



THIRD SUNDAY of EASTER

APRIL 15, 2018



THIS WEEK

Tuesday St. Kateri Tekakwitha, Protectress of Canada

Next Sunday 2nd Collection for the Work of Vocations

PRAYERS FOR THE SICK IN OUR PARISH

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

PRAYERS FOR OUR DECEASED

Alice Low

INFANT BAPTISM COURSE

Classes for parents seeking baptism for their infants - next session: **Tuesday, May 1, 8 and 15 @ 7:00 pm. Adults only.**

UPCOMING CALENDAR

Pancake Breakfast	Today
Second Collection	Next Sunday
Food Bank	Next Sunday
Knights' General Meeting	Mon., April 16th 7:30pm
Parish Council Meeting	Tues., April 17th 7:00pm
Liturgy Committee Meeting	TBA
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

GARDENS OF GETHSEMANI MASS OF REMEMBRANCE

Sunday, Apr. 29, 12:30 and 2:30 pm monthly Mass of Remembrance in the Evangelist Chapel for those who have died this month.. Visit rccav.org/events for more information.

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 Saturday, **April 28** at Canadian Martyrs Parish, Richmond, from 8 - 9 p.m.

Bible Study Corner

"God helps those who help themselves."

Not only is this in the Bible, it undermines what the Bible say. The Bible praises the value of hard work: "The soul of the sluggard craves, and gets nothing, while the soul of the diligent is richly supplied." (Prov 13:4) "Commit your work to the Lord, and your plans will be established" (Prov 16:3). God does help those who do good for others or even themselves. But it is not true that God's help is reserved for those "who help themselves." Scripture teaches that God has a special concern for those who cannot help themselves. God is the "Father of the fatherless and protector of widows." (Ps 68:5)

"Actual graces refer to God's interventions, whether at the beginning of conversion or in the course of the work of sanctification." (CCC 2000)

Apr 21 Saturday (10-12noon) – No Bible Study. Confirmation retreat

Apr 23, Monday (7-9pm)

- **Wisdom**

8. *Wisdom in Christ* – Jesus is Wisdom Incarnate. Learn how to follow him to make all things right before God.

"He who trusts in his own mind is a fool; but he who walks in wisdom will be delivered"—Proverbs 28:26

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

YOUTH MINISTRY

Info: Jiggy @ 778-874-8569

This Sunday NO LIFE Nite (April 15)

Next Sunday's LIFE NITE (April 22nd) 8:00-9:30pm



Rap & Pizza

Food. Talking with friends. Individually, both are very good things. But when you combine both together, you get something even better: Rap & Pizza! Come on out!

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

ONE MILLION ROSARIES FOR UNBORN BABIES

The 2018 One Million Rosaries for Unborn Babies global pro-life prayer event is scheduled for May 4, 5 and 6. Persons participating will pray at least one Rosary for the protection of unborn babies. For details and to register go to: <http://www.saintmichaelthearchangelorganization.org/>

Were not our hearts burning
within us?

PREP: Parish Religious Education Program

Classes continue this Wed., April 18 from 6:30pm – 8pm. Parents of First Communion Candidates will meet on April 18 in the gym from 6:45 -7:45pm.

Letters from Confirmation candidates and their parents are due Apr.18. Confirmation Retreat is Sat., Apr.21 from 9am – 2pm.

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.

PARISH PICNIC

Sunday, July 22nd

from 1:00 to 5:00 pm

14 weeks to go!!!

PERPETUAL ADORATION CHAPEL

Could you not watch one hour with me



Vacant hours: Sunday 2-3:00am

Come and spend time with Me

Jesus 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!

SCHOOL CONNECTION

This coming Friday, April 20th will be Student-Led conferences. There are no classes that day - students are to only come in uniform for their interview with their parents. Interview sign up opened this weekend, so be sure to go online early for a preferred time slot. Your children are looking forward to sharing their learning with you!