# St. Joseph's Parish

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St. Joseph, Pray for Us

# September 26, 2021 26th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

### Bible Verse for September 26: Phil. 3:10-11

I want to know Christ and the power of his resurrection and the sharing of his sufferings by becoming like him in his death, if somehow I may attain the resurrection from the dead.

#### **Stewardship Reflection:**

"For truly I tell you, whoever gives you a cup of water to drink because you bear the name of Christ will by no means lose the reward."

Mark 9:35

We are made in God's image and likeness. We tend to forget this. When you look at others, do you see the face of Jesus in them? When others look at you, do they see the face of Jesus in you? When we realize that all lives matter to God, then gratitude and generosity become easier. Why? Because that's the way we are made! We are one Body of Christ; when one of us is hurting, all of us feel the pain.

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#### Mass Intentions:

Monday	Sept. 27	Henry Joseph Lehmann + and
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Tuesday Sept. 28 Jeffrey Scoville + (godson of Wendy

Wednesday Sept. 29 Family of Jonny Edattukaran

Thursday Sept. 30 Fonseka Family +
Friday Oct. 1 Zachary Restiaux health

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#### Sunday, October 6:

## 27th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Saturday 5pm Oct. 2 Robert Lemoine +

Sunday 9am Oct. 3 de Jong Family thanksgiving

Sunday 11am Oct. 3 Maria Mobilio +

#### Please Pray for our Parishioners who have Health

Challenges: Peggy Baker, Wade Baker, Margaret Boe, Bob Curley, Anne Dranchuk, Kathleen Ethier, Eugene Filiatrault Jean Hellier, Ken Hodge, Lilia Huff, Bruno Mannella, Iola Mannella, Diana Martin, Henry Merz, Mabsie Merz, Patricia Peters, Anna Peterson (mother of Nadia Dohan), Eugene Power, and Zachary Restiaux.

Men's Night with Jake Khym and special guest Bishop Scott McCaig: All men are invited to a special men's night at Our Lady of Assumption Parish on Friday, October 1 from 7pm-9:30pm. No vaccine card required, but masks are mandatory. No cost to attend and no registration. To livestream, sign up at liferestoration.ca Learn more at beholdvancouver.org/events

Safe Haven Sunday - October 3: Safe Haven Sunday is a weekend set aside by the Archdiocese of Vancouver and parishes to directly address the harms of sexualized content and pornography in an appropriate way. Learn more at <a href="mailto:family.rcav.org/safehaven">family.rcav.org/safehaven</a>. Please pick up the booklet <a href="EQUIPPED Smart Catholic Parenting in a Sexualized Culture">EQUIPPED Smart Catholic Parenting in a Sexualized Culture</a> which you will in the foyer next weekend.

Saint Joseph statue: Olive wood statues 23cm (9.06") [\$130] and 27cm (10.63") [\$160] are handmade and carved individually by Christians in the Holy Land. The deadline to order is Monday, October 4, 2021, in hopes that the statues can be delivered to the parishes before Christmas. This is one way that we, in the Archdiocese of Vancouver, can continue to support the plight of Christians in the Holy Land. By taking advantage of this opportunity to own a beautiful statue of St. Joseph, we are helping to ensure this business has enough work to keep more of the local people employed. For more information and to order a statue, please visit <a href="https://doi.org/10.1016/j.cm">https://doi.org/10.1016/j.cm</a>

**CCJS Prison Ministry Support and Development Day:** Plans are being made to reopen the federal and provincial institutions, come to learn more about the exciting things happening! All are welcome to join us for this special event to find out about the Archdiocese's prison ministry and how you can become involved in serving those in prison and those released. We will have a variety of speakers and testimonies including Archbishop Miller offering our keynote address. **Saturday, October 2** at **9:30am**. Learn more at beholdvancouver.org/events

Why do I suffer so much in life?: During his pastoral counselling as a priest, Fr. Pierre Leblond, OP met so many people dealing with deep sufferings, physical, emotional and spiritual. What does God have to say about these sufferings? How does God save us and finally transform our trials into something fruitful. Saturday, October 2 at 7pm. Learn more and register at beholdvancouver.org/events

### The Letters of St. Paul - A Four-Part Series with Father Nick

**Meisl:** In this introductory session, we will explore the remarkable life and mission of Saint Paul. Join us as we investigate the fascinating biography of Paul and the tumultuous world in which he lived. Paul is an inspiring example for us in our own journey of discipleship. **Saturday, October 2** at **7pm.** Learn more at beholdvancouver.org/events.

**Project Advance: Stewardship in the eyes of God:** Project Advance offers everyone a chance to exercise Christian stewardship. You can give online at <u>projectadvance.ca</u>, by phone 604.683.0281 ext. 50323, or in-person at our parish office.

Marriage & Family Through the Eyes of St. Joseph Webinar:

This presentation will allow you to find allies and role models in St. Joseph and Mother Mary, especially in your family life. Please join as Brett & Andrea Powell are joined by their son Jacob and his wife Reanne to discuss marriage and family through the eyes of St. Joseph. **Friday, October 8** at **7pm**. Learn more and register at beholdvancouver.org/events.