



SECOND SUNDAY in ORDINARY TIME

January 20th, 2019



SCHOOL CONNECTION



We are very excited to be celebrating our St. Paul Feast Day this Friday, January 25th. We begin with Mass at **10:30am** in the Church, followed by a family lunch in the gym for students and their families. All parishioners are welcome to join us for Mass at 10:30am.

THIS WEEK

Monday	St. Agnes, Virgin, Martyr
Thursday	St. Francis de Sales, Bishop, Doctor
Friday	The Conversion of St. Paul the Apostle Feast Day of our Parish and School Mass at 8:00am, 10:30am, and 7:30pm
Saturday	St. Timothy and St. Titus, Bishops

Please note: The First Communion candidates and their families will be attending the Saturday, 5:00pm Mass from February 2 to March 2 as part of their preparation for receiving the sacrament. Everyone is welcome but the Mass will be more crowded than usual.

UPCOMING CALENDAR

	TODAY
Pancake Breakfast	
Knights Exec. Meeting	Mon., Jan. 21, 7:30pm
Parish Council Meeting	Tues., Jan. 22, 7:00pm
St. Martin's Guild Meeting	Thurs., Jan. 24, 7:30pm
Food Bank Drive	Next Weekend
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

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.

NEW PARENT INFORMATION EVENING



Registration
Information

School Year: 2019-2020

Date: Tuesday, February 5

Time: 7:00 pm

Place: St. Paul Parish Gym



Parents interested in sending their child/children to St. Paul School are invited to attend this information meeting. Application forms will be available during this time. The meeting is intended for *adults* only. You are respectfully requested to make arrangements for childcare. Thank you.

INFANT BAPTISM COURSE

Classes for parents seeking baptism for their infants - next session: **Tuesday, Feb. 5, 12 & 19 @ 7:00 pm. Adults only.** Please call the Sisters at 604-275-2844.

PRAYERS FOR THE SICK IN OUR PARISH

Roberto De Guzman, Orlando Magbanua, Diane Chanyan, Tessley Chen, Yvonne Clucas, Belle Allan, Sat Lee Yong, Linda Fiore, Jaime Pestano, Peter Murtagh, Mair Reynolds, Norman Ngan. *(Please notify the office of any changes)*

JOURNEY INTO TRUTH - TUESDAYS 7:00PM

This course continues in the parish centre at 7:00pm, Tuesdays until February 19. 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. This Tuesday: **13.** Holy Eucharist - Why it is the source and summit of the Christian life. **14.** Penance and the Anointing of the Sick - a study on the two sacraments of healing.

BIBLE STUDY

January 26 & 28

Bible Timeline: 14. Divided Kingdom – Part 2

Gospel of Matt.: 14. Mt. 14–15 – Instructions to the Twelve

Reflections on Sunday's Readings: *All these are activated by one and the same Spirit... [1 Cor. 11; 11] - It is important, therefore, to realize the Holy Spirit continues to act in the Church: The action of the Holy Spirit can pass unnoticed, because God does not reveal to us his plans, and because man's sin clouds over the divine gifts. But faith reminds us that God is always acting. He has created us and maintains us in existence, and he leads all creation by his grace toward the glorious freedom of the children of God (cf. Rom 8:21)" (St. J. Escriva, "Christ Is Passing By", 130).*

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

YOUTH MINISTRY

Info: Jiggy @ 778-874-8569

Next Sunday's LIFE Nite (Jan. 27th 8:00-9:30PM):



LIFE TEEN Rap & Ravioli!

Ravioli, rotini, rigatoni! If you love pasta, come out this Sunday for some food and rap. We'll be having an open discussion to tackle some hard topics such as self-image, mental and physical health. Hope to see you all there!

 <https://www.instagram.com/stpaulslifeteen>

 <https://www.facebook.com/StPaulsLT>

ST. PAUL YOUNG ADULTS COMMUNITY (SPYAC)

Info: Mary @ 778-858-5167

The SPYAC team is thrilled to invite you to our **Flashback Games Night on Friday, February 1!** Come join us in the Parish Center at 8:00pm as we play retro video and board games, eat food and snacks that will bring up memories from our good ole childhood days! (Or in some cases, our teenage days....) If you'd like to join in on the fun, please bring additional board games, snacks, and a friend or two!

SPIRIT PRE-TEEN MINISTRY

Info: shintaro.tachihara@gmail.com

Vocations 101

Don't let the word "vocations" scare you! On **Friday, January 25**, we will explore the importance of discerning our vocations and how to respond. Come on out from 7:30-9:00pm with open hearts and open minds. We'll see you there! 😊

FESTIVAL of ST. THOMAS AQUINAS

Sat., Jan. 26 at St. Mary's, Vancouver, 9:30am to 4:30pm

Join the Dominican Family as we celebrate our brother St. Thomas Aquinas. The day includes Mass with Archbishop Miller, talks based on the life and work of Thomas, dramatic presentations, a music competition, and concludes with Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament. Refreshments and lunch provided. No cost. For more info, call Mark at 604-695-7421 or visit www.dominicanlaity.ca/DominicanLaity/Events.html

VOCATION LIVE-IN

On the weekend of **February 8 - 10**, there will be a Vocation Live-In for boys or young men interested in the priesthood or the consecrated life, at the Seminary of Christ the King, Mission. For more information call 604-826-8715.

PREP: Parish Religious Education Program

PREP classes continue this Wed., January 23 at 6:30pm.

First Communion parent meetings will begin on Wed., January 30 from 6:45pm - 7:45pm in the gym.

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.

PERPETUAL ADORATION CHAPEL

Could you not watch one hour with me?

"Know that you will probably gain more by praying fifteen minutes before the Blessed Sacrament than by all the other spiritual exercises of the day. Our Lord hears our prayers anywhere, for He has made the promise, 'Ask, and you shall receive' but He has revealed to His servants that those who visit Him in the Blessed Sacrament will obtain a more abundant measure of grace." ~St. Alphonsus Liguori

So just imagine the commitment of one hour a week!

Please check the Adoration Board to see what hours are vacant and which need a second person. Call or text Lynne 604-961-7920. Thank you.

WORLD YOUTH DAY - LIVE TELECAST

Shalom Media has been selected as an official media partner of World Youth Day 2019. Shalom World TV will be broadcasting World Youth Day LIVE from Panama. Viewers will be able to watch live event from **January 22 to 27** on Shalom world TV. For more information, please visit www.shalomworld.org/wyd

THANKSGIVING MASS

Thanksgiving Mass for the 26th Anniversary of the "Life in the Spirit Seminar" will be on **Friday, January 25**, 7:00pm at Immaculate Conception, Delta. Main celebrant Very Rev. Father Gary Franken and 10 concelebrants. The Charismatic Group of the diocese will be Consecrated to the Immaculate Heart of Mary by Father Gary. After Mass there will be Healing Service followed by reception at the Parish Hall. Everyone is invited to attend. Info Lennie at 604-597-8227.

WORLDWIDE MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER

Looking for a new way to let your spouse know you love them in the midst of your jobs, the kids, car pooling, and trying to keep up with the house and yard? Tell him or her they are still #1 in your life... share a **Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend** with each other. For more info, contact Sharon or Glen at 778-386-2908 or wwwmevancouverbc@gmail.com

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PLEASE do not use envelopes from past years!
Discard all old envelopes!!