



SECOND SUNDAY of EASTER

April 8th, 2018



THIS WEEK

Monday The Annunciation of the Lord
Wednesday St Stanislaus, Bishop and Martyr

PRAYERS FOR THE SICK IN OUR PARISH

Myrna Moffat, Peter Murtagh, Yvonne Clucas, Ernesto Hidalgo, Teresita Nixon, Mair Reynolds, Norman Ngan, Fernando Estrella. *(Please notify the office of any changes)*

INFANT BAPTISM COURSE

Classes for parents seeking baptism for their infants - next session: **Tuesday, Apr. 10 & 17 @ 7:00 pm. Adults only.**

UPCOMING CALENDAR

Pancake Breakfast	Next Sunday
Liturgy Committee Meeting	TBA
PEC Meeting	April 10 th , 7:00pm
Parish Council Meeting	April 17 th , 7:00pm
Marian Prayer	Mondays, 7:30pm
Charismatic Prayer Group	Tuesdays, 7:30pm
PREP	Wednesdays, 6:30pm
Craft Circle	Thursdays, 9am-Noon
RCIA	Thursdays, 7:30pm
Seniors Line Dancing	Thursdays, 2:00 - 4:00pm
Bingo	Thursdays, 6:00pm
Divine Mercy	3 rd Friday of each month, 7:00pm
Legion of Mary	Fri. after 7:30pm Mass & Sun. 10:00am
Junior Legion of Mary	Sundays, 1:15pm

FEAST of DIVINE MERCY

Today, April 8th, the Feast of Divine Mercy will be celebrated at St. Paul Parish with a special Hour of Adoration, Benediction and Divine Mercy Prayers fro 2:45 - 4:00pm. Everyone welcome.

PERPETUAL ADORATION CHAPEL

Could you not watch one hour with me?

Vacant hour: Sunday 2-3am



If Jesus was actually visible in church everyone would run to welcome Him but He remains hidden in the Sacred Host under the appearance of bread. He is calling us to faith that we may come to Him in humility. Please make a commitment to Adoration as a part of your life. The night hours are special. Please give them a try.

PANCAKE BREAKFAST

Come and enjoy a tasty breakfast prepared by members of the Knights of Columbus and served with a smile by our teens next Sunday, **April 15th**. Breakfast is by donation and we appreciate your generosity.

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...to Gladys Chamberlain, Karen Mahoney and Kathy Mahoney for their creativity and many hours spent in making our Church so beautiful for Easter:

VOCATIONS MASS

The SERRA Club Fraser Valley West and IC Delta Parish (88th Ave & 119th St, Delta) invite you to attend our VOCATION Mass at 7pm, Thursday **April 12**. All are welcome. Fr. Rodney Nootebos, Director of Vocations & Seminarians is the celebrant.

GARDENS OF GETHSEMANI OPEN HOUSE

Set aside your sacred space at our Annual Spring Open House. Tour the cemetery and meet an Advisor to make a contract. Some light refreshments will be served, April 13 and 14 from 9am to 6pm both days. Visit rccav.org

ARCHDIOCESAN HOLY HOUR FOR VOCATIONS TO THE PRIESTHOOD AND RELIGIOUS LIFE

Join Fr. Rodney Nootebos, Director of Vocations and Seminarians, along with other members of the faithful throughout the archdiocese, in a monthly Holy Hour of prayer, intensely focused on asking the "Lord of the Harvest to send forth labourers into the harvest." The next one is Thursday, **April 19** at St. Anthony of Padua, Vancouver, from 7 - 8 p.m.

BIBLE STUDY CORNER

Everyone is welcome to drop in on any session.

Apr 14 Saturday (10-12noon)

- **Wisdom**

2. *Wisdom in Decision Making* – Explore the biblical principles for making decisions and how these spiritual guidelines can deepen our ongoing relationship of trust with the Lord and give us the courage to act.

- **Bible Timeline**

12. *Royal Kingdom – Part 2* – See God establishing Israel as a kingdom through King David and the building of the temple by Solomon.

Apr 16, Monday (7-9pm)

- **Wisdom**

7. *Wisdom in Age* – Learn to “number our days that we may get a heart of wisdom” (Ps 90:12) and grow in our appreciation of our elders, living intentionally with our own end in mind.

‘Wisdom is with the aged, and understanding in length of days.’ Job 12:12

For more inform: Chito 604 808-4129 or Beth 604 231-9190

YOUTH MINISTRY

Info: Jiggy @ 778-874-8569

Tonight's LIFE NITE (April 8th) 8:00-9:30pm



Improv!

Come and join us for some fun and exciting improv games. Bring your friends and your acting chops!

Next Sunday April 15 NO LIFE NITE!

ST. PAUL YOUNG ADULTS COMMUNITY (SPYAC)

Info: Mary @ 778-858-5167

ALPHA at St. Paul's for Young Adults (18-35yrs)

Monday evenings starting April 30 and
continuing to July 16 (except July 2)
St. Paul's Gym, 6:30 - 8:30 pm

Ever considered to pause and ask life's biggest questions? Why am I here? What's my purpose? Where am I heading? Is there more to life than this?

If your answer to the first question is YES, then join us for Alpha, a series of interactive sessions exploring the Christian faith. We share a meal, watch a talk, and engage in small group discussion. Alpha is for everyone, regardless of background or beliefs. There's no pressure, no follow up, and is completely free to attend.

We hope you will consider joining us at the end of the month! For any questions, email us at spyacteam@gmail.com

SPIRIT PRE-TEEN MINISTRY

Info: stpauls.spirit@gmail.com

Always be a buddy not a bully. Come out to spirit this Friday April 13 at 7:30pm in the pc to learn how you can take a stand and lend a hand. We will be exploring the topics of bullying and peer pressure and how to instead spread kindness!

Men's Discernment Night

Do you have questions about discerning God's call for your life? Vocations in Progress for single men, aged 17 and up, is an opportunity to meet priests, ask questions, and learn about their life and spirituality. The informal event will include prayer, dinner, and discussion at St. Patrick's, Vancouver, on Wednesday, April 25, from 7 - 10 p.m.

Welcome to the NEW MEMBERS of the Church

At the Easter Vigil last weekend, the following people were received into the Church by Baptism: Nathan Thorsen, Eva Lu, Kim Lee, Roseline Lu, Jenny Kwok

Received into the Church by Profession of Faith: Robert Dynneson

All the above plus the following received the Sacrament of Confirmation: Cameron Mcfarlane, Renette Bariso

A big **THANK YOU** to all the members of the RCIA team and to all the candidates' sponsors!

PREP: Parish Religious Education Program

Classes continue this Wed, April 11 from 6:30pm – 8pm.

Parents of First Communion Candidates will meet on April 11 in the gym from 6:45pm – 7:45pm. Letters from Confirmation candidates and their parents are due on April 18.

If you have any questions, please contact Clay Imoo (PREP Director) at clayimoo@shaw.ca. Parents are reminded to advise Clay if you anticipate your child(ren) being absent from class.

THEOLOGY OF THE BODY

Discover human nature as the "Gift of Self" in our relationship with God and one another through Theology of the Body. Using the teachings of Christ on marriage, St. John Paul II reveals our true human nature in the image and likeness of God as a "communion of persons in the sincere gift of self," giving us the authentic meaning of our humanity now and in eternal life. Sessions begin this spring: April 9 - June 25 at St. Mary Parish, Vancouver and April 10 - June 26 at John Paul II Centre, Vancouver. Register at rcav.org/tob



SCHOOL CONNECTION

Friday assemblies resumed this past week, and there are a number of important dates on the online calendar for April (school Mass, Student-led Conferences, Human Sexuality and Your Child evening., Class photo day, etc.). Please be sure to check our school website for the most up to date information.

Blessed are those who have not
seen and yet believe!