

St. Anthony's Parish

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OFFICE HOURS:

MON - FRI: 9:30 AM — 1:30 PM
2:00 PM — 4:00 PM

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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

ONLINE GIVING OFFERTORY

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THE QR-CODE



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ST. ANTHONY'S PARISH

23RD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

SEPTEMBER 7TH 2025



PARISH ACTIVITIES & EVENTS

MON — SAT	8:15 AM — 8:30 AM	LITURGY OF THE HOURS MORNING PRAYERS
MON — SEPT 8	10:00 AM — 12:00 PM	CATHOLIC FAITH COURSE (SESSION 1)
FRI — SEPT 12	10:00 AM — 3:00 PM	ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENTS
FRI — SEPT 12	3:00 PM — 4:00 PM	DIVINE MERCY
SAT — SEPT 13	10:00 AM — 2:00 PM	CWL ANNUAL THRIFT SALE

MASS INTENTIONS

Monday, September 8

9:00 am - † Richard Branca
† Vanessa Chung

Tuesday, September 9

9:00 am - † Imelda Martins
Sp. Int. Sivagami Vendargon

Wednesday, September 10

9:00 am - *Sp. Int. of Abeir Haddad*

Thursday, September 11

9:00 am - † Jacqueline Falcon

Friday, September 12

9:00 am - *Sp. Int. of Jane Torresan and family*

Saturday, September 13

9:00 am - † Severina Aquino
4:30 pm - *Sp. Int. of Lorna Dalinghaus*

Sunday, September 14

8:30 am - *Parishioners*
10:30 am - † Ed Hauser

CWL CORNER

Don't miss our amazing
ANNUAL THRIFT SALE!

SATURDAY SEPTEMBER 13TH
PARISH HALL 10 AM—2 PM

**COME AND SHOP FOR GREAT
BARGAINS AND TREASURES!**

Women's, men's and children's
clothing, household good,
books, JEWELLERY,
toys, decor...



DONATIONS DROP OFF AT THE PARISH HALL ON:

Tuesday, Sept 9th	
Wednesday, Sept 10th	9:00 am—4:00 pm
Thursday, Sept 11th	
Friday, Sept 12th	9:00 am—12:00 pm

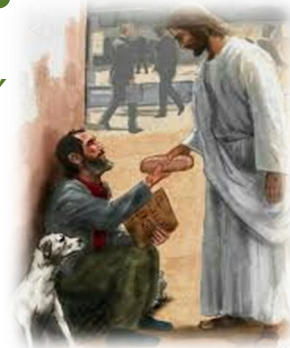
News in and around the Parish

STEWARDSHIP REFLECTION

"Everyone of you who does not renounce all his possessions cannot be my disciple."
(Luke 14:33)

When we first hear this statement, it seems that Jesus is making an unrealistic demand upon us. How can we renounce all of our possessions? We need them to live. However, what we must renounce is the belief that they belong to us.

Everything that we have belongs to God alone. All of our resources are entrusted to us not only for our own use, but also so that we can help others. **Once we renounce the idea that we possess anything, is much easier to share the gifts God has given us. Then, we truly are His Disciples.**



PREP REGISTRATION – LAST CALL !



EVERY WEDNESDAY, STARTING SEPT 17TH
TIME: 6:00 PM—7:15 PM
WHERE: CHURCH AND HALL

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The goal of PREP is to assist parents in the **religious education of children in grades 2—9** attending non-Catholic schools to help them grow in their faith, and to prepare them to receive the Sacraments of **Reconciliation and Eucharist in Grade 2, Confirmation in Grade 7.**

Registration Forms are located on the *Bulletin Board* outside the office and in the foyer. Hand-in your registration **before Friday SEPTEMBER 12TH.**
If you need further assistance regarding payments please contact the parish office at: sawv.pariah@rcav.org

CATHOLIC FAITH COURSE 2025-2026



EVERY MONDAY
10 AM — 12 PM (NOON)
LOCATION: PARISH HALL

Learn about the rich teachings and practices for our Catholic Faith from **Fr. Vincent Hawkswell** and **Maureen Creelman**. No need to register, everyone is welcome!

SESSION 1: INTRODUCTION

VOLUNTEER PREP ASSISTANT

We are seeking faith-filled and committed people, with a drive in forming children and supporting families in their faith journey, to serve as **PREP assistants for the 2025-2026 school year.**

You will be responsible for assisting our coordinator in overseeing the **catechetical formation of children attending public schools** to help them grow in their catholic faith.

Training and support will be provided! Call the parish office if you can help: 604—926—6881

News in and around the Parish



Hope
Thrives
Here

PROJECT ADVANCE 2025



We are now entering the parish phase of this year's **Project Advance** Appeal. **With donations from 17% of registered parishioners, we have raised \$53,267 towards our goal of \$100,000!** As the Archdiocesan allotment of \$35,300 has been met, all additional funds raised will be rebated to our parish for our own projects. **This year our projects include replacing the carpet throughout the building, interior painting, refurbishing the washrooms on the lower level and supporting youth ministry activities.**

Each gift regardless of the amount makes a difference. **Donations can be placed in the Sunday collection basket, dropped off at the parish office, or made online at: www.projectadvance.ca**

Please prayerfully consider a gift to Project Advance this year. Thank you for supporting our parish. **May God bless everyone.**

MINISTRY



Heaven on Earth?... Research and Reflections Exploring Ministry.

Is ministry on the West Coast facing decline, growth, or something new altogether? **Join Rev. Dr. Ross Lockhart as he unpacks surprising research and sparks lively conversation about the future of the Church here in B.C. and the Yukon.** Co-hosted by the Archdiocese of Vancouver, **this evening will include interactive group discussions and a reception.**

DATE: FRIDAY OCTOBER 3RD 7—10 PM
LOCATION: ST. MARK'S COLLEGE AT UBC

Register at: stmarkscollege.ca

WORLD RED CROSS DAY—EVENT



Recognize and Respond to
Emergencies with Confidence!

**Red Cross CPR + Basic and
Intermediate First Aid Training**



scan to register



For Volunteer/Work/Parent/Personal Skills...
CPR, Basic & Intermediate First Aid
World Red Cross Day Event

with Dr. Laura C Tiberio ND MSOM



SATURDAY, SEPT 13TH
STARTING 8:30 AM

LOCATION: CHRIST THE REDEEMER CHURCH

CPR \$90 / Basic \$135 / Intermediate \$200

Questions? Email drtiberio@gmail.com

Registration closes on Sept 6TH Scan the QR below:

UPPER ROOM CONFERENCE 2025

Through inspiring talks, and spirit-led conversations and gatherings, this two-day experience will help you clarify your personal call to evangelize and strengthen your impact in ministry.

UPPER ROOM
a Proclaim conference



THIS IS A 2—DAY EVENT!

Day 1: Saturday, September 20TH	Location: Pacific Academy Surrey	8:15 am—5:30 pm
Day 2: Saturday, September 27TH	Location: Christ The Redeemer	9:30 am—2:00 pm

FOLLOW THESE SIMPLE STEPS, AND GET A DISCOUNT OF \$20!

- 1 Go to upperroom.rcav.org - Click register and fill the form.
- 2 Please indicate you belong to: **Saint Anthony's—West Vancouver [North Shore Deanery]** in the *Parish Selection*.
- 3 Just before entering your billing information, enter the code **STAWV20** in the discount box, and click *Apply*.
- 4 A message of \$20 discount applied should appear. This means St. Anthony's Parish will cover \$20 of your registration!

News in and around the Parish

ARCHBISHOP SMITH ASKS FOR CONTINUED SUPPORT FOR HEALING AND RECONCILIATION COLLECTION



Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

Thank you so much for the warm welcome extended to me as the new Archbishop. I am really enjoying getting to know the people of this local Church.

One of the most important things I've learned from our Indigenous brothers and sisters across Canada is the power of listening. Taking the time to hear someone's story is a way of saying: "You are worthy of being listened to." It is a way of honoring the dignity of the person.

As I begin my ministry here, I carry in my heart the call to truth and healing between the Church and Indigenous peoples. It has been part of my ministry for many years, and I have witnessed both the wounds of our past and the hope that grows when we walk together. One way we continue this journey is through our [Healing and Reconciliation Collection on September 14.](#)

The projects supported by this collection are shaped in partnership with First Nations communities. These initiatives are helping Indigenous peoples embrace their identity through language revitalization, cultural knowledge, and wellness. It connects individuals who may feel isolated and help ensure that those who have often faced discrimination can access healthcare and other services with dignity and respect.

These efforts remind us that reconciliation is not just an institutional effort, but a human journey that touches lives and builds hope, one person at a time. I invite each of you to pray for ongoing healing and consider supporting this collection. Together, we can help bring about the vision of unity to which Christ calls us.

With every blessing,
Richard W. Smith Archbishop of Vancouver

WORLDWIDE MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER

DATE: FRIDAY OCTOBER 24TH TO SUNDAY OCTOBER 25TH, 2025
LOCATION: CARMEL HILL—DEROCHE, B.C.

If you desire to restore communication and rekindle romance, learn how to become closer as a couple through a communication strategy that will deepen and strengthen your life together!



- ◆ Learn tools to make your relationship a priority.
- ◆ Communicate from the heart and grow intimacy.
- ◆ Renew your commitment to each other.

Remind yourselves why you fell in love when you first met, learn how to make your good marriage even better and rekindle the romance. **For more information contact Randy and Elizabeth at:**
elizabeth.sawv@gmail.com

WORLD DAY OF MIGRANTS AND REFUGEES

Saturday, Oct 4TH 5:00 p.m.
Our Lady of Good Counsel Parish, Surrey



This celebration begins with Mass, then a gathering in the gym to enjoy some of the many cultures we are blessed to have among us. **It is a way of recognizing and celebrating the beautiful diversity of our Archdiocese while supporting those who have come to us from sometimes very difficult circumstances,** even if it was generations ago. Learn more at: [**beholdvancouver.org/events.**](http://beholdvancouver.org/events)

ADVANCE PLANNING FOR CATHOLICS

This free presentation offers a Catholic insight on wills, estates, advance health care, legacy, meaningful funerals and sacred burials. Our expert will share wisdom and practical advice you need to plan ahead. Attendees will be eligible to receive:

- ◆ **20% burial benefit toward their pre-need purchase of space at Gardens of Gethsemani.**
- ◆ **Free one-on-one consultation with a professional estate planner at a later date.**

Saturday, September 13TH, 9:30 AM—12 PM
Location: St. Mary's Parish.

Register and learn more at:
[**rcav.org/advance-planning-for-catholics.**](http://rcav.org/advance-planning-for-catholics)

14TH ANNUAL ARCHBISHOP'S DINNER

Join **Archbishop Richard Smith** on **Wednesday, October 22ND** at the **Hyatt Regency Vancouver** for the **14TH Annual Archbishop's Dinner**

This evening will bring together Catholics from across the Archdiocese to celebrate our faith, share in fellowship, and support a new fund that empowers women facing adversity. **The funds raised at this year's Dinner will launch a new fund that empowers women facing adversity to find safety and healing.**

Register online at: [**rcav.org/dinner2025**](http://rcav.org/dinner2025)