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April 28, 2024 | YEAR B | 5th Sunday of Easter

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**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

**CHANGE IN WEEKDAY MASS SCHEDULE**  
Effective May 1, 2024 there will be no 7:00 am Mass on weekdays. New Mass Schedule:  
Monday - Thursday: 8:15 am  
Friday: 8:15 am & 7:00 pm

**CONFESSIONS**  
Monday to Thursday: 7:55 am, 8:10 am  
Friday: 7:55 am - 8:10 am and 6:40 - 6:55 pm  
Saturday: 9:35 - 10:30 am and 3:45 - 4:20 pm  
And also by appointment

**FIRST FRIDAY ADORATION**  
After 8:15 am Mass until 9:20 am,  
& 6:00 pm until 7:00 pm (no 6 pm adoration in Lent)

**NOVENA TO OUR LADY OF PERPETUAL HELP**  
Prayers on Wednesdays after the 8:15 am Mass

**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.

**THE SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE**  
At least six months notice must be given to Pastor

**THE SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM**  
Registered Parishioners may contact the Parish office to inquire about Baptism requirements

**PARISH MINISTRY & ORGANIZATIONS CONTACTS**

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- 4:30 pm Mass Choir**  
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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- Knights of Columbus**  
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**St. Patrick's Elementary School**  
School Office | (604) 879 4411  
Email | administration@spev.ca  
Principal | Diane Sorochuk  
Reception | Stephanie Evans  
Website | spev.ca



**St. Patrick's Regional Secondary School**  
School Office | (604) 874 6422  
Email | administration@stpats.bc.ca  
Principal | Ralph Gabriele  
Office Manager | Jackie Quiroz  
Website | stpats.bc.ca



## WEEKLY MASS INTENTIONS

**SUNDAY, APR 28**  
 7:00 a.m. \* Felipa Labrador Garcia  
 9:00 a.m. \* Joseph & Teresita Javier  
 11:00 a.m. St. Patrick's Parishioners  
 5:00 p.m. \* Abundio & Erlinda Lorico

**MONDAY, APR 29**  
 8:15 a.m. \* Felipa Garcia

**TUESDAY, APR 30**  
 7:00 a.m. \* Fr. Tim MCarthy  
 8:15 a.m. \* Germinigildo & Thaddeus Urgino

**WEDNESDAY, MAY 01**  
 8:15 a.m. Strong Family

**THURSDAY, MAY 02**  
 8:15 a.m. \* Roque Tena

**FRIDAY, MAY 03**  
 8:15 a.m. Ianna & Ioanard Aranda  
 7:00 p.m. Ferdinand Ramos

**SATURDAY, MAY 04**  
 9:00 a.m. \* Arsenia Fernandez & Manuel So  
 4:30 p.m. \* Milagros Alacapa

\*Mass for Repose of Soul

## 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 **kindergarten-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

### SALVATORIAN FORMATION & MISSION COLLECTION: THANK YOU!



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May the Lord bless you all and your families.

Yours in the Divine Saviour,

Fr. Maciej Wos, SDS  
 Superior



### MASS SCHEDULE CHANGES EFFECTIVE MAY 1, 2024

**No 7:00 am Weekday Mass effective May 1**

Dear parishioners, Pastoral responsibilities assigned to every pastor in any parish are never taken lightly by a pastor. Sometimes, a pastor may face difficult decisions that might impact some parishioners. When a decision such as this is made, it may cause disappointment to those affected. After careful discernment and prayerful consideration, I have made the difficult decision to **cancel the 7:00 am weekday Masses (Tuesday, Wednesday & Thursday) effective May 1, 2024** due to increased pastoral responsibilities which also extend beyond St. Patrick Parish. Weekend Mass times (*Saturday & Sunday*) remain unchanged. I hope this decision will meet with your understanding.  
 Fr. Jaroslaw Dziuba, SDS  
 Pastor

### NEW WEEKDAY MASS SCHEDULE AS OF MAY 1, 2024

**Monday to Thursday** 8:15 am  
**Friday** 8:15 am, 7:00 pm  
 \* *Holiday Monday* 9:00 am

*The Saturday and Sunday Mass Schedule remains unchanged.*



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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 THIS TUESDAY!

*Tuesdays | 7pm | Apr.23 - 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 on **Tuesday** evenings in the Shamrock Hall until **May 21** for a series entitled **Parish Renewal and the pathway to Missionary Discipleship**. The **Video presentation** by **Julianne Stanz** will be followed by small group discussion! Registration is not required, All are welcome to join!



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### MASS WITH PRAYERS FOR THE GIFT OF FORGIVENESS & HEALING

**Fri. May 17 | 7:00 p.m. | St. Pat's Church**

**"I am the LORD your healer." Exodus 15:26**

Our Pastor, Fr. Yarek invites all to attend

**Holy Mass with prayer for healing, & for the gift of forgiveness**, on **Friday, May 17 at 7pm** here at Saint Patrick's Parish. The Mass will be followed by healing prayer-ministry and our monthly Hour of Grace Adoration event (*moved from May 10*). All are welcome. Invite your family and friends to join! **"The prayer of faith will save the sick" ~ James 5:13-16**. The Lord heals today through the prayer of faith (and charity).



### HOUR OF GRACE : MONTHLY ADORATION

**3rd Friday of the Month in May!**

The **Hour of Grace** monthly Adoration event in May, will be taking place on **May 17th, the third Friday** of the month instead of the usual second Friday, and will immediately follow **the 7pm Healing Mass**. All are invited to join this hour with Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament, during which we will pray in a special way for **Healing and Forgiveness**.



### ZUMBA MAMA: MOTHER'S DAY CELEBRATION

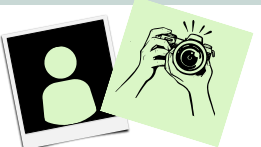
**Fri. May 10 | 6 - 9 pm | Pat's, Recreation Centre**

Calling all Women who are mothers (*biological and spiritual moms alike*); that's **YOU Ladies, Moms, Grandmas, Sisters, Aunties and Friends!** We want to celebrate YOU, WITH YOU at our annual **"Zumba-Mama" night**. Our very own **Zumba expert** will guide us in easy to follow dance moves! Come, whether you're a first-timer or a Zumba pro! Spread the word and invite all the wonderful women in your life to this one-of-a-kind ZUMBA class! **No registration required, just show up! There will be a \$10 entrance fee, with all proceeds going to support our Youth Ministry!**



### 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](http://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](mailto:rachelreade@spev.ca)



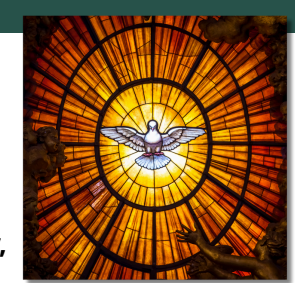
## PARISH NEWS & EVENTS

### PENTECOST VIGIL HOLY HOUR

**Pray for an outpouring of the Holy Spirit!**

**Sat. May 18 | 7:30 PM | Pat's, Church**

Prepare for the coming of the Holy Spirit this Pentecost! Join us for a **Pentecost Vigil Holy Hour**, happening here at St. Pat's Church on the **Eve of Pentecost, Saturday, May 18 at 7:30 pm**. The Vigil will be followed by fellowship & light refreshments in Shamrock Hall.



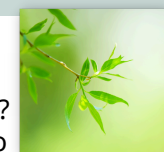
Invite your family and friends to join. Let's come together and wait for the 'promise of the Father', the Holy Spirit.

If you're looking to learn more about **the Holy Spirit**, be sure to check out **Fr. Dave Pivonka's 'Wild Goose Series'**! Find it on **YouTube** or visit: [shorturl.at/hsy49](http://shorturl.at/hsy49)

### SEASONS OF HOPE: BEREAVEMENT GROUP

**Mondays | 10:30 am | Starts on May 6**

Are you in need of consolation after losing a loved one? **Seasons of Hope** offers the bereaved an opportunity to come together to explore mourning through scripture, prayer, reflection activities & faith sharing. For more information pick up a brochure in the church foyer. The group will meet again for **six Mondays, starting on Monday, May 6 at 10:30 am in Saint Patrick's Parish Boardroom**. Reading materials and journals will be provided. **Cost \$10** for Journal. **Registration is required** to ensure we have sufficient materials for all participants. To register, or if you would like to suggest alternate timings that might work better, please contact Susan at [seasonsofhope.stpatsvan@gmail.com](mailto:seasonsofhope.stpatsvan@gmail.com).



### 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@rcav.org](mailto:reo.stpatsvan@rcav.org)



## ARCHDIOCESAN & OTHER NEWS & EVENTS

### MARCH FOR LIFE 2024 : JOIN A BUS!

**Thu., May 9 | Victoria, BC**

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