

The Mass Intentions for This Week

July 11	Monday	St. Benedict 9:00 am RIP: Anita Cishecki
July 12	Tuesday	Weekday in Ordinary Time 7:00 pm INT: Jane A. Wakefield
July 13	Wed.	St. Henry 8:00 am RIP: Allan Riddehough
July 14	Thursday	St. Camillus de Lellis 8:00 am RIP: Carmen Costanzo
July 15	Friday	St. Bonaventure 9:00 am RIP: A. J. Gaudet
July 16	Saturday	Our lady of Mont Carmel 9:00 am INT: Les & Alice Arce Family
July 17	Sunday	Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time 8:30 am INT: Veronica Balce 10:00am INT: Our Parish

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

PRAYERS FOR THE SICK



Please pray for the sick of our Parish particularly:
 Jim O'Donnell, Helen Mair, Kristen Cummings, Donna Hicks, Irene Hanson Monnie, Don Rowe, Andrew Chew, Vanessa Miller, Chloe Castro, Wendy Castro, Marlene Brakel, Liam Week, Sarah Gielty, Thomas Chlebak, Teresita Drexler, Suzanne Dubeau, Bill Van Eldik, Annie Hughes, Joseph Slacik, Cecilia Obcena, Carol Berry, Art Samson, Bob Smith, Ann Lum Min & Gabriel Sanchez.

ST. JOSEPH'S PARISH GROUPS

Abp. Carney School Rep:	Mark Pan	604-782-9612
Bible/Prayer Group:	Jocelyn Rochard	604 469-0713
Choirs	Jeff Cabralda	604 812-3178
CWL:	Valerie Lovato	778-984-6580
Knights of Columbus:	Dennis Kwan	604-468-8205
Legion of Mary:	Tessi Magsisi	604 315-5625
Lectors:	Erica Penner	604-722-3604
Pro-Life:	Terry O'Neill	604 464-5679
RCIA:	Mark Norbury	604 695-7421
SSVP:	Parish Office	604 461-1369

PREP REGISTRATION 2016/17



We are now taking new registrations for September 2016. The registration form is available on the parish website. Please note that there are only two afternoon sessions for PREP next year. **There will be no Wednesday evening class.** Please complete the form (one for each child) and you may return it to the rectory during parish office hours, attention Louanne or drop it in the mail slot on the front porch of the rectory. If you require any information please contact Louanne Richards at 778-712-0890 or prepkids@stjpm.com

Who could, could you?

It's easy to look at the act of the Good Samaritan as a sort of "emergency roadside assistance." Of course we would help someone bleeding and beaten on the side of the road. We don't have hearts of stone. Who could pass by such suffering?

But the suffering souls we pass may not be so obvious. Their tears may be internal, their sighs almost silent. The blood staining their clothes may be from the wounds of weariness or loneliness, not a knife or a gun. It takes a closer look, a more tender heart to see the suffering that today's world serves up. These souls need solace as much as the beaten man did, and today's Samaritan must learn to see with God's eyes.

Look around your community today. Are there families without food, children without schoolbooks, mothers to be without medical care? Do the incurably ill suffer alone? These wounded souls stand by the roadside of our lives today watching as the world passes by. Will you?

It's the comfort that cocoons us

Do you see the outstretched hand
 From the tatters in the gutter
 As you flip the speed control
 From your air conditioned seat?

Do you hear the pleading voice
 From the rubble on the corner
 While designer footwear pedals past
 Walkman volume set to ten?

It's not the pace of life that daunts us
 Or the weight of many burdens
 It's the comfort that cocoons us
 And keeps out the cries of Jesus
 From abandoned hearts and lives
 We're just too cozy to perceive

PERMANENT DIACONATE ACCEPTING NEW APPLICATIONS

Archbishop Miller has announced that a third group of men will begin formation for the Permanent Diaconate in September. Classes will run from September to June, on one Friday evening and one Saturday each month. Efforts will be made to accommodate the needs of men with younger families.

Men aged 31-60 are eligible to apply, with the firm support of their wives. For more information or application forms, contact Msgr. Gregory Smith at deacons@rcav.org

BULLETIN ADVERTISING

Special note to all our Bulletin Advertisers:

Thank you for your advertising support throughout the year. August is the month when we usually update our advertisers. Please let the parish office know if you intend to renew your annual advertisement or if you would like to place an ad to promote your business in our parish bulletin. Call the office at 604-461-1369 for more details, Thank you!

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS



THANK YOU

The Knights would like to thank all parishioners for their help and support in our fund raising efforts. A total of \$928.40 was forwarded to our parish; \$650.00 from Charity Appeal and \$278.40 from parish breakfast. We are looking forward for your support again in September.

Do you know anyone needs a wheel chair? The Knights of Columbus wheel chair program can help. Please call 604-468-8205 or e-mail kwanden.koc@gmail.com for more info.

GARDEN FLOWERS

If you have cut flowers from your garden that you would like to beautify our Altar with, bring them to the church on Friday mornings. Our volunteer flower ladies will gladly use them in the church flower arrangements.



SOCIETY OF ST. VINCENT DE PAUL

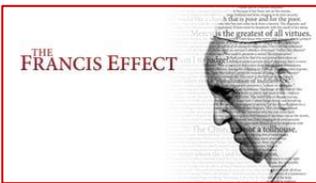


In today's Gospel, when Jesus asks "which of these three, in your opinion, was neighbor to the robbers' victim?" the scholar of the law answered, "the one who treated him with mercy." Jesus then said, "Go and do likewise." You also "treat the poor with mercy" by your donations to the Society of Saint Vincent de Paul. Thank you for your generosity.

Used eyeglasses are being collected for the **Third World Eye Care Society**; there is a drop off container in the vestibule of the church. No monthly meeting in July or August.



YOUNG ADULTS STUDY GROUP!



Love Pope Francis? Interested in how he's changing the face of Catholicism and drawing in the world? Come, watch and discuss "The Francis Effect," by Salt and Light. Thursday

evenings, **July 14, 21, 28** at 7:00 - 8:30 pm at St. Clare of Assisi, Coq. Study questions included. Free admission. To register, or for more info, please contact Helen, hed@sfu.ca



"With our eyes fixed on Jesus and his merciful gaze, we experience the love of the Most Holy Trinity. The mission Jesus received from the Father was that of revealing the mystery of divine love in its fullness." -Pope Francis

Live gratefully, give generously.



2016 - PROJECT ADVANCE

Success in the eyes of God is not about the quantity or quality of our material goods. Instead, it's about how we use these goods: do they move us closer to God, or are they an obstacle? God calls us to share what we have to help others. By providing support for many different ministries of the Church, Project Advance offers everyone a chance to exercise Christian stewardship.

Our parish financial goal for this year is \$100,000. Remember that funds received over our Archdiocesan goal (of \$27,000.) will be returned to us and used for our future parish centre and new church. Your participation counts and all gifts matter! Drop your pledge – envelope in the collection basket or give online it's easy, by visiting www.projectadvance.ca and designating St. Joseph's Port Moody as the recipient. While online, you can also view this year's video and read more on Project Advance.

To date, we have received 72 gifts totalling \$21,335.00 from our parishioners.

Live gratefully, give generously

Loving God, we come to You
with thanks,
knowing that all we are and
all we have are
gifts from You.

Help us to be faithful stewards of
Your gifts.
May we share them wisely and
generously.

Help us see Project Advance as
our way to live gratefully and
give generously; to evangelize
and to bring us
closer to You.

Whatever we do for others,
we do for You.

Guide us, strengthen us, and bless
us with your presence,
now and always .
Amen.

FAREWELL EVENT - BISHOP ELECT JOSEPH NGUYEN

Please join in celebrating the appointment of Bishop-Elect Joseph Nguyen as the sixth bishop of Kamloops. Mass will be celebrated on **Sunday, July 31**, at 5pm at Saint Patrick's Parish, Vancouver. A ticketed dinner will follow in St. Patrick's Recreation Centre. Tickets are \$35 and can be purchased online at rcav.org/tickets We would also like to send off Bishop-elect Nguyen to Kamloops with a spiritual bouquet. Visit rcav.org/event/farewell-celebration-fr-joseph-nguyen/ to add your prayers!