

## THIS WEEK'S MASS INTENTIONS

Monday	<b>July 14</b>	<b>St. Camillus de Lellis</b> 9:00 am INT: Jane A Wakefield
Tuesday	<b>July 15</b>	<b>St. Bonaventure</b> 7:00 pm RIP: Mr & Mrs Nootebos
Wed.	<b>July 16</b>	<b>Our Lady of Mount Carmel</b> 8:00 am INT: Les & Alice
Thursday	<b>July 17</b>	<b>Ordinary Weekday</b> 8:00 am INT: Jocelyn Rochard
Friday	<b>July 18</b>	<b>Ordinary Weekday</b> 7:00 pm RIP: Dennis Parker
Saturday	<b>July 19</b>	<b>Our Lady's Saturday</b> 5:30 pm INT: Jovi & Corrine So

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

## PRAYERS FOR THE SICK

Please pray for the sick of our Parish particularly: Don Rowe, Irene Munro, Joseph Slacik, Andrew Chew, Bill Van Eldik, Teresita Drexler, Ares Stroszyn, Suzanne Dubeau, Eliuterio Rodrigues, 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, Ed Chang, Bob Commins.

## ST. JOSEPH'S PARISH GROUPS

Altar Servers:	Parish Office	604 461-1369
Abp. Carney School Rep:	Mark Pan	604 460-6009
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
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!

## PRAY FOR IRAQ

Archbishop J. Michael Miller and the Iraqi community of the Archdiocese of Vancouver ask the faithful to fast and pray for peace in Iraq, where news organizations report the cleansing of Iraq's Christians has tens of thousands of Christian families fleeing or trapped in their homes. For more info. visit [rcav.org/prayers-for-iraq2014](http://rcav.org/prayers-for-iraq2014)



## Thanks to The Knights!!

Fr. Au sends his appreciation to the dedication of the Knights of Columbus who put their back to manual labour On Saturday June 28<sup>th</sup>. It was really great to see everyone together in service for the parish.



## Rectory Garden Makeover!

The call was urgent! Father Au needed to have the garden spruced up in time for Confirmation Mass the next day and so an urgent call for help was issued. 7 Knights responded and together with help from 2 landscape experts, we had the entire side and front yard of the rectory dug up and planted 15 trees! Kudos to brothers Sam, Patrick, Rommel, John, Ernie, Rome and Mark for showing up and working their hearts out.

With the heavy lifting done by Landscape expert Joe in his Bobcat and his capable assistant David, the Knights in their signature orange t-shirts dug out the grass and weeds and spread out 16 yards of mushroom manure and compost for the garden. To put things in perspective...1 yard will cover an area 108 square feet to a depth of 3 inches. So, 16 yards covers 1600 square feet. 8 to 10 wheelbarrow loads moves just ONE yard of material. God smiled on his Knights when Joe Stracqualursi of Total Care Service Contractors brought out his Bobcat!! And thanks to Joe's friend David and his chainsaw, we managed to disintegrate 4 of the 5 stumps from previous trees. The last one was just way too big for us to remove. Mushroom Manure and compost mix was donated by Meadows Landscape in Pitt Meadows. Also, many thanks to Tony, Elsa and Sarah who helped plant the flowers and continue to water the gardens.

## HOLY LAND PILGRIMAGE



**HOLY LAND PILGRIMAGE 2015 EXPERIENCE THE INCARNATION!** Every Sunday Mass, we hear the Word of God from the Bible. It seems like something that happened in distance land. But, the Bible is not a museum piece. You can make it real. Want to experience the Bible by walking? Here is the chance. Fr. Richard Au is taking a group to the Holy Land from April 26 for 2 weeks. He began his theological studies in the Holy Land between 1991 and 1992. Since 1995 he had led many groups of pilgrims to experience the Land of our Saviour. Fr. Au is familiar with the history, geography, theology and archaeology of the Holy Land. If you want to share this experience, please contact the parish office to put your name on the waiting list. The date for this pilgrimage is from April 26 – May 11, 2015. Information meeting on Friday, August 15 at 8 pm at St. Joseph's Parish. Travel arrangement is under the care of Confidence Travel Ltd /Thomas Cook Travel Services.



**PROJECT ADVANCE 2014.** Virtues of the Disciple & Christian Steward: Trust - The Christian steward seeks to trust in God more and trust in themselves less. When we put our trust in at-risk things like our jobs, our possessions, or bank accounts, we are extremely vulnerable to anxiety and fear. Trusting explicitly in God is very freeing. *"I tell you not to worry about your life. Can worrying make you live longer?"*

Matthew 6:25, 27

Thank you to the **111** families in our parish that have participated in Project Advance. We have now surpassed our \$27,000 diocesan goal!!! Gifts to date total **\$33,223**. Funds received going forward will be returned to the parish and used for our future building project. **Your participation and support counts – and all gifts matter.** Brochure / pledge forms can be found in the church vestibule. You can either submit your pledge card in the collection drop off or mail to the parish office or give online at [www.rcav.org/giving](http://www.rcav.org/giving). Please consider prayerfully how you will participate in Project Advance.

### SOCIETY OF ST. VINCENT DE PAUL



In today's Gospel, we hear the story of the sower and we know that "some seed fell on rich soil, and produced fruit, a hundred or sixty or thirty fold."

Please know that your gift to the Society of Saint Vincent de Paul will produce fruit a hundred fold.

No monthly meeting in July or August.

- During the months of July and August we will be **collecting used eyeglasses for distribution to the Third World Eye Care Society.** There is a drop off container in the vestibule of the church. Thank you for your donations.

### CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE



Inviting all ladies to join us for our second summer walk in the park on July 19<sup>th</sup> from 10am-11:30am. We will meet in the church parking lot at 10am, enjoy a walk at Rocky Point Park, and follow our

walk up with lunch at Pajo's. Come along for some fun, fellowship and food. Visit <http://cwlpm.org> for updates.



### EMERGENCY APPEAL FOR SOUTH SUDAN

The escalating conflict in South Sudan has created the large scale displacement of communities in their country with an estimated 4 million people in need of aid. As the violence escalates, and with food in short supply, the situation is expected to worsen. It is our responsibility to act and help the most vulnerable among the population by whatever means we have at our disposal. Let us support the immediate efforts to assist the displaced persons and refugees in South Sudan. <http://rcav.org/emergency-appeal-crisis-sudan/>

- ✦ **Children's Liturgy** will resume in Mid-September.
- ✦ Registration forms for **PREP 2014/15** can be found on the parish website.

### JEFF CABRALDA,

Our choir director for Sunday's 8:30 am & 10 am Masses.



I first came to St Joseph's back in 1980 when I was 7 years old. I began serving on the altar and serves mainly under the direction of Msgr Rossi and Fr Galvon. Fr Galvon encouraged me to learn the organ and even paid for some lessons. I started playing for the choirs at the age of 14. This later led me to change my computer science degree into a music education degree.

Fr Galvon married Jen and I in 1996 and the rest is history. My 10 year old daughter and 5 year old son have both been baptized at this parish and my parents still attend the 10am Mass.

I am currently the department head of music at Holy Cross regional high school and the Chair on the board of directors for the tri-city based Coastal Sound Music Academy. I have also been blessed to be able to serve at the Archdiocesan level to be able to provide music for either Archdiocesan or Catholic educator events.

I strongly believe that music is a God given gift that everyone is able to share in regardless of their musical background. Our tradition is full of music and is such an integral part of our celebration and I love how every person has a role to play in our music.

### OUR LADY OF LOURDES PILGRIMAGE

The annual Marian Pilgrimage to the Grotto of Our Lady of Lourdes in Mission will be Saturday, August 16 from 9:30am to 4pm. Come to Mission Heritage Park, 7494 Mary Street, Mission, to pray and celebrate in honour of Our Lady of Lourdes. Confessions begin at 10am, celebration of the Eucharist at 1pm. After Mass, procession to the Grotto where the Rosary is prayed followed by Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament. Please bring table and chairs. Hot lunches can be purchased on site or you can bring your own food. <http://rcav.org/missionpilgrimage>



### WORLD YOUTH DAY BOTTLE DRIVE!

St. Joseph's WYD group is continuing their fundraising efforts with a bottle drive. Please support them by dropping off your bagged bottles and beverage cans on the front porch of the rectory when you come to Mass. THANKS!



### PART TIME FACILITIES MAINTENANCE CARETAKER

Archbishop Carney School is seeking applications for the position of a part-time Facilities Maintenance Caretaker. If this interests you, details of the job requirements are listed in a notice on the church bulletin. Deadline for application is Friday, July 31, 2014.



### Humour with Church Word Signs

- "Sing broken, Message inside this Sunday"
- "If you can't sleep, don't count sheep. Talk to the Shepherd."
- "Right truth decay-study the Bible daily."