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April 7, 2024 | YEAR B | Divine Mercy Sunday

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Closed for lunch: 12:30 - 1:30 pm  
and on Statutory Holidays

**SUNDAY MASS SCHEDULE**  
Saturday Mass of Anticipation: 4:30 pm  
Sunday: 7:00 am, 9:00 am, 11:00 am, 5:00 pm.

**WEEKDAY MASS SCHEDULE**  
Monday: 8:15 am  
Tuesday to Thursday: 7:00 am, 8:15 am  
Friday: 8:15 am, 7:00 pm  
Saturday & Holiday Monday: 9:00 am

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Sharlene | (778) 329 3878

**7:00 am Mass Choir**  
Edwin | (604) 723 8874

**9:00 am Mass Choir**  
Mae | (604) 327 9045; Roger | (604) 879 6774

**11:00 am Mass Choir**  
Bernadette & Niall | prayerwaves@yahoo.com

**5:00 pm Mass Choir**  
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**MASS SCHEDULE (CHANGES) : APRIL 9 - 11**

Tue. April 9 8:15 am only (no 7:00 am Mass)  
Wed., April 10 8:15 am only (no 7:00 am Mass)  
Thu., April 11 8:15 am only (no 7:00 am Mass)

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Friday: 7:55 am - 8:10 am and 6:40 - 6:55 pm  
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**FIRST FRIDAY ADORATION**  
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**NOVENA TO THE SACRED HEART OF JESUS**  
Prayers on Fridays at 6:15 pm\*  
\* at 6:00 pm on 1st Fridays and at 5:45 pm during Lent

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\* Open until 9 pm when Daylight Savings Time (DST) in effect (Mar. 10 to Nov., 2024). Open until 7 pm outside of DST.

**St. Patrick's Regional Secondary School**  
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Principal | Ralph Gabriele  
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**WEEKLY MASS INTENTIONS**

**SUNDAY, APR 07**  
 7:00 a.m. Minda Paat  
 9:00 a.m. \* Vincent Goleco Sr. & Santos In Hong Guiap  
 11:00 a.m. \* Alicia Cua  
 5:00 p.m. St. Patrick's Parishioners

**MONDAY, APR 08**  
 8:15 a.m. \* Paul De Leon

**TUESDAY, APR 09**  
 8:15 a.m. \* Roger Cayetano

**WEDNESDAY, APR 10**  
 8:15 a.m. \* Deceased from the Strong Family

**THURSDAY, APR 11**  
 8:15 a.m. \* Lourdes Perada

**FRIDAY, APR 12**  
 8:15 a.m. \* Petra & Carlos Natividad  
 7:00 p.m. Robert Arico

**SATURDAY, APR 13**  
 9:00 a.m. \* Adela Bacani  
 4:30 p.m. \* Milagros Alacapa

*\*Mass for Repose of Soul*

**FUNERAL NOTICE**

Please pray for the repose of the souls of St. Patrick's Parishioners who recently passed away.

**ADELA BACANI**

**Funeral Prayers:** Tuesday, April 9 at 7:00 p.m.  
**Funeral Mass:** Wednesday, April 10 at 11:00 a.m.

**BERNICE SIKORA**

**Funeral Mass:** Monday, April 15 at 11:00 a.m.  
 \* *Viewing at 10:00 a.m.*

**LORI ALVIAR**

**Funeral Mass:** Tuesday, April 16 at 10:30 a.m.  
 \* *Viewing at 10:00 a.m.*

**SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION**

**RELIGIOUS EDUCATION OFFICE**

**BAPTISM PREPARATION CLASS**

Baptism Preparation class for Parents and Godparents is held every **3rd Friday of the month (no class in May, July, August & December)** from **7.00 pm until 8.30 pm** at the John Paul II **Board room**. Advanced registration is required. For registration and information please contact the parish office.

**PARISH RELIGIOUS EDUCATION PROGRAM (PREP)**

**Catechism for Elementary School Children**

St. Patrick's Parish offers Religion classes for children in **grades 1-7** enrolled in public or non-religious private schools. Incorporated in the program is sacramental preparation to receive First Reconciliation & Holy Communion in grade 2, and Confirmation in grade 7. **Effective September 2024**, PREP classes will be on **Sundays**, from **10:30 am to 12:15 pm** at Saint. Patrick's Elementary School.

**RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION FOR ADULTS (RCIA)**

The Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults (RCIA) is a weekly program from **September through June**, that introduces adults to the teachings of the Catholic Church and serves as a preparation for receiving the Sacraments of Initiation. Classes are on **Thursday nights from 7:00 - 9:00 pm** at St. Patrick's Parish.

**PARISH NEWS & EVENTS**

**HOLY TRIDUUM AT ST. PAT'S : THANK YOU FOR CELEBRATING WITH US!**

Thank you to everyone who joined our Parish Celebrations of the Holy Triduum. A special thank you to all the dedicated volunteers (all ages) who generously shared their time and talent to make our festivities beautiful once again this year!



**UPDATED MASS CALENDAR OPENING DATES!**

Dear Parishioners, please note the updated Mass Calendar opening dates for Masses in the months of **July until December 2024**. The Mass calendar for **July, August and September** will now open in **June**. Thank you for your patience as we continue to fine-tune the new process for offering Masses.

2024 Mass Calendar Opening Dates	2024 Mass Requests Accepted for:
June 2024	July, August, September
September 2024	October, November, December

For inquiries about the **Religious Education and Sacramental Preparation programs** at St. Pat's please contact **Conchita** at our Religious Education office by phone at **604-874-7818 ext.113** or by email at **reo.stpatsvan@rcav.org**

**LITURGY OF THE WORD FOR CHILDREN (LWC)**

Our parish offers simplified Sunday readings for young children every **Sunday during the 9 am & 11 am Masses**. Led by adults trained to explain the readings at an age-appropriate level, LWC is designed for children able to attend without parental supervision. Parents are welcome to accompany their children if they wish.



**PARISH NEWS & EVENTS**

**SERIES ON PARISH RENEWAL: STARTS APRIL 16!**

**Tuesdays | Apr.16 - May 21 | Shamrock Hall**  
 Do you have a desire to make a difference in the parish as a disciple of Christ? If yes, these sessions are for you! Join us for a talk by **Eric Chow** (Director of Proclaim and Associate Director of Ministries of Outreach at the Archdiocese of Vancouver) on Parish renewal entitled : **'From Christendom to Apostolic Mission'** on **Tuesday, April 16 from 7 - 9 pm in the Shamrock Hall**. Join us, also in the Shamrock Hall, on **Tuesday** evenings from **April 23 - May 21** for a series on **Parish Renewal and the pathway to Missionary Discipleship**. A Video presentation by **Julianne Stanz** will be followed by small group discussion! Save the date, and spread the word!



**HOUR OF GRACE : MONTHLY ADORATION**

**2nd Friday of the Month | After 7pm Mass**  
 All are invited to the **Hour of Grace** Adoration Event happening on **Friday, April 12 after the 7pm Mass**. St. Patrick's Youth and Young Adults invite all ages to spend an hour with Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament!



**PREP REGISTRATION OPENS MAY 1ST!**

Registration for **Sunday Catechism Classes for Children** in public or non-religious private schools opens on **Wednesday, May 1st**. Registration forms will be available in the Parish office and on the Parish website. A photocopy of your child's baptismal certificate is required for new students only. For more information, please contact the PREP Coordinator at **reo.stpatsvan@gmail.com**.



**ST. PAT'S SENIORS' BINGO & POTLUCK**

**2nd & last Thursday of every month | Cafe**  
 St. Patrick's Parish **Seniors Group** invites seniors of our parish for **BINGO & a potluck lunch** every **2nd and last Thursday** of the month from **10:00 am until 3:00 pm** in the parish SSVF Café.



**PHOTO DIRECTORY PICK-UP!**

Parish Photo Directories may be picked-up in the **Parish office** during office hours from Monday to Friday.



**FROM OUR SCHOOLS**

**ST PAT'S ELEMENTARY SCHOOL**

**Registration for 2024/2025 School year**  
 Saint Patrick's Elementary School is now accepting applications for the 2024 / 2025 school year. To register visit **www.spev.ca**



**ST PAT'S PRESCHOOL: REGISTER TODAY**

St. Patrick's Preschool is now accepting registration for the **2024/2025** preschool year. To register visit: **https://spev.ca/preschool**. Please email forms and questions to **rachelreade@spev.ca**



**PARISH NEWS & EVENTS**

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**SALVATORIAN FATHERS' RETREAT**

Due to the upcoming **Salvatorian Clergy Retreat** there will be no **7:00 am Mass** from **Tuesday April 9th until Thursday April 11th**. On those days, there will be an **8:15 am Mass** only. Please see Mass times listed below.

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 Thursday, April 11 **8:15 am** (no 7:00 am Mass)

**ARCHDIOCESAN & OTHER NEWS & EVENTS**

**ENSHRINEMENT OF SAN PEDRO CALUNGSOD**

**Friday, Apr. 19 | 6 pm | St. Monica's, Richmond**  
 The Cebuano Society of Canada, in collaboration with the Filipino Catholic Ministry of the Archdiocese of Vancouver, invites devotees and all faithful to witness the official enshrinement of St. Pedro Calungsod, Filipino patron saint of migrants and youth. Archbishop J. Michael Miller, CSB, and Bishop Julito Cortes, D.D., of Dumaguete, Philippines, will preside over the Holy Mass. **On Friday, April 19, 6:00 p.m. at St. Monica's Parish in Richmond.**



**MOMENTUM SINGLE MOTHERS' RETREAT**

**May 24 - 26 | Charis Camp, Chilliwack**

All Catholic single mothers are invited to attend a two-night retreat, with or without their children. There will be talks for mothers (childcare provided), family time, children's activities, and time for Mass, Adoration, and Confession. Hosted by the Archdiocese of Vancouver in collaboration with Momentum, the retreat will be held from **May 24-26 at Charis Camp in Chilliwack**. Cost is \$150/family (with or without children). **Registration deadline: Monday, May 6**. Learn more and register at **beholdvancouver.org/events**.



**HOPE ON THE HORIZON : CATHOLIC STREET MISSIONARIES**

**Summer Outreach**

Hope on the Horizon is an outreach program designed to introduce young adults aged 19-30 to the life of a street missionary, sharing a life of prayer and service with others and bringing the love of Jesus to the homeless. For two weeks, participants will live a communal life, praying, learning, and reaching out to our homeless friends on the streets. In addition, there will be human, apostolic, spiritual and intellectual formation. We will also enjoy recreational activities together. From **August 6 to 21 in Vancouver**. **Program fee is \$650**, including food and accommodation. Candidates will receive mentorship on how to raise funds for the program fee. Sponsors will be issued a tax receipt. Registration deadline: Tuesday, April 30. Learn more and register at **catholicstreetmissionaries.org/horizon**.

