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December 16, 2018 Third 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
 Reception: Stephanie Evans
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St. Patrick's Regional Secondary
 School Office: (604) 874-6422
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Steven, chair (778) 233-5229

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Gladys (604) 872-1188

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

9:00 am Mass Choir
**Mae (604) 327-9045/
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11:00 am Mass Choir
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5:00 pm Mass Choir
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Hareem (778) 918-7807

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WEEKLY MASS INTENTIONS

SUNDAY, DEC 16
7:00 am Reynaldo Afienza
9:00 am Virginia Molina
11:00 am Saint Patrick's Parishioners
5:00 pm MISA DE GALLO
MONDAY, DEC 17
7:00 am Agnes Viaje
8:15 am Milagros Alacapa
7:00 pm MISA DE GALLO
TUESDAY, DEC 18
7:00 am Nicolina Balestra
8:15 am Felicidad David
7:00 pm MISA DE GALLO
WEDNESDAY, DEC 19
7:00 am Hector Moreau
8:15 am Agripina Ausejo
7:00 pm MISA DE GALLO
THURSDAY, DEC 20
7:00 am Enrique Murillo
8:15 am Chuck Sakiyama
7:00 pm MISA DE GALLO
FRIDAY, DEC 21
7:00 am Marian Charlotte & Ezekiel Ligaya
8:15 am Ruby Socorro Arico
7:00 pm MISA DE GALLO
SATURDAY, DEC 22
9:00 am Pacita & Gregorio Fallesgon
4:30 pm MISA DE GALLO

PRAYERS FOR THE SICK

In your prayers, please remember the sick: Percival Toca, Olivera Lamberta, Myrna Follosa, Carlos Lima, Lydia Hoppington, Rose Bolton, Narcisa 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, Reyman 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.

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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



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(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. Resumes January 9, 2019

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) Rev. James Hughes
Sunday, Dec. 16 (5:00 pm) Rev. Amador Abundo
Monday, Dec. 17 (7:00 pm) in Tagalog Rev. Gilbert Nunez
Tuesday, Dec. 18 (7:00 pm) Rev. James Kairu
Wednesday, Dec. 19 (7:00 pm) Rev. Guy Zidago
Thursday, Dec. 20 (7:00 pm) Rev. Anthony Ho
Friday, Dec. 21 (7:00 pm) Rev. Nick Meisl
Saturday, Dec. 22 (4:30 pm) Rev. Pablo Santa Maria
Sunday, Dec. 23 (5:00 pm) Rev. Abp. Miller, CSB

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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) Sessions resume on January 7, 2019 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.

2018\19 CHRISTMAS MASS SCHEDULE

Saint Patrick's Parish, Vancouver

Table with columns for date, mass type, and time. Includes dates from Mon, Dec 24 to Sat, Jan 5.

* Christmas Day (Dec. 25) and New Year's Day (Jan.1) are Holy Days of Obligation, even though they do not fall on a Sunday. The Parish office will be closed between Christmas and the New Year, from Monday, December 24 until Tuesday, January 1. Office re-opens on Wednesday, January 2, 2019

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.

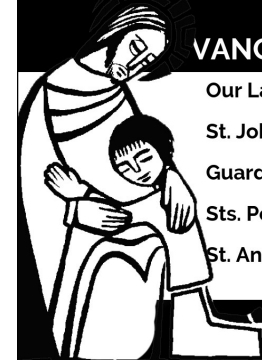
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BAPTISM PREPARATION CLASS The next Baptism Preparation Class will take place on Wednesday, December 19 at 7:00 pm —8:30 pm in the St. Vincent De Paul Café. You must pre-register for the class. To register, contact the Parish Office at 604)874-7818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

ST. PATRICK'S PRESCHOOL REGISTRATION As of January 7, 2019 we will be accepting registration for the 2019/2020 Preschool year. We offer a flexible program of 1, 2, 3, 4, or 5 days for children ages 3 and 4 years old. For information please contact Mrs. Reade at (604) 879-4411 or rachelreade@spev.ca Application forms are available at the school office and on the school website at www.spev.ca



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Our Lady of Perpetual Help December 16 (Sun) 2:00 PM
St. John the Apostle December 19 (Wed) 7:00 PM
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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.



THANK YOU FROM FATHER GUY ZIDAGO! Father Guy Zidago would like to express his sincere gratitude to all those who were part of the joyous event of his Ordination to the Priesthood and his First Mass. Thank you for all the prayers, wishes, gifts and the dedication of all those involved in the preparations of the celebration at St. Patrick's Parish. You will all be remembered in Fr. Guy's prayers!

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