



# FIFTH SUNDAY in ORDINARY TIME

February 10<sup>th</sup>, 2019



## THIS WEEK

Thursday St. Cyril, Monk, and St. Methodius, Bishop

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

## PRAYERS FOR THE SICK IN OUR PARISH

Myrna Moffat, Catherine Jenkins, Pol Garcia, 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)*

## INFANT BAPTISM COURSE

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

## UPCOMING CALENDAR

Knights General Meeting	Mon., Feb. 11, 7:30pm
PEC Meeting	Tues., Feb. 12, 7:00pm
Blood Donor Clinic	Fri., Feb. 15, 12-6:45pm
Pancake Breakfast	Next Sunday
Parish Council Meeting	Tues., Feb. 19, 7:00pm
Knights Exec. Meeting	Mon., Feb. 25, 7:30pm
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 <sup>rd</sup> Friday of each month, 7:00pm
Legion of Mary	Fri. after 7:30pm Mass & Sun. 10:00am
Junior Legion of Mary	Sundays, 1:15pm

## BLOOD DONOR CLINIC

**Blood Donor Clinic in the Parish Centre**



**Friday, Feb. 15<sup>th</sup>  
12:00 - 6:45pm**

**Book your appointment to Give Life!  
Call 1-888-2-DONATE (1-888-236-6283)**

## Stewardship Reflection

“Then I heard the voice of the Lord saying, ‘Whom shall I send? Who will go for us?’ And I said, ‘Here am I; send me!’” (Isaiah 6:8) Every day, in little ways and in big ways, God asks, “Whom shall I send?” Whether it is someone to take on a new ministry, to give a friendly smile to a stranger or say a word of encouragement to a friend, God constantly provides opportunities to help someone in need. The next time you hear God calling, have the courage to walk through the door and say “Here I am, Lord.”

## PERPETUAL ADORATION CHAPEL



*Could you not watch one hour with me?*  
“Chapels of Adoration are not mere refuges for the devout. They are the radiant, pulsating centres of an intense divine activity that goes beyond the walls of the place where I am adored to penetrate homes, schools, hospitals...to penetrate hearts, heal the infirm and call home those who have wandered far from me.” (In Sinu Jesu)  
There has been no response for the **3 Vacant Hours** and **48 hours needing second persons.** Please see the invitation form on the bulletin board.

## 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, February 17<sup>th</sup>.** Breakfast is by donation and we appreciate your generosity.

## BIBLE STUDY CORNER

*February 16 & 18 - Family Day Weekend – No Bible Study*

**Reflections on Sunday’s Readings (Mt 5:4):** Christ is the master of this boat. He it is who prepares the fishing. It is for this that He has come into the world, to do all He can so that His brothers may find the way to glory and to the love of the Father" ("Friends of God", 260). To carry this task out, our Lord charges all of them to cast their nets, but it is only Peter He tells to put out into the deep. Christ is also addressing each one of us, urging us to be daring in apostolate: 'Put out into deep water!' Throw aside the pessimism that makes a coward of you. And pay out your nets for a catch.' Don't you see that you, like Peter, can say: Jesus, if You say so, I will search for souls?" (St. J. Escriva, "The Way", 792).

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

## YOUTH MINISTRY

Info: Jiggy @ 778-874-8569

This Sunday's LIFE Nite (February 10<sup>th</sup> 8-9:30PM):



### Family Nite

Family, the source of a lot of the joys and a lot of struggles in our lives. Join us as we talk about our experiences, learn from each other, and play a few games.

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

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

## ST. PAUL YOUNG ADULTS COMMUNITY (SPYAC)

Info: Mary @ 778-858-5167

## SPIRIT PRE-TEEN MINISTRY

Info: [shintaro.tachihara@gmail.com](mailto:shintaro.tachihara@gmail.com)

## WORLD DAY of the SICK 2019

Archbishop Miller will be celebrating a Mass of anointing in honour of World Day of the Sick 2019 at Our Lady of Sorrows Church, Van., on **Monday, Feb. 11**, at 11:00am. The sacrament of anointing of the sick will be administered after the homily. All the sick and their caregivers are invited to attend. Following Mass, simple refreshments will be offered in the school gym. There is plenty of parking is available. For more info visit [www.chabc.bc.ca/world-day-of-the-sick](http://www.chabc.bc.ca/world-day-of-the-sick), call 604-524-3427 or email [info@chabc.bc.ca](mailto:info@chabc.bc.ca)

## THE CATHOLIC FAITH - IN PLAIN ENGLISH

Learn the teachings and practices of the Catholic Faith in this robust course. This course is suitable for all adult learners including Catholics and non-Catholics. You can attend all sessions or drop in for specific topics as you please; there is no cost or pre-registration required. This course will be taught by Fr. Vincent Hawkswell (retired pastor and BC Catholic editor) and Maureen Creelman (retired high school math and physics teacher). This course runs **every Sunday until June 2** (2-4pm) at the John Paul II Pastoral Centre). The course repeats on Mondays until June 3 (11am - 1pm at St. Anthony's, W. Van) and at John Paul II Pastoral Centre). For more information and for the list of topics and dates, visit [www.rcav.org/adult-catechesis-course/](http://www.rcav.org/adult-catechesis-course/)

**2018 donation receipts can be picked up at the entrance of the church this weekend and next or at the parish office during the week.**

## PREP: Parish Religious Education Program

PREP classes continue this Wed., February 13 at 6:30pm.

**Parents of First Communion candidates will meet this Wed., February 13 from 6:45pm - 7:45pm in the gym.**

Confirmation forms are due on March 13.

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

## JOURNEY INTO FAITH

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, Feb. 12: 19. THE FOURTH COMMANDMENT - a study on relations between parents and their children and between others in authority and those under them. 20. THE FIFTH COMMANDMENT - study on how to respect human life at all stages.

## ST. PAUL PARISH ALTAR SERVING

Each month our parish has over 50 Masses where we rely on our young people to participate by serving on the Altar. If you are in Grade 5 or 6 and are interested in becoming an Altar Server, there will be a meeting in Room 4 of the Parish Centre on **Thurs., February 21<sup>st</sup> at 7:00 pm** to sign up. Details regarding expectations and practices for new servers will be shared.



## MASS of REMEMBRANCE - FEB. 24

Join us for our monthly Mass of Remembrance as we pray for our family members who have passed away this month. Masses are at 12:30pm and 2:30pm in our Evangelist Chapel, at Gardens of Gethsemani. For more info, please call Terry Whiteley at 604-531-2141 or visit [www.rccav.org](http://www.rccav.org)



## SCHOOL CONNECTION

Please pray for St. Paul School staff as we attend the annual Catholic Educators' Conference on February 14<sup>th</sup> and 15<sup>th</sup> next week in downtown Vancouver. The CEC is held each year to provide an opportunity for the spiritual and professional growth of Catholic educators, for the development of Christian community, and to provide leadership in the development of a dynamic, evangelistic school system. **A reminder that there is no school on February 14<sup>th</sup>, 15<sup>th</sup>, 18<sup>th</sup>, and 19<sup>th</sup>.**