



Is God calling you to be a priest?
 "Trust in the Lord with all your heart. . . He will direct your path."
 (Proverbs 3:5-6)

www.beapriest.ca

Canadian Federal Government website for Mental Health help across Canada:
<https://www.canada.ca/en/public-health/topics/mental-health-wellness.html>

Take a Prayer Journey With Us This Spring!



Are you.....
 Wondering what prayer is all about?
 Looking to deepen the prayer life you already have?
 Curious about Spiritual Direction?



Consider joining Mrs. Patricia Frederick and Sister Stephanie Romiti on an *online*, individualized prayer journey!

Opening session together is on Wednesday, May 5, 2021 from 10:30 AM - 12 Noon via zoom
 Closing session together is on Wednesday, June 16, 2021 from 10:30 AM - 12 Noon via zoom

Participants will be encouraged to spend 45-60 minutes per day in prayer. Each participant will meet with one of the directors on a weekly basis, times to be determined individually. Information and prayer materials will be provided at each session.

Cost: Your free-will offering helps support Shalom Place ministries

To register: www.shalomplace.ca / or e-mail: shalomssm@shaw.ca / or call 705-254-4690

Walking the Sacred Path

Brought to you by Shalom Place

This program will have you outside in our lush forested areas. It involves weekly and daily reflection and scripture readings with a meeting once a week in an outdoor setting in nature...rain or shine! This program runs for four weeks. **Join facilitator Patty Boucher for this unique opportunity!** Thursdays from 4 PM - 6 PM starting April 22, 2021.

~ Please register through: shalomplace.ca
 or through email at: shalomssm@shaw.ca
 or by phone: 705-254-4690 by Friday, April 16, 2021
 Free-will offerings gratefully accepted!!



ST. VERONICA'S CHURCH

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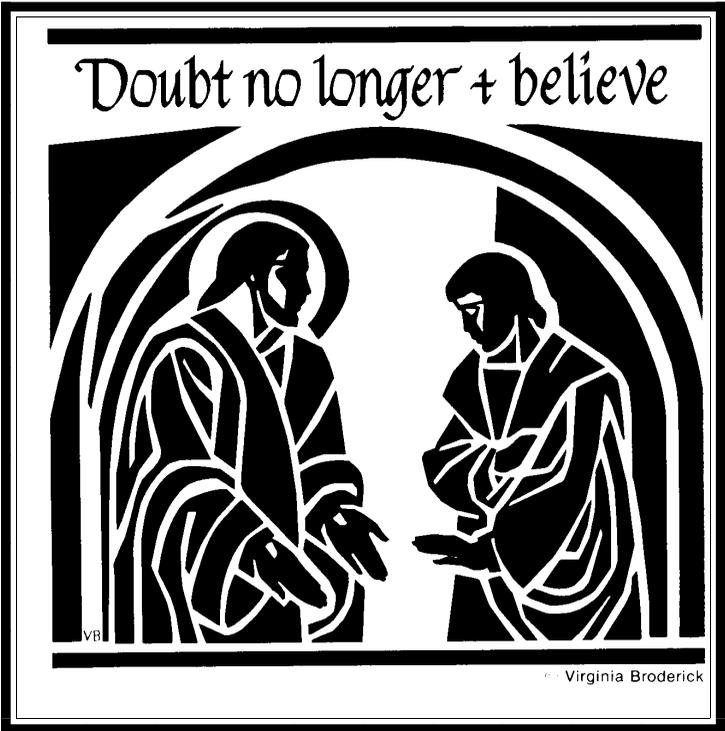
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SUNDAY APRIL 11, 2021
SECOND SUNDAY OF EASTER



"Mercy is the force that reawakens us to new life and instills in us the courage to look to the future with hope."
 - Pope Francis

Reconciliation
 By Appointment

Baptism :
 Expectant parents welcome to register, and speak with Fr. Ron after Mass

Matrimony :
 Must register at least eight months in advance. Book the Church before the hall.

Communion at Home :
 Lay ministers are available to bring Communion to shut-ins. Phone the parish office.

Prayer-Line :
 Rose Marie Spina 254-4064
 Angela Filice 253-8607 (Italian)

Visiting & Card Ministry:
 If you wish to send cards or have someone visit people who are confined to their homes. Contact the parish office.

REGULAR CHURCH OFFICE HOURS
CLOSED UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE

WEEKLY OFFERINGS

During this time, we will be collecting donations during Mass or you can please choose to drop off your donation envelopes at our office any time by depositing your envelope in the mail slot of the office door. Thank you to all who give!
 Website: veronica.church

MASS AT ST. VERONICA'S CHURCH EVERY SATURDAY AT 4:00 PM and EVERY SUNDAY AT 11:00 AM - Limit of 48 people per Mass on a first come first serve basis.

SATURDAY MASSES ARE LIVESTREAMED AT 4:00 PM
 website: veronica.church
 It will also be available to view Sunday on the website

TELEVISED MASS ON SHAW CABLE Channel 10 and on BLUE CURVE 105 Every Sunday at 9:00 AM

WEEKLY MASS SCHEDULE

Livestreamed Saturday Masses at 4:00 PM

Website: veronica.church

Also available to view Sunday on the website

**Televised Mass on SHAW CABLE CHANNEL 10 and
BLUE CURVE CHANNEL 105 - Every Sunday at 9:00 AM**



Third Sunday of Easter

Saturday, April 17, 2021

4:00 PM MASS

Deceased members of the Newman family by Sandra and Hank Baltussen.

Orlando Iacoe by his wife Assunta Iacoe and family.

Margaret Killoran by Robert and Silvana Casola and family.

Ida Coccimiglio by her husband Antonio Coccimiglio.

Deceased members of the Baltussen family by Sandra and Hank Baltussen.

For the intentions of all parishioners of St. Veronica's.

Sunday, April 18, 2021

11:00 AM MASS

For the intentions of all parishioners of St. Veronica's.

AUTO-DEPOSIT E-TRANSFERS FOR DONATIONS

A convenient way we are now accepting donations is through Auto-Deposit E-Transfer. Send your E-Transfer to veronicassm@shaw.ca and the donation will automatically be deposited into our Parish's account without the need to create a question or answer! If you are not registered with our Parish, please include your address with the E-Transfer for a tax receipt. Thank you all for your continued support!

Divine Mercy Sunday

Divine Mercy Sunday is an observance in the Roman Catholic Church in which followers are encouraged to offer forgiveness and reconciliation to all. It is based on visions recorded from St. Faustian Kowalski. In 2000, it was decreed a solemnity, a high feast day, by Pope John Paul II. Roman Catholics are required to attend worship, go to confession, and take Holy Communion. Divine Mercy Sunday occurs the Sunday after Easter.

Divine Mercy Sunday Facts and Quotes:

- + St. Faustian was a Polish nun who lived in the early 20th century. She devoted her life to spreading the word about God's forgiveness, or divine mercy, for anyone who asks for forgiveness. Although she was a mystic, she also cooked and gardened as part of her convent life.
- + St. Faustian had visions most of her life. One that was the most profound was of Jesus, with one hand raised in blessing and with two fingers of his other hand resting on his heart. She said that Jesus asked her to have the image painted, and to include a prayer that said, "Jesus, I trust in you". This is the prayer that Catholics recite on Divine Mercy Sunday.
- + Most priests preach on the story of Doubting Thomas on Divine Mercy Sunday (John 20:19-31). Thomas, also a saint in the Roman Catholic Church, was one of the Jesus' apostles. When Jesus arose from the dead, he didn't believe it. Jesus directed him to touch his crucifixion wounds to help him believe. Jesus doesn't chastise Thomas for his disbelief, which is considered an act of mercy.
- + "The message of Divine Mercy has always been near and dear to me...which I took with me to the See of Peter and which it in a sense forms the image of this Pontificate." - Pope John Paul II

