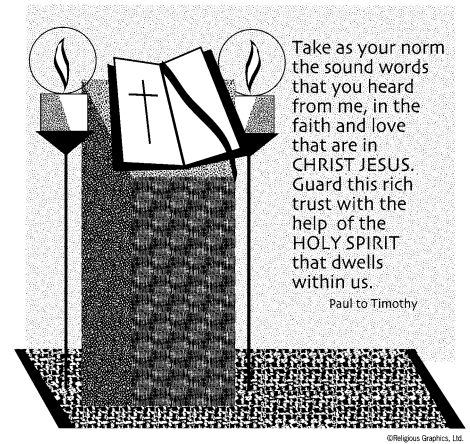




Twenty-seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

October 2, 2016

Let the heavens be glad
and the earth rejoice!



THIS WEEK

- Tuesday** - St. Francis of Assisi
Wednesday - 6:45pm Novena to our Lady of Perpetual Help, 7pm Mass
Friday - Our Lady of the Rosary
 - 1pm Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament
 - 6:00pm Confessions
 - 6:45pm Benediction
 - 7pm Mass.

PRAYERS FOR THE SICK

Lorraine Cameron; Alex Cameron; Creg Rosales; Gail Krueger; Janet Forsey; Ruel Capili; Loreto Ciaccia; Gloria Munro; Jerry Schaab; Sheila Pomeroy; Sheila Nisbet-Jones; Edward Zdancewicz Jr.; Ryan Lehwald; Kathleen Martin; Helen Kutty; Donna Uzelac; Mildred Tamandong; Kellie Marchak; Will Schut; Shirley Papuc; Lillian Thibault; Myrna Cussen; Ian Wilson; Maria Amato; John Pollard; Archie D'Souza; Darlene Erskine; Jo-Anne MacLeod; Leo Versatraete; David Ashley & Beal Hall.

If you have a relative who is sick in the hospital or at home, please let the rectory know so that we can arrange for a visit.

YEAR OF MERCY REFLECTIONS

"May this merciful love (revealed in Christ) also shine on the face of the Church and show itself through the sacraments – in particular that of Reconciliation – and in the works of charity both communitarian and individual."
 -Pope Benedict XVI.

THANK YOU FROM SAN LORENZO RUIZ FESTIVAL COMMITTEE

A big thank you to those who contributed to the success of San Lorenzo Ruiz Feast day on September 25th; to those who gave donations of food; those who helped out as volunteers to set up & clean up; those who helped decorate the "andas" of San Lorenzo and set up the sound system; all who attended the event. Your generosity and "stewardship" in action for our parish community is greatly appreciated.



Sun., Oct. 2, 7pm: "Tree" This is the first in our "Promise" series. We'll be doing a fun activity and talking about creation and how humanity fell from grace.

Sun. Oct. 16, 6:30pm: "Bowling" Come bowling with us!! We will be going to Scottsdale Lanes to throw some balls and hit some pins. Come to the Oct. 2nd Life Night for more info and permission forms!

Keep up to date and find out about upcoming events on Instagram, SnapChat, Twitter and Facebook! (iclifeteen).

For more information about Youth Ministry and Life Teen, please contact Faye p: 604.785.6729 or e: icyouthmin@gmail.com.

CHILDREN'S LITURGY

LWC is looking for 2 volunteers to help assist at the noon Mass. This is a perfect opportunity for a high school student to receive service hours. Contact Michelle at mljacob@telus.net.

CHILDREN'S ROSARY

On October 7, Feast of Holy Rosary, we will have Rosary at 3pm after the Divine Mercy Chaplet.



KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

General Meeting will be held on Thursday, October 6 at 7:30pm in the gathering area.

IC PARISH UPCOMING EVENTS

October 10, Monday - Thanksgiving Day Mass at 9am followed by reception in the gathering area. Please bring snacks to share. Please bring non-perishable items and place them in the box provided at the vestibule. All donations will go towards the less fortunate.

OLD NEWSPAPER DRIVE

This Saturday & Sunday October 1st & 2nd we will have a OLD NEWSPAPER DRIVE:

We request you to collect your newspapers (No magazines) and bring them bundled to Mass only the weekend of Oct 1 & 2. We will have bins set up outside the church. Proceeds to go towards the Syrian Refugee Fund.

IC BEREAVEMENT SUPPORT

Inviting all who have experienced the loss of a loved one. Meet with fellow parishioners in the safe environment of your parish community. Starts Friday, October 7, 9:30am – 11:15am, in meeting room 4. (off the Gathering Area). If you have any questions, please call Thea Baxter: 604.590.6402.

**** PLEASE NOTE ****

This is NOT a counselling programme.

HEALING & FORGIVENESS THROUGH GOD'S MERCY

Year of Mercy Retreat with Fr. Denis Phaneuf of Saskatoon and Moira Noonan from California. Come & experience God's Healing & Forgiveness Fri. Oct. 21 from 7pm–9pm, Sat. Oct. 22nd. 9am-4pm at the school gym. Mass at 5pm followed by Healing Prayers. Tickets are \$10.00 for both dates and are available at the parish office. For more info. Please call Lennie at 604.594.7296 & Edna at 778.228.3816.



ADVANCE CARE PLANNING WORKSHOP

CWL Ladies: This month's General Meeting is on October 20th after the 6:30pm Mass.

The CWL presents the Advance Care Planning Workshop by Ms. Cari Hoffman, Coordinator for the ACP in Fraser Health on October 29, 10am to 12noon at the Gathering Area. CWL Members are strongly encouraged to attend. Contact Liza 778.232.5953 for more information.

Advance Care Planning: Think, Learn, Choose, Talk & Record. Planning ahead before a health crisis is something all of us should do. Yet less than 50% of Canadians have had conversations with their family and friends and even less has spoken with their doctor. Many people don't know how to begin while others are unaware of the importance. Learn together with your family and friends as we discuss the concept of Advance Care Planning, substitute decision making for healthcare decisions, provide insight into how to start the Advance Care Planning process and provide resources to continue the Advance Care Planning process.

5th ANNUAL ARCHBISHOP'S DINNER

Your financial support will help us provide spaces for those who are homeless, in poverty, or suffer from mental illness, addiction & disabilities. Thursday, Oct. 27, 2016 Reception at 6pm, dinner at 7pm at Hyatt Regency, Burrard St. Vancouver. Tickets are \$150 each. A tax receipt for a portion of the ticket price, estimated at \$70, will be issued in December for tickets purchased by individuals. For info. please call Lennie David at 604.594.7296.

FR. ROB GALEA IN CONCERT

WITH PSALM 98 MUSIC MINISTRY & PARISH GUESTS

Fr. Rob Galea, a Catholic priest singer-songwriter from Australia has performed to audiences worldwide, including World Youth Day. He had a successful audition on the X Factor television show in Australia, a sold-out concert at St. Mary's parish in Vancouver earlier this year, and many more!

Father Rob Galea is on tour in our Diocese. He **is coming to Immaculate Conception Parish, Delta on Thursday, 10th November. The concert will be held from 7pm to 9pm** in our church. **Tickets are \$15.00 each and will be on sale today after all Masses.** Proceeds will go to the IC Building fund and Luke 15 house. Cash, cheques, Visa or Master card are accepted.

LINE DANCING AT IC

Please join us in our first Line Dancing lesson at IC. The 90 minute dancing lesson will run every Thursday starting Oct 6, from 7pm and will be held at IC School Gym. Cost per lesson is \$5. All proceeds will go to IC church building fund. Let's dance and get fit. Please come 15 minutes earlier for the registration.

SERRA CLUB FRASER VALLEY WEST

Serra Club will NOT meet in October on the 13th at IC Delta, instead we will have our regular monthly meeting on Thursday October 20, 7:30pm in the Pope Francis room of St. Nicholas Parish, 20675 87 Ave., Langley (turn right off 88th @202 Street, north side of Hwy. 1). You don't need to be a member to come. Ask questions, investigate our Ministry, it may be the one you are seeking. Questions email scanlanm@outlook.com.

LIFE CHAIN

Life Chain is this Sunday, 2pm to 3pm, on the west side of King George Highway, from 96th Avenue to 104th Avenue. Please come to the Life Chain a few minutes early and remember to spread out as much as possible and spend the hour praying for an end to abortion and all attacks against life such as euthanasia and assisted suicide. Remember - please do not enter into discussion or arguments with people passing by or motorists - just be a silent witness for life and continue to pray. Thank you and God bless you all.

Life Chain signs are available on a table in the Gathering Area until noon on Sunday.

