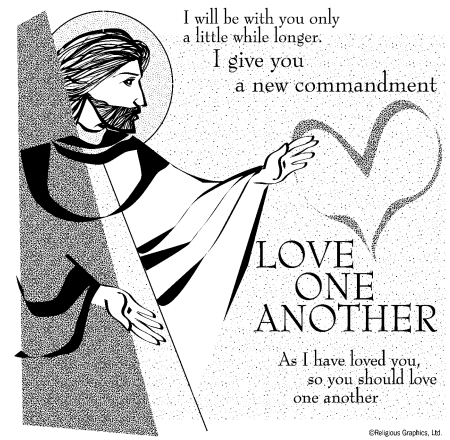


Fifth Sunday of Easter

April 24, 2016

The Lord
has worked wonder for us!



THIS WEEK

- Monday** - St. Mark, Evangelist
Wednesday - 6:45pm Novena to our Lady of Perpetual Help, 7pm Mass
Friday - St. Catherine of Siena, Virgin
 - 1pm Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament.
 - 6:45pm Benediction
 - 7pm Mass

PRAYERS FOR THE SICK

Lorraine Cameron; Alex Cameron; Frank Gismoni; Creg Rosales; Nick Krueger; Gail Krueger; Doreen Dagenais; Lee Adams; Janet Forsey; James Pollard; Matilde McCaskell; Ruel Capili; Louise Graham; Michael Garding; Loreto Ciaccia; Carolina Galvez; George Hall, Van Parent; Carlos Herrera; Jesse Rodriguez; Christine Rodriguez; Gloria Munro; Maureen Bach; Lucia Medeiros; Frank Corazza; Bill Smigel; Jerry Schaab; Almira Steeds; Sheila Pomeroy; Lila Joseph; Rita Mulder; Monica Payne, Aurino Silva; Sheila Nisbet-Jones; Jim O'Rourke & Brenda Tria.

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

Dirk Bes, Tiago Da Silva & John Coates.



BAPTISM CLASS

Please Note: There is NO Baptism class this Sunday, April 24, due to First Holy Communion of children. The next Baptism class will be held on May 1.

MIRACLE HOUR PRAYER SESSION

The Miracle Hour Prayer session gives you the opportunity to intercede for others, especially the sick, our parishioners, IC school and parish activities. The intercessory session is held on Tuesday evenings in the meeting room 2, from 6:30pm to 7:45pm. You are cordially invited to join the team and use your gift of prayer for intercession and thanksgiving. For more information, please contact Samuel Mensah at 778.995.6134.



Tonight, Apr. 24, 7pm: "Family Portrait" Family life isn't always easy. Sr. John Mary Sullivan is our guest speaker. She's very dynamic and fun! She will explore with us how important our families are and how mercy plays in.

Sun. May 1, 7pm: "Runners and Shorts" It's gym night! Come prepared to play some sports. Don't forget to bring a water bottle and a friend!

Upcoming: Saturday, May 7, 7pm- 9pm: "XLT Vancouver" This is a free adoration event! Come and discover the deep and personal love that Jesus has for you, through spending time with Him in the Eucharist, worshipping Him in song, and hearing an empowering message. This event takes place at Archbishop Carney Secondary School in Port Coquitlam.

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

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



PREP NEWS

At 2pm today, 97 of our parish children will celebrate their First Holy Communion. Please remember these communicants and their families in your prayers. The following weekend, all Masses will be celebrated as usual, and these same children will attend their usual Mass wearing their white gowns and crosses. With joy and thanksgiving, we, the people they worship with every Sunday, their parish family, welcome these children to the Lord's Table.

As traffic for the noon and 4 pm Masses may be moving at the same time, we encourage everyone to leave extra time for parking. The management of the mall beside us has graciously allowed us to use the centre of their parking lot on April 24. Please leave the spaces nearest to businesses open for their patrons. The gate on the west side of the Annex will be open for cars on their way out. Thank you.



KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

General Meeting will be held on Thursday, May 5 at 7:30pm in the Gathering Area.



CWL - IC Delta Council

70th Anniversary Celebration

Everyone (14 years of age and up) is invited to our

Dinner and Dance / Fundraiser

(Attire: smart casual)

Swing dancing (free lessons), door prizes,

Open bar, catered food and lots of fun!

All this for \$20... Tickets available after each Mass

April 30th, Saturday, 5:30 pm-11:00 pm

Proceeds to Pro-life and IC Parish Building Fund

IMMACULATE CONCEPTION SCHOOL DRAMA

Come see the Broadway Junior version of Annie, put on by the Immaculate Conception School Drama Club and Choir. The production will take place on **Wednesday, April 27th at 7:30pm**, and **Thursday, April 28th at 1:30 pm and 7:30pm** in the school gym. Tickets are \$7.00 for adults and \$4.00 for children 12 & under. Tickets can be ordered through the school office at 604.596.6116.

SOLO PARENTS ENCOUNTER WEEKEND

Join the Solo Parents encounter weekend on Saturday, May 21 to Sunday, May 22 at the Imitating Christ Ministries Training Centre 12969 Crescent Road, Surrey. Registration Fee: \$65 including 2-day meals and an overnight stay. For more information, please contact: Albert & Isabel 604.437.6349, albertfalcone@gmail.com. Rolly & Tet 604.461.5577, rolly.m@hotmail.com.

SHALOM RETREAT

Shalom ministry invites all for a three-day retreat on Friday May 13, at 2pm and ending Sunday May 15, at 4pm.

Venue: Mountain View Retreat Centre/Camp Hope, 61855 Lougheed Hwy. Hope, BC. Talks to be given by Fr. Lucien Larre, Fr. George Kumbloomottil O.P., Sr. Gracy Varghese and Alex Anthony focusing on inner healing and confessions. Registration fee is \$180 per person including room and board for three days. Register today at www.shalomworld.org/festivals/events/131 or [call 604.366.4068](tel:6043664068).

HOLY LAND – OLIVE WOOD CARVINGS

On April 30/May 01, please consider taking a look at the religious olive wood carvings displayed in the vestibule. These articles are hand-crafted by the Christians of the Holy land who are seeking your support today to assist them in staying rooted in the land of Christ. Please note that **ONLY CASH** payments will be accepted at this time. Thanks again for your support.



IMMACULATE CONCEPTION COMMUNITY FAIR 2016

Come and join us on May 14th, 2016 for the Fair. Entertainment and activities for all ages will be offered. There will be a Bazaar (tables of vendors), Kidzworld (face painting, magician and more), Bingo Hall, Games2U, carnival games, Delta Police Squad, Academy of Martial Arts, Imperial Ballroom and great food! We are looking for volunteers to set-up, sell food and raffle tickets, manage games and do face painting. Cash donations; donation of cakes and treats would be greatly appreciated. Sponsorship ads are another way to support the Fair as there will be a Souvenir Program. Booths are still available for the bazaar. Bazaar forms are available in parish office (\$25/table). For information contact Jane Rashed @ jane_hidalgo@hotmail.com or visit our website www.icdelta.ca and CLICK "Community - Special Events - Community Fair".

PROJECT ADVANCE APPEAL

The 2016 Project Advance appeal will be launched soon. We are looking for committed volunteers to help us in distributing the pledge cards forms for 7 weekends starting with the April 30-May 1 weekend and ending on June 11 - June 12 weekend. Volunteers are requested to help approximately 15 minutes before and after the Masses that they attend regularly. Sign-up sheets are at the back of the church in the vestibule.

MOTHER'S DAY AT IC

May 8th Sunday Pancake Breakfast. Fruit pancakes after the two morning Masses will be served. In the afternoon from 2pm-4pm, we are sponsoring a Mother and Daughter Bikathon or Walkathon (your choice). Sponsor sheets will be available after all Masses for the next two weeks. All are welcome. Proceeds will go to the Parish Building Fund. A small walkathon around the Parish Grounds twice for seniors or those who can't walk the regular 5k route planned. 88th Ave to 112th along 112th to Annieville School up 92 Ave to 116th St and along 116th to 88th back to the Parish. This should be finished by 4pm in time for families to go out for a family dinner, if desired.

MEETING ON ASSISTED SUICIDE

Wed, Apr 27, 6:30pm-8pm, Federal Justice Minister Jody Wilson-Raybould, whose riding is [Vancouver Granville](http://www.vancouvergranville.ca), will hold a town hall meeting at the Oakridge Seniors Centre. Please email jody.wilson-raybould.c1@parl.gc.ca if you would like to attend.

