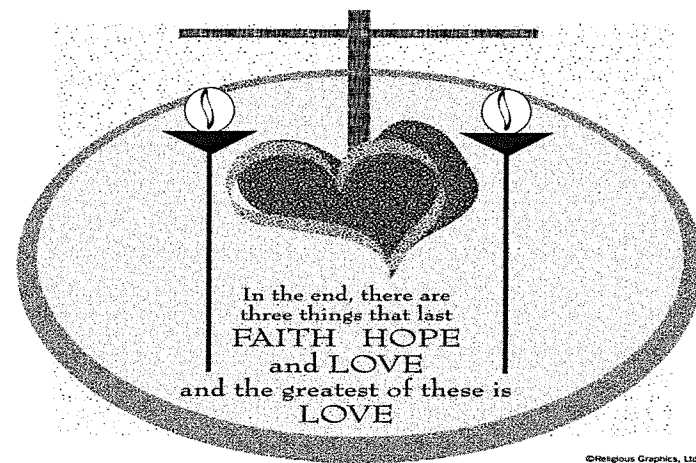


Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time

February 3, 2019

Save us, O Lord our God!



PRAY FOR THE SICK

Denise Afable, Jasmynder Viridi, Norman Iglesias, Manolo Asuncion, Patrick Diaz, Ben Marling, Manolo Asuncion, Lilia Aranas, Virgilio Licerio Sr., Lucia Licerio, Alfredo Camales Sr., Alejandra Damayo, Limuel Palad, Donna Whitford, Sunny Castro, Felix Caoile, Barry Prime, Crystal Oteyza, Arnold Castro, Lois Wong, Liberato Moreno, Encarnacion Moreno, Maribeth Tamayo, Lindsay Williams, Carmine Cello, Crystal Schuster, Anna Aere, Leo Dy, Virginia Guzman Pedroza, Sheila Pomeroy, Ruth Mohr, Catherine Salgado, JudyLyn Marquez, Joseph Matthew, Grace Tan, Christopher Jozi, Patricia Savcor, Vicente Bautista, Chanelle Lim Yan, Lois Charlebois, Connie Hatherton, Francesca Nichele, Eidrienne Montemayor, Loreta Di Curzio, Evelyn Jackson, Mary Hollman.

RIP

Please pray for the repose of the soul of Bob MacDonald. Funeral Mass will be on Friday, February 15 at 11:00 a.m. at Good Shepherd Church (2250-150 St., Surrey). RSVP to Julie at jewelmac23@gmail.com.

MINISTRY FOCUS

Liturgy of the Word with Children, also called LWC or Children's Liturgy, is a continuation of the Mass presented to young children in a manner related to their level of understanding and experience. It includes readings, a reflection, the Creed, prayers and an activity. We welcome all children ages 4 through grade 2 to participate. Once the students have received their First Holy Communion, they will remain with their families in the church for the Liturgy of the Word. Children are welcome to attend on any Sunday and no registration or payment is required. Parents are free to come and see with their children. Volunteers are also always welcome! St. Bernadette Parish offers Liturgy of the Word with Children at our 11:30am Sunday mass. More info is available on our website.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS NEWS

Feb. 7 General meeting, 7pm in room A; Feb. 10 Pancake breakfast.

PARISH NEWS & EVENTS

- **PROJECT ADVANCE:** Donations can be made online at www.projectadvance.ca, brought to the parish office, or mailed using the brochure or pledge form. Donations accepted by cash, cheque or credit card; in one lump sum, or divided into monthly payments. Your participation counts, and *all gifts matter!* Thank you for your support!
- **LADIES NIGHT!** All ladies are invited for an evening focused on you! Join us Thursday, February 7 at 7:30 p.m. in the Parish Centre for presentations from London Drugs Cosmetics and Pharmacy. Previous presentations included sun aware skincare, choosing a moisturizer, vitamins and supplements, and vaccinations. This evening is sponsored by our CWL.
- **PANCAKE BREAKFAST:** Our Knights of Columbus invite everyone for pancake breakfast next weekend after all Sunday morning masses. Proceeds help fund the various charitable works that our Knights are involved in.

CATHOLIC PRESS COLLECTION

February is Catholic Press Month and with it comes the annual Catholic Press Collection. This weekend, there will be a second collection at all parishes in the Archdiocese of Vancouver. This is a great opportunity for parishioners to show their appreciation for receiving The B.C. Catholic. The collection helps defray your parish's costs for mailing the paper. For those who don't receive it, it's also a great chance to help out as all the money collected stays in the parish. Please give generously Feb. 2-3 so we can continue to deliver this vital, award-winning publication to parishioners in the Archdiocese of Vancouver. Please visit www.bccatholic.ca for more info.

PRAYER INTENTION BOX

Our prayer group have provided a box for prayer intentions in the Gathering Area on the table. Everyone is welcome to place their prayer intentions in the box. These intentions will be prayed for on the First Friday and last Monday of each month. For more info, please contact Beth at 604.596.2097.

ST. BERNADETTE SCHOOL NEWS

2019-2020 Admissions - We have had a very successful admissions drive again this year! Currently Grade 3 has only 2 seats remaining, and Kindergarten has 32+ applications on hand. All other classes are full and currently have waiting lists. Please visit <https://stbernadetteschool.ca/> for a registration form, or contact the school at 604.596.1101.

OPEN HOUSE - Our annual Open House will be held on Sunday, February 10 from 9am - 1pm. We invite you to drop by after mass to tour the school and see what our school has to offer.

STINGER DRIVE - FAMILY FUN

Join us in the Parish Hall on Sunday, February 10 from 2:00-4:00 p.m. for this family friendly, entertaining game for all ages. Using only paper, pencils, and dice, be the first player to draw a complete bee. There will be prizes and refreshments. Tickets are \$5 per person, or \$20 per family, and will be available after mass next weekend, or at the parish office or school office. All proceeds will benefit St. Bernadette School.

HOLY CROSS HIGH SCHOOL VOLLEYBALL

Junior Crusader Volleyball program is geared for girls currently in grades 4&5 who want to increase their volleyball skills and love of the game. For some players, this will be their first introduction to the sport so there will be a large focus on fun while learning new skills. This is a great opportunity to have fun, make new friends and learn the game. Cost is \$100. Program runs every Saturday 9:30-11:00 April 6-May 25 at Holy Cross High School. Email bgrandia@holycross.bc.ca to secure your spot before March 9.

BINGO VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!

Our most important needs right now are: two more cooks, two more callers, one more office person. With our new bingo machine, **callers** have it easy...see the number, call the number, touch the button on the touchscreen...it's that easy! **Cooks** typically come in just before school is out and prepare the burgers before bingo starts. Talk to Erin about whether adjustments can be made to the times if this doesn't work for you. **Office staff** are here for a full Tuesday evening and knowledge of Excel is helpful, but they do work in pairs, so you always have a friend. We are asking again for our parishioners' support. Please consider helping out to keep our Bingo open! Please pick up a Volunteer Info sheet and contact Bingo at bingo@stbernadette.ca if you can help. Thank you!

CATHOLIC WOMEN'S CORNER



General Meeting & Ladies Night on Feb. 7 in the Parish Hall beginning at 7pm with a brief meeting.

ST. JOHN PAUL II ACADEMY

St. John Paul II Academy is accepting applications for Gr. 8 & 9 for the 2019-20 school year. The deadline for applications is Feb. 28, 2019. To apply, please visit www.sjp2academy.com call 604.560.8210 or email mdeslauriers@sjp2academy.com.

RETRouvaille SPRING PROGRAM

Is Your Marriage in Crisis? Repair your marriage, rediscover romance and gain the tools you need for healthy, loving communication! Retrouvaille is a Catholic peer ministry which offers a three-phase program for married couples with difficulties of all kinds, including years of misery, infidelity, separation, or even divorce. It is not too late! For confidential info or to register for the weekend of April 5-7, call Marc and Candice at 604-530-6710, or email vancouverbc@retrouvaille.org. More info is also available at www.retrouvaillevancouver.com.

VOCATION LIVE IN

On the weekend of February 8-10, there will be a Vocation Live-In for boys or young men interested in the priesthood or the consecrated life, at the Seminary of Christ the King, Mission. For info call 604.826.8715.

CHANGING MINDS & SAVING LIVES: BECOMING AN EFFECTIVE PRO-LIFE AMBASSADOR

For over 30 years, abortion has been legally unrestricted in our country, ending the lives of millions of children. As Catholics, it is our God-given duty to respond to this crisis. Join Cameron Côté, Western Outreach Director for the Canadian Centre for Bio-Ethical Reform, as he explains how you can be a part of the movement to end the killing. He will discuss the history of abortion in Canada, how the pro-life movement is responding, how to have compassionate and compelling conversations about abortion and how you can make a difference locally, provincially and nationally. Saturday, Feb. 9, at 10 a.m. at St. Matthew's Parish, Surrey. <https://rcav.org/event/changing-minds-and-saving-lives>

FATAL FLAWS

This is a screening of the documentary "Fatal Flaws: Legalizing Assisted Death," a thought-provoking journey through Europe and North America to ask: should we be giving doctors the right in law to end the life of others by euthanasia or assisted suicide? Filmmaker This film is about the adoption of – and resistance to – a new cultural Join us Friday, Feb. 8, at 7 p.m. at John Paul II Pastoral Centre, Vancouver. To register, visit <https://rcav.org/event/fatal-flaws-screening>



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