

ST. ANTHONY'S PARISH

2ND SUNDAY OF LENT

MARCH 16TH 2025

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OFFICE HOURS:

MON - FRI: 9:30 AM — 1:00 PM
1:30 PM — 4:00 PM

MASS SCHEDULES

SUNDAY MASS:

Saturday 4:30 pm
Sunday 8:30 am, 10:30 am

WEEKDAYS:

Monday - Saturday: 9:00 am
1st Friday: 6:30 pm

CONFESSIONS:

Monday - Saturday: 8:30 - 8:50 am
Saturday: 3:30 pm - 4:15 pm

ADORATION:

Friday: 9:30 am - 4:00 pm
[1ST FRIDAY OF THE MONTH]
9:30 am - 4:00 pm &
Vigil 7:00 pm to Saturday 8:00 am

Sign-up sheets located in vestibule



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PARISH ACTIVITIES & EVENTS

MON — SAT	8:15 AM — 8:30 AM	MORNING PRAYERS
MON — MARCH 17	10:00 AM — 12:00PM	CATHOLIC FAITH COURSE (SESSION 23)
TUES — MARCH 18	7:00 PM—8:00 PM	CHRISTIAN MEDITATION GROUP
WED — MARCH 19	6:00 PM — 7:15 PM	PREP
THUR— MARCH 20	1:00 PM—3:00 PM	CRAFT GROUP
FRI— MARCH 21	9:30 AM— 4:00 PM	ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT
FRI— MARCH 21	3:00 PM—4:00 PM	DIVINE MERCY
SAT— MARCH 22	8:30 AM— 10:30 AM	ST. PHILOMENA GROUP
SAT— MARCH 22	6:00 PM—8:30 PM	YOUTH MINISTRY MEETING



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MASS INTENTIONS



Monday, March 17

9:00 am - *Sp. Int of Deacon Tony & Wendy Gray*

Tuesday, March 18

9:00 am - *Sp. Int of Vince Hawkswell*

Wednesday, March 19

9:00 am - † Remo Gambioli & Sr. Andrea Aquino

Thursday, March 20

9:00 am - *Sp. Int of Fr. Vince Hawkswell*

Friday, March 21

9:00 am - *Sp. Int of Alexander Ayling*
6:30 pm - *Sp. Int of Muriel Whitty*

Saturday, March 22

9:00 am - *Sp. Int of Harris Family*
4:30 pm - *Sp. Int of Loretta Van Unen*

Sunday, March 23

8:30 am - Parishioners
10:30 am - *Sp. Int of Marija & Michael Mules. Stefen & Sonya*

News in and around the Parish

STEWARDSHIP REFLECTION

"I am the Lord who brought you from Ur of the Chaldeans to give you this land as a possession." (Genesis 15:7)

Just as the Lord gave Abraham, Moses, and the Israelites a land to possess, He has also given each of us a home. Whether your home is grand or humble, it is a gift from God. Abraham prepared a great sacrifice to the Lord in gratitude for the home God gave him. How do you show your gratitude to God for the home He has given you? Do you make a sacrifice of any kind? Do you return any of your finances to God, investing in your eternal home just as you invest in your earthly home?

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THE CATHOLIC FAITH COURSE

Learn about the rich teachings and practices of our Catholic Faith from
Fr. Vincent Hawkswell and Maureen Creelman

SESSION 24: THE FIRST THREE COMMANDMENTS

DATE: MONDAY, MARCH 17

TIME: 10:00AM - 12:00 PM



CHRISTIAN SILENT MEDITATION GROUP

Pre-recorded 10 minute talk by Benedictines Fr. John Main or Fr. Laurence Freeman, a 25 minute meditation followed by time for questions and comments.

TUESDAY, MARCH 18 @ 7PM

For information contact:

JoAnn or Leo at jlcullen@telus.net
or visit wccm.org



YOUTH MINISTRY

Our next youth gathering will be on

SATURDAY, MARCH 22 AT 6 PM!

If you are in Grade 7 and beyond,
please join us.

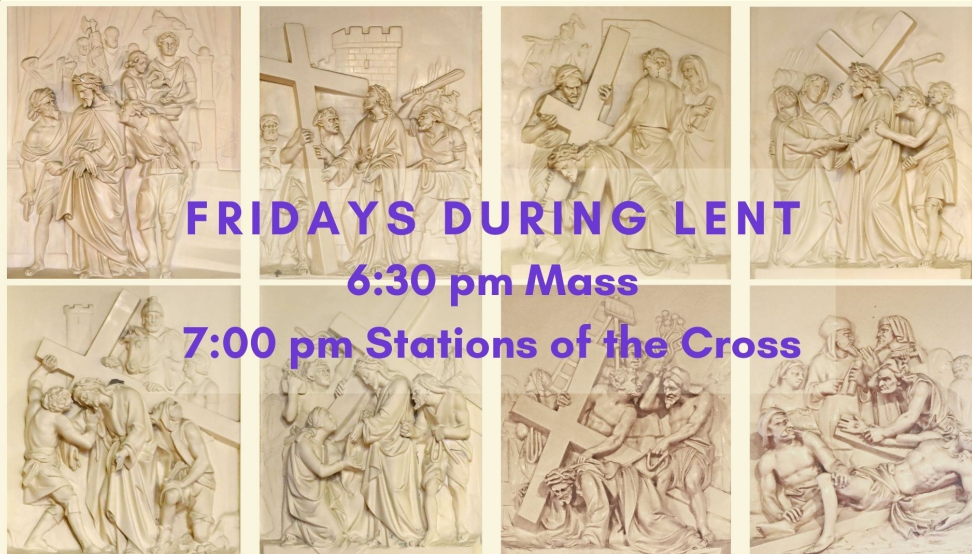
Dinner will be provided!

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FRIDAYS— LENTEN SEASON



FRIDAYS DURING LENT

6:30 pm Mass

7:00 pm Stations of the Cross

News in and around the Parish

ANCHORED IN HOPE LENT RETREAT

This Lent provides us with an opportunity to dive even deeper into the themes of the Jubilee Year of Hope. We often are tempted to seek our security in things such as comforts, relationships, and attachments rather than finding it in Christ. Fr. Davide Lanzani will lead retreatants to make hope the anchor of their souls. At St. Jude Parish on Saturday April 5 from 9:00 am to 4:00 pm, lunch included. **Register by April 1** at beholdvancouver.org/events



HOPE ON THE HORIZON—SUMMER OUTREACH PROGRAM



Are you a young adult (19–30) looking for a transformative experience of faith, service, and community? Hope on the Horizon is a six-week homeless outreach and

leadership program from July 14 - August 22, 2025, in downtown Vancouver. Live in community, receive faith formation, develop street ministry skills, and serve those in need while growing in your relationship with Christ. No prior experience is needed—training, food, and accommodation are provided! Bursaries and fundraising options are available. For details and to apply, visit catholicstreetmissionaries.org/horizon. **The deadline to apply is April 11, 2025.**

WHO AM I? WORKSHOP

This four-day workshop will give you tools to experience your unique gift and potentials waiting to be fulfilled in life. Gain the tools to live out your family, work, and ministry life with greater assurance. Saturday March 22, Sunday March 23, and Saturday March 29, Sunday March 30, 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. each day. Register at beholdvancouver.org/events.



MARRIAGE ANNIVERSARY MASS



Sunday, May 12, 2024 at 1:30pm
Our Lady of the Assumption, Port Coquitlam

If you are celebrating a milestone marriage anniversary this year (5, 10, 15, 20, 25, 30, 35, 40, 45, 50, 55 & 60+ years of marriage), we invite you to join us for the 2025 Marriage Anniversary Mass, celebrated by Archbishop J. Michael Miller. At St. Paul's Parish, Richmond, on Sunday, May 11, 2:30 pm. **Register by April 18** at rcav.org/mam

BELONG: CATHOLIC MEN'S RETREAT

This half-day retreat is a chance to step away from the busyness of life and meet other men who share your desire to grow in faith and virtue. Through honest conversations, shared experiences, and the celebration of Mass, you'll build meaningful relationships that last beyond the event. At Mary Pattison Chapel at Pacific Academy, Surrey, on Saturday April 12 from 9:00 am to 12:30 pm. Register at beholdvancouver.org/events.



PRAYER FOR THE HOLY FATHER

Archbishop Miller asks you to join him in prayer for our Holy Father, Pope Francis, as he faces challenges with his health. May the Lord grant him strength, healing, and the comfort of our prayers.

*Almighty ever-living God, eternal health of believers,
Who willed that our infirmities
Be borne by your Only-Begotten Son for our salvation,
Listen in kindness to our prayers
For your servant Francis, our Pope and Shepherd:
Grant him, we implore you, your merciful help,
So that he may be restored to your Church in good health,
Ever ready to serve the flock you have entrusted to his care.
Through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son,
Who lives and reigns with you
In the unity of the Holy Spirit,
God, for ever and ever.*



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ST PHILOMENA PRAYER GROUP

**NEXT MEETING: SATURDAY
MARCH 22ND**

TIME: 8:30AM - ROSARY IN
CHURCH

9:30 AM - MEETING IN HUBSON
ROOM



ALL ARE WELCOME!

PARISH LENTEN MISSION—ST PIUS X

Fr. Emmerich Vogt, OP will be at St Pius X Parish for four days.

The theme will be “Love is Lord of Heaven and Earth” from Monday through Thursday, **April 7 to April 10.**

Mass at 9 am every day followed by hour long conference; confessions to follow.

Evening Talk every day at 7 pm, with confessions afterwards.

JUBILEE REFLECTION

You are warmly invited to reflect on the meaning of this Jubilee Year— a time of hope and renewal. At Our Lady of Sorrows Parish, Vancouver.

- **March 27, 7:00 pm to 9:00 pm** (English)
Father Ramiro Sánchez Chan, CS
- **March 28, 10:00 am to 12:00 pm** (Italian)
Presented by Sister Marisol Guzman, FMA
- **March 28, 7:00 pm to 9:00 pm** (Spanish)
Presented by Father Ramiro Sánchez Chan, CS

Learn more at beholdvancouver.org/events.

FINDING THE SANCTUARY WITHIN

Through the practice of Christian meditation, we learn how to be still and silent and accept simplicity. Meditation opens the door to our hearts, where we discover our inner sanctuary which is home to the Sacred.

March 23, 2025, at Saint Mary's Parish, Church Hall, 5251 Joyce St., Vancouver. 2-4pm.

Doors open 1:30 pm. All are welcome.

For more information, call Connie (604) 418 9506 or contact Maeve at bccchristianmeditation@gmail.com

CWL NEWS



✦ Our next monthly meeting is Tuesday March 25th after morning mass. All are welcome.

✦ Late membership dues are still being accepted: \$45 or \$60 includes DAS membership via cheque to St Anthony's CWL. Thank you for your support!

ST. ANTHONY'S LENT RETREAT



Lent Retreat

Preparing for Holy Week

Wednesday, **April 9**

Thursday, **April 10**

Friday, **April 11**

Starting at 6:30 pm each night

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ST THOMAS AQUINAS SECONDARY

STA Secondary has left brochures in our Church foyer, for its Annual Giving and Gratitude Fund. This is an appeal that happens every year, for the ongoing needs of the school. This year the school's fund has done well, but it is \$63,000 short of its total goal of \$200,000.

We thank parishioners for your ongoing support for our Catholic Secondary school on the North Shore.



The Power of Participation The Giving & Gratitude Fund

APPOINTMENT OF THE MOST REVEREND RICHARD W. SMITH—INSTALLATION MASS



We are pleased to announce the appointment of the Most Reverend Richard W. Smith as our new Archbishop. The Installation Mass will take place on **May 23rd, 2025 at the Cathedral of Our Lady of the Holy Rosary**. All are invited to join in this joyous occasion as we welcome Archbishop Smith to our archdiocese.