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December 9, 2018 Second Sunday of Advent (Year C)



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PARISH OFFICE HOURS:
Monday—Friday 9:00 am to 5:00 pm
 Closed during lunch from 12:30 to 1:30pm

Sunday Mass Schedule
 Saturday Mass of Anticipation: 4:30pm
 Sunday: 7:00am, 9:00am, 11:00am and 5:00pm
Weekday Mass Schedule
 Monday—Thursday: 7:00am and 8:15am
 Friday 7:00am, 8:15am and 7:00pm
 Saturday: 9:00am
 Holiday Mondays : 9:00am (no 7:00 am or 8:15am mass)
First Friday Adoration
 After 8:15am Mass; Benediction at 6:50pm before 7:00pm Mass
Confessions
 Monday—Thursday: 7:55-8:10am
 Friday: 7:55-8:10am and 6:40-6:55pm
 Saturday: 9:30-10:30am and 3:45-4:20pm
 And also by appointment
Novena to Our Lady of Perpetual Help
 Prayers on Wednesdays at 6:00pm
 Mass on the 1st Wednesday of the month at 7:00pm
Novena to The Sacred Heart of Jesus
 Prayers on Fridays at 6:15pm before 7:00 pm Mass
The Sacrament of Marriage
 At least six months notice must be given to the Pastor
The Sacrament of Baptism
 Parish families who wish to have a child baptized should be registered in the parish. Please visit the Parish Office to register.
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 School Office: (604) 879-4411
 Principal: Deacon Michael Boreham
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 School Office: (604) 874-6422
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Parish Ministry & Organizations Contacts

9:00 am Mass Choir <i>Mae (604) 327-9045/ Roger (604) 879-6774</i>	Catholic Women's League <i>Gilda (604) 688-9488</i>	Focolare <i>Mel (778) 389-7573</i>
11:00 am Mass Choir <i>Bernadette & Niall (604) 874-7818</i>	Canadian Catholic Organization for Development & Peace St. Patrick's Representative: <i>Lydia (778) 995-0106</i>	Charismatic Prayer Group <i>Bernard (604) 708-3326</i>
5:00 pm Mass Choir <i>Michelle (604) 825-7518</i>	Pro-life Society <i>Murita (604) 327-2230</i>	El Shaddai Prayer Group <i>Russell (604) 876-5087</i> <i>Anne (778) 885 8960</i>
4:30 pm Mass Choir <i>Gladys (604) 872-1188</i>	Knights of Columbus <i>Ryan (604) 872-2269</i>	Legion of Mary <i>Cristy (604) 325-3909</i>
7:00 am Mass Choir <i>Edwin (604) 723-8874</i>	Young Adult Ministry <i>Hareem (778) 918-7807</i>	Society of Saint Vincent de Paul <i>Help Line (604) 301-1567</i>

WEEKLY MASS INTENTIONS

SUNDAY, DEC 9
7:00 am Rinaldo Sison
9:00 am Saint Patrick's Parishioners
11:00 am Manuel V. Solis
5:00 pm Jimmy Knox

MONDAY, DEC 10
7:00 am Dennis Basngi
8:15 am Carmelita Fallesgon

TUESDAY, DEC 11
7:00 am Amelia Costo
8:15 am Maxima Dayap

WEDNESDAY, DEC 12
7:00 am Dominadora Tumanon
8:15 am Divina Alfonso Nones

THURSDAY, DEC 13
7:00 am Danny Lacsamana
8:15 am Eufrocina Dela Rosa

FRIDAY, DEC 14
7:00 am Danny Lacsamana
8:15 am Christine Vitug-Yu
7:00 pm Marites Zapanta

SATURDAY, DEC 15
9:00 am Peter & Victoria Rodriguez
4:30 pm MISA DE GALLO

PRAYERS FOR THE SICK

In your prayers, please remember the sick: Percival Toca, Olivera Lamberta, Myrna Folloso, Carlos Lima, Lydia Hoppington, Rose Bolton, Narcisca Tumolva, Marcel Therriault, Cora Javier, Evelyne Mishio, Teresa Dodorico, Doris & Anne Aubin, Andrea Jake, Maria Themis Dichosa, Enrique Dueñas, Sandra Kewin, Lucille Sutherland, Irene Cecilia, Vincent Chan, Christopher Cue-Wiechers, David Dewitt, Tabita Astudillo, Alberto Ruis, Claudia Delgado, Meloney Basso, Margaret Robertson, Betty Marbella, Rogelio Tibayan, Reymar Raymundo, Susan Tham, Josefa Alaon, Deacon Gary Thibodeau, Carol Anne Thibodeau, Dr. Karl Heinz Jack, Minda Austria, Joan Viera, Rose, Lorena Abesamis, Lucy Finogwar, Mark Dimawala, Crispino Panganiban, Sonny Nicolas, Gloria Gallardo, Andree Therriault, Luis Owen, Sarah Coburn, Rino Zalamea, Matilda Lim, Mildred Alas, Germalina Orellano, Marilou Mendoza, Avelia Soriano, Lydia Young Dooley, Ivan, Derek Bednash, Louisa Lo, Dinah Del Rosario, Louvell Arcan, Martin Lintag, Aurea Quericol, Ana Quiroz and Jennifer Whittlesey.

CHILDREN'S FAITH FORMATION (PREP) (Religion Classes for Children in Public school)

PREP Class takes place on Wednesdays at 7:00 pm in the Recreation Centre. For information, please contact the Coordinator by phone at (604) 874-7818 ext.113 or by email at prep.stpatsvan@rcav.org.

CHILDREN'S LITURGY OF THE WORD (LWC)

Simplified Sunday readings and explanation for children aged 3-7. LWC is offered during Sunday Masses (9:00 am, 11:00 am & 5:00 pm only) and is designed for children able to attend without parental supervision, thus enabling parents to participate in the regular Liturgy of the Word. We are looking for parent volunteers— please contact the parish office if you would be interested in volunteering.



ADVENT CONFESSIONS 2018: VANCOUVER PARISHES, WEST DEANERY



Blessed Sacrament December 11 (Tue) 7:00 PM
St. Patrick December 12 (Wed) 7:00 PM
St. Mark December 13 (Thu) 7:00 PM
Holy Name of Jesus December 14 (Fri) 7:00 PM
St. Augustine December 14 (Fri) 7:00 PM
Our Lady of Perpetual Help December 16 (Sun) 2:00 PM
St. John the Apostle December 19 (Wed) 7:00 PM
Guardian Angels December 19 (Wed) 7:00 PM
Sts. Peter and Paul December 20 (Thu) 7:00 PM
St. Anthony of Padua December 23 (Sun) 7:00 PM

Holy Rosary Cathedral will have confessions at the usual times: Monday-Friday 7:45; 11:45am; 4:45pm. Saturday 7:45; 11:45am; 4-5pm.

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RELIGIOUS EDUCATION OFFICE

For inquiries about RCIA, ADULT FAITH FORMATION, BIBLE STUDY and PREP (Catechism for children), please contact Conchita at the Religious Education Office by phone at 604-874-7818 ext. 113 or by email at reo.stpatsvan@rcav.org

ADULT FAITH FORMATION

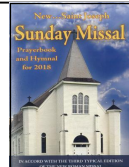
Mondays: Faith Study: Catholicism (Bishop Barron's Video Series) Dec. 10 : Session 5— Indispensable Men: Peter, Paul and the Missionary Adventure (last Session of 2018, Resumes Jan. 7) Each session is a stand-alone session! Come when you can! Time: 7:00-8:30 pm , St. Vincent De Paul Café
Wednesdays: Bible Study: Saint Patrick's Seniors Group Time: 9:00—11:00 am , St. Vincent de Paul Café Sessions resume on January 9, 2019

RCIA (Rites of Christian Initiation for Adults)

The Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults is a weekly program from October through June that introduces adults to the teachings of the Catholic Church. Classes are on Thursday nights from 7:00pm – 9:00 pm in the St. John Paul II Boardroom.

2019 SUNDAY MISSALS NOW FOR SALE

Saint Joseph Sunday Missals—Prayer book & Hymnal for 2019 are now available for purchase at \$3 each, or two for \$5. Missals will be available after Sunday Masses at the Information Booth, until supplies last.

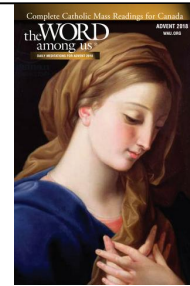


CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR NEWLY ORDAINED PRIEST AND DEACON!

Congratulations to our newly ordained priest Father Guy Zidago and Deacon Felix Min, who were ordained Holy Orders on through the laying on of hands and the invocation of the Holy Spirit by His Grace J. Michael Miller, CSB, Archbishop of Vancouver on Saturday, December 8th. Please join us in prayer for Father Guy and Deacon Felix, that they may be richly blessed as they continue along the paths of their ministries.

WORD AMONG US : SPECIAL ADVENT ISSUE

Make this Advent more meaningful, with the special Advent edition of the Word Among Us daily missalette. Prepare for Christmas through meditating upon the readings and reflections for each day of the Advent season. Booklets are available for purchase at \$1 each, in the office and Information booth after each weekend mass.



IMPORTANT: PRE AUTHORIZED DEBIT (PAD) 2019 RENEWAL

Dear Pre-authorized Debit (PAD) users, 2019 PAD forms are now available in the Church foyer. Please note that your 2018 Donation selections are not automatically carried over to 2019, PAD users are required to re-submit a new PAD form each year. Please return the completed form to us by email, mail or drop it off in the Sunday collection basket or at the parish office by Friday, December 21st 2018.

2019 DAILY MISSALETTE: SUBSCRIBE!

We are currently accepting requests for "Living with Christ" Daily Missalette Subscriptions for 2019. The cost of the subscription is \$35 for the year (12 issues). Please visit the parish office to sign up.



NEW ADDRESS? LET US KNOW!

With Tax receipt season rapidly approaching, we are updating our Parish records and would like to ensure that the information we have on file is correct. If your address has changed recently, please fill out the form below, drop it in the collection basket on Sunday or submit it to the parish office. You can also update your info by phone 604-874-7818 ext. 110 or by email to parish.stpatsvan@rcav.org.

Change of Address Form
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MISA DE GALLO 2018

Misa de Gallo, a series of nine masses leading up to Christmas, is a Catholic tradition which originated in the Philippines and gives the faithful an opportunity for spiritual preparation for Christmas. Traditionally it is celebrated early in the morning, to allow workers such as farmers to attend before the crack of dawn. Here at St. Patrick's, Masses are held in the evening, so that parishioners (Filipinos and non-Filipinos alike) may attend after work. The Misa de Gallo Masses are being celebrated in our parish from December 15th – 23rd at 7:00 pm Monday to Friday (Mon. Dec. 17th in Tagalog), and 4:30 pm on Saturday and 5:00 pm on Sunday.

Saturday, Dec. 15 (4:30 pm)
Sunday, Dec. 16 (5:00 pm)
Monday, Dec. 17 (7:00 pm) in Tagalog
Tuesday, Dec. 18 (7:00 pm)
Wednesday, Dec. 19 (7:00 pm)
Thursday, Dec. 20 (7:00 pm)
Friday, Dec. 21 (7:00 pm)
Saturday, Dec. 22 (4:30 pm)
Sunday, Dec. 23 (5:00 pm)

Rev. James Hughes
Rev. Amador Abundo
Rev. Gilbert Nunez
Rev. James Kairu
Rev. Guy Zidago
Rev. Anthony Ho
Rev. Nick Meisl
Rev. Pablo Santa Maria
Rev. Abp. Miller, CSB



"FIESTA HAM" YOUTH FUNDRAISER!

Saint Patrick's Youth Ministry will once again be selling the famous "Fiesta Ham" in order to raise funds for their various programs and activities in the upcoming year. Please place your order with a volunteer in the Church Foyer after all weekend Masses or by calling the Parish Office at (604) 874-7818. Hams will be available for pick-up on Monday December 10th after 1:30 pm. Cost: \$55ea.

BAPTISM PREPARATION CLASS

The next Baptism Preparation Class will take place on Wednesday, December 19 at 7:00 pm —8:30 pm in the St. Vincent De Paul Café. You must pre-register for the class. To register, contact the Parish Office at 604)874-7818 or email parish.stpatsvan@rcav.org.



GIFT BASKETS AND GIFT CARDS NEEDED FOR SSVP CHRISTMAS DINNER

On Sunday, January 6th, 2019 the Society of Saint Vincent De Paul will be hosting their annual Christmas Dinner for those most in need, and will gratefully accept any donations of gift cards and gift baskets for the event. These will be used as prizes for the talent show participants. Thank you for helping us make this day special for our guests. Donations may be submitted to the Parish office.

QUO VADIS – MEN'S DISCERNMENT EVENTS—DAY OF RECOLLECTION

Join us for a day of recollection with Fr. Nick Meisl and Fr. Lucio Choi – Hearing the Voice of God in the Eucharist on Saturday, December 15, at 10 a.m. at the John Paul II Pastoral Centre, 4885 Saint John Paul II Way, Vancouver. Event open to single Catholic men ages 18+ who want to answer the question: What is God calling me to do with my life? Please register at least one week in advance by contacting the Vocations Office at vocations@rcav.org or call 604-443-3254.

