

## THIS WEEK'S MASS INTENTIONS

Monday	June 2	St. Marcellinus and St. Peter
	9:00 am	RIP: Al Munro
Tuesday	June 3	St. Charles Lwanga & Companions
	7:00 pm	RIP: Achilles A. Arce
Wednesday	June 4	Easter Season
	8:00 am	RIP: Felix S. Tecson
Thursday	June 5	St. Boniface
	8:00 am	INT: Rev. Richard Au STL
1 <sup>st</sup> Friday	June 6	St. Norbert
	7:00 pm	RIP: Manuel Feijo
Saturday	June 7	Easter Season
	9:00 am	Thanksgiving to Our Blessed Mother

The complete Mass time schedule is listed on the front page.

## PRAYERS FOR THE SICK

Please pray for the sick of our Parish particularly: Lucy Chase, Don Rowe, Irene Munro, Andrew Chew, Bill Van Eldik, Teresita Drexler, Ares Stroszyn, Suzanne Dubeau, Eliuterio Rodrigues, Joseph Slacik, Enrigue Salgado Sr., Irene Hanson Monnie, Matthew McKinnon, Matt Essman, Carol Berry, Cecilia Obcena, Art Samson, Thomas Chlebak, Sarah Gielty, Chloe Castro, Wendy Castro, Maria Han & Bob Commins. *For prayer request and updates please call the parish office. Names will be listed for three months unless notified.*

## ST. JOSEPH'S PARISH GROUPS

Altar Servers:	Parish Office	604 461-1369
Abp. Carney School Rep:	Mary Pisko Dubiński	604 469-4894
Bible/Prayer Group:	Jocelyn Rochard	604 469-0713
Choirs: Youth/10 am:	Jeff Cabralda	604 812-3178
Saturday Evening:	Norbert Haunerland	604 469-2845
Sunday 12 noon:	Ed Robles	604 838-3628
CWL:	Louanne Richards	778-712-0890
Fundraising Committee:	Erica Penner	604-722-3604
Knights of Columbus:	Mark Pan	604-782-9612
Lectors:	Erica Penner	604-722-3604
Legion Of Mary:	Norma Reyes	778 285-8721
Parish Building:	Patrick Hing	604 468-2977
Parish Council:	Parish office	604-461-1369
Pro-Life:	Terry O'Neill	604 464-5679
RCIA /SSVP & Youth Group	Parish Office	604 461-1369

## WARM WEATHER DAYS ARE HERE AGAIN!!



All of us are excited to put away our cold weather clothes and don summer gear. While our excitement is totally understandable considering we only enjoy 3 to 4 months of warmer weather, let us not forget that when we go to church to attend Mass, we should pay attention to

propriety and modesty in our manner of dressing. Please do not wear shorts, low-cut blouses, spaghetti straps and miniskirts when attending Masses and church services. Remember, we can still look good and even more elegant and classy if we dress appropriately!

## His visible power

Sometimes we need just a little bit more. A little more encouragement, a little more assurance, before we're secure enough to share our faith. It was the same for the apostles. Witnesses to so much: Jesus' miracles, ministry, His resurrection. Still they needed that visual cue: the Ascension. As Jesus ascended, the apostles were filled with great joy, feeling Jesus' divinity finally made evident to the world. Soon they would be swept away by Pentecost and scattered across the world, empowered to baptize all nations. Before the apostles could exercise authority in Jesus name, they needed the Ascension, an open acknowledgment of Jesus as ruler of all, who has full authority in heaven and earth.



## FATHER'S DAY CRUISE - JUNE 15, 2014

Please take your father and family for a **Boat Cruise**



Starting from Stanley Park for 3 hours.  
Saying Thanks to your Dad is easy as  
**Hop-on-board!**

Date: Sunday, 15, 2014

Time: 6:30pm-9:30pm (Boarding at 6pm) Sunset is 9:12pm

Place to Board: 450 Denman Street (North end of Denman)

Boat name: Pride of Vancouver

Cost: \$50 (buffet included), alcohol, soft drinks and special drinks are extra, sold by the boat. Tickets / Parish Office

It is a great way to take your father out, and support our youth wanting to celebrate their faith with the Pope for the World Youth Day 2016 Krakow. Want to see what the boat looks like. Check out [www.vancouvercharters.com](http://www.vancouvercharters.com)

## PROJECT ADVANCE 2014

**Live gratefully, give generously.**



Stewardship reminds us to count our blessings, acknowledge God's gifts to us and express thanks to Him. We do this by a proportionate giving of our time, talent and treasure. We sincerely thank the families in our parish who, as good stewards, have made a gift to Project Advance in the total amount of **\$19,123**. You are helping many people with many needs, and you are making a real difference by sharing what you have with joy. God bless you!

Please either submit your pledge card (in collection) or give online at [www.rcav.org/giving](http://www.rcav.org/giving) don't hesitate to call the parish office if you have any question.

## CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE



### Annual Strawberry Tea Party

Sunday June 1<sup>st</sup>, 1:30 to 3:30pm

In the portable. All strawberry treats!

50/50 draw, don't forget your pretty hat!



## SOCIETY OF ST. VINCENT DE PAUL



Today as we celebrate the feast of the Ascension of the Lord, we are reminded that Christ's saving work on earth continues through his disciples...and now through us as we help the poor in our community. By our giving to the poor, God indeed pours His love, peace and joy into our hearts, into our lives and into the hearts of those who are poor.

Next monthly meeting: Thursday, **June 12** at 7:00pm.

### CELEBRATION OF THE SACRAMENT OF THE INFIRM

~ 15th Anniversary at a special 11 am Mass on June 13, 2014~  
(Feast of St. Anthony)

All seniors and those who are gravely ill are invited to receive the healing touch of Jesus.

Weakened by age and different ailments, the Lord wants to make sure that you are not suffering your grave situation alone. He wants to use this Sacrament to support you in this time of difficulty. Anyone who is going through life threatening surgeries should receive this sacrament. Obviously, this sacrament is not just for any normal conditions of cold or flu, nor even re-occurring sickness that are not life-threatening. It can be also for young and old who are going to have a surgery which is very serious.

With Jesus on our side, it is consoling to know that we can fight a good fight. A free luncheon will be provided as like previous years after this special Mass. Also, some of our young people from our parish will be serving this wonderful luncheon.

God's blessings to all who help to co-ordinate this event, especially those volunteers who help the physically infirm to this special occasion.

"The special grace of the sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick has as its effects: the uniting of the sick person to the passion of Christ, for his own good and that of the whole Church; the strengthening, peace, and courage to endure in a Christian manner the sufferings of illness or old age; the forgiveness of sins, if the sick person was not able to obtain it through the sacrament of penance; the restoration of health, if it is conducive to the salvation of his soul; the preparation for passing over to eternal life" (CCC 1532). By enduring suffering courageously, one gains sanctification and helps others.

This is a popular event hosted by the Society of Saint Vincent de Paul. Please register your attendance by signing the registration form in the vestibule of the church or by calling the Parish Office at 604-461-1369 during regular office hours.

## CHRISTIAN LIFE PROGRAM (CLP)



The Couples for Christ - Handmaids of the Lord will host a Christian Life Program (CLP) at St. Joseph Parish portable starting on **June 7**, Saturday at 6:30pm. The program is a series of sessions about Basic Christianity; the Authentic Christian Life & Living a Spirit filled Christian Life. The program is FREE & is open to all mature women.

For details, please contact Charity Santos: 778-285-4299 or Sirikit Agbayani: 778-829-0197.

❖ **LOST & FOUND:** Honda Key & Fob, BCAA card/ ph parish office

## ST. JOSEPH'S PARISH COMING EVENTS:

June 1, Sunday 1:30pm: Strawberry Tea Party

June 11, 12, 13: Solemn Annual Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament

June 13, Friday 11am, Mass with Anointing of the Sick & Luncheon

June 15: Father's Day Boat Cruise

June 29, Sunday 4 pm: Confirmation with 45 PREP Students

September 7, Sunday 12-4pm: Parish Picnic at Rocky Point Park

## EVANGELII GAUDIUM: SPIRIT-FILLED EVANGELISERS

On Thursday **5<sup>th</sup> June** 2014, Mark Norbury OP will give a presentation on Pope Francis' popular exhortation "The Joy of the Gospel". Come and learn how to be a more effective and Spirit-filled evangeliser from the words of the Holy Father. 7:30pm – 9pm St. Joseph's Church portable, The evening will begin with a period of worship and music. Registration online at [www.dominicanlaity.ca/events](http://www.dominicanlaity.ca/events) or by phoning Jocelyn Rochard on 604 469 0713.

## ST. JOSEPH'S FORTY HOURS DEVOTION

Our parish Solemn Annual Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament is June 11, 12 & 13, 2014

### ADORATION HOURS

Wednesday June 11 - 8:30 am - 10:30 pm

Thursday June 12 - 8:30 am - 10:30 pm

Friday June 13 - 9:30 am - 9:30 pm

Benediction at 9:30pm concludes Adoration.

Please sign your name beside the time you are going to spend with the Blessed Sacrament on the sheet provided in the church vestibule.

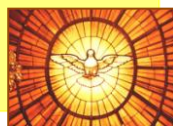


## OPERATION BABY BOTTLE CAMPAIGN

Pregnancy Concerns is a prolife local ministry reaching out to women experiencing an unplanned pregnancy. Show your support by picking up a baby bottle today, filling it with a financial gift (change, bills and/or cheque) and returned it on Father's Day June 15<sup>th</sup>!



## Charismatic Pentecost Celebration



Annual Catholic charismatic Pentecost celebration, St. Matthew's church, Surrey, Saturday, **June 7** from 10am to 2pm. Praise and Worship with Jeff Cabralda and his choir, Eucharistic Procession and Benediction, Concelebrated Mass, homily by Father Augustine Obiwumma, individual prayer and blessings from priests, closing reception.

## ONE-DAY RETREAT FOR MEN – Jake Khym



We welcome all men, young, single, and married for a full day retreat that is centred on practical ways to make a difference in the lives of men. This day event will inspire you to improve your relationship with God and your family. Jake Khym, registered Clinical Counsellor, is our featured speaker and has a Master's Degree in Counselling Psychology. Jake is also a husband, father of three, counsellor, teacher, and retreat master. He has inspired thousands and changed hundreds of lives. He's real, practical and dynamic. Join us for breakfast and a life changing day. Saturday, **June 7**, from 8:30-6pm, Our Lady of Assumption Parish. Visit our website for info & register <http://assumptionofmary.ca/retreat.php>