

The Mass Intentions for This Week

Nov. 7	Monday	Weekday in ordinary time
	9:00 am	INT: The Zazzi Family
Nov. 8	Tuesday	Weekday in ordinary time
Nov. 9	Wed.	Dedication of the Lateran Basilica
	9:00 am	RIP: Deceased Sevi Family Members
Nov. 10	Thursday	St. Leo the Great
	9:00 am	RIP: Michael Wu
Nov. 11	Friday	St. Martine of Tours
	9:00 am	RIP: Pat Davis
Nov. 12	Saturday	St. Josaphat
	9:00 am	INT: The Miletic Family
	5:30 pm	RIP: Rose Wijesekera
Nov. 13	Thirty-third Sunday in Ordinary Time	
	10:00 am	INT: Our Parish
	12 Noon	RIP: Jenny Olivera

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

PRAYERS FOR THE SICK

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



ST. JOSEPH'S PARISH GROUPS

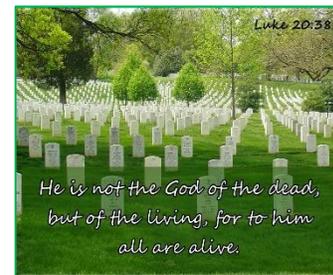
Abp. Carney School Rep:	Mark Pan	604-782-9612
Bible/Prayer Group:	Jocelyn Rochard	604 469-0713
Choirs	Jeff Cabralda	604 812-3178
CWL:	Valerie Lovato	778-984-6580
Knights of Columbus:	Dennis Kwan	604-468-8205
Legion of Mary:	Tessi Magsisi	604 315-5625
Lectors:	Erica Penner	604-722-3604
Pro-Life:	Terry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



"Among the Sacraments, certainly Reconciliation renders present with particular efficacy the merciful face of God: it is constantly and ceaselessly made real and manifest. Let us not forget, both as penitent and confessors: there is no sin that God cannot forgive!" Pope Francis

From Mouthing To Ministry

We can find it terribly easy in our faith to "go through the motions." By the time Jesus arrived on the scene in first-century Palestine, the same thing had happened to the Pharisees and Sadducees. Rather than creatively engaging in ministry, they were caught up in the ancient theological equivalent of "how many angels can dance on the head of a pin?" In their case, the question, designed to divert Jesus from effective teaching and ministry, was, "In a case of multiple marriages, to whom are we actually married when we meet up with all these former spouses in heaven?" Too often, we, too, find ourselves dealing with arcane questions that divert us from ministry. The questions may spring from our backgrounds: we find ourselves as Traditionalists or Christian Secularists or the Walking Wounded. And by staying in those groups, we never move on from mouthing ministry to actually doing ministry. But we can, if we begin to burn up for Christ, patch up with Christ, and sign up with Christ. Then, the peripheral questions no longer matter as much. Instead, we can get on with ministry, not mouthing.



November - The Month of Holy Souls in Purgatory

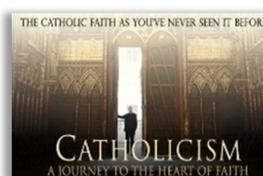
Catholic piety has assigned entire months of the year to various devotions. As a reminder of our duty to pray for the suffering faithful in Purgatory, the Church has dedicated the month of November to the Holy Souls. The Holy Souls are those who have died in the state of grace but who are not yet free from all punishment due to their unforgiven venial sins and all other sins already forgiven for which satisfaction is still to be made. They are certain of entering Heaven, but first they must be purified in Purgatory. The Holy Souls cannot help themselves because for them the night has come, when no man can work (John 9:4). It is our great privilege of brotherhood that we can shorten their time of separation from God by our prayers, good works, and especially, the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass.



NOVEMBER ALL SOULS ENVELOPES

Envelopes are available at the table by the church entrance. Write names of intentions on envelope, include donation, and place in the collection. The envelopes will be kept on the altar during the month of November.

CATHOLICISM A Journey To The Heart Of Faith



In this week's Episode, Lesson 7: Liturgy and Eucharist, Bishop Barron will take us on a tour of sorts through the Mass, looking at how the liturgy really is a "sacred game which the soul plays before God." Wednesday, Nov. 9, 7:00 pm in the portable.

2016 - PROJECT ADVANCE

Live gratefully, give generously.



We sincerely thank all of you who have made a gift to Project Advance 2016, and we do hope that those of you who have not yet made up your mind to contribute, will do so before the Christmas season comes in.

To date pledges: \$48,075 • A total of 144 gifts

Remember that funds received from now on will be returned to us and used for our future development. 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

SOCIETY OF ST. VINCENT DE PAUL



In today's Gospel we find that God is a God of the living, and this is indeed the core of our hope. Jesus has risen and is with us; therefore, at no time should we be without hope for the future. When you give to the Society of Saint Vincent de Paul, you give hope to those who have nothing.

Next meeting: Thursday, **10 Nov.** at 7 pm, upper room

Coat and Blanket Drive



During the month of November Alex Fantillo, along with our St. Vincent de Paul Society, will be collecting men's, women's and children's clean used winter sweaters, coats blankets for the men's homeless shelter in Vancouver and the needy in our local area. If you would like to help with the drive any donations are appreciated. Items can be dropped off in the boxes provided on the back porch of the rectory (office entrance). Thank you!

SAINT OF CALCUTTA EXHIBIT HAS BEEN EXTENDED!

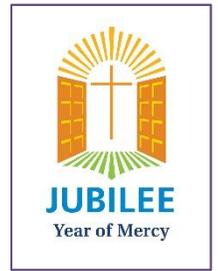
Join us on **Nov. 10 & 11**, from 9am - 9pm and **Nov. 12**, from 9am - 5pm at St. Mary's Parish, Vancouver to view the Saint Mother Teresa Exhibit. This is a great opportunity to learn more about the Saint of Calcutta! This exhibit has travelled the world and we are blessed to have it displayed within our Archdiocese. Special thanks to the Missionaries of Charities for making this exhibit possible! rcav.org/mother-teresa

A MAGICAL WORLD OF TRIVIA

Archbishop Carney School's Music & Athletics Dept. presents "A Magical World Of Trivia", a fun filled and exciting evening. This year's theme is Disney, so come dressed as your favorite Disney character; there will be a prize for best costumes! Trivia teams of 8 will compete for the grand prize and bragging rights! Other games will include Toonie Toss, 50/50 and more! There will be a cash bar, snacks & pizza. Come join in the fun! Date: Saturday, **Nov. 19**. Doors open at 6:30pm. Place: ACRSS Gym—Tickets are only \$25. each or eight for \$175. Anyone interested may purchase tickets from Mrs. Young. Please contact her at young@acrss.org

CLOSING OF THE HOLY DOORS AND CONFERRAL OF PAPAL HONOURS

As the Year of Mercy comes to a close, join us for a special celebration on Sunday, November 13. The Archdiocese of Vancouver will formally close the Holy Door at Holy Rosary Cathedral and conclude the Year of Mercy with a special Mass on Sunday, Nov. 13 at 2:30 pm. This will be a joyous occasion as dioceses of the world will also close their holy doors. Those known for their service in the Archdiocese of Vancouver will also be recognized on this day as they receive special honours from the Holy Father during an award ceremony.



In Pope Francis' document for the Year of Mercy, he writes, *"Mercy is the very foundation of the Church's life. All of her pastoral activity should be caught up in the tenderness she makes present to believers; nothing in her preaching and in her witness to the world can be lacking in mercy."* Although this Jubilee Year is coming to an end, this does not mean that our focus on mercy should end. We are called to be people of mercy at all times by living out the Corporal and Spiritual Works of Mercy in our daily lives. Come mark the end of this Jubilee Year with us. rcav.org/year-of-mercy

CARNEY'S CRAFT FAIR



Please join us for Archbishop Carney Secondary School's 18th Annual Christmas Craft Fair! There will be over 150 vendors who come as far as Ontario to participate. Vendors are selected by craftsmanship, individuality and reputation, and all products are handmade through meticulous craftsmanship and care. There will be a semi-gourmet concession and 30 baskets for raffle! Admission is \$3 for adults, \$1 for seniors and students, and kids are free. Date: **Saturday November 12 & Sunday Nov. 13** Time: Doors open at 10 am each day Place: Archbishop Carney School 1335 Dominion Ave. For more info. call the school office at 604 942-7465.

55TH ANNUAL CHARITY APPEAL For only \$2 a ticket,

you can win 5 major & 12 early bird cash prizes:



1st Prize: \$50,000 Cash

2nd Prize: 2017 Ford F150 4X4 XLT Supercrew

3rd Prize: 2017 Chevy Camaro 1LT V6

4th Prize: 2017 Toyota RAV 4 AWD LE

5th Prize: 2017 Harley Davidson Street 750

PLUS 12 Early Bird Cash Prizes

Early Bird Draw: Jan. 21, 2017 • Main Draw: Feb. 4, 2017

Buy your tickets from the Knights of Columbus at the Church vestibule after each weekend Mass.

Your support goes a long way to help fund local projects.

• 19+ to play • See posters for details.