

JUNE 11, 2017

THE MOST HOLY TRINITY

“Glory be to the Father, the Son and the Holy Spirit.”

Stewardship Reflection:

“For God so loved the world that He gave His only Son...”
John 3:16 Is your love conditional? Is there a price that others have to pay to receive your love? Are you generous with your time, money and possessions? If you give someone something, do you expect something in return? Do you give your time freely or do you “fit it in” when it’s convenient for you? Pray for a grateful and generous heart.

PRAYERS FOR THE SICK

Lorraine Cameron; Creg Rosales; Gail Krueger; Ruel Capili; Loreto Ciaccia; Jerry Schaab; Ryan Lehwald; Helen Kutty; Kellie Marchak; Ian Wilson; Maria Amato; John Pollard; Darlene Erskine; Leo Verstraete; Bearl Hall; Edna Cachero; Tom Luxford; Marie Connor; Dominga Carrion; William Tam; Gloria Peralta; Edward Chan; Ernesto Hidalgo; Alex Cameron; Lawrence Cameron; Almira Steeds; Joanne McLeod; Vivian Tepoorten; Mildred Tamondong; Melody Carruthers; Rosa Maria Santos; Roger Charbonneau & Brian Vint.

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.

PRAYERS FOR THE DEAD

Alexander Capito

SECOND COLLECTION

Next Sunday is Pro-Life Sunday. Please be generous for this special collection which goes towards various pro-life groups and activities. Also, please visit the Pro-Life display in the Gathering Area next weekend.



BAPTISM CLASS

Baptism class is on last Sunday of every month in rooms 2 & 3. The next class is held on June 25 at 2pm.

PRE-AUTHORIZED DEBIT PLAN

Parishioners can use our pre-authorized debit plan towards the Sunday collection. Those who are on pre-authorized debit plan, please continue dropping the empty Sunday collection envelopes in the collection basket. For more information please call the parish office 604.591.2271.



Thank you to all the youth that volunteered at the IC Community Fair!

Upcoming:

Sun., Jun. 25, 7pm: “End of School Year Party!” Can you believe the school year is over already? Come celebrate with us! We’ll play games, eat food and have fun. Please bring a snack to share.

IC Life Teen is open to all those who are in high school and those who are just finishing off their Grade 7 year.

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



CWL

GENERAL MEETING:

Calling all CWL members. Please come to the general meeting on Thursday, June 15. Mass is at 6:30pm followed by a Pinning/Recognition Ceremony for members who are new and for those who have served the council for a significant number of years. Meeting and socials will follow. Kindly bring finger food to share.
Next general meeting will be held on September 21.

KNITTING/CROCHET SCHEDULE:

Please join us on June 12 & 26 in meeting room 4 from 9:15am - 11am. No experience necessary.

COMMUNITY MEMORIAL MASS

Everyone is invited and encouraged to attend this Mass on Friday, June 23 at 7pm at our Church. This service is sponsored by the St. Martha’s Grief Support of our parish. Please bring a small framed picture of your deceased loved ones to be included in our display near the altar steps during Mass. Father Abundo will give a special blessing to all grieving parishioners prior to the final blessing. The youth choir has volunteered to celebrate with us, and a reception will follow in the Gathering Area. Please bring some goodies to share. For more information call Maureen @ 604.580.1399.

FILIPINO MINISTRY

The Filipino Ministry's Matthew 7.7 Prayer Brigade (<http://rcav.org/filipino-ministry>) gather month-to-month in different parishes for prayer and adoration. This month's ministry will be held on June 18 at our parish from 1:30pm-6:30pm with Sunday Mass at 4pm that will be officiated by Philippine Archbishop Emeritus Ramon C. Arguelles with Fr. Abundo concelebrating and with Deacon Greg Barcelon followed by Healing Prayers and Services by Emma de Guzman.

(<http://lapietainternational.com/about/about-la-pieta>; http://www.21pw.com/dictionary/Emma-de-Guzman_658480)."

ST. MATTHEW'S PARISH MAN'S DESTINY CONFERENCE

Calling all Men!

Come to the St. Matthew's Man's Destiny Conference and hear from men who have faced and overcome many of the common problems preventing us from walking the path to our destiny on Saturday, June 24 from 9am to 3pm. At St. Matthew's Parish in Surrey. Tickets are \$20 which include lunch and snacks. To register contact:

Brian: 604.649.3387 / email: bjoe1@positec.com

Michael: 604.379.6903

email: macanrestoration@yahoo.com

Doug: 604.218.2722

MEN'S HOSTEL IN NEED OF CLOTHING

Our guests are in need of lighter clothing like shorts and t-shirts. If your old clothes don't fit you or your family anymore, please consider donating them to our guests and if you are clearing out winter clothes we will be happy to take those too and store them until the next cold winter! To donate, please drop-off items to Men's Hostel at 828 Cambie Street, Vancouver; John Paul II Pastoral Centre, 4885 Saint John Paul II Way.

DRESSING WITH REVERENCE

While fashions go in and out of style, reverence never does. No matter what the season, a gentle reminder is in order as to appropriate dress for attending Mass. The manner in which we dress when we gather together to celebrate the Lord's Supper reflects our reverence and our gratitude for the gift that we have in the Holy Eucharist. As brothers and sisters in Christ, it also reflects our level of respect for one another. Any clothing, or lack of clothing, that distracts those around us is not appropriate. As a Parish family, let us encourage one another to be witnesses to our faith with reverence and with mutual respect.



Were not our hearts
burning within us
while he spoke to us
and opened
the Scriptures to us?

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PROJECT ADVANCE APPEAL

Thank you to all who have made their 2017 Project Advance pledge. This weekend is the final opportunity to pledge "in parish" after mass prior to summer. We will continue in September with the mail out phase of our campaign. Please assist by picking up your 2017 pre-printed pledge forms from the Gathering Area this weekend after all masses. For your ease and convenience, consider giving online at <http://rcav.org/giving>.

Project Advance offers the opportunity to recognize the message of the gospel and respond in a positive manner thus ensuring the needs of our parish and our archdiocese are addressed. Please respond to Project Advance in faith and generosity.

EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY

Maintenance Technician/handy man:

Holy Cross Regional Secondary is seeking a facility Maintenance Technician/handy man for a temporary full time position. Applicants can send their cover letter and resume to the attention of Johanne Fraser to: jf.hc@telus.net. The deadline to apply is by 4pm, Monday, June 26th.

Youth & Young Adult Ministry Coordinator:

St. Joseph's Parish in Langley is seeking for the above position. For more information, visit stjlangley.rcav.org/hiring.

GARDENS OF GETHSEMANI FATHER'S DAY MASS

Join our families as we remember and honour our fathers. Mass will be held on Sunday, June 18 at 2:30pm at the Evangelist Chapel. For more information, please contact Terry at twhiteley@rccav.org.

WELCOMING THE STRANGER

Vancouver is a city that welcomes strangers. Did you know that in 2016, our country welcomed 260,404 migrants, 23,265 refugees and 51,679 seasonal labourers? On Sunday, June 11, pastors from different churches around Vancouver will be preaching about the same message: "Welcoming the Stranger." As Catholics, we are called to "welcome the stranger" and we have been praying for an increase of charity, hope and faith in our community. From settling refugees to sheltering the homeless, here are a few numbers on how many refugees were welcomed in our country, province, and Archdiocese, as well as how many were welcomed at the Men's Hostel and the Door is Open: <http://rcav.org/one-city-one-message/>