

The Mass Intentions for This Week

Jan. 30	Monday	Weekday in Ordinary Time
Jan. 31	Tuesday	St. John Bosco 7:00 pm RIP: Fred Arayon
Feb. 1	Wed.	Weekday in Ordinary Time
Feb. 2	Thursday	Presentation of the Lord
Feb. 3	1 st Friday	St. Blaise, & St. Ansgar 7:00 pm RIP: Margaret Halvey
Feb. 4	Saturday	Our Lady's Saturday 9:00 am Thanksgiving to Our Blessed Mother 5:30 PM INT: Derek McFadden
Feb. 5	Sunday	The 5 th Sunday in Ordinary Time 8:30 am INT: Our Parish 10:00 am RIP: Maria Josefa Young

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

PRAYERS FOR THE SICK

Please pray for the sick of our Parish particularly:
Victor Peterson, Sharon Chila, Paul Cummings, Jim O'Donnell, Helen Mair, Els Roosen, Andrew Chew, Don Rowe, Suzanne Dubeau, Sarah Gatzka, 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, Brian Smith, Liam Week, Pam Banyard, Carol Berry, Sarah Gielty, Thomas Chlebak, Ann Lum Min, Gabriel Sanchez, Ron & Louise Meranger, Mary Chandler, Elise Kobbeltvedt, Shirley Hutton.



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

SECOND ANNUAL ORDINANDI DINNER

Join Archbishop Miller and members of the Catholic faithful as we gather together in support of the men in our Archdiocese who are soon "to be ordained" ("ordinandi") to the priesthood. Meet your future priests: Deacon Francesco Voltaggio, Deacon Giovanni Schiesari, and Deacon Juan Lucca. Join us on Wednesday, **February 1**. To register or for more info on how to sponsor a priest or seminarian, visit vocationsvancouver.ca



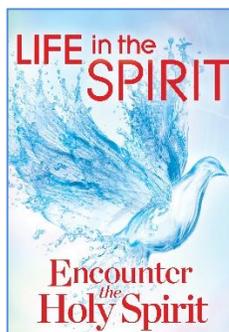
What price happiness?

Are you happy? Were you happy yesterday? When was the last time you were happy for a whole week? Last year's vacation in a condo on the beach? For most of us, unless we've recently survived a heart attack and are happy just to be alive, happiness is associated with certain people or circumstances or environments. We often mistakenly think that physical pleasure or emotional excitement is a lasting source of happiness. Then too late we realize the price is more than we can afford. In today's reading, the Lord offers an alternative pathway to happiness: eight attitudes of the heart and spirit which result in the only happiness that lasts. We call them the Beatitudes. Are you willing to consider a different kind of happiness than the one you're used to? It's offered freely, but beware following the Beatitudes may cost you your whole self.



February 3rd St. Blaise ~ Blessing of throats

This blessing, begun in the 16th century, came from the legend that St. Blaise once saved a small boy from choking to death on a bone caught in his throat. At St. Blaise's command, the child coughed up the bone and was able to breathe once again. In practice today, the priest holds two crossed candles at the throat of each person and gives this blessing: Through the intercession of St. Blaise, bishop and martyr, may God deliver you from every disease of the throat and every other illness: In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.



LIFE in the SPIRIT SEMINAR

St. Joseph's Parish, Port Moody will be sponsoring the LIFE IN THE SPIRIT Seminar Held on seven consecutive Thursday evenings beginning February 23rd - April 6th 2017 from 7 pm – 9 pm in our parish portable.

The seminar is composed of a series of talks given by priests of our Archdiocese, designed to lead people through the basic message of salvation, and help them yield to the action of the Holy Spirit in their lives. Many of us cradle Catholics do our best to live out our Christian faith, and as the work and gifts of the Holy Spirit are presented to us in the seminar, we can accept the grace offered us to be renewed.

You are invited to join the seminar by registering through the parish office: office@stjpm.com / 604-461-1369 or Jocelyn Rochard: jocroc.540@gmail.com / 604-469-0713 Seminar - FREE, Registration required (booklets provided)

BC CATHOLIC

On the weekend of, February 4 & 5, there will be a second collection for the BC Catholic. The envelope in your box is named 'The Catholic Press Apostolate' please be generous in supporting the cause.



ARCHBISHOP CARNEY SCHOOL OPEN HOUSE

Archbishop Carney Regional Secondary invites you to an Information meeting and follow-up to the Open House. The meeting will be on Wednesday, **February 15th at 6:30 pm**. Applications will be available for the 2017-2018 school year.

CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE NEWS



Ladies of St. Joseph's Parish, How would you like to become part of an active community of women, meet new friends increase your faith, make a difference in your parish, your community and your country, and have fun along the way? The CWL annual membership drive is happening soon. All women in the parish 16 and older are encouraged to join the CWL.

SOCIETY OF ST. VINCENT DE PAUL



In this Sunday's Gospel Jesus gives us the Beatitudes, which embody a radically alternative vision of life and we find that God indeed calls us to blessedness. Through your generosity, the Society of St. Vincent de Paul is able to help the poor and feed the hungry in our community. Next monthly meeting: **Thursday, February 9, at 7pm** in the upstairs room.

OUR LADY OF FATIMA PRE-KINDERGARTEN YR. 2017/18

Open House and Registration will take place February 1 from 6:30 – 7:30 pm at the Fatima Centre, (gym.) 315 Walker St., Coquitlam. Come and visit the preschool following registration. This is a play-based enriched 3 and 4-year old program. Call Mme. Viola or Mme. Eun Jung at 604 936-4250 for more information.

ARCHDIOCESE OF VANCOUVER RED MASS

The 2017 Archdiocese of Vancouver Red Mass and Reception will be on Thursday, Feb. 16. The Red Mass, celebrated by Archbishop Miller, will be at Holy Rosary Cathedral at 5 p.m. A reception will follow at the Terminal City Club, 837 West Hastings Street, Vancouver at 6:30 pm with our special guest speaker, Archbishop J. Peter Sartain of the Archdiocese of Seattle. All are welcome to the Red Mass and tickets for the reception can be purchased at www.rcav.org/red-mass. Tickets prices are 1 for \$130, 2 for \$250 and a table of 8 for \$1000.

January 22nd Weekly Collection = \$3744.95
Building Fund Collection = \$570.00

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

Volunteers are needed to help with flower arranging for the Altar. **Please phone** the parish office if you can assist 604-461-1369.



Electronic Funds Transfers for Weekly Contributions

For our finances to be healthy we rely heavily on your continued gifts of generosity. Many of you have transitioned to electronic funds transfers (EFT) from your personal bank accounts on a weekly basis. By the way second collections are not part of the EFT so please continue to give these envelopes. Thank you all for those who are participating and we continue to encourage those who are still considering joining this initiative. Forms to sign up are available at the church entrance and on our parish website stjpm.com Please contact our parish office for further inquiries. If you like you can still drop your envelopes in the collection basket with EFT printed on it. But that's totally up to you.



OLOA PARISH MISSION

You are invited to a Parish Mission "Work Out Your Salvation," Monday, February 20 to Thursday, Feb. 23, 7-8 pm at Our Lady of the Assumption Parish, Port Coquitlam. Mission is led by Fr. Wade Menezes, from the Fathers of Mercy, who is a Preacher, writer and host of several televised series for EWTN, including The Crux of the Matter. For more info, please contact Our Lady of Assumption Parish at 604-942-7808.

WORLD DAY OF THE SICK 2017

Archbishop Michael Miller, CSB, will be celebrating a Mass of Anointing to celebrate World Day of the Sick 2017, at Our Lady of Sorrows Church, 555 S. Slocan St., Vancouver, on Friday **February 10th** at 10:30 am. The Sacrament of Anointing will be administered after the Homily. All the sick and their caregivers are invited to attend. Following Mass, a simple refreshment will be offered in the parish hall. Plenty of parking is available.

SEMINARY VOCATION LIVE-IN

On the weekend of Feb. 17-19, there will be a Vocation Live-In for boys or young men interested in the priesthood or consecrated life at Seminary of Christ the King, Mission. Cost: \$25. For more info., please contact 604-826-8715.