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St. Joseph, Pray for Us

April 18, 2021 THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER

Bible Verse for April 18: Eph. 4:11-12

The gifts he gave were that some would be apostles, some prophets, some evangelists, some pastors and teachers, to equip the saints for the work of ministry, for building up the body of Christ.

Stewardship Reflection:

"... Jesus himself stood among them and said to them, 'Peace be with you.' They were startled and terrified, and thought they were seeing a ghost." Luke 24:36-37

Throughout the day we have many opportunities to "see the face of Jesus" in others and to "be the face of Jesus" to others. Do we take that opportunity to provide "peace" to those we encounter or are we afraid of what others will think of us and do nothing? Pray for the strength and courage to live a "God-centred" life and not a "self-centred" life.

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Sorry! No in-person attendance is allowed at any Mass. Masses are LIVE STREAMED at <https://stjosephmission.ca>

There is Drive-Through HOLY COMMUNION at **9:40am** and **12Noon EVERY SUNDAY**. On **weekdays** at **9:30am**.

Mass Intentions:

Monday	April 19	Jesus & Cres Monroy +
Tuesday	April 20	Zachary Restiaux health
Wednesday	April 21	Marcel Turgeon +
Thursday	April 22	Christal Schmitt health
Friday	April 23	Elizabeth Lehmann +
Saturday	April 24	Raymond Coomes +
Sunday	April 25	Henry Robert Lehmann +

"St. John Brebeuf High School:

is still accepting applications for new students. If you have been thinking about Catholic Education, or want to learn more about what life is really like at SJB, we encourage you to watch our virtual open house videos www.stjohnbrebeuf.ca/openhouse and then schedule a tour with our Principal. Come meet our school family and see how yours will fit right in!"

Project Advance 2021 'Our Way Forward':

Our diocesan commitment for this year has been set at \$15,000. After the archdiocesan commitment has been met, funds received will then be rebated back to St. Joseph's Parish. Your support of Project Advance will not only help the diocese but also the parish.

Into the Deep: 'Laudato Si' Five Years Later

Join us for an evening online with Sister Damien Marie Savino, FSE, the Dean of Science and Sustainability at Aquinas College in Michigan, as she reflects on the Special Anniversary Year of 'Laudato Si' (On Care for Our Common Home). What new opportunities for ecological conversion and fraternity is the Catholic Church calling forth for us as individuals and a global community? Join us on **Friday, April 30** from **7:00pm - 8:30pm** on Zoom. Register for free at beholdvancouver.org/events

Milestone Marriage Anniversary Mass:

On **Sunday, May 9**, Archbishop J. Michael Miller, CSB, will be honouring couples celebrating milestone anniversaries: 5, 10, 15, 20, 25, 30, 35, 40, 45, 50, 55 & 60+ years of marriage.

On behalf of Archbishop Miller, we are excited to invite you to the 2021 Milestone Marriage Anniversary Mass. We will be live streaming the Mass and invite you and your family to join us.

The Mass will be celebrated for each couple with a special blessing at the end. At the time of the blessing, we will list the names of all the couples that have registered for the Mass. At the end of Mass, we will show a collage of pictures of all the couples.

Deadline to submit names and pictures for the live stream will be **Sunday, May 3** at 3:00pm. Deadline to receive a certificate is May 9. All certificates will be mailed. Register online for free at beholdvancouver.org/events/marriage-anniversary-mass-2021

Joy of the Family Week:

In celebration of the Year of the Family and National Week for Life and the Family, the Archdiocese of Vancouver is hosting five virtual events for your family. Each day from **May 10 to 14**, we will send your family a link to a different event. We will celebrate families with a video, play Kahoot, Archbishop Miller will answer questions, we will have Tik Tok videos and finish with a family rosary. This event is organized by the Ministries and Outreach Office and ecclesial movements and new communities. Learn more at beholdvancouver.org/events

Making Sense of Adolescence - Parenting Webinar Series:

Join us on **Wednesday evenings** from **7:30pm - 9:00pm** for a Dr. Gordon Neufeld video course with Q & A facilitated by Kevin Bredeman, M.A. The task of turning children into adults has never been more daunting. An adolescent is neither child nor adult - and therein lies much of the difficulty, turbulence, confusion, and challenge. They need us, yet need to not need us. We are their best bet, yet their instincts are to resist us. Learn more and register at beholdvancouver.org/events