Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time July 19, 2015

THIS WEEK'S MASS INTENTIONS

July 20 Monday **St. Apollinaris**
9:00 am INT: Ronnie Celestial

July 21 Tuesday **St. Lawrence of Brindisi**
7:00 pm RIP: Jackson Lue

July 22 Wed. **St. Mary Magdalene**
8:00 am INT: Marie Collison

July 23 Thursday **St. Bridget**
8:00 am INT: John Rochard

July 24 Friday **St. Sharbel Makhlf**
9:00 am INT: Fr. Thomas Arackal, IMS

July 25 Saturday **St. James**
9:00 am RIP: Nina Oliver

July 26 Sunday **Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time**
10:00 am INT: The people in our parish family

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

PRAYERS FOR THE SICK

Please pray for the sick of our Parish particularly: Vanessa Miller, Jessie Miller, Marlene Brakel, Chloe Castro, Wendy Castro, Thomas Chlebak, Andrew Chew, Teresita Drexler, Suzanne Dubeau, Bill Van Eldik, Matt Essman, Carol Berry, Sarah Gielty, Annie Hughes, Irene Hanson Monnie, Cecilia Obcena, Art Samson, Don Rowe, Joseph Slacik, Liam Week.

ST. JOSEPH'S PARISH GROUPS

Altar Servers:	Parish Office	604 461-1369
Abp. Carney School Rep:	Mark Pan	604-782-9612
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:	Valerie Lovato	778-984-6580
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

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!

PREP Registration going on thru the summer. Please contact Mrs. Louanne Richards for info. Ph. 778-712-0890 St. Joseph PREP Website: www.stjpm.com
* Please note **Children's Liturgy of the Word** will retire for the summer it will resume mid September.

Good example, best example

No matter what your background, if you have grown into a person of faith there is usually someone whose example you followed: a priest, godly teacher, devout parent. That person helped you learn what a child of God could and should be. And if you have rejected God, there is most likely a failed example you remember, someone whose life and words harmed, betrayed or deceived you. How wonderful it would be to have only good examples here on earth and none of the harmful ones to lead us astray.

In Mark 6:30-34, we are reminded that God has given us the trustworthy, divine example to follow: Jesus. He called us "sheep without a shepherd," not because the Shepherd had disappeared, but because we forget to look to Him. It's easier to watch the people around us, than to keep our ears and eyes tuned to God and trusting Him alone to guide us. Take a moment in prayer today to consider who you're following: a good example, or **the best** example?

St. Mary Magdalene

July 22, the feast of St. Mary Magdalene is considered one of the most mystical of feasts, and it is said that of all the songs of the saints, that of Mary Magdalene is the sweetest and strongest because her love was so great. That love was praised by Jesus Himself who said that because much was forgiven her, she loved much.

We extend our warm Welcome to our Pastor, Fr. Thomas Arackal, IMS and look forward to getting to know him as he unfolds his many experiences as they relate to our parish and our journey in faith together.

St. Therese's Prayer for Priests

O Jesus, eternal Priest, keep your priests within the shelter of Your Sacred Heart, where none may touch them. Keep unstained their anointed hands, which daily touch Your Sacred Body. Keep unsullied their lips, daily purpled with your Precious Blood. Keep pure and unearthly their hearts, sealed with the sublime mark of the priesthood. Let Your holy love surround them and shield them from the world's contagion. Bless their labors with abundant fruit and may the souls to whom they minister be their joy and consolation here and in heaven their beautiful and everlasting crown. Amen.

MAN ALIVE 2015: DESIRE, DESIGN, AND DESTINY

"We can't do it alone." That's the theme for this year's evening men's conference, so bring a friend to Man Alive with Christopher West who will be speaking about authentic manhood: Desire, Design, and Destiny. God's design for our desires is not that we suffocate them, but that we liberate them at their deepest level so they can lead us to our ultimate destiny: eternal bliss in union with him forever. That is what authentic manhood is all about! **Tuesday, August 11,** from 7-9:30pm at St. Mary's Parish, Vancouver. Cost: $15. Coffee and snacks available. To register, visit rcav.org/manalive or contact the Adult Evangelization and Discipleship Office at 604-683-0281.

PROJECT ADVANCE 2015

The 2015 Project Advance brochure and pledge form, envelopes have been mailed out! $27,000 is what we need to raise for the Archdiocese. With the upcoming building development, our parish goal for this annual appeal is $100,000. We can reach our goal with $300/family. Please continue to be generous! If you would like to use online giving go to: www.rcav.org/giving the first field to complete is "what is your parish?" don't forget to fill in St. Joseph's Port Moody. If you cannot find your envelope there are spares on hand at the entrance of the church. Please don't hesitate to call 604-461-1369, the parish office if you have any questions. Visit rcav.org/project-advance/ for more info.

SOCIETY OF ST. VINCENT DE PAUL

Collection of used eyeglasses will continue during the summer for the Third World Eye Care Society. Please place them in the basket which is in the vestibule of the church.

Have a safe and enjoyable summer. No monthly meeting in July or August, next monthly meeting is Sept. 10th

CWL

Hope we will see new faces in September and look forward to our monthly meetings beginning in September! Enjoy summertime!! www.cwlpm.org

FREE ESTATE & BURIAL PLANNING PRESENTATION

Will Preparation, Advance Care Planning, Powers of Attorney Cemetery Selection, Funeral & Burial Instructions at St. Michaels Parish Burnaby, Wednesday, **July 29**.

This presentation by the Archdiocese of Vancouver Development Office deal with matters you may not have thought about before but will help you gather your thoughts before you write your first will or prepare to update your will. Learn about the beauty and dignity of the funeral rite and how to formulate pre-need arrangements. Receive FREE guides and loads of practical advice. These workshops will present facts and information. No investment services or insurance will be promoted or sold. For more information, please contact 604-683-0281.

BULLETIN ADVERTISERS WANTED

Would you like to promote your business on the cover of our weekly parish bulletin or maybe suggest someone that might? The deadline for new ads is July 31st. Please contact the parish office for more information at office@stjpm.com or 604-461-1369. Thanks.

ANNUAL MARIAN PILGRIMAGE TO GROTTO OF OUR LADY OF LOURDES

Come to Fraser River Heritage Park, 7494 Mary St. Mission, to pray and celebrate in honour of Our Lady of Lourdes on Saturday, August 15, from 10am to 4pm. Confessions begin at 10am, celebration of the Eucharist at 1pm by Archbishop Miller, CSB. After Mass, there will be a procession to the Grotto where Rosary is prayed followed by Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament. Free bus service from Vancouver provided for the disabled and seniors 65 & over. For bus reservation, please contact Teresita Nixon at 604-940-7006 or at 604-868-2354. Please bring picnic baskets and chairs. rcav.org/missionpilgrimage/

CATHOLIC CHARISMATIC CONFERENCE

The Catholic Charismatic Healing Conference will be held the weekend of Sept. 18-19 at Chandos Pattison Auditorium, 10238 – 168th Street, Surrey. The Conference will feature Bob Canton and Fr. Jerry Thompson - speakers with highly successful Healing Ministries. Tickets are $10 each before August 15. Phone 604-597-8227 or fireblade@telus.net Visit www.vccrs.ca to view details.

SUMMER INSTITUTE

Summer Institute offers one-day courses that provide continuing education opportunities, ministry development and spiritual enrichment. Courses include: Basics of the Faith, Overview of the Liturgy, and Leadership Skills for Ministry. Ministry training is also offered for music ministry, lectors, ushers, PREP, LWC and RCIA. Saturday, Aug. 29, from 10-4pm, at Holy Cross Secondary, Surrey. Cost $35 includes lunch. Everyone is welcome!

For more information and registration visit:
www.rcav.org/oc/summer or call 604-683-0281.

HIS DREAMS, OUR REALITIES:

A Don Bosco Musical at Chandos Pattison Auditorium, Surrey This is the story of a dreamer. A juggler. Father, friend and saint, who never ceased to love the young and lead them closer to God. An original musical production prepared by the youth of Our Lady of Good Counsel Parish to celebrate St. John Bosco's 200th Birthday. Show times on Saturday, **Aug. 8** at 1pm, 4pm or 7pm. Cost: $15 (regular) / $12 (Early bird pricing until July 15, Seniors 60+, children 7 and under). Promo: Buy 10 get 1 free or buy 5 get 1 free for the 1st 20 buyers at all Our Lady of Good Counsel Mass times. For tickets, contact AJ Cabaccang at 604-767-7486 or email aj.cabaccang@gmail.com