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**OFFICE HOURS:**

MON - FRI: 9:30 AM — 1:30 PM

2:00 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 &amp;

Vigil 7:00 pm to Saturday 8:00 am

Sign-up sheets located in vestibule

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# ST. ANTHONY'S PARISH

6<sup>TH</sup> SUNDAY OF EASTERMAY 25<sup>TH</sup> 2025**PARISH ACTIVITIES & EVENTS**

MON — SAT	8:15 AM — 8:30 AM	MORNING PRAYERS
SAT—MAY 24	5:30 PM — 8:00 PM	YOUTH GROUP
MON — MAY 26	10:00 AM — 12:00 PM	CATHOLIC FAITH COURSE (SESSION 34)
TUES — MAY 27	7:00 PM — 8:00 PM	CHRISTIAN MEDITATION GROUP
WED — MAY 28	6:00 PM — 7:15 PM	PREP
WED — MAY 28	6:30 PM	CONFIRMATION MASS—RECEPTION TO FOLLOW
THUR— MAY 29	5:30 PM — 6:30 PM	BIBLE STUDY
FRI— MAY 30	9:30 AM — 4:00 PM	ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT
FRI— MAY 30	3:00 PM — 4:00 PM	DIVINE MERCY
FRI— MAY 30	6:30 PM	NOVENA TO THE HOLY SPIRIT
SAT—MAY 31	10:00 AM	NOVENA TO THE HOLY SPIRIT
SUN—JUNE 1	10:30 AM	FIRST HOLY COMMUNION MASS—RECEPTION TO FOLLOW
SUN—JUNE 1	6:30 PM	NOVENA TO THE HOLY SPIRIT

## MASS INTENTIONS



### Monday, May 26

9:00 am - † Imelda Martins

### Tuesday, May 27

9:00 am - † Ray Torresan & family

### Wednesday, May 28

9:00 am - † Reynaldo Ocampo

### Thursday, May 29

9:00 am - *Sp. Int of Hanan Haddad & family*

### Friday, May 30

9:00 am - *Sp. Int of Terence & Vanessa Chung*

### Saturday, May 31

9:00 am - *Sp. Int of Warren & Gloria Lowe*

4:30 am - † Linda Langero

### Sunday, June 1

8:30 am - Parishioners

10:30 am - *Sp. Int of Ivy Wei*

# News in and around the Parish

## STEWARDSHIP REFLECTION

*"...Do not let your hearts be troubled or afraid." (John 14:27)*

Our limited human understanding cannot begin to understand the immense power of God. Instead of trusting in God, we often think we can control every outcome. Do you want to make God laugh? Tell Him your plans. The next time worry, anxiety or fear creeps in, thank God for all He has given you and trust that He has a better plan for you. Make God your first choice and not your last resort.

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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 34: CONSECRATED LIFE

**DATE: MONDAY, MAY 26**

**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, MAY 27 @7PM**

For information contact:

JoAnn or Leo at [jlcullen@telus.net](mailto:jlcullen@telus.net)  
or visit [wccm.org](http://wccm.org)



## SACRAMENTS THIS WEEK

We ask you to keep in your prayers the children of our parish as they prepare to receive the following sacraments:



- **First Reconciliation** – Saturday, May 24
- **Confirmation** – Wednesday, May 28 at 6:30 p.m.
- **First Holy Communion** – Sunday, June 1 at 10:30 AM

May this be a joyful and grace-filled time for them and their families as they take these important steps in their faith journey.

**Parishioners are also warmly invited to join us in these celebrations!** Your presence and prayers will be a blessing to the children and their families as they experience these beautiful milestones in their faith.

# SPORTS DAY

## SAP YOUTH MIN

SATURDAY MAY 24<sup>TH</sup>, AFTER MASS

DINNER, GAMES, AND INDOOR/OUTDOOR SPORTS



5.24.2025 | 5:30 - 8:00 PST



# News in and around the Parish

## PROJECT ADVANCE LAUNCHES THIS WEEKEND

"May the God of hope fill you with all joy and peace...so that you may overflow with hope."

Romans 15:15

Project Advance is our tangible way to help those in need and raise funds to maintain our own church so it is a welcoming space. Our parish goal this year is **\$100,000**. Of this, **\$35,300** will go to the Archdiocese to support their programs. Remaining funds will be returned to the parish for our use. With these funds, we plan to replace the carpets throughout the building, refurbish the downstairs washrooms, and continue our evangelization work by supporting youth ministry activities.

Please give prayerful consideration to making a gift to Project Advance. Every gift, regardless of the amount, is important. You can make your gift at the table in the foyer this coming weekend, at the parish office, or through the Sunday collection basket. You can also donate online at [www.projectadvance.ca](http://www.projectadvance.ca).

Thank you for your generosity.



# Hope Thrives Here

PROJECT  
ADVANCE  
2025

## SALESIAN GOSPEL ROADS



Young adults, ages 16-22, are invited to spend summer making a difference the Salesian way!

- Serve the less fortunate, encounter Christ, and grow in faith and friendship.
- Volunteer at soup kitchens, food banks, and community centers.
- Experience joy, service, and social justice through daily Mass, prayer, and group discussions in a faith-filled environment.

**Saturday, August 9 through Saturday, August 16**, at Our Lady of Good Counsel Parish, Surrey. Learn more and **register by May 31** at [beholdvancouver.org/events](http://beholdvancouver.org/events).

## WORLDWIDE OVERSEAS CHINESE PASTORAL

Participants from around the world will join for a cruise, Mass of



Thanksgiving, city tour and Farewell Dinner. Share faith and fellowship within the overseas Chinese community. **Sunday, June 29 through Sunday, July 6**, hosted for the first time in Vancouver. Learn more and **register by May 31** at [wocpec2025.com](http://wocpec2025.com)

## THE VIRGINIA FORSYTH BURSARY

In memory of Virginia Forsyth, a former parishioner, a bursary was established which is administered by St. Anthony's Parish. It provides funds to students studying at a Canadian post-secondary institute, who are parishioners of St. Anthony's and who can demonstrate financial need.

The Virginia Forsyth Bursary information package may be picked-up from the parish office.

Completed application forms should be returned to the parish office by

**JUNE 30<sup>TH</sup>, 2025**



# News in and around the Parish

## ESTATE AND MEMORIAL PLANNING FOR CATHOLICS

Ensure your wishes are honoured and your loved ones are cared for with a well-prepared estate and memorial plan. This free, expert-led seminar will guide you through essential topics such as:

- **Why every Catholic needs a Will** – Protect your family and ensure your assets are distributed according to your values.
- **Choosing the right Executor** – Select a trusted individual to carry out your final wishes.
- **Understanding Probate & Power of Attorney** – Make informed decisions that simplify the legal process.
- **The tax benefits of charitable giving** – Leave a lasting impact through faithful stewardship.
- **Preparing for Catholic funeral rites** – Discover the beauty of a well-planned funeral and the benefits of pre-arrangements.

On Saturday, **June 7, from 10:00 a.m. to 11:30 a.m.** at Our Lady of Good Counsel Parish, Surrey. Register at [beholdvancouver.org/events](http://beholdvancouver.org/events).

## THE B.C. CATHOLIC DELIVERY DISRUPTION

Due to the upcoming Canada Post strike, this week's B.C. Catholic newspaper will not be delivered by mail.

To stay connected, you can:

Read the digital edition anytime:  
[digital.bccatholic.ca](http://digital.bccatholic.ca)

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## OPPOSING EUTHANASIA IN CANADA - LOOKING TO THE FUTURE WITH HOPE



You are cordially invited to spend an evening with Alex Schadenberg, Executive Director, Euthanasia Prevention Coalition; and Dr. Will Johnston, President,

Euthanasia Resistance BC. Join us for an evening to learn how to oppose Euthanasia in Canada, and look to the future with hope. On Monday, **May 26, 6:30 p.m.** at Sheraton Vancouver Wall Centre. Learn more and register at [beholdvancouver.org/events](http://beholdvancouver.org/events).

## BIRTHRIGHT WALKATHON



Join Birthright Vancouver's annual 3k fundraising walk! Funds raised will go towards supporting women and new moms in the Vancouver region. Participants will meet at Holy Name of Jesus Parish and will proceed to Queen Elizabeth Park. On **Saturday June 21, from 10:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.** at Holy Name of Jesus Parish in Vancouver. Learn more at [beholdvancouver.org/events](http://beholdvancouver.org/events).

## NOVENA TO THE HOLY SPIRIT

Join us in prayer and reflection as we celebrate the **Novena to the Holy Spirit**; The novena will take place **from May 30 to June 7**, with daily gatherings at the parish, which will include scripture and meditation.

### Schedule:

- **Friday, May 30** – 6:30 PM
- **Saturday, May 31** – 10:00 AM
- **Sunday, June 1** – 6:30 PM

- **Monday, June 2** – 6:30 PM
- **Tuesday, June 3** – 6:30 PM
- **Wednesday, June 4** – 6:30 PM
- **Thursday, June 5** – 6:30 PM
- **Friday, June 6** – 6:30 PM  
(combined with Mass)

All are welcome to participate as we prepare our hearts for

