

## Mass Intentions for This Week

Aug. 14	<b>Monday</b>	<b>St. Maximilian Kolbe</b> 9:00 am INT: Jack Nootebos
Aug. 15	<b>Tuesday</b>	<b>Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary</b> 7:00 pm RIP: Marjorie De Gobbi
Aug. 16	<b>Wed.</b>	<b>St. Stephen of Hungary</b> 9:00 am RIP: Janice Fric
Aug. 17	<b>Thursday</b>	<b>Weekday in Ordinary Time</b> 9:00 am INT: Leona Ransom
Aug. 18	<b>Friday</b>	<b>Weekday in Ordinary Time</b> 9:00 am RIP: Dennis Parker
Aug. 19	<b>Saturday</b>	<b>St. John Eudes, Our Lady Saturday</b> 9:00 am INT: Armand Kasendi 5:30 pm RIP: Lloyd (Pat) Davis
Aug. 20	<b>Sunday</b>	<b>20<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time</b> 9:00 am RIP: Rosa Ferreira 11:00 am RIP: Cindy Koo

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, Ester Hernandez, Paul Cummings, Els Roosen, Andrew Chew, Don Rowe, Vanessa Miller, Annie Hughes, Joseph Slacik, Art Samson, Teresita Drexler, Cecilia Obcena, Bill Van Eldik, Donna Hicks, Kristen Cummings, Ceasar Castro, Wendy Castro, Marlene Brakel, Liam Week, Carol Berry, Sarah Gielty, Ann Lum Min, Ron & Louise Meranger, Mary Chandler, Brian Smith, Shirley Hutton, Gabriel Sanchez & Todd Housell.

## 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

## 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.



## Take Heart! It Is!!

Are you under the impression as a mature Christian, that somehow if you really had enough faith, you would no longer be afraid? After all, Scripture says in 2 Timothy: "For God has not given us a spirit of fear, but a spirit of love, of power and of a sound mind." Ah, but we are afraid, aren't we? Afraid of all kinds of things and outcomes. We are afraid of failure and rejection, pain and suffering, being abandoned. So many times these fears prevent us from taking a step out of the boat and walking in faith. Today's reading is about St. Peter and a storm. In the story Jesus doesn't just speak His word of power and calm the seas. Instead, He tells Peter to get out of the boat and walk through the waves to Him even though he's frightened. Perhaps a strong faith isn't one that allows no fear, but like St. Peter's, a strong faith allows us to walk ahead through the storm even though we are afraid. Let's ask God for the courage to take that step, reminding us that Jesus is always waiting in the midst of any storm.



## Parish Picnic

2:15 p.m., Sunday,  
September 10, 2017



It's an International Day of  
**JOY & FELLOWSHIP!**

**Wear your best national  
costume and show how  
beautiful it is! Win a prize too  
for Best National Costume!**

August 6	Weekly Collection	\$ 3,497.20
	Building Fund Collection	1049.00
Project Advance: We have received 91 gifts =		\$32,695.

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## PREP REGISTRATION 2017/18

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We are now taking new registrations for September 2017. The registration form is available on the parish website or in the entrance of the church. PREP is offered on Tuesday and Wednesday afternoons. Please complete the form (one for each child) you may return it to the rectory during parish office hours, attention Ivy Barcelon or drop it through the mail slot on the front porch of the rectory. If you require any information please contact Ivy Barcelon: email [prepkids@stjpm.com](mailto:prepkids@stjpm.com) or 778-316-9967.



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## ANNUAL MARIAN PILGRIMAGE TO GROTTA OF OUR LADY OF LOURDES

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Come to Fraser River Heritage Park, 7494 Mary Street, Mission, to pray and celebrate in honour of Our Lady of Lourdes on **Saturday, August 19**, from 10am to 4pm. Confessions begin at 10am, celebration of the Eucharist at 1pm by Bishop David Monroe. After Mass, there will be a procession to the Grotto where Rosary is prayed followed by Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament. For transportation information, please contact Teresita Nixon 604-940-7006. Please bring picnic baskets & chairs. [www.rcav.org/missionpilgrimage/](http://www.rcav.org/missionpilgrimage/)



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## PROJECT ADVANCE 2017 Live gratefully, give generously.

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*“He said, “Come”. Peter got out of the boat and began to walk on the water toward Jesus.”* Matthew 14:29

When you hear Jesus calling, do you responded immediately and trust that He knows what He’s doing? If so, you are walking on water! When we say “yes” to Jesus, we feel the power of his presence in our lives. We can feel the freedom it gives us! Listen how Jesus is calling you to live the extraordinary life He has in mind for you.

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.** Forms are available in the vestibule.

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## SOCIETY OF ST. VINCENT DE PAUL

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In the Gospel, Jesus immediately reached out his hand and caught Peter, and said to him, “you of little faith, why did you doubt?” Please help the Society of Saint Vincent de Paul to bring faith and hope to those we serve.

We are collecting used eyeglasses for distribution to the Third World Eye Care Society. Any used eye glasses you, your family, friends or neighbors have to donate will be greatly appreciated. There is a drop off container in the vestibule. Thank you for your donation. No monthly meeting in July or August



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## HOW TO PRAY FOR YOUR SONS, DAUGHTERS & LOVED ONES

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On Saturday, **September 16<sup>th</sup>** St. Luke’s Parish in Maple Ridge is hosting a Seminar of Hope “How To Pray For Your Sons, Daughters and Loved Ones”. This is a free live seminar and each participant will receive a free 40-page manual. This has recently been broadcast on EWTN as a 12-part series. The central theme is pray the prodigals back to the Lord and His church.

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## SEXUAL ORIENTATION AND GENDER IDENTITY

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How would you answer someone who asked the question: “Where does the Church stand on issues of sexual orientation and gender identity?” Learn how to dialogue with your co-workers, neighbours and family members about hot topics, without raising your voice. Catholic Voices will guide you through defending your faith. Peter Nation, coordinator for Catholic Voices Academy will facilitate a training session at the upcoming Summer Institute on **Saturday, August 26** at Holy Cross Secondary School. To register or for more course offerings, visit [www.oc-summer.ca](http://www.oc-summer.ca)

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## MEN’S RETREAT

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The Men's Retreat is for every man searching for a deeper relationship with God and a fuller understanding of what it means to live as a son of the Father. Get away from the busyness and demands of our schedules to personally encounter God the Father and experience His generous love. Join us from **Sept. 29 to Oct.** at Rockridge Canyon, Princeton, BC. Register at: [rcav.org/mensretreat](http://rcav.org/mensretreat) See bulletin board poster.

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## CATHOLIC CHARISMATIC CONFERENCE

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A New Pentecost for a New Evangelization. Join us for the Catholic Charismatic Conference on Friday, Sept. 22, from 7:00 p.m. to 9:30 p.m. to Saturday, Sept. 23, from 9:00 am to 7:00 p.m. at Broadway Church, 2700 Broadway. Come and be inspired by these well known Charismatic Speakers: Dr. Mary Healy and Bishop Peter Smith. Be inspired to go out and spread the “Good News” of God’s Mercy and Healing to this hurting world. <http://vccrs.ca/>