

May 23 - June 5, 2016

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SACRAMENTAL CELEBRATIONS:

MASS SCHEDULE Monday - Friday 8:15am,
Saturday, Holidays & Summer 9:00am, Saturday Vigil 5:00pm
Sunday 8:00am, Family 10:00am, 12:00pm, 7:30pm

DIVINE MERCY Friday 7:30pm

HOLY ROSARY Monday - Saturday After Mass

RECONCILIATION

Monday - Friday before morning Mass, Friday from 7:00pm to 7:20pm & Saturday from 4:00pm - 4:45pm

BAPTISM COURSE Third Monday of the Month 7:00pm; please call the parish office to register.

BAPTISM First Sunday of the Month, after the 12:00pm Mass

HOLY MATRIMONY We welcome your wedding celebration at Holy Cross Church. Marriage Course is required. To arrange the date and begin your preparation, please contact the Parish Office 6 months prior to the proposed wedding date.

ANOINTING OF THE SICK If you have a relative or a friend who would like to arrange for a priest for Anointing of the Sick or to visit the sick in a hospital, the contact information is as follows:

BURNABY GENERAL HOSPITAL: Fr. Bede Kim Minh Le, 604.298.6800. In an emergency only, 604.992.9910.

VANCOUVER GENERAL HOSPITAL: Fr. Vittorio Scomparin, 778-987-8151.

SAINT PAUL HOSPITAL: Fr. Boniface D'Souza, 604.806.8290, pager 604.252.4224.

Please provide this important information to the priest as the hospital will not provide any details when he arrives: name of the sick, ward, room number, bed number, and name & phone number of person making the request.



PRAY FOR THE SICK - Ines Cappon-Lomas, Michelle Curtis, Nick Fazio, Harold Hopkinson, Steven Kastro, Irma Kowalczyk, Liberty Lardizabal, Diana Marino, Leo Matusicky, Marcy McCarthy, Rosemary Nicholson, Matthew Perera, Alice Quek, Maria Romano, Margaret Rozario, Jack Warren, and Normita Yumul.

To New Parishioners & Visitors, WELCOME!
Kindly introduce yourselves to the Priest after Mass.

Please inform the Parish Office if you have moved, changed address, and phone number. Thank you.

Archbishop Miller's statement on Fort McMurray fire

Vancouver Archbishop J. Michael Miller released the following statement about the wildfire destruction and damage in Fort McMurray, Alberta.



VANCOUVER (May 10, 2016) – With the faithful of the Archdiocese of Vancouver, I offer my heartfelt prayers for the people of Fort McMurray, Alta., during their time of crisis. May God bless them and protect them through this ordeal. I invite those who wish to help in a material way to join me in making a donation to the Canadian Red Cross. The Government of Canada has

committed to matching contributions to the Red Cross, and donations can be made online at www.redcross.ca. For those who would like to directly assist the Catholic community of Fort McMurray, St. Paul Bishop Paul Terrio has confirmed that half of contributions will go to assisting local Catholic parishes and parishioners, while the other half will be forwarded to the Fort McMurray Ministerial Association for ecumenical assistance to those who have lost homes and jobs.

For more information please visit our website at rcav.org/prayer-and-humanitarian-appeals.

UPDATE (May 12, 2016) – Archbishop Miller has approved a special collection in response to the wildfire disaster in Fort McMurray and surrounding region. The collection will be on the **May 22 Victoria Day weekend** and proceeds will go to the Diocese of St. Paul, Alta. Bishop Paul Terrio has confirmed that half of contributions will go to assisting local Catholic parishes and parishioners, while the other half will be forwarded to the Fort McMurray Ministerial Association for ecumenical assistance to those who have lost homes and jobs. Please make cheque donations payable to Holy Cross Parish.

SCHOOL NEWS

May 23rd, Monday Victoria Day – No Classes
 May 26th, Thursday School Mass at 9:15am (Kindergarten)
 May 29th, Sunday Spring Annual School Community Picnic
 May 31st, Tuesday Kindergarten Orientation Meeting at 6:30pm



Holy Cross School Community Picnic

Sunday May 29th 12:30 – 5:00

Holy Cross School Grounds

Join us for an afternoon of Fun and Food!

There will be a bouncy castle and slide, lots of food,

Live music featuring *E-Strut* and back by popular demand

Staff Sumo Wrestling.

We look forward to seeing you there!

Can't join us?

Buy a raffle ticket for a chance at winning \$400.00

A Holy Cross Student will be at the back of the church after Mass

May 21/22 and May 28/29.

MASS INTENTIONS (REQUESTED BY)

May 23 - 29, 2016

Mon. 9:00am +Silvano Marchiori (Zucchetto Family)
 Tues. 8:15am Sp. Int. James Harrington (Family)
 Wed. 8:15am +Wo On Cheng (Wife)
 Thurs 8:15am +Angela Valente (Daughter)
 9:15am Sp. Int. Fr. Maciej
 Fri. 8:15am +Sixto Velasco (Chit & Ria)
 7:30pm **Deceased:**

Florante Rigonan
 Margaret Higgins (Tajsha & Nick Neuls)
 Carmela Sorace (Ada & Frank Folino)
 Victoria Abrosimo (Tina Tiannelli)

Special Intentions:

Lanny Hui (Elvine Kelly)
 Virgie Parel (Family)
 Fr. Maciej (Regina Mattusch)
 Vic & Bruna
 WYD Pilgrims
 Chit Velasco (John & Diva)
 Gloria Ferrer (Cruz Family)

Sat. 9:00am Sp. Int. Lanny
 5:00pm +Gina Abbinante (Family)
 Sun. 8:00am +Bertha Hudak
 10:00am +Giuseppe Maggiore (Family)
 Noon +Ophelia & John Pereira (Family)
 7:30pm +Silvan Marchiori (Zucchetto Family)

May 30 - June 5, 2016

Mon. 8:15am +Yu King Sau (Faith Group)
 Tues. 8:15am Sp. Int. Virgie Parel (Family)
 Wed. 8:15am +Melvin Grazyk (Dave & Dorothy Demare)
 Thurs 8:15am +Settimio Martino (Andrea & Peter Buonassisi)
 10:30am PARISHIONERS – Fellburn Hospital
 Fri. 8:15am +Gina Bassetto (Sartori Family)
 7:30pm **Deceased:**

Tony, Teresa & Domenic Piperni (Family)
 Maria Dolores Filomeno (Jacobsohn Family)
 Ken Wray (Regina Mattusch)
 Guillermina Achacoso (Cruz Family)
 Antonio Reino (Baldonero Family)
 Cho Yung Wong (May Chan)

Special Intention:

Lanny Hui (Lucille)
 Sat. 9:00am PARISHIONERS
 5:00pm +Geraldo & Edveges Pereira (Rodrigues Family)
 Sun. 8:00am +Suor Pieraugusta Bosa (Terragni Family)
 10:00am +Ken Wray (Alice & Ernest Tan)
 Noon +Zorka Zupan (Family)
 7:30pm +Maria Francisco & Angela Bavaro (Pannozzo Family)

SUNDAY COLLECTION

Our Parish weekly budget is \$9,460.00

	Envelopes	Loose	Total
May 8	\$ 7,195.75	\$ 901.05	\$ 8,096.80
May 15	\$ 7,179.75	\$ 978.90	\$ 8,158.65
Special Collection:			
Ecuador Earthquake Relief	\$ 2,214.45	\$ 1,419.55	\$ 3,634.00
School Support Program	\$ 2,736.00	\$ 158.00	\$ 2,894.00

MONEY COUNTERS

May 24 Diva M., Emma I., Bruna G. & Lucia A.
 May 30 Lucia A., Grace & Lawrence T.
 June 6 John C., Cathy K., Perla P. & Liliana S.

PARISH ACTIVITIES

May 23 - 29, 2016

- Mon. PARISH OFFICE/RECTORY/SCHOOL CLOSED
- Victoria Day
7:30pm HC Prayer Group (Music Room)
- Wed. 7:00pm Theology of the Body (Music Room)
- Thur. 9:15am HC School Mass - Kindergarten (Church)
7:00pm Finance Council Meeting (PREP Office)
7:30pm K of C 4th Degree Meeting (Music Room)
8:00pm Parish Council Meeting
- Fri. 6:30pm Challenge Girls Club (Basement)
7:30pm Divine Mercy Mass (Church)
- Sat. 9:30am Divine Mercy Cenacle (Kitchen)
2:00pm CWL Strawberry Tea (Gym)
- Sun. 12:30pm HC School Family Picnic
(Church/School grounds)

May 30 - June 5, 2016

- Mon. 7:30pm HC Prayer Group (Music Room)
- Tues. 6:30pm New Kindergarten Orientation Meeting
(Music Room)
- Wed. 7:00pm Theology of the Body (Music Room)
- Thur. 7:00pm CWL Mass (Church)
- Fri. 6:30pm Challenge Girls Club (Basement)
7:30pm Divine Mercy Mass (Church)
- Sat. 9:30am Divine Mercy Cenacle (Kitchen)
- Sun. After BAPTISMS
12pm Mass
After the K of C Pancake Breakfast (Gym)
8am, 10am &
12pm Masses

PROJECT ADVANCE

Update as of May 13, 2016

Thank You

We have received \$55,272.58 in pledges. Thanks to the 214 families who have donated, we have reached our diocesan goal of \$55,000.00! This means that donations received beyond this point will go to the parish.

If you haven't contributed already, please consider giving today.

Live gratefully, give generously.



Online donations may be made directly at www.projectadvance.ca.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

REGISTRATION FOR FALL PREP CLASSES

- PREP applications for Levels 1 to 7 are being accepted. To register, or re-register, please call the PREP Office 604-299-3814 Ext. 5, or Rectory Office - 604-299-3814 Ext. 2. A copy of Baptismal Certificate is required for new applicants. PREP classes begin: TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 20, 2016 at 7:00 p.m. in the Church.



BIRTHRIGHT: SPECIAL MASS, PRAYERS AND CROWNING

OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY - Please join us Saturday, May 28 for the 12:10 Mass. Preceded by the Rosary, followed by the Crowning of the Blessed Virgin Mary at Holy Rosary Cathedral, Vancouver. Refreshments to follow in Rosary Hall, 650 Richards Street. Donations of finger food greatly appreciated. For more info, please contact Jane or Helen at 604-323-1401 or Birthright services at 604-687-7223.

CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE ANNOUNCEMENTS

Strawberry Tea - Holy Cross Catholic Women's League invites you to save the date for their annual Strawberry Tea which will be held on Saturday, May 28 from 2:00-4:00pm. Everyone is invited to join us for delicious afternoon tea and entertainment. Tickets are \$10.00 and will be on sale before and after all Masses on May 21/22 or at the parish office. Our famous apple pies will be available for purchase to our guests. **Donations of gift cards, coffees, teas, chocolate, garden or kitchen items would be welcome for our Raffle baskets.**

Wine and Cheese Social - Please join us on Thursday, June 2 for our last meeting before the summer break. Mass will be celebrated at 7:00pm followed by a very short meeting and then a Wine and Cheese social. We extend an invitation to our members and all women of the parish to attend.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS ANNOUNCEMENTS

Pancake Breakfast is on Sunday, June 5th after the 8am, 10am and 12pm Masses.

Annual General Meeting is on Thursday, June 16th at 7pm. We invite all members to attend.

Wind Down Barbecue is on Thursday, June 23rd at 7pm in the gym. We invite all members to attend. Please RSVP with Grand Knight Mike Malsegna at (604)329-0207 by June 16th.



UNDERSTANDING THE LITURGY - The Catholic Mass is the central act of worship in the life of a Catholic, but few are aware of what it means. While some Catholics may know the prayers and responses said in the liturgy, many do not know their significance or historical development. The true beauty of Mass is seen when you break it down into its components and explain each of the steps in a way that you might understand more clearly. This course explains the Catholic Mass so that you will have a better understanding of what it is, what it does and how it is essential to Christian growth. Saturday, May 28, from 10am to 4pm, John Paul II Pastoral Centre, 4885 Saint John Paul II Way. Cost: \$40 and includes lunch. For more info or to register, visit rcav.org/oc-liturgy or contact the Catechetics Office at 604-683-0281 ext.50236

PRO-LIFE MASS - Join us for a peaceful, prayerful vigil for unborn children and their parents. Mass on Saturday, June 4 at 9am at St. Mary's Parish (8909 Mary Street, Chilliwack).



ADVOKATE WALK FOR LIFE: "A PERSON IS A PERSON NO MATTER HOW SMALL"

- Support the smallest people in our community by participating in the 2016 Walk for Life. Walk or run our 4K or 8K routes to raise funds for the life-affirming work of Advokate Life & Education Services. We promote the inherent value and dignity of every human being by advocating for the most vulnerable members of society. Join us on Saturday, June 4, from 12-3pm at Mill Lake Park (Bevan Ave. Side - 32961 Bevan Ave.), Abbotsford for a walk or run, and family fun activities including face painting, bouncy castles, balloons, a low cost BBQ and more! For more info or to register, visit www.walkforlife2016.ca

For information on other events within the Diocese, visit www.rcav.org



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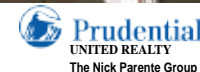


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Strawberry Tea

Please come and join us for a wonderful afternoon of entertainment, friendship and family fun at our annual CWL Strawberry Tea.

Saturday, May 28, 2016 at 2:00pm



**Tickets
\$10^{ea.}**

1450 Delta Ave., North Burnaby - Holy Cross Elementary School Gym

- Live Entertainment from our Talented Holy Cross Elementary Students
- Famous CWL Pie - \$12 ea.
- Door Prizes
- 50/50 Draw
- Raffle & More!

Tickets can be purchased at the Parish office beginning May 11 or after each mass on the following days: May 14 & 15; May 21 & 22

