Cancer is a New Beginning":

Saturday, February 22, 2020, 10am - 11am
St. Joseph's Parish library room

Krystyna Bielecka, CWL Education & Health Convenor, will give a talk on how she has cured herself of cancer by taking control of her health. She was diagnosed with carcino-sarcoma cancer in December 2013. After surgery in February 2014 she declined radiotherapy and chemotherapy. Eight weeks later she went back to work. In July 2014 a tumour was diagnosed (stage 4) and an emergency surgery took place in August 2014. It was recommended that she have five to six chemotherapies like to hear more about her success in curing her cancer? Come to the First Session on Healthy Living Series. Everyone welcome.

CWL Lenten Retreat:

Saturday, February 29th, 9am to 2pm
St. Ann's Parish, 33333 Mayfair Avenue, Abbotsford.

Guest Speaker: Fr. Mark McGuckin
Tickets: \$10 per person
Please call St. Ann's Parish (604.852.5602) to reserve your ticket and pay at the door.

St. Ann's Daycare, Abbotsford:

A faith based, licensed childcare, is now accepting registration for children ages 18 months to 36 months.

- Full time space is available.
- Parents can register by calling St. Ann's Parish Office at 604.852.5602 to leave their contact information.
- Parents will be contacted by Sister Suzan Tairo to complete the registration.

Fiat Women's Discernment Group - Luminous Fiat:

The Fiat Women's Discernment Group is blessed to welcome Archbishop Miller to celebrate Mass and give a reflection on responding to God in the luminous mysteries of the rosary. Join us for Mass, lunch, and a reflection at the convent of the Franciscan Sisters of the Eucharist. This event is open to all single Catholic young women ages 18-35 who are open to discerning their vocation. Please RSVP on Facebook.

The Book of Esther -**Christian & Jewish Perspectives:**

Join us for a multifaceted discussion on the Book of Esther from both Christian and Jewish Perspectives. Persian Feast Buffet followed by an expert panel discussion. Takes place **Monday, March 2 at 6:30pm until 9pm at Congregation Beth Israel in Vancouver.** The event is organized by the Archdiocese of Vancouver and the Jewish Congregation Beth Israel for an exploration of the Book of Esther.

"I was hungry and you gave me to eat." Mt. 25:35
Please support St. Joseph's Food Bank.
'missionfoodbank.com'

Attention Scrapbookers & Other Vendors:

"Ignite Theatre, the theatre department of Heritage Christian Online School, is comprised of a dynamic group of students ranging from Grades 5-12. In their 7th year, this May they will be performing Disney's Newsies at the Chilliwack Cultural Centre.

Come out & support us and try to win tickets at our Fundraiser for Ignite Theatre:

Date & Time: Friday, February 21

Saturday, February 22

Location: St. Joseph's Catholic Church, Mission

Cost: \$20 for Friday evening

\$40 for Saturday full-day (includes dinner of spaghetti/garlic bread/salad)

To reserve your table space or for more info: contact Lisa at info@ignitetheatre.ca or call/text 778.552.5205."

Freedom - Reconciliation Event for Youth:

Freedom, the annual reconciliation event for youth sponsored by the Ministries and Outreach Office, will take place on **Friday, March 6** at **Our Lady of Sorrows Parish, 555 S. Slocan Street, Vancouver, from 7:00pm to 10:30pm**. Participants will experience first-hand the healing power of Christ through music, prayer, testimonies and teachings, the Sacrament of Reconciliation, and Adoration.

Marriage Anniversary Mass 2020:

Celebrate your Milestone Anniversary with us! This Mother's Day, Archbishop Miller will be honouring couples celebrating their 5th, 10th, 15th, 20th, 25th, 30th, 35th, 40th, 45th, 55th & 60th+ years of marriage. Register your anniversary at rcav.org/marriage-anniversary. Mass will be on **Sunday, May 10, at 2:30pm** at **St. Clare of Assisi Parish, 1320 Johnson Street, Coquitlam** followed by a reception in the parish hall.

Salesian Leadership Retreat:

We, the Salesian Family, are happy to introduce a program for high school senior students. The leadership retreat provides a chance for introspection and community building; to increase the young person's understanding of their mission as a leader, as well as their irreplaceable role and unique ability to be instruments of the Kingdom of God, as disciples in the Salesian spirit. Through discussions, activities, prayer, and personal witnesses, students experience a new awareness of themselves, others and God.

The retreat is for Grade 11 and 12 students. It would be a great opportunity for Grade 12 students to meet other peers whom they may need to network together on their faith journey and/or in a post-secondary institute in the near future.

The retreat takes place at **Don Bosco Youth Centre, 10461 140 Street, Surrey** from **March 6 to March 8**. Registration is \$60. Contact Sr. Hae-Jin Lim, FMA to register at 604.584.4141 or salesianym.surrey@gmail.com

**Focolare Centennial Celebration -
An encounter with Chiara Lubich:**

Join us on **Saturday, March 7** from **10:30am to 3pm** at **St. Patrick's Church, 2881 Main Street, Vancouver** for a journey together. Mass begins at 11am celebrated by Archbishop J. Michael Miller followed by a light lunch and program. Celebrate Chiara, her gift of unity and the 100th anniversary of her birth. RSVP before March 1 at www.focolare.org/en

**ASH WEDNESDAY is February 26:
Masses will be at 9:00am and 7:00pm**