

The Mass Intentions for This Week

March 13	Monday	Lenten Weekday
March 14	Tuesday	Lenten Weekday 7:00 pm RIP: Brenda Dorothy Coombs
March 15	Wed.	Lenten Weekday 9:00 am RIP: Josie Keenan
March 16	Thursday	Lenten Weekday
March 17	Friday	St. Patrick
March 18	Saturday	St. Cyril of Jerusalem 9:00 am RIP: Dennis Parker 5:30 pm RIP: Oswin & Hilda Leitan
March 19	Sunday	Third Sunday in Lent 10:00 am INT: Our Parishioners

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



STATIONS OF THE CROSS

Friday evenings at 7:00 pm during Lent.

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, Brian Smith, Bill Van Eldik, Donna Hicks, Kristen Cummings, Chloe Castro, Wendy Castro, Marlene Brakel, Liam Week, Pam Banyard, Carol Berry, Sarah Gielty, Thomas Chlebak, Ann Lum Min, Gabriel Sanchez, Ron & Louise Meranger, Mary Chandler, Elise Kobbeltvedt, Shirley Hutton. For prayer request and updates please call the parish office. Names will be listed for three months unless notified.



Dedicated to change

The story of Jesus' transfiguration calls each of us to examine our own lives. As God's children we are constantly in need of transformation, to become better representations of our beloved Savior to the broken world. True spirit-filled transformation requires an open heart and eyes to read God's signs and signals daily, the voice of people and circumstances in our lives. Are we listening or deaf? Stubborn or yielding? Have we sought to be transfigured into His image or are we relentlessly holding on to our own plans, our own will? May this feast of the transfiguration become a rededication for each of us to become more like Jesus in all that we say and do.



ST. JOSEPH'S PARISH ANNUAL SOLEMN EXPOSITION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

The 40 Hours' Devotion Schedule:
 Wednesday, March 29 - 9:30am to 1:00am
 Thursday, March 30 - 9:30am to 1:00am
 Friday, March 31 - 9:30 am to 6:30 pm
 Benediction will conclude the 40 Hours Devotion.

Please sign your name beside the time you would like to visit. The sign-up sheet is in the church vestibule.

The Blessed Sacrament must never be left alone.



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

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

What are the major advantages of electronic giving?

Electronic Funds Transfer (EFT) is all about convenience for you and consistency for the Church. Electronic giving eliminates frequent cheque writing and helps members stay on track with contributing even when on holidays. The Church in turn benefits from much-needed donation consistency and a reduction in the volume of cheques and cash contributions that must be handled and manually processed. Forms are available in the entrance of the church and on the parish website: www.stjpm.com

2016 TAX RECEIPTS ARE READY TO BE PICKED UP

The income tax receipts have been issued and are in the vestibule of the church. St. Joseph's Parish, St. Vincent de Paul and Project Advance tax receipts are together in one envelope. Thank you for your generous support.

* Please note tax receipts for **online** donations to Project Advance were emailed at time of contribution. If you are missing your receipt kindly contact Grant Andrews at the Project Advance office gandrews@rcav.org or call him at 604-683-0281 local 50322.

COME WATCH A MOVIE

The Saturday choir is hosting a lent themed movie night on March 18th after Mass at 7 pm in the portable. The movie is called "Restless Heart" and captures the story of St. Augustine. The orator, seeking Truth in many philosophies, found in the Catholic Church, became the most famous convert in history. His whole journey is recounted in his spiritual autobiography.

SOCIETY OF ST. VINCENT DE PAUL



In the Gospel Jesus is transfigured and a voice from heaven said, "This is my beloved Son, the Beloved, with him I am well pleased; listen to him!" Do we listen to Jesus when he asks us to take care of our brothers and sisters who are suffering? When we help the poor and neglected in our midst we are indeed listening to him and fulfilling our mission here on earth.

Next monthly meeting: Wed., April 12 at 12 noon in the portables. We will be preparing Easter Hampers for delivery.

EASTER FOOD HAMPERS

On Wed., April 12, we will be delivering food hampers to needy families. To help us defray our costs, we would appreciate donations of non-perishable food items. Some suggested items: peanut butter, cereal (hot or cold), granola bars, crackers/cookies, jam, pasta sauce, can tuna, can salmon, Heinz Beans in Tomato Sauce, can fruit, can soup, Jello, instant pudding mix, or any other non-perishable items you wish to donate are always appreciated. Thank you for your continued generosity.

CWL



Join your sisters in Christ Sunday March 26th at 1:30 pm for our monthly meeting of action, community, and prayer. All women of the parish 16 and over are encouraged to attend. New members are always welcome.

EASTER LILY SALE

Please note that the CWL will be selling Easter Lilies again this year. Watch for details in the bulletin.



ARCHBISHOP CARNEY'S AUCTION, DINNER AND DANCE

Please join us for Archbishop Carney School's 22nd Annual "An Evening with the Stars" Auction, Dinner and Dance! An exciting evening including a live auction with Port Coquitlam Mayor Greg Moore as auctioneer, silent auction, dinner, entertainment by Clavinova Nights jazz band and the Dance Machine Mobile DJ, raffles, and celebrity MC, Global News reporter, Jennifer Palma! This all happens on **Saturday, April 1**, Dinner at 6:30pm Tickets are on sale now! Only \$50 each. For more info. to purchase tickets or if you'd like to make a donation to the auction please call the office: 604-942-7465 email carneyauction@gmail.com or go to www.acrss.org. With the auction being themed "An Evening with the Stars", we are encouraging attendees to dress up like a Hollywood Star! There will be prizes for best dress female, best dress male and best dressed table.

Holy Land Pilgrimage

Purple Orchid Tours and Holidays, Canada
Come fulfill a Life Long Dream — Walk in the footsteps of Jesus and bring the Scriptures to life! Host: Brian Andrade.
June 02 to June 15, 2017 (12 nights/13 days)
Price CAD 4,100. (All inclusive) for details please contact:
Brian Andrade 778-999-4599 ~ 403-539-8999

March 5th Weekly Collection = \$2901.05
Building Fund Collection = \$603.65

PLEASE SUPPORT THESE UPCOMING PRO-LIFE EVENTS

- * **March 27**, Launch of Life Compass, north-of-Fraser pro-life group. *Turn on Your Life Light*. An inspiring and informative evening featuring speakers Colleen Roy (BC Catholic) and Natalie Hudson Sonnen (Life Canada). Begins at 7pm, Coquitlam Alliance Church, 2601 Spuraway Ave. (at Como Lake & Mariner), Free.
- * **April 15**, St. Joseph's Annual *Easter Flower Distribution*, 11am, Eagle Ridge Manor. Leave a message with Terry O'Neill at 604-464-5679 to volunteer.
- * **May 15**, *Focus on Life Gala Dinner*, supporting Signal Hill. Starts at 6:30pm, Italian Cultural Centre, Vancouver. Featuring Kim Phúc, war survivor and human-rights advocate. See focusonlife.ca for details.

THE CATHOLIC FORUM

The Catholic Forum invites you to explore the topic: "Drug Crisis: Saving Our Children for the Snares of Addiction", with Tamás Ungar, MD. Bring your questions and a friend. Tuesday **March 21** at 7 pm in St. Mary's Church, Vancouver. By donation. For more info see <http://dominicanlaity.ca/form>

MONASTIC LIFE WORKSHOP FOR LADIES

On the weekend of April 7 - 9, there will be a Monastic Life Workshop for ladies interested in the consecrated life, at Westminster Abbey, Mission. More info 604-826-8975.

Protestant Reformation & The Positive Impact Of Vatican II

This year marks the 500th anniversary of the Protestant Reformation. How far have we moved towards reconciliation? Please join us in two Saturday morning dialogue sessions with our Lutheran brothers and sisters as we address the historical implications of the reformation and the positive impact of Vatican II. The first session will be held on March 18 at Good Shepherd Lutheran- 1504 Spruce Ave., Coq. and the 2nd session will be held on March 25 at All Saints Parish, both from 9:30am to 12:30pm.

LENTEN PENITENTIAL SERVICES

All services begin at 7pm

Tuesday	March 28	◦ St. Patrick's, Maple Ridge
Wed.	March 29	◦ St. Clare of Assisi, Coquitlam
Sunday	April 2	◦ Our Lady of Assumption, Pt. Coq
Tuesday	April 4	◦ St. Luke's, Maple Ridge
Wed.	April 5	◦ All Saints, Coquitlam
Thursday	April 6	◦ St. Joseph's, Port Moody
Sunday	April 9	◦ St. Francis de Sales, Burnaby
Tuesday	April 11	◦ Our Lady of Fatima, Coquitlam