

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; 4:15 to 4:45pm

November 24th, 2024 FEAST OF CHRIST THE KING

Stewardship Reflection:

"Jesus answered, My kingdom does not belong to this world." John 18:36

Life is short. How much time, energy and money do you put into building "your" kingdom here on earth? We all know we can't take it with us. The real kingdom is in the next life. Yet, how much time, energy and money do you invest in working for that eternal kingdom? Ask God for His guidance. Detach from earthly possessions. Generously share your material goods with others for the greater glory of God.

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Mass Intentions

Mon.	Nov. 25	Nicolas Galang +
Tues.	Nov. 26	Sofia Alba +
Wed.	Nov. 27	Connie Adams (thanksgiving)
Thur.	Nov. 28	Dennis Golingon (health)
Fri.	Nov. 29	Patti-Ann Teindl +
Sat.	Nov. 30	Anita T. Galang +

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 1ST, 2024 FIRST SUNDAY OF ADVENT

Sat.	Nov. 30	5:00pm	Pastors Intention
Sun.	Dec. 1	9:00am	Parishioners
Sun.	Nov. 1	11:00am	Pope Francis

Please Pray for our Parishioners who have health challenges: Wade Baker, Aldora Bettencourt, Peter de Jong, Riet de Jong, Greta Derewenko, Kathleen Ethier, Paola Giacometti, Lilia Huff, Garth McSween, Mabsie Merz, Patricia Peters, Eileen Roberts, Elaine Webster and Zachary Restiaux.

Sun. Dec. 1/24 FIRST SUNDAY OF ADVENT

Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion

Date:

Sat.	Nov. 30	5:00pm	Anne McLaughlin
Sun.	Dec. 1	9:00am	Blake Lindgren, Kevin Puthenangady, Patrick Quinn
Sun.	Dec. 1	11:00am	Shaleen, Lochbaum, Patti Sunder, Joseph Livera

CWL Christmas Social: The CWL Christmas Social will be held at Five Forks restaurant upstairs in the Best Western on **Monday, December 2nd, at 6:00pm**. Please join us with a wrapped gift up to \$20.00 for gift exchange. Please let Maria Hedderson know if you plan on attending as we need to give the restaurant numbers. Call or text Maria at 604-854-4858 or email at mariahedderson@aol.com

Diaper/Formula Drive: During the month of December there will be a diaper/formula drive taking place to support *Hope for Women*. This is the perfect time to say "yes" to life and help mothers in need. Donation boxes will be in the foyer.

Youth Group Get-Together: We invite all youth in grades 8-12 to join us for a youth group get together after the Saturday Mass on December 7th! Join us after Mass for food, games and devotional time. This group will meet on the first Saturday of every month during this school year. We look forward to seeing you there!

Childrens Liturgy Volunteers Needed: Catholic adults who are interested in leading young children during the 9am Sunday Mass once a month. Training and all materials are provided. For more information please email a.frendo@telus.net

The Chosen: There will be no showing of *The Chosen* this week as the hall is being set up for our church bazaar. We will have our last episode of Season 3 on **Thursday, December 5th** instead. For those that have missed any sessions, you can watch it at home to catch up at <https://watch.thechosen.tv/>

Sunday Coffee: We are looking for more people to help with serving coffee/treats after Sunday Mass. There's a sign up sheet in the foyer. If setting up the coffee/treats is too much for you, but you still want to help out, you can help by bringing some treats/juice to add to the table.

Mail Disruption: The BC Catholic Print Edition: Stay informed and inspired with the *The B.C. Catholic* digital edition, now available for free at digital.bccatholic.ca. Due to the mail service disruption, our print edition is temporarily paused. We will resume printing as soon as the postal service returns to normal.

Sun. Dec. 1/24 FIRST SUNDAY OF ADVENT

Lectors:

Date:

Sat.	Nov. 30	5:00pm	Nicole Martires
Sun.	Dec. 1	9:00am	Bertie Mathis, Rina Lomague
Sun.	Dec. 1	11:00am	Danai Gariwa, Felisitas Gariwa

St. Joseph's Parish Bazaar – Saturday November 30, 2024 (10:0am to 3:00pm)

BAKE TABLE - IT'S TIME TO BAKE! We have plastic containers for your baked goods. The containers are available at the donation table in the church foyer. Please put your freshly baked goods in the provided containers and drop off at the Bake Table in the Parish Hall on the afternoon of Friday November 29th or by 9:30AM on the morning of November 30th.

PADDLE WHEEL DONATIONS - Boxes of oranges and/or chocolates are always welcome donations in our final week leading up to the Bazaar. These are great add-ons to help sell our gift baskets on the Paddle Wheel. We will accept oranges and chocolates right up to the day of the bazaar

DONATIONS (General) - Thank you for all your amazing donations! Final cut-off for all other donations is Monday, November 25th.

GIFT BASKETS - If you have made or are making a gift basket to be sold on the Paddle Wheel at the Bazaar, please drop it off in the foyer or at the Parish office as early as you can this week. If needed, we can wrap your completed basket(s) with cellophane.

RAFFLE TICKETS - now on sale after all Masses; 1 for \$2 3 for \$5 7 for \$10

Raffle winners to be drawn at the Parish Dinner on December 1, 2024.

Raffle Prizes this year are: \$300 Cash, Ninja Foodi Digital Pro Air Fry Oven, Abbotsford Canucks Hockey Tickets, \$100 Petro-Canada Gas Card, Handmade Christmas Quilt

BONUS 2024 RAFFLE – For \$5, buy a square on the Square Raffle board for a chance to win dinner for four (4) with Fr. John and Fr. Craig.

Any questions/Need more info/Want to volunteer – please contact Sandy Trainor at
604.826.5069

St. Joseph's Parish Dinner – Sunday December 1, 2024

Tickets now on sale after all Masses

Catered Dinner Doors open at 5 PM Dinner at 5:30 PM

Only 150 Tickets available (hall capacity)

Adults - \$20 14-17 yrs - \$15 10-13 yrs - \$10 6-9 yrs - \$5 5 & under - Free