

# St. Joseph's Parish

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St Joseph, Pray for Us

**Weekday Masses:** Monday - Saturday: 9:00am  
**Sunday Masses:** **Saturday** (anticipated): 5:00pm  
**Sunday Masses:** 9:00am & 11:00am  
**Confessions:** Saturday: 9:30 to 10:00am; 4:30 to 5pm.

## September 18, 2022 25TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

### Stewardship Reflection:

*"No slave can serve two masters; for a slave will either hate the one and love the other, or be devoted to the one and despise the other. You cannot serve God and wealth." (Luke 15:31)*

Jesus knows that for many of us, God and money run "neck and neck" as top priority. Is money a "god" that you put before God? Giving money to support the Church and other charity is a pillar of our faith, just like attending Mass every Sunday and participating in parish ministry. Giving money frees us from becoming a slave to money. It increases our dependence on God and our trust that God will provide all that we need.

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### Mass Intentions:

Mon.	Sept. 19	Bruno Mannella +
Tues.	Sept. 20	Iona Vance
Wed.	Sept. 21	William Dranchuk +
Thurs.	Sept. 22	Ronald Del'Oca +
Fri.	Sept. 23	Shaeleen Lochbaum
Sat.	Sept. 24	Benicio Narciso

### SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 25, 2022 26TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Sat.	Sept. 24	5:00pm	Constancio R. Gallamos +
Sun.	Sept. 25	9:00am	Tony Mannella + and Bruno Mannella +
Sun.	Sept. 25	11:00am	Paul & Julian Nikula + and John Nikula +

**Please Pray for our Parishioners who have Health Challenges:** Margaret Boe, Bob Curley, Robert Denvir, Ann Dranchuk, Kathleen Ethier, Eugene Filiatrault, Paola Giacometti, Jean Hellier, Ken Hodge, Lilia Huff, Iola Mannella, Diana Martin, Mabsie Merz, Pat Peters, Zachary Restiaux, and Daniel Straker.

### Lectors 26th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Sat.	Sept. 24	5pm	Maria Hedderson
Sun.	Sept. 25	9am	Peter Woods, Bertie Mathis
Sun.	Sept. 25	11am	Phil Daigle, Bridget Winterhoff

The Parish Secretary will be away from September 21st to September 24th.

**LITURGY OF THE WORD FOR CHILDREN** has started again at the 9am Sunday Mass.

**PREP WELCOMING NIGHT:** To know Him is to love Him. As we are about to start another school year in strengthening our relationship with Jesus, all PREP children and families are cordially invited to the Welcoming Night on **Tuesday, September 20**, from **6pm to 7pm**. Come and be a part of this event to meet our catechists and our new Pastor, Fr. John. Registration for new and old students will be done during the event. Registration fee of \$25 this year. Text Books/Materials Fee: 1 Child: \$40, 2 Children \$60, Family: \$70. Total Fees = \$25 + one of the preceding. There will be no additional fee for First Communion and Confirmation students this year.

**KIDS FOR CHRIST 10am on Saturdays in the portable.** All children welcome to join and grow in the Catholic Faith with lessons and projects.

**ST. JOSEPH'S CHILDREN'S ROSARY CLUB** will be continuing at 10am on Sundays in the portable located on the lower driveway. All children are welcome. Please find registration forms on the table in the foyer.

NO FEES FOR THESE GROUPS BUT, IF POSSIBLE, DONATIONS ARE VERY APPRECIATED.

For further information, call Mother Cynthia at 250.488.3368.

**ST. JOSEPH'S SCHOOL IN VANCOUVER** is celebrating our 100th Anniversary with a special event on **Saturday, Sept. 24**. We will begin with Mass celebrated by Fr. Gary Franken at 10:30am at St. Joseph's Parish, Vancouver. The celebration will continue at St. Joseph's School afterward with music, food, games and family fun. We invite all previous pastors, staff, parents and alumni to come and celebrate this momentous event in the life of our community. We look forward to welcoming you back!

**INTO THE DEEP: MAKE EVERY SUNDAY MATTER:** Every Sunday Matters is one of the four Archdiocesan Priorities. For the next four months, Into the Deep will help us better understand the importance of the liturgy. Join Dr. Andrew Kaethler as he explores the sacramental richness of the liturgical life. **Fridays at 7pm** at a parish host site or **online. Begins Sept. 23**. Learn more and register at [beholdvancouver.org/events](http://beholdvancouver.org/events)

**PAKISTAN FLOOD RELIEF FUND:** Currently, there are unprecedented floods that are affecting Pakistan that are triggered by heavy monsoon rains. As a result, there are 33 million displaced people, one million uninhabitable homes, and over 1,000 dead. More than 70% of the country is affected by floods. Your donation will go to Caritas Canada to help the people of Pakistan to provide families with food, shelter, drinking water, and medicine. Donate at [rcav.org/Pakistan-flood-relief](http://rcav.org/Pakistan-flood-relief)