

## Mass Intentions for This Week

June 5	<b>Monday</b>	<b>St. Boniface</b> 9:00 am <u>RIP: Lamie Phoon</u>
June 6	<b>Tuesday</b>	<b>St. Norbert</b> 7:00 pm
June 7	<b>Wed.</b>	<b>Weekday</b> 9:00 am <u>RIP: Lamie Phoon</u>
June 8	<b>Thursday</b>	<b>Weekday</b> 9:00 am <u>RIP: Lamie Phoon</u>
June 9	<b>Friday</b>	<b>St. Ephrem</b> 9:00 am <u>RIP: Lamie Phoon</u>
June 10	<b>Saturday</b>	<b>Our Lady's Saturday</b> 9:00 am <u>RIP: Achilles A. Arce</u> 5:30 pm <u>RIP: Tien Soo &amp; Wai Ken</u>
June 11	<b>Sunday</b>	<b>Solemnity of the Most Holy Trinity</b> 8:30 am <u>RIP: All Souls in Purgatory</u> 10:00 am <u>INT: Our Parishioners</u> 12 noon <u>RIP: Lamie Phoon</u>

The complete Mass time schedule is listed on the front page

## PRAYERS FOR THE SICK



Please pray for the sick of our Parish particularly: Ed Arce, Jim O'Donnell, Victor Peterson, Sharon Chila, Helen Mair, Paul Cummings, 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, Liam Week, Carol Berry, Sarah Gierty, Ann Lum Min, Ron & Louise Meranger, Mary Chandler, Elise Kobbeltvedt, Brian Smith, Shirley Hutton, 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

## 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](http://www.stjpm.com)  
**Ascension of the Lord**

## How Christ speaks to our fears

We know well enough the glorious events of Easter morning, but what about that night? St. John tells us the friends of our Lord were gathered in fear with the doors shut. No doubt they were fearful for their own lives having seen the brutal crucifixion of Jesus. Yet they also knew about the Resurrection. Had they thought a bit, they would have remembered the Lord promised where two or three were gathered in His name, He would be present also. That night, as Christ appeared to them, He said "Peace. Peace be with you," silencing by His mere presence their doubts and fears. Ever since that night, those who trust Christ's promises have discovered He still comes in times of trial to speak words of comfort and strength to His followers, bringing peace. As Brother Lawrence said: "I am in a calm so great that I fear nothing. What can I fear when I am with Him?"



**Please Pray for Our Confirmation Youth as they will be Confirmation today, Sunday June 4 at 3:30 pm with Bishop David J. Monroe**

Eliano Al-mounayer, P. J. Arce, Xavier D'Sa, Carter Demelo, Jeremy Gagnon, Marina Heisel, Kieran Hennessy, Haley Hughes, Noah Iacutone, Adam Loretan, Dylan Midgley, Nico Milenaar, Braeden Wynne, Lea Zygmunt, Jacob Buljan, Amanda Cabralda, Xalli Campos, Michele Dorvault, Izabela Fabbro, Leone Jiwani, Kalen Maurice, Talia Mazzochio, Malaena Michielin, Emily & Julia Mueckel, Annette Montagliani, Alexandra Ogilvie, Grace Robinson, Villamor Silva, and Luke Young

**May God's love be always in your heart to strengthen you along life's way.**



## PROJECT ADVANCE 2017 Live gratefully, give generously.

**This year the Parish has mailed pledge forms to your home; you should be receiving them this coming Monday or Tuesday.** In case for some reason you don't receive a pledge form in the mail, there will be blank forms available in the vestibule next Sunday. There are several easy ways to donate: **1.** You can donate on line by going to the Archdiocesan website: [rcav.org](http://rcav.org), click on Project Advance on the Home Page. This will take you directly to the pledge form. Be sure to select St. Joseph's – Port Moody! They even accept installment payments!!! **2.** By dropping your completed Project Advance form in the collection basket within the next few weeks. Cash, cheque or visa payments are accepted. **3.** Or you can make a pledge on your form and be billed by the Project Advance office later. If you need further information please don't hesitate to contact our Parish Secretary Leona who will assist you. **So please, there is no need to delay, it's very simple, just jump on line to submit your pledge or complete your forms and return them to the Parish.**



**Not to chew gum in Church.** It breaks your fast, it's distracting, it is considered impolite in a formal setting, and it doesn't help us pray better. Can you imagine the Pope popping gum during Mass?

### SOCIETY OF ST. VINCENT DE PAUL

Today we celebrate Pentecost, Jesus says to his disciples: "Peace be with you. As the Father sent me, so I send you." Is there a family you know who needs assistance? Please call the Society of St. Vincent de Paul so that together we can bring peace to those who are hungry.

**Next monthly meeting: Wed. June 14, 7 pm / portables.**

### Mass with the Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick and Luncheon

Our 18<sup>th</sup> Annual Mass with the Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick and Luncheon will be held on **Thursday, June 15. Mass is at 11am** and the luncheon will follow immediately afterwards in the portables.

The sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick will be given to seniors and anyone who is

praying for healing. This is a popular event hosted by the Society of Saint Vincent de Paul. Please register your attendance by signing the registration form in the vestibule of the church or by calling the Parish Office at 604-461-1369 during regular office hours.



### INVITATION TO ALL WOMEN OF THE PARISH



We are pleased to welcome all Ladies and their friends to our annual **Strawberry Tea**, to be held **on June 11<sup>th</sup>**, in the portable from 2 - 4pm. Come join us for a good ol' fashion tea party, food, drink, fancy floppy hats and great conversation. We love to mingle and meet our fellow Sisters from our parish. This is a great opportunity to learn a little more about the wonderful women who sit in the pew beside you on Sunday!!!! Bring some cash as we will have 50/50 draw. We hope to see you there.



### RECLAIM YOUR DREAM & GET MARRIED IN THE CHURCH

Would you like to get your marriage blessed so you can receive the sacraments? We can help you. **On Sept. 16, Archbishop Miller, will celebrate the blessing of marriages at St. Clare's Parish, Coquitlam** for a large number of civilly married couples. Be a part of it. To learn more, check out our upcoming information session on **May 17** at 6:30 pm, at St. Francis de Sales, Burnaby, **or May 31** at 6:30 pm, at Our Lady of Good Counsel, Surrey. For more info. contact Deacon Greg 604-771-2975 or Jimmy at 778-378-5389.

May 28 <sup>th</sup>	Weekly Collection	\$4,467.65
	Building Fund Collection	239.00

### Stewardship Prayer

O God, the Father of every gift, all that we are and have comes from your hand. In Jesus Christ, your son, you have given us the greatest of all gifts. Fill our hearts with his love, so that we may be parish communities of faithful, caring people. Grant us the grace to be good stewards who, in the name and spirit of Jesus, share our gifts of time, talent and treasure for the building up of your kingdom in our Archdiocese and throughout the world. May we see Project Advance as our way to live gratefully and give generously for your honour and glory. Through Christ our Lord. Amen.



### CHRISTIAN LIFE PROGRAM (CLP)

The Couples for Christ - Handmaids of the Lord will host a Christian Life Program at St. Joseph parish portables starting on **June 9, Friday at 6:30pm**. The program is **FREE** and is a series of talks, reflection and discussion which will help us understand God's call to 1) Build a deepening relationship with Him 2) Live out His love at home and outside 3) Bring the Light of Christ to others. For details, please contact Vangie Valle at 604-931-1925 or Myrna Chua at 778-772-7268.

### OUR LADY OF FATIMA ROSARY RALLIES

This year is the 100<sup>th</sup> anniversary of Our Lady's apparitions to the three children at Fatima, and the Miracle of the Sun, seen by at least 70,000 people, and which was reported in newspapers in Portugal and New York. Six Rosary rallies will be held at the South Plaza of the Vancouver Art Gallery, 800 Robson St., on the following Saturdays: **10 June, 15 July, 12 Aug, 16 Sept and 7 Oct.**

\*Time of each rally: 10am to about 11am. Come and support the rallies, to show your love for Our Lady, and give public witness to the Faith!

### RACHEL'S VINEYARD RETREAT

There are many post-abortive women and men in our churches who live in silent torment. They believe that if their friends knew what they had done, they would reject and condemn them. We must reach out in truth, love and mercy, and bring the good news of Christ's forgiveness and healing to these hurting women and men. Come on a retreat with us, and share in the merciful and healing love of Jesus Christ. The next retreat is the end of this month. For confidential info/registration 604-525-0999.