ST. JOSEPH'S
CATHOLIC CHURCH

St. Joseph, Pray For Us

NOVEMBER 29TH, 2026 | FIRST SUNDAY OF ADVENT

MASS SCHEDULE

Sunday Masses
Saturday | 5:00pm (Anticipated)
Sunday | 9:00am; 11:00am

Confession
Week days | 8:30am - 8:45am
Saturday | 9:30 - 10:00am; 4:15-5:00pm

DAILY MASSES

Monday | 9:00am
Tuesday | 9:00am
Wednesday | 9:00am
Thursday | 9:00am
Friday | 9:00am
Saturday 9:00am

STEWARDSHIP REFLECTION

"Be watchful! Be alert! You do not know when the time will come."
Mark 13:331

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 know 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

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Please Pray for our Parishioners who are sick...

Ann De Jong, Mark Reyes, Francelina Narciso, Liz Sweeney, Zita Walt, Peter De Jong, Zachary Restiaux, Eileen Webster, Lilia Huff, Frank Muermann, Riet de Jong and Patricia Peters.

THE GIVING TREE

Today is the launch of ***"The Giving Tree"***. During the Season of Advent we will collecting donations for ***Catholic Street Missionaries*** in Vancouver. They provide spiritual support, food, clothing, and recovery assistance to the homeless and those struggling with addiction.



PARISH CHRISTMAS DINNER!!

Tonight - Sunday, November 29th, 2026 at 5:30pm

Our Annual Christmas Dinner is tonight at 5:30pm! We look forward to a wonderful evening of food, friendship & fellowship with all of you!



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MASS INTENTIONS

Monday, November 30
9:00am | Pauline Arquillano †
Tuesday, December 1
9:00am | Anita Galang †
Wednesday, December 2
9:00am | Alana Roberts †
Thursday, December 3
9:00am | Joao & Angelina Tavares †
Friday, December 4
9:00am | Zachary Restiaux
Saturday, December 5
9:00am | Antonio Bettencourt †

PROJECT ADVANCE

We asked and you responded! Thank you! Together we have raised **$18,100** in rebate for St. Joseph's Parish!
WE CAN DO THIS! We are so close to making it to **$20,000** this year!!
We are just **$1,900** away from reaching **$20,000!** Please consider making a tax deductible donation today!

MEMORIAL CANDLE

In Loving Memory of
Eugene Power



NEW THIS WEEK

- **Advent Penitential Services:** This Advent, take an important step in your spiritual journey by returning to Jesus in the Sacrament of Reconciliation. By opening your heart to his healing mercy, you are preparing a place for his joy and peace to dwell within you this Christmas. Find a Confession time near you at ***rcav.org/advent***

PENITENTIAL SERVICES - FRASER VALLEY EAST

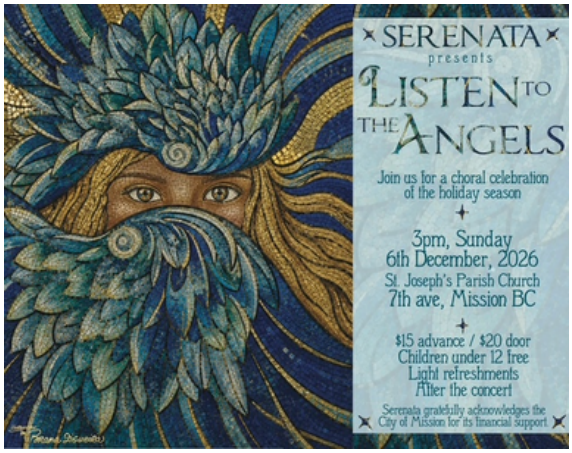
- **December 10th - St. Mary's, Chilliwack - 7:00 pm**
  St. Joseph's, Langley - 7:00 pm
- **December 17th - St. James, Abbotsford - 7:00 pm**
- **December 20th - St. Joseph's Mission - 7:00 pm**
  St. Anthony's, Agassiz - 4:00 pm
- **December 22nd - St. Nicholas, Langley - 6:30 pm**

- **Giving Tuesday 2026:** Giving Tuesday is a global movement of generosity, reminding us that even the smallest act of giving can have a lasting impact. This year, we invite you to support **Project Advance**, the annual appeal that strengthens ministries in our parishes and throughout the Archdiocese. Learn more and make your gift at ***rcav.org/giving-tuesday.***

- **Midnight Mass Choir Practise:** Practise will be on ***Thursday evenings at 7:00 pm***. Newcomers are welcome! For more info, contact Roger Holt at 604-556-8279.

- **Rosary:** Please join us on ***Monday evenings at 7:00 pm*** in the Church Hall to pray the Rosary. Our ***November 30th*** session will be on ***"Infallibility"***. For more info, contact Judi at 604-832-0334.

- **Movie Night:** All are welcome to join us on ***Wednesday evenings at 6:30 pm*** in the Church hall. This week on ***December 2nd***, we will continue watching ***The Chosen, Season 6***. All of Season 6 takes place on Good Friday. Running time approx. 1 hr. For more info, contact Judi at 604-832-0334.



- **Simbang Gabi 2026:** This is a devotional Filipino tradition that involves a nine-day series of novena Masses in anticipation of Christmas. Please join us to express our love and honour for God through His Mother Mary as we gather in prayerful anticipation of the Christmas miracle. This will begin at St. Joseph's Parish on ***Tuesday, December 15th at 7:30 pm***.



- **St. Paul's Hospital Needs Volunteers Now:** Providence Health Care is inspired by the healing ministry of Jesus Christ to care for those who are sick, vulnerable, and in need. With our move to the new St. Paul's Hospital coming at the end of February 2027, we urgently need 200 more volunteers to welcome and guide patients, families and visitors. Begin serving at our current hospital and move with us to the new St. Paul's. Volunteers commit to a regular two-hour shift each week for at least six months. Continue Christ's healing ministry through service and compassion. Apply today: Visit our volunteer website or call 604-806-8509.

BULLETIN CONTENT

If you want to submit content to feature in the bulletin, please send to: parish.sjm@rcav.org Content must be submitted no later than 12:00pm on Wednesday prior to the requested date.

DONATE ONLINE

Donating online is easy! Just aim your phone camera at the QR Code and follow the link. Thank you!

PROJECT ADVANCE

Diocesan Goal	$19,200.00
Amount Raised	$37,300.00
Rebate to date.....	$18,100.00

Thank you for your continued generosity!