St. Joseph's Parish

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<u>Weekday Masses:</u> Monday - Saturday: 9:00am **Sunday Masses: Saturday** (anticipated): 5:00pm

Sunday Masses: 9:00am & 11:00am

Confessions: Saturday: 9:30 to 10:00am; 4:15 to 4:45pm



St Joseph, Pray for Us

December 3rd, 2023 FIRST SUNDAY OF ADVENT

Stewardship Reflection

"Beware, keep alert; for you do not know when the time will come." (Mt. 13:33)

We all take things for granted. In particular, we take time for granted. We make our lives too busy. We plan our days, weeks, months, even years in advance. Remember, our time on earth is a gift. None of us knows how long we will be here. Start today and begin thanking God for each and every day. Take time in silence, every day, and listen to how God is calling you right now to help build His kingdom on earth. Copyright © 2023 Archdiocese of St. Louis

Mass Intentions:

Mon. Dec. 4 Benicio Narciso
Tues. Dec. 5 Elaine Beatch +
Wed. Dec. 6 Tony Bettencourt +
Thurs. Dec. 7 Diane Pempe +
Fri. Dec. 8 Ruth Miller +
Sat. Dec. 9 Jacinto Narciso +

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 10TH, 2023 SECOND SUNDAY OF ADVENT:

Sat. Dec. 9 5:00pm Pastor's Intention Sun. Dec. 10 9:00am Parishioners Sun. Dec. 10 11:00am Archbishop Miller

Please Pray for our Parishioners who have Health Challenges: Aldora Bettencourt, Margaret Boe, Bob Curley, Kathleen Ethier, Eugene Filiatraut, Jean Hellier, Paola Giacometti, Dustin Hiles, Ken Hodge, Lilia Huff, Mabsie Merz, Patricia Peters, Eileen Roberts, Daniel Straker, Cheri Turcott, and Zachary Restiaux.

Come join us for **Exposition of the Blessed Eucharist** with an hour of songs, giving thanks, praise and worship to Jesus *Sunday, December 17th* from **2pm to 3pm.**

| <u>Lectors</u> | Second Sunday of Advent | | |
|----------------|-------------------------|-------------------------------|--|
| Dec. 9 | 5:00pm | Nicole Martires | |
| Dec. 10 | 9:00am | Rina Lomague, Bertie Mathis | |
| Dec. 10 | 11:00am | Danai Gariwa, Felistas Gariwa | |

BAZAAR 2023

| Donations | \$ | 1,085.00 |
|------------------------------|--------------------------------------|-----------|
| Bake Table | \$ | 1,608.49 |
| Bottle Booth | \$ | 281.85 |
| Bulbs | \$ | 339.03 |
| Carmesa | \$ | 216.05 |
| Christmas Store | \$\$\$\$\$\$\$\$\$\$\$\$\$\$\$\$\$\$ | 144.78 |
| Craft Table | \$ | 1,392.41 |
| Jewellery | \$ | 836.56 |
| Paddle Wheel | \$ | 3,130.27 |
| Raffle | \$ | 1,753.02 |
| Religious Articles | \$ | 329.67 |
| Santa's Kitchen | \$ | 133.74 |
| Tea Room | \$ | 340.95 |
| Touch 'n Take | \$ | 705.70 |
| Toy Booth | \$_ | 181.00 |
| • | \$ | 12,478.52 |
| Parish Dinner | \$_ | 2,075.00 |
| | \$ | 14,553.52 |
| Expenses for Bazaar & Dinner | - \$_ | 2,670.58 |
| - | \$ | 11,882.94 |

Thank you to every one who helped to make the Bazaar weekend a success. It was great to see all the smiling faces.

Hope for Women has asked us to collect the following for mothers in need. Please put in the large box you will find in the foyer.

•Formula: Kirkland (Costco) (Powder) - yellow - purple

Good Start

•Diapers - size 4 - size 5 - size 6

Pre-Natal Vitamins

Thank you for helping mothers who need these essentials for their babies.

Fraser Valley East Deanery Advent Penitential Services:

| Thurs. | Dec. 7 | 7:00pm | St. Mary's, Chilliwack |
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| Wed. | Dec. 13 | 7:00pm | Sts. Joachim & Ann, Aldergrove |
| Thurs. | Dec. 14 | 7:00pm | St. Joseph's, Langley |
| Sat. | Dec. 16 | 10:00am | Our Lady of Good Hope, Hope |
| Sun. | Dec. 17 | 4:00pm | St. Anthony's, Agassiz |
| Tues. | Dec. 19 | 6:30pm | St. Nicholas, Langley |
| Wed. | Dec. 20 | 7:00pm | St. James, Abbotsford |
| Wed. | Dec. 20 | 6:00pm-7:0 | Opm St. Joseph's, Mission |
| Thurs. | Dec. 21 | 6:00pm-7:00 | Opm St. Joseph's, Mission |
| Fri. | Dec. 22 | 600pm-7:00 | pm St. Joseph's, Mission |