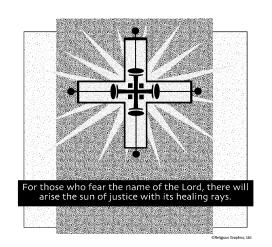


# Thirty-third Sunday in Ordinary Time

November 13, 2016

The Lord comes to rule the world with justice.



### THIS WEEK

Wednesday - 6:45pm Novena to our Lady of

Perpetual Help, 7pm Mass

- 1pm Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament

- 6:00pm Confessions
- 6:40pm Benediction
- 7pm Mass.

# **PRAYERS FOR THE SICK**

Lorraine Cameron; Creg Rosales; Gail Krueger; Janet Forsey; Ruel Capili; Loreto Ciaccia; Jerry Schaab; Sheila Pomeroy; Sheila Nisbet-Jones; Edward Zdancewicz Jr.; Ryan Lehwald; Helen Kutty; Donna Uzelac; Mildred Tamandong; Kellie Marchak; Lillian Thibault; Myrna Cussen; Ian Wilson; Maria Amato; John Pollard; Archie D'Souza; Darlene Erskine; Leo Verstraete; Bearl Hall; Jean Van Loo; Edna Cachero; Tom Luxford; Josefina Tria; John Lu; Marie Connor; Dominga Carrion & William Tam.

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.



**Friday** 

# SPONSORS NEEDED FOR RCIA

Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults, are searching for people willing to journey with the adults seeking full initiation in the Catholic Church. The Wednesday sessions are a great experience for any cradle Catholic looking for adult formation, but the <u>real gift</u> is an opportunity to answer God's call to be a faithful witness to His presence, His love, and His saving Grace. If you are willing to share your experience of living faith with someone who is seeking God, attend with them on Wednesday evenings as their sponsor, and welcome them into our faith community. Please call Pat or John Nimmo at 604.597.7048. We are blessed to have a large group of candidates this year. Please prayerfully consider if God is calling you, right now, to His service in this ministry.



### **CWL**

CWL members monthly meeting on Thursday November 17, starts with Mass at 6:30pm. All members are invited.



**Sun. Nov. 20, 7pm: "Something Night"** That's just it. It'll be something. Something lively and amusing or amusingly lively. Just know that it'll be something.

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.



# **LEGION OF MARY**

The Miraculous Medal Novena will be from Nov 14-22. The novena will be said in the IC Church from Nov 14-19 and Nov 21 & 22 following morning rosary. Please say the novena at home on Sun Nov 20. Novena prayers will be provided, also blessed free Miraculous Medals will be available. Miracles do happen! Trust in Jesus and Mary.



# **KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS**

The Knights of Columbus of this Parish will be holding a Fundraiser for the Syrian Refugee Family. We will be getting items supplied by the Neufeld Farms from Abbotsford. There will be a "Festive Menu" with edible items for the Christmas Season. We will be starting with our "Order Forms" this weekend Saturday, Nov. 12th and following all scheduled Masses for three (3) consecutive weekends. The delivery date for the orders is Wednesday, Dec. 7th @ 5:30pm. For those placing orders please come to the Parish Hall to pick it up.

**PANCAKE BREAKFAST** - There will be pancake breakfast on November 20, following the 8:30am and 10:15am Masses in the parish hall. Proceeds will go towards the Youth Ministry.

#### STUDY WEEK FOR THE PRIESTS

Fr. Amador Abundo, Fr. Paul Chu & Fr. Camillus Temba will be at the study week from November 14, Monday afternoon till November 18, Friday afternoon.

**Fr. Dominic Lim** will be at IC to celebrate Mass at 9:30am from Tuesday November 15 to the 18<sup>th</sup>. The regular scheduled Mass will resume on Friday evening.

# **CHRISTMAS HAMPERS FOR THE NEEDY**

This year St. Martin's Guild will be delivering Christmas hampers at the beginning of December. This is a good time to **remember members of our parish and those in our community who are in need.** If you know of anyone in our parish community area whose Christmas will be a little better, if they had some help, please call the parish office at 604.591.2271; this information will be kept confidential.

# The Giving Tree- Christmas Hamper, Food & Gift Coupon Drive.

A "Giving Tree" is stationed in the church vestibule. Each leaf has an item printed on it. Parishioners are requested to take a leaf, or more if you wish, buy the item and place it under the tree, <u>LATEST BY: December 4th</u>. If the item is a gift card (any denomination of your choice), please mark 'Giving Tree' & the amount, drop it in the collection basket at Mass, or at the parish office mail slot. All donations will be used for our Christmas hampers. Thank you for your generosity. Any inquiries, please call the office at 604.591.2271.



# CHRISTMAS CARDS, CALENDARS & SUNDAY MISSALS

We will be selling religious Christmas cards, calendars and Sunday Missal in the gathering area for the next three consecutive Sundays. (Cash only please).

# THE CATHOLIC FORUM

Catholic Forum invites you to explore the topic: Depression - a sickness or a sin? This will be presented by Dr. Paul Ungar MD and PhD a theologian and registered psychologist. The Forum will take place on Tuesday, November 22, 7pm at St. Mary's Church, 5251 Joyce St. Vancouver. For more information check the website at <a href="http://dominicanlaity.ca/forum">http://dominicanlaity.ca/forum</a>.

# **LINE DANCING AT IC**

Please join us in our Line Dancing lessons at IC. The 90-minute lesson is now going on every Thursday at 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.

# **ELEKTRA WOMEN'S CHOIR**

Elektra Women's Choir, based in Vancouver, is giving a concert at Good Shepherd Church in South Surrey on November 27. It is not a parish-event, but a community event. For more information please contact: Morna Edmundson, Artistic Director Elektra Women's Choir www.elektra.ca Cell: 604.454.8000

### **COMMUNITY MEMORIAL MASS**

# FRIDAY 25<sup>th</sup> NOVEMBER @7PM

Sponsored by the St. Martha's Grief Support

Everyone is invited & encouraged to attend this Mass. Please bring a small framed picture of your deceased loved ones to display on the steps of the altar during Mass. An intentions box will be available for your special prayers and the Noon Choir will celebrate with us. Father Abundo will give a special blessing to those who are mourning.

A reception will follow in the Gathering Area. Please bring some goodies to share. For more info. call Maureen @ 604.580.1399.

# **PARISH LIBRARY**

New Items; New Releases of Books and DVD's, also Classics of Mary, the Saints, Fatima; the Holy Eucharist; authors Bishop Barron, Steve Ray, Scott Hahn; Catholic High School Fiction for teens, and so much more! Search titles, authors, subjects of entire Library catalogue on <a href="https://www.icparishlibrary.com">www.icparishlibrary.com</a>.

# **PRAYERS FOR HOLY SOULS - BOOKLET**

A beautiful 30-day prayer booklet available by donation at the Church vestibule. Prayers for the Holy Souls, was developed by Terry Whiteley. The Hallowtide Triduum and the month of Holy Souls is our call to remember, to pray and to give thanks for the Holy Souls during the month of November.

# **PRO-LIFE SALE OF CHRISTMAS CAKES**

Christmas Cakes - Pro-Life fundraiser for Campaign Life Coalition - please call Mike Vanspall 604.592.5110 to place your order, until 14 Nov 2016. \$25 for the deluxe size (1.0 kg) or \$15 for the regular size (600gms). Cakes are the traditional aged fruit cakes and are made by the monks of Val Notre-Dame Abbey. See the poster in the church lobby. Please support Pro-Life. Thank you.

# **2000 HAIL MARYS**

Couples for Christ IC Delta would like to invite all parishioners to join for 2000 Hail Marys in Meeting Rooms 2 and 3 on Saturday, November 19 from 9am to 5pm. This is an opportune time to pray as a community for the intentions of the faithful and Pope Francis, as well as your individual and your family's prayer petitions. If you have any questions, please call Rosette at 604.779.3171. God, bless you!

#### PRE-AUTHORIZED DEBIT PLAN

Parishioners can use our pre-authorised debit plan towards the Sunday collection. Please continue dropping the empty Sunday collection envelopes in the collection basket. Second collection please drop off the envelopes with your donation. Thank you.