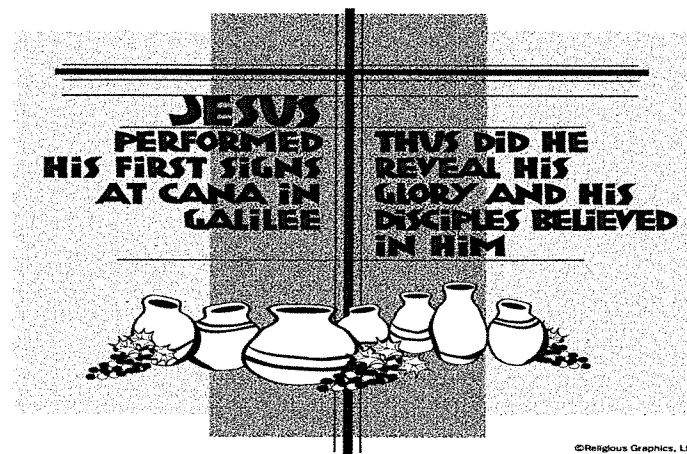


Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

January 20, 2019

**How precious is the Chalice
that quenches my thirst!**



PRAY FOR THE SICK



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, Dawn Moscrop, Loretta Di Curzio, Evelyn Jackson, Mary Hollman.

RIP

Please pray for the repose of the soul of Tom Krilow Sr.

MINISTRY FOCUS

The Legion of Mary is a lay apostolic association of Catholics who, with the sanction of the Church and under the powerful leadership of Mary Immaculate, serve the Church on a voluntary basis. Through the visitation of homes and by other means, the Legion sets out to establish a contact with every soul everywhere. Seeing and serving Christ in the sick and marginalized is another vital part of the legionary apostolate. While not engaging in the giving of material relief, legionaries will often find opportunities to do works of service for the needy. Our Lady of Lourdes Praesidium and Queen of Angels Praesidium are both active at St. Bernadette Parish. Our Lady of Lourdes Praesidium meet on Thursday mornings at 10:00 a.m., and Queen of Angels Praesidium meets on Wednesday evenings at 6:30 p.m. If you would like more information, please contact Ella at 604-597-7475 or Myrna at 778-709-4274.

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!
- **BAPTISM PREPARATION:** The next Baptism Preparation Class will be on Thursday, Jan 17 at 7:00 p.m. To register please call the Parish Office at 604.596.0566.
- **WEBSITE:** Please view the calendar on our website for information on the weekly events in our parish.

2019 WEEKLY DONATION ENVELOPES

Weekly envelopes for **2019** are available for pickup in the Gathering Area. **Please check your address**, and contact the Parish Office with any changes. If your box is missing, or you would like to begin using weekly envelopes, please **print** your information on the Request Sheets provided and a box will be ready for you the following week. **NEW PARISHIONERS** please complete a registration card.

SOCIETY OF ST. VINCENT DE PAUL

The next meeting of the Society of St. Vincent De Paul will be on Monday, Jan.21 at 7:00 p.m. in Room D.

YOUTH MINISTRY

The Youth Ministry are hosting a Pasta Dinner on Sat., January 26 in the Parish Hall, 6:30-9 p.m. Tickets are \$10.00 each and are being sold after all weekend masses this week in the Gathering Area. Everyone is welcome to enjoy food, live music and fellowship.

CATHOLIC WOMEN'S CORNER



Renew your membership or sign up to be part of the CWL. Please see one of our members in the Gathering Area after weekend masses. Executive meeting will be on Jan.24 in Room C.

ST. BERNADETTE SCHOOL NEWS

2019-2020 Admissions - Admissions for the 2019-2020 school year are now open. Forms are available in the Gathering Area of the church, and at the school. **UPDATED:** We have only **8 spaces available for Kindergarten**. Please get your application forms in early to guarantee a spot for your child. Interviews will begin in January.

HOMEMADE COOKIES

Our CWL will be selling cookies after all weekend masses on January 26 & 27. Anyone who is able to help bake, or package, or sell cookies, please contact Lisa at 604.354.3177 or 604.572.7983.

HOLY CROSS HIGH SCHOOL – OPEN HOUSE

Holy Cross' community invites prospective families to join us on **Thursday, Jan. 31** from 6:30 – 8:00 pm to see what makes Holy Cross Regional Secondary unique. Listen to our Band, conduct experiments in our Science Laboratory, learn about the many different athletic opportunities, taste the delightful treats provided from the Foods and Nutrition Department, relax at our French Café, admire the artwork of our students, browse through the books in our Learning Commons, and much, much more. Explore our campus, talk with students and staff to observe what a remarkable education within a Catholic community looks like at the high school level. Applications for the 2019/2020 school year will be available at this event. Holy Cross' community looks forward to meeting all of you, Thursday, January 31st.

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. An information Evening will be held on Wed. Jan. 30, 6:30 pm for all interested parents at St. John Paul II Academy.

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.

DINNER & DANCE

Faith and Light Beef dip dinner and dance on Feb 2, 6:30-10:30 at St. Joseph's hall in Langley. Cost: \$10 for singles, \$15 for couples, \$35 for families up to 6 people, and for larger than 6, \$45. It is a family friendly event with lots of fun and door prizes. For further info contact Elaine Devlin at 604.537.4731.

BINGO VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!

It is difficult to beg for more volunteers in order to keep our Bingo operational. We have yet to see a full complement of volunteers. As some step up, others leave. Our Bingo Manager, Erin, is only one person and she is also a volunteer. She is forced steps into many roles each Tuesday when volunteers don't show up for their scheduled shift, causing her to abandon her most important role in the bingo office. This is because there are no extra volunteers to call in. The parish office has also taken on additional duties so Erin is not overwhelmed. We are asking again for our parishioners' support, particularly those who do not already volunteer in multiple roles within the parish. Please consider helping out in some way to keep our Bingo open! Many opportunities to help are available...morning setup, afternoon setup, cook, shopping for supplies, and of course, help on Tuesday evenings during Bingo. Please pick up a Volunteer Info sheet and contact Bingo at bingo@stbernadette.ca if you can help. Thank you!

LIFE IN THE SPIRIT

Join us for a Thanksgiving Mass for the 26th Anniversary of the "Life in the Spirit Seminar" on Friday, Jan. 25 at 7:00pm at Immaculate Conception Parish, Delta. Main celebrant will be Very Rev. Father Gary Franken. After Mass there will be Healing Service followed by reception at the Parish Hall. Everyone is invited to attend. For more info, contact Lennie at 604-597-8227.

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.

CATHOLIC PRESS COLLECTION

February is Catholic Press Month and with it comes the annual Catholic Press Collection. On Feb. 2-3, 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.