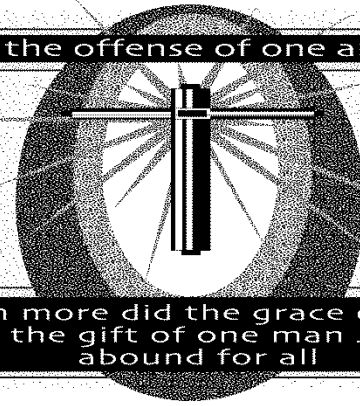


# Twelfth Sunday in Ordinary Time

June 25, 2017

The Lord is the strength  
of his people!

If by the offense of one all died



Much more did the grace of GOD  
and the gift of one man JESUS  
abound for all

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## PRAY FOR THE SICK

Catherine Salgado, JudyLyn Marquez, Orlando Castro, Peter D'Mello, Joseph Matthew, Evelyn Garvida, Hardy Sullivan, Caridad Pablo, Bernard Espiritu III, Grace Tan, Ben Armonio, Elisa Castro, Christopher Jozi, Patricia Savcor, Robert Kreeft, Vicente Bautista, Chanelle Lim Yan, Lois Charlebois, Nestor Hipolito, Connie Hatherton, Francesca Nichele, Eidrienne Montemayor, Dawn Moscrop, Loretta Di Curzio, Evelyn Jackson, Lenore Burlack, Mary Hollman.



**PROJECT ADVANCE**  
Live gratefully, give generously.

The 2017 Project Advance campaign is underway. Thank you to those of you who have already contributed this year! As of June 19, our pledges total \$74,490.00 from 170 parishioners. We have reached our Archdiocesan goal of \$58,000!! The money raised above this goal will again go into our Parish Building Fund to assist with our parish projects:

- A dignified grotto in honour of our Lady, near the tree in the courtyard.
- The renovation of the choir area, and the crying room.
- The relocation of the tabernacle to the centre of the sanctuary, as required by the Archbishop.

To make your donation, you may give online at [www.projectadvance.ca](http://www.projectadvance.ca), or bring it to the parish office, or you may mail your donation using the brochure or pledge form. Donations can be made by cash, cheque or credit card; and can be made in one lump sum, or divided into convenient monthly payments. Your participation counts, and *all gifts matter!* Thank you for your continued support!

## ST. BERNADETTE SCHOOL NEWS

**Thank You** - As another school year comes to a close we would like to take this time to thank the parishioners of St. Bernadette's for their charity, generosity, and overall support of our students and the school as a whole. Have a safe and happy summer!

## PARISH NEWS & EVENTS

- **CONTRACTORS:** We are ready to begin our projects in the church and are looking for parishioners interested in bidding on the renovation of the choir area, the crying room, and the relocation of the tabernacle. Please contact Fel at 604-543-9448 for details on these projects. Quotes are to be submitted to the parish office by Friday, July 7<sup>th</sup>.
- **GREETERS WANTED:** Our parish is beginning a new ministry to greet our fellow parishioners and newcomers at all weekend masses. If you would like to volunteer to be a greeter at your preferred mass, please sign up on the sheet in the Gathering Area to be included in the schedule. Thank you!
- **BAPTISM PREPARATION CLASS:** The next Baptism Preparation Class will be on **Thursday, July 20** at 7:00 p.m. in the Parish Centre. To register please call Parish Office at 604.596.0566.
- **BADMINTON DROP-IN:** All are welcome to play Sundays 4-6pm and Wednesdays 7-9pm. Youth and kids are free, adults \$4.00 per drop-in. Call Leslie at 604.720.5351 for more info.
- **ZUMBA/LINE DANCING:** Join us in the Parish Centre Mondays at 5:45 p.m. for Zumba or line dancing at 6:45 p.m. Cost is \$5.00 per hour.

## FAMINE RELIEF FUND COLLECTION

20 million are at risk of starvation in South Sudan, Somalia, Yemen, and Nigeria, and the Catholic Church is joining in a national ecumenical & interfaith response. A special collection will be taken up at all parishes this weekend. Envelopes are available at the entrance to the church, or donate by phone at 1.888.664.3387, text PEACE to 45678 to donate \$10, or mail your donation to 1425 René-Lévesque Blvd. W, 3rd Floor, Montreal, QC, H3G 1T7. Donate before June 30 and the Government of Canada will match your donation!

## RIP

Please pray for the repose of the soul of Jim Buis. Funeral prayers will be on Mon., June 26 at 6:30pm, funeral mass will be Tues., June 27 at 11:00 a.m.

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### **PREP NEWS**

Our PREP Classes have finished for the year. We are accepting registrations for September. Applications are available in the Gathering Area, at the parish office, or on the PREP page of our website. Classes are for students in Kindergarten through Level 7.

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### **SCHOOL YEAR END PARTY**

All students from grades 7 to 12 are invited to celebrate the end of the school year with a party on Thursday, June 29 at 7:00 p.m. in the Parish Centre. Visit the Youth Ministry Facebook page for more details, or call Jamey at 604-617-7331 for more info.

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### **VOLUNTEERS STILL NEEDED**

During the summer months we find ourselves short of volunteers. Please consider giving some of your time to volunteer on a Tuesday evening. With bingo halls in the area are closing, we are seeing an increase in patrons. This brings a great deal more revenue to our parish, but we need more volunteers to remain successful and stay open! Please help yourself to the insert which outlines positions, times and duties. All training is provided. If you would like more information you may reach Erin in the Bingo office on Tuesdays at 604.596.1833 or contact the parish office at 604.596.0566.



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### **SUMMER NIGHT DANCE FEVER**

Our St. Bee's Line Dancers and Zumba-dores are hosting Summer Night Dance Fever on Saturday, July 8. Come out for fun fun fun! No dance moves? No problem!! Quick lessons by Dinah and Imee will get you started that evening. Doors open at 6:00 p.m., dinner at 7:00 p.m. Tickets are \$20 each and will be available after weekend masses, or contact Dinah at 778.386.0259 or [zumbadinah@gmail.com](mailto:zumbadinah@gmail.com).

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### **MARIAN CONSECRATION**

Canada's bishops will mark the 150th anniversary of Confederation by re-consecrating the nation to Mary on Canada Day. In dioceses across Canada, bishops will consecrate their individual dioceses or eparchies. Join Archbishop Miller for a special Mass on Sunday, July 2, at 11:00 a.m. as we celebrate and pray the national Prayer of Consecration to Mary at Holy Rosary Cathedral. For more info, visit: <http://rcav.org/marian-consecration/>

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### **VOCATION LIVE-IN**

There will be a Vocation Live-In for boys or young men interested in the priesthood or the consecrated life, on July 7-9 at the Seminary of Christ the King, in Mission. For more info call 604.826.8715.

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### **EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES**

- Holy Cross Regional Secondary is seeking a facility maintenance technician / handyman for a temporary, full-time position. More information is available on the posting in the Gathering Area. Send cover letter and resume to Johanne Fraser at [jf.hc@telus.net](mailto:jf.hc@telus.net). Deadline to apply is 4:00 p.m. Monday, June 26.

- CISVA is hiring! Catholic Independent Schools Vancouver Archdiocese (CISVA) is currently looking for teachers for September. If you're interested or know someone who is, please check out the CISVA employment page for more information: <https://cisva.bc.ca/info/employment/>

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### **THE ROLE OF PERMANENT DEACONS**

Curious about the role of Permanent Deacons? A unique and special vocation, Deacons are official teachers and preachers of the Gospel, and they may preside at baptisms, marriages, funerals, and other forms of community prayers. They also share in the pastoral responsibilities of outreach, such as visiting the sick, the homebound, those imprisoned and in need. Men interested in this ordained ministry, along with their wives, are invited to an introductory seminar covering the history, theology and practicalities of the Permanent Diaconate. Sessions run Saturdays on Sept. 23, Oct. 28 and Nov.19. For more info or to register, visit [www.stmarkscollege.ca/programs/deacon](http://www.stmarkscollege.ca/programs/deacon).

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### **ROSARY RALLIES**

For the 100<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of Our Lady of Fatima, the faithful from across the Lower Mainland are invited to join in honoring Our Lady by praying the Rosary on any or all of the Rosary Rallies. Rallies take place at Robson Square, south plaza of the Vancouver Art Gallery, 800 Robson Street, Vancouver. Dates are: July 15, August 12, September 16, and October 7 from 10:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m. For mor information, please call David Pearce at 604.929.4812.

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### **YOUTHLEADER TRAINING**

YouthLeader trains youth to be leaders of ministry and forms youth in the vision and values of Jesus; helping them make the connection between their Catholic faith and their actions in leadership. Youth and adults use the leadership skills they gain to plan for the parish, school, or community group they represent. There's still time to register for YouthLeader, taking place July 10-14. For more info., visit <http://rcav.org/youth-training/>

