

AUGUST 15, 2021

THE ASSUMPTION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY

“Alleluia. Mary is taken up to heaven.”

MASS SCHEDULE

Weekend Mass timings:

Saturdays 5pm (anticipated)
Sundays 8:30am; 10:15am; 12noon & 4pm.

Daily Masses:

Monday to Friday: 8:15am & 6:30pm
Saturdays 9am

Novena to St. Joseph: During the ‘Year of St. Joseph’, we pray the novena daily for cancer patients and for those suffering other ailments.

Novena to Sacred Heart: Recited every Friday after 8:15am and 6:30pm Masses.

Novena to Our Lady of Perpetual Help: Every Wednesday evening at 6:15pm followed by Mass.

Friday Adoration:

5pm Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament
6:15pm Benediction followed by Mass at 6:30pm

Confession:

Monday-Friday: 7:45am & 6:00pm.
Saturdays: 9:30am & 3:45pm

STEWARDSHIP REFLECTION

“And Mary said, “My soul proclaims the greatness of the Lord; my spirit rejoices in God my saviour.” Luke 1:46

After Jesus, we look to Mary as our model of stewardship. Her entire life was lived in obedience to God’s will. Just as the moon reflects the light of the sun, Mary reflects the light of Christ. Like Mary, we too are called to reflect Christ to the world. We do this by putting other’s needs before our wants.

PRAYERS FOR THE SICK

Almira Steeds; Shirley Papuc; Louella D’Penha; Cecilio Peralta; Darlene McHale; Dominga Carrion; Jean Van Loo; Marie Connor; Maria Amato; Ailaj Fulton; John Galea; Annie Singh; Lucia Schad; Elizabeth Ellis; Marilyn Saunar; Mary Heemskerck; Maria Freitas; Margaret Vanderende; Terry Barry; Maureen Price; Nick Krueger; Lorna Scanlan

PRAYERS FOR THE DEAD

Ramon Leuterio; Christy Joy Brotonel; Samuel Matai



PRAYER TO

ST. MICHAEL THE ARCHANGEL

Saint Michael the Archangel, defend us in battle. Be our defence against the wickedness and snares of the Devil. May God rebuke him, we humbly pray, and do thou, O Prince of the heavenly hosts, by the power of God, thrust into hell Satan, and all evil spirits, who prowl around the world seeking the ruin of souls. Amen.

REGISTRATION FOR R.C.I.A.

Are you someone or do you know someone who...

- has expressed an interest in becoming Catholic? or
- was baptized Catholic as a child, but has not celebrated the Sacraments of Eucharist and Confirmation?

We offer an opportunity to come together in a small group to learn more about our faith. Sessions focus on the teachings and experience of the Church and prepare individuals to celebrate the Sacraments of Baptism, Confirmation, and Eucharist during the Easter season. You are welcome to participate in the process with your questions, your insights and your faith story in a warm accepting setting. For information and to register for our September start-up, please contact Pat and John Nimmo at patjohn@telus.net or Jane Waldoock at prep.icdelta@gmail.com.

PARISH LIBRARY

The Parish Library is open after Mass. Come in and enjoy reading books and magazines, watching movies and documentaries and music enjoyment!

<http://www.parishlibrary.com>



SERRA CLUB

The Serra Club invites you to join us every Wednesday in a Rosary for Vocations via zoom. Please join us between 7:15pm-7:25pm. Kindly acknowledge your participation intent by Wednesday at noon the latest so we can provide the Zoom ID for that evening. Contact email: SerraFraserValleyWest@gmail.com. State ‘Rosary’ in the subject line.

PREP REGISTRATION

Registration is now open for our 2021-22 PREP year. Now that we are back to in-person worship, it is extra important that our parish children who attend public school, continue with their religious education and sacramental preparation through the IC PREP program. Please register your child now by:

Contacting Jane Waldo at prep.icdelta@gmail.com or Picking up a PREP registration form from the Gathering Area or

Downloading a registration form <https://www.icdelta.ca/parish-religious-education-program>.

Completed forms and payment can be dropped off at the Parish Office mailbox.

Please remember that 2 years preparation is required for reception of First Holy Communion and again for Confirmation. Let your family, friends and neighbours know about this important opportunity to support the raising of our children in the Catholic Faith. If you would like to be a part of helping our parish families pass on the faith to the next generation, please contact Jane Waldo at 778.997.4672. We are always in need of assistants and teachers for our program. Classes to start in late September.

THE MEN'S RETREAT: MAN IN THE ARENA

The Men's Retreat offers something for everyone: powerful presentations, prayer time, Sacraments, fellowship, adventure, rest, hiking, and the rugged beauty of Rockridge Canyon in Princeton, BC. This year's speakers include Bishop Scott McCaig, Jake Khym, Brett Powell and other great men from the Archdiocese of Vancouver. October 1-3. Register at beholdvancouver.org/events.

DRESSING WITH REVERENCE

While fashions go in and out of style, reverence never does. No matter what the season, a gentle reminder is in order as to appropriate dress for attending Mass. As brothers and sisters in Christ, it also reflects our level of respect for one another. Any clothing, or lack of clothing, that distracts those around us is not appropriate. As a Parish family, let us encourage one another to be witnesses to our faith with reverence and with mutual respect.

EMAIL FRAUD WARNING!

Please be aware of scam emails going out to some parishioners using any of our priest's name as the recipient requesting for gifts or items to be purchased. Please do not respond to any of these requests, they should be discarded immediately.

KINDLY PICK UP YOUR 2021 SUNDAY COLLECTION ENVELOPE BOX IN THE GATHERING AREA. THANK YOU.

ALPHA - ONLINE

You might be wondering what **Alpha** is about? Millions of people around the world have participated. Alpha is a forum where, over 11 weeks, people come to watch a film and engage in conversation on the big questions of life.

We will meet for 1 hour over **Zoom on Thursday evenings from 7:00pm to 8:00pm starting on September 16th**.

There will be no pressure, no cost, no homework, and no follow-up. Alpha provides a respectful, honest and open environment.

If you would like to try Alpha, please register so we can send you the zoom link. To register contact Jane Waldo at prep.icdelta@gmail.com

For questions, contact Kerry at 604.590.1296.

BRITISH COLUMBIA BISHOPS' CAMPAIGN IN SUPPORT OF HEALING & RECONCILIATION

The goal of the campaign is to support Indian Residential School survivors and Indigenous communities in British Columbia as part of the Archdiocese's ongoing response to the recommendations of the Truth and Reconciliation Commission's Calls to Action. Our projects will be aimed at the promotion of healing and reconciliation. 100% of contributions made to the Archdiocese of Vancouver for this campaign will be allocated for these projects.

As much as possible, these projects will be carried out in consultation with Indigenous leadership, survivors, elders, and other community members. It is our hope that this campaign will help to restore trust and further the ongoing journey to truth and reconciliation.

For more information and the link to donate please visit support.rcav.org, or by cheque to the Archdiocese of Vancouver with "Healing and Reconciliation" in the memo.

PRAYER TO ST. ROCH

O merciful St. Roch, recalling to mind your glorious life of service to the sick and infirm, I am confident in seeking your help in my present illness. It was our Lord's will that I receive this infirmity and now I ask that, if it be His holy will, I be relieved of my suffering and be restored to health.

During your lifetime, you spent countless hours in taking care of sufferers from the plague and were always ready to help others by kindly service and fervent prayers. I beseech you now, dear saint, to obtain for me help in my present troubles. I confidently invoke your prayers and know that, if it be for my own good, God will hear your supplications and grant this favour.

Merciful Jesus, hear my prayers and the prayers of St. Roch and, in your tender compassion, send down your graces to your humble servant. Grant that I may be physically well and spiritually healthy. Amen.



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WELCOME!

A warm welcome to all visitors and newcomers. We hope you enjoy your time with us. To visitors, we wish you safe travels and to newcomers, we invite you to join our parish family.

Pastor Reverend Amador Abundo

Assistant Pastor / Hospital Chaplain Reverend Camillus Temba, ALCP/OSS

Assistant Pastor / Part-time Reverend Fr. John Kuriakose

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MASSES

Sunday - 8:30am, 10:15am, 12noon, 4:00pm and

Saturday - 5:00pm

Monday to Friday - 8:15am, Wednesdays and Fridays, also at 7:00pm

Saturdays & Public Holidays - 9:00am

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SACRAMENTS

Confessions - Before morning Masses on Monday - Saturday,
15 minutes before all Sunday Masses, Fridays at 6:00pm to 6:45pm,
Saturday at 9:30am to 10:30am, Saturday at 3:45pm - 4:30pm,

Baptisms - Sundays at 1:15pm. To prepare for baptism, parents are required to take the Baptism Course offered on the last Sunday of each month at 2:00pm. We highly recommend that you take this course well in advance of the birth of the child. Godparents are also required to attend. Contact the parish office to verify the date of the next course.

Marriages - Contact the parish office at least 6 months in advance of desired wedding date. An archdiocesan recognized Marriage Preparation Course is required prior to the wedding date. Please contact one of the priests before making any plans.

OTHER DEVOTIONS AND PRAYERS

Morning Prayer and Rosary - before first Mass of the day

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament - Fridays, Exposition at

1:00pm - 6:45pm, followed by Benediction at 6:45pm

Novena to our Lady of Perpetual Help - Wednesdays, 6:45pm followed by Mass at 7:00pm

MINISTRIES AND OUTREACH

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Catholic Women's League 778-232-5953

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Immaculate Conception School 604-596-6116

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Parish Religious Education Program (PREP) 778-997-4672

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