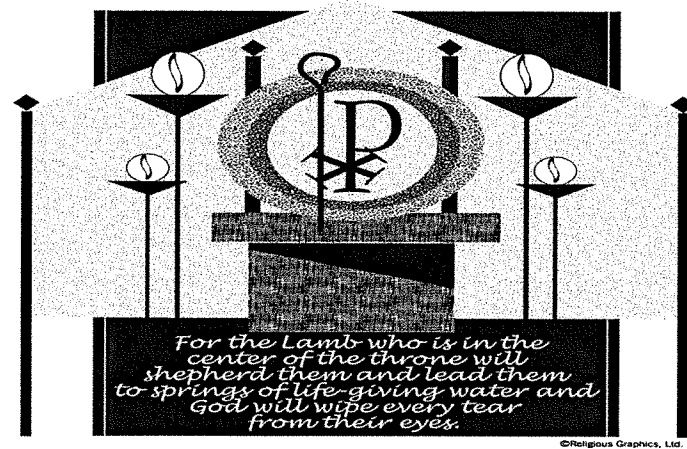


# Fourth Sunday of Easter

May 12, 2019

The mercy of the Lord  
fills the earth!



## PRAY FOR THE SICK



Milton Franz, Ed Nicholson, Tashina Janus, Ernest Richmond, Kapila Karunajeewa, August Sturm, Manuel & Ofelia Tapales, Alvarino Aquino, Maria & Isaac Roden, Denise Afable, Norman Iglesias, Patrick Diaz, Manolo Asuncion, Lilia Aranas, Lucia Licerio, Alfredo Camales Sr., Alejandra Damayo, Limuel Palad, Donna Whitford, Sunny Castro, Felix Caoile, Crystal Oteyza, Arnold Castro, Lois Wong, Liberato Moreno, Encarnacion Moreno, Maribeth Tamayo, Lindsay Williams, 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 join us in praying for the soul of Jean Vanier, the 90-year-old founder of L'Arche Community and Faith and Light. Vanier permanently changed the fate of intellectually disabled people everywhere by demonstrating how the care of a community could open lives to meaning, joy, hope and trust -- not just the lives of the disabled, but the lives also of those who live with them and care for them.

## PREP NEWS

Registration for 2019/20 begins this week. Application forms are available online, from the PREP office, or from the parish office. Please note the early registration discount. Please also note that Sacramental preparation requires two years of instruction; First Holy Communion students must complete levels 1&2, and Confirmation students must complete levels 6&7.

## KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS NEWS

There will be no pancake breakfast in May, next one is scheduled for June 9 (correction!).

## PARISH NEWS & EVENTS

- **PIES FOR SALE:** Our CWL will be preparing homemade apple pies and will have them available for sale after all masses this weekend. Due to the rising cost of supplies, the price per pie has gone up to \$10.
- **BAPTISM PREPARATION CLASS:** The next Baptism Preparation Class will be on **Thursday, May 16** at 7:00 p.m. in the Parish Centre. To register please phone the Parish Office at 604.596.0566.
- **CROWNING OF MARY:** Everyone is invited to join in the Procession and Crowning of Mary on Sunday, May 26 at 2:00 p.m. All children are invited to be part of the procession. This parish event is a tradition to honor our Blessed Mother Mary in the month of May. Refreshments will be served following the event.

## WORLD DAY OF PRAYER FOR VOCATIONS

Archbishop Miller sent a special message about World Day of Prayer for Vocations on Good Shepherd Sunday, May 12. To view his message, visit <https://rcav.org/pray-for-vocations/>. We hope that you that you will join us in prayer, in addition to supporting the Second Collection for Vocations on this weekend. The funds from this collection will help with the education costs for our seminarians and priests in our Archdiocese.

## ST. BERNADETTE SCHOOL NEWS

**School Walkathon** - Our annual Walkathon will be held on May 17. Our theme this year is going to be AMAZING as we RACE towards our goal of raising \$11,300.00. Once again Fr. Paul will be collecting pledges for him to walk with the school to help raise the much needed funds. If you would like to pledge Fr. Paul, please visit the Gathering Area after mass.

## CATHOLIC WOMEN'S CORNER



The next CWL Executive meeting is on Thurs., May 23 in room D.

## BOTTLE DRIVE & FLOWER SALE

The Youth Ministry will be having a Mother's Day Flower Sale after all Sunday masses on Sunday, May 12. On Sunday, May 26, the Youth Ministry will be having a Bottle Drive, collecting drink containers in front of the school from 8am - 1pm. (Please, no milk containers.)

## MINISTRY FOCUS

RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults) is an interactive parish process for people who want to find out more about the Catholic Faith. It is meant for those who have never been baptized, have been baptized in other denominations, or have been baptized Catholic but have never received any other sacraments. Sessions are on Wednesday evenings beginning in September, until Easter. If you or someone you know may be interested or would like to inquire, there are brochures available in the Gathering Area, or from the Parish office.

## BINGO VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!

As we near the summer, many volunteers will be away on vacation and we need volunteers to help during this time. We short of looking for floor workers consistently. If you are available to help one Tuesday evening a month, please email [bingo@stbernadette.ca](mailto:bingo@stbernadette.ca) or contact the parish office.

## SUMMER NIGHT DANCE FEVER II

Join us for dinner and dancing on Saturday, May 25 at the St. Bernadette Parish Centre from 6:00-11:00 p.m. DJ, door prizes, raffle baskets and a 50/50 draw. Tickets are \$25 each and will be available after all weekend masses, or call Aida at 604-454-7490 or Cora at 604-671-1489.

## ST. JOHN PAUL II ACADEMY

St. John Paul II Academy is continuing to accept applications for Gr. 8 & 9 students for the 2019-20 school year. Please return applications ASAP to Michel DesLauriers, Principal, 15262 Pacific Ave., White Rock, BC, V4B 1P7. Application Form and more info concerning financial assistance is available on the school website: [www.sjp2academy.com](http://www.sjp2academy.com) or contact the school office. E: [mdezlauriers@sjp2academy.com](mailto:mdezlauriers@sjp2academy.com) T: 604.560.8210. An **Information Evening** will be held at St. John Paul II Academy on **Wed. May 15th @ 6:30pm** for all interest parents.

## FOCUS ON LIFE GALA DINNER

21<sup>st</sup> Annual Focus On Life Gala Dinner: Changing Lives, Transforming Culture. Monday, May 27 at the Italian Cultural Centre, 6:30-9:30 p.m.; doors open at 5:30 p.m. Tickets are \$65 each, \$650 for a table of 10. For more info and to purchase tickets, visit [www.focusonlife.ca](http://www.focusonlife.ca). Focus On Life is a partnership between the Archdiocese of Vancouver, the Christian Advocacy Society, and Signal Hill.

## WHO AM I

Seeking to build a healthy self-esteem and to foster greater freedom and peace in your life? The workshop Who Am I can provide you with helpful tools to engage such yearnings. Fr. John McCarthy will facilitate this four day workshop. It is geared towards individuals, young adults, or adults, who want to know themselves. Weekends May 25/26 and June 1/2 from 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. each day at 24283 - 16 Avenue in Langley. For cost and meal or accommodation options, please pick up a brochure from the bulletin board in the Gathering Area.

## MEN'S CONFERENCE 2019

Men are you weary combating everyday problems, fears and worries? The Man's Destiny Conference 2019 sponsored by the Knights of Columbus on June 8th may be just what you need. Deacon Ralph Poyo, from Steubenville, Ohio, will lead the conference. We encourage you to come with your adult son's and other men you know who want more truth, peace and joy in your lives. Learn more & register at [saintmatthews.ca/events/1196](http://saintmatthews.ca/events/1196)

## SEMINARY OF CHRIST THE KING

Invitation to all alumni of the Seminary of Christ the King: you are invited to a reunion on Monday, May 20th, at the Seminary in Mission. It begins with Mass at 10:30 AM and concludes at 3:00 pm. RSVP by May 14th. Call 604-826-8975 or email: [a30085@paralynx.com](mailto:a30085@paralynx.com).

## RETRouvaille

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 information or to register for the program beginning the weekend of September 27 - 29, 2019, call Marc and Candice at 604-530-6710 and leave a message or email us at [vancouverbc@retrouvaille.org](mailto:vancouverbc@retrouvaille.org). More information also available on our websites [www.retrouvaille.org](http://www.retrouvaille.org) and [www.retrouvaillevancouver.com](http://www.retrouvaillevancouver.com)

## SERRA CLUB

The Serra Club Fraser Valley West and IC Delta Parish (88th Ave & 119th St) invites you to attend our Vocations Mass at 7pm, Wednesday May 15. All are welcome. Fr. Rodney Nootebos, Director of Vocations & Seminarians is the anticipate celebrant. You are also welcome to attend our open meeting following Mass. Please note this is not our usual 2nd Thursday of the month since May 9 was March For Life in Victoria, which many of our members participated in.