

## THIS WEEK'S MASS INTENTIONS

Monday	<b>Jan. 19</b>	<b>Weekday in Ordinary Time</b>
	9:00 am	INT: Helen Duggan
Tuesday	<b>Jan. 20</b>	<b>St. Fabian / St. Sebastian</b>
	7:00 pm	RIP: Madeline Scott
Wed.	<b>Jan. 21</b>	<b>St. Agnes</b>
	8:00 am	RIP: Paul Persoon
Thursday	<b>Jan. 22</b>	<b>St. Vincent</b>
	8:00 am	RIP: Mary Joseph
Friday	<b>Jan. 23</b>	<b>Weekday in Ordinary Time</b>
	9:00 am	RIP: Vincent Rechner
Saturday	<b>Jan. 24</b>	<b>St. Francis De Sales</b>
	5:30 pm	RIP: Michael Chew

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

## PRAYERS FOR THE SICK

Please pray for the sick of our Parish particularly: Maria Salgado, Don Rowe, Irene Munro, Joseph Slacik, Andrew Chew, Bill Van Eldik, Teresita Drexler, Suzanne Dubeau, Irene Hanson Monnie, Matt Essman, Carol Berry, Cecilia Obcena, Art Samson, Ed Chang, Thomas Chlebak, Sarah Gielty, Wendy Castro, Chloe Castro Liam Weeks and Annie Hughes.



## 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	604 461-1369
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:	Tessi Magsisi	604 315-5625
Pro-Life:	Terry O'Neill	604 464-5679
RCIA /SSVP & Youth Group	Parish Office	604 461-1369



## EPIPHANY BLESSINGS

Fr. Au will continue to have the traditional blessings of the Holy Water, salt and chalk on the Vigil of the Epiphany. Please take home the Holy Water and a small piece of chalk along with a prayer booklet for the annual renewal of blessings as according to your culture. If you like Fr. Au to come to your home for the blessings, please call the office to arrange a time to visit, especially, during these 40 days of Christmas, ending on Feb. 2. This is a wonderful custom and a teaching moment for your family members by connecting Christ's birth and his manifestation in your own home.

The chalk is to mark your homes with the following symbol:  
20 + C + M + B + 15 which signifies "Christ Bless this Home"

## Parish Religious Education Program (PREP)

For information regarding PREP please contact Mrs. Louanne Richards [prepkids@stjpm.com](mailto:prepkids@stjpm.com)

**Children's Liturgy** For children ages 4 - 8 every Sunday at the 10am Mass



## A TRUE DISPLAY OF STEWARDSHIP

Thank you to the many people that helped take down the Christmas trees and lights last Sunday!!! Over 20 people took time out of their day to help with a remarkable clean up!!! Fr. Au was overwhelmed with the support.

In particular, he would like to thank the Knights of Columbus for not only organizing the take-down but for their team work in setting up this year's Christmas display. Beautifying our parish with lights and decorations was an expression to our community that Christmas is a 'Very Special Occasion'.

**Stewardship: Loving God with Our Time, Talent, and Treasure**  
"For where your treasure is, there also will your heart be."

Matthew 6:21



## Join us on a spiritual journey to the Holy Land guided by Fr. Au, focusing on the Life and times of Jesus, "walking where Jesus walked"

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. Travel arrangement is under the care of Confidence Travel Ltd/Thomas Cook Travel Services.

## Gong Hei Fat Choy!



To celebrate the Lunar New Year, the Tri-city parishes Chinese Catholic Community invite everyone to join them on **February 19, 2015** (First day of the Year of the Goat) to dinner at [Grand Palace Restaurant](#), a Chinese cuisine fine dining establishment in Coquitlam. Mass will be celebrated at 6:30pm at St. Joseph, Port Moody.

In addition to taste traditional and authentic Chinese dishes, it will be a fun night to bring your family and friends. Tickets are at \$35 each. To guarantee a seat, please book early as we expect it will be a sold out event and tickets will be on a first-come-first-served basis. For tickets, please contact the parish at 604 604-461-1369.

## ARCHBISHOP CARNEY REGIONAL SECONDARY SCHOOL ANNUAL OPEN HOUSE



Our Open House is scheduled for Wednesday, January 21<sup>st</sup>, 2015 from 6:30pm to 9pm. At our Open House we welcome students and their families interested in applying for September 2015 (Grades 8-11) and for those who would like to visit our school. Our school is located at 1335 Dominion Ave, Port Coquitlam, 604 942-7465. (across from Art Knapps)

## CHINESE LANTERN WORKSHOP

Want To Learn How To Make A Beautiful & Unique Chinese Lantern? The class is on Saturday, February 7<sup>th</sup> - 10am to noon at the parish portable.



Fee: \$15/person (includes instruction & material)

**It's fun & easy to make. Everyone is welcome!**

Please register (ASAP) in person to the Parish Office or by calling 604-461-1369 (See the display in the church vestibule).

All proceeds after the expenses donated to St. Joseph Parish.

## SOCIETY OF ST. VINCENT DE PAUL



In the Gospel today, Jesus asks, "What are you looking for?" Often we are looking for happiness in very selfish ways, but we find it is when we look for ways to make others happy that we truly become happy.

As you placed your gift to the Society of St. Vincent de Paul in last week's second collection know that you are a sign of God's love to those who are suffering and you give them reason to believe and to trust.

Next Meeting: Thursday, February 12, 2015, at 7pm.

## KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS



Our next **Knight's Parish Breakfast** is on Sunday, **January 18<sup>th</sup>** after the 8:30am and 10am Masses! Our meals are prepared with love, cooked by the fathers and sons of St. Joseph's Parish.

Fresh pancakes, scrambled eggs, breakfast sausages and homemade morning buns make up our menu. Treat yourselves (no cooking or dishes to do) come and join us for a yummy breaky and fellowship.

**Save the date January 30**, for the next movie 'Knight' at 7:30pm in the upper room.



## CWL



You are invited to our next meeting January 27, following the 7 pm Mass. We will have a guest speaker – Cherrie Tam who is a health and beauty coach. All ladies welcome!

Membership forms and dues may be put in the collection basket or brought to the meeting on January 27<sup>th</sup>.

Check out our website [www.cwlp.org](http://www.cwlp.org)

## "LOVE IS IN THE AIR"



Join us on Valentine's Day for a night of dinner & dancing, door prizes, silent auction, 50/50 and a chance to win a grand prize (TBA)

**Purchase 10 tickets and get a FREE TICKET**  
**Tickets are at \$30/person**

Dance to love songs from the 60s, 70s, cha-cha, tango, salsa, & samba and line dancing. Music provided by a professional DJ  
Carney's school jazz band starts of the event.

In the past three years, we have had over 130 local businesses sponsor our event. From bankers, realtors, car dealerships, accountants, restaurants, insurance agencies, hotels, dental clinics, travel agencies. Attendees are mostly from the tri-cities, some have come as far as Vancouver and Mission.

For Sponsorship & Tickets sales – Pls. contact 778-883-1835 or by email to [ValentinesAtCarney@gmail.com](mailto:ValentinesAtCarney@gmail.com)

Produced by, The Valentine's Parent Participation Group of ACRSS. Proceeds from this Event will benefit ACRSS' projects.

## SIGNAL HILL PARENT INFORMATION NIGHT.

Parents with children in PREP and in our parish **with children in Grades 4, 6, and 7** are strongly urged to attend on **Tuesday February 17<sup>th</sup>** from 7pm - 9pm in the portable. There will be a presentation by speakers from Signal Hill on Human Sexuality and Life Issues to help parents be at ease talking to your kids about sex. **Please** make this a priority for the sake of your children. Please contact Louanne Richards to register. [prepkids@stjpm.com](mailto:prepkids@stjpm.com) by February 10<sup>th</sup>.



So many of us live with a hole in our hearts or see it in the people around us. Maybe you already know what fills that hole and want to learn how to share it with others, or you might feel like you need to be refilled yourself. At the ONE conference we invite you to ignite your faith life and spread the good news to others. Come and Start Joy in your world by listening to great speakers, celebrating Mass with Archbishop Michael and worshipping as ONE. Sat. Feb. 14 at the Vancouver Convention Centre. Tickets can be purchased online at [rcav.org/one](http://rcav.org/one) or at any parish.

### PRAYER FOR CHRISTIAN UNITY

God, spring of living water, make of us witnesses of unity through our attitudes more than through our words.

Help us to understand that we are not the owners of the spring, and that the gushing living water cannot be contained in our jars alone.

Teach us that our mission is to share your grace with those to whom we proclaim you.

We ask this in the name of your Son Jesus Christ, in the unity of the Holy Spirit. Amen.

## PRO-LIFE SPEAKER STEPHANIE GRAY PRESENTATION

Internationally renowned Canadian pro-life speaker presents:



*"Heroes & Role Models"*

Thursday February 5<sup>th</sup>, 2015 at 7:00PM

Our Lady of Fatima, 315 Walker St, Coquitlam,  
*Good Will Offering*

This presentation will examine the qualities of inspiring people and what core principles and values we can draw from their example to form a model of how to live a life with meaning.

In particular, it will apply these principles to the challenging situation of an unplanned pregnancy and examine the abortion debate and how people of good will should respond.

## WEEKEND RETREAT

**'THE ROAD TO CHRISTIAN MATURITY'**

February 6-8, 2015 - Cost: \$155. per person

Rev. Fr. Lawrence Donnelly – Retreat Master Pastor of St. Jude's Parish, Van. Retreat Schedule: Friday, Feb. 6 – 7:30pm to Sunday, Feb. 8 – 1:30pm Register: Call Our Lady of Assumption parish office 604-942-7808 [www.assumptionofmary.ca](http://www.assumptionofmary.ca)