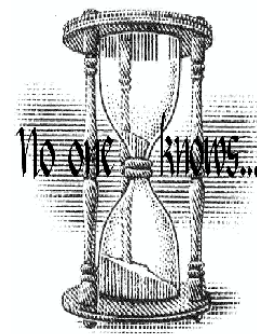




THIRTY-THIRD SUNDAY in ORDINARY TIME

November 18th, 2018



THIS WEEK

Wednesday	The Presentation of the Blessed Virgin Mary
Thursday	St. Cecilia, Virgin, Martyr
Saturday	St. Andrew Dung-Lac, Priest and Companions, Martyrs

PRAYERS FOR THE SICK IN OUR PARISH

Fernando Estrella, Roberto De Guzman, Bella Allan, Yvonne Clucas, Linda Fiore, Dydy Co, Jaime Pestano, Tessa Comendador, Peter Murtagh, Mair Reynolds, Norman Ngan.
(Please notify the office of any changes)

INFANT BAPTISM COURSE

Classes for parents seeking baptism for their infants - next session: **Tuesday, Dec. 4, 11 & 18 @ 7:00 pm.** *Adults only.* Please call the Sisters at 604-275-2844.

UPCOMING CALENDAR

2nd Collection for Home Missions	TODAY
Pancake Breakfast	TODAY
Craft Sale	TODAY
CWL Bake Sale	TODAY
Parish Council Meeting	Tues., Nov. 20, 7:00pm
St. Martin's Guild Meeting	Thurs., Nov. 22, 7:30pm
Food Bank Drive	Next Weekend
Knights Exec. Meeting	Mon., Nov. 26, 7:30pm
Liturgy Committee Meeting	1 st Tuesday, 7:00pm
PEC Meeting	2 nd Tuesday, 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

In the Parish Centre today...

Pancake Breakfast

Craft Sale

CWL Bake Sale

PARISH CHRISTMAS BINGO - DECEMBER 13

\$35 Ticket Package - on sale Thursdays in the parish centre from 5:00 to 8:15pm from now until the night of the event! Doors will open at 4:30pm with Bonanza PreCall at 6:00pm. Turkey or Ham Dinner (for \$9) must be pre-ordered by December 6th.
Door prizes & goodies!! Free tea and coffee!



CWL PURDYS CHOCOLATES FUNDRAISER

There's only one more week until the orders have to be in. If you have already handed in your orders, thank you. If not, they can be done online or with the order forms in the catalogue. **All orders must be in by November 23.** If you have any questions, please call Bandy at 604-275-8270.

SENIORS' CHRISTMAS LUNCHEON - DEC. 8

St. Paul Parish and the Knights of Columbus are hosting a **FREE luncheon on Saturday, Dec. 8th at 1:00pm.** This event is for **registered parishioners** of St. Paul who are aged 65 and over. Tickets will be available for pick-up starting next weekend. For more information, please call Alberto at 604-837-4717.



FOOD BANK DRIVE - NEXT WEEKEND

Please bring food items and place them in the box marked "Food Bank" located at the entrance of the church. Your generosity will be much appreciated by those in need in our community.

BIBLE STUDY CORNER

November 24 & 26

*Bible Timeline: 8. Desert Wanderings (Book of Numbers)
The Gospel of Matthew: 8. Matt. 7 - Choices in the Kingdom*

Reflections on Sunday's Readings: *For by a single offering he has perfected for all time those who are sanctified. [Heb. 10:14]*

What has happened is that by virtue of the efficacy of his single sacrifice, Christ has taken possession of heaven for ever more and has merited royal dignity; all that remains to happen, and it shall happen, is for all his enemies to submit to him (cf. 1 Cor 15:25-28). So fruitful is his sacrifice that those who take part in it, "those who have been sanctified", are thereby perfected: they obtain forgiveness of sins, purity of conscience, access to and union with God. In other words, the source of holiness in men is the sacrifice of Calvary.

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

YOUTH MINISTRY

Info: Jiggy @ 778-874-8569

This Sunday's LIFE NITE (Nov. 18th 8-9:30PM):



LIFE TEEN XLT

It's a nite of Adoration, Praise & Worship and Confession as we head into the start of Advent and a new liturgical year!

ST. PAUL YOUNG ADULTS COMMUNITY (SPYAC)

Info: Mary @ 778-858-5167

SPIRIT PRE-TEEN MINISTRY

Info: shintaro.tachihara@gmail.com

New (Liturgical) Year's Party

Happy New Year! Wait, it's not January yet... Come by the Parish Centre on Nov. 23rd, 7:30-9:00pm for a fun-filled party with snacks, games, and activities to celebrate the Church's New Year!

NEW YEAR'S EVE DINNER/DANCE

The countdown is on! Join the Knights of Columbus for drinks, dinner, and dancing as we ring in the **NEW YEAR!** The evening begins with Cocktails at 6:30pm, Dinner at 7:00pm, and music all night long! Tickets are \$45.00/person and can be reserved by calling: Tony 778-297-0193, David 778-893-8236, Edgar 604-270-4260, Francis 604-273-8175, Alberto 604-275-7426 or Ken 604-207-2412. **Proceeds benefit the St. Paul New Church Building Fund.**



BLUE MASS - NOVEMBER 24

The Knights of Columbus 4th Degree is holding a BLUE MASS on **Sat., Nov. 24** at St. Monica's Parish, Richmond at 9:30am to pray and give thanks for our 1st Responders: Doctors, Nurses, Police, Ambulance Paramedics, Fire Fighters. Please join us for Mass and light refreshments. Invite any 1st responders in your community to attend with you.

ST. PETER'S WINTER BAZAAR - NOV. 24

St. Peter's (New Westminster) CWL hosts this annual Winter Bazaar. Come and find treasures galore and one-of-a-kind items at the Knitting & Sewing, White Elephant, Jewelry, Christmas Decor, Baking, and Silent Auction tables. Lunch is available from 11:00am - 2:00pm. More info at 604-525-3925.

NEW Sunday Missals for sale (\$4) as well as 2019 calendars (\$2) - at the entrance of the church on the weekends and in the parish office during the week.

PREP: Parish Religious Education Program

PREP classes continue this Wed., Nov. 21, 6:30 to 8:00pm.

Parents and families are invited to join us on Wednesday, November 28 from 6:30pm to 6:45pm in the gym for our Advent Prayer Service.

If you have any questions, please contact Clay Imoo (PREP Director) at clayimoo@shaw.ca. As well, please let Clay know if you anticipate your child(ren) being absent from class.

JOURNEY INTO TRUTH - NOVEMBER 20

This course is on-going in our Parish Centre at 7:00pm on **Tuesdays until Dec. 11** (continuing Jan. 15 to Feb. 19, 2019). Journey into Truth explains the principal teachings of the Church in a way anyone can understand and shows how they can be lived out in ordinary life. **Topics for Tuesday, Nov. 20** : 5. Prayer and Devotions - lays out vocal prayer, mental prayer, meditation, contemplation, and aspirations as forms of prayer. 6. Jesus Christ, True God and True Man - see how Jesus Christ took on human nature without ceasing to be God and how He is true God and true Man.

MASS of REMEMBRANCE

Sunday, November 25, there will be Mass of Remembrance to pray for those loved ones who passed away this month. Masses are at 12:30pm and 2:30pm in the Evangelist Chapel at the Gardens of Gethsemani.

PERPETUAL ADORATION CHAPEL

Could you not watch one hour with me?



Three of the Vacant Hours have been filled by one new adorer and two adorers who have taken an extra hour. **Sat. 2-3am** has been covered for more than seven months by an adorer who has other hours as well. Please consider whether you can offer Our Lord this sacrifice of love. A night hour brings many blessings and is a time of quiet prayer alone with Jesus. It really is a gift that you give yourself - a gift that is rich in blessings. Please call/text Lynne: 604-961-7920. Thank you.

SACRED MUSIC for ADVENT

Friday, Nov. 30 at 7:30pm - FREE Concert

This concert features the Cathedral's own musicians: organist Denis Bedard, assistant organist Catherine Walsh and the Holy Rosary Choirs. Choral music ranging from Renaissance polyphony to contemporary praise songs.



SCHOOL CONNECTION

A reminder that there is no school on **Friday, November 23rd**. The school staff will be having a professional day to network with other CISVA schools. Enjoy the long weekend!