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April 14, 2024 | YEAR B | 3rd Sunday of Easter

**PARISH OFFICE HOURS \***  
 Mon. to Fri. | 9:00 am - 5:00 pm  
 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.

**PARISH MINISTRY & ORGANIZATIONS CONTACTS**

**Altar Servers**  
 Mary Grace | (778) 710 6789  
**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**  
 Michelle | (604) 825 7518  
**Holy Spirit Votive Mass Choir**  
 Russell | (778) 996 1960; Edwin | (604) 723 8874  
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 Albert | (604) 889 8485  
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 Murita | (604) 327 2230  
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 Minette | (604) 731 6601  
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 Louisa | spv.youngadults@gmail.com  
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 Susan | seasonsofhope.stpatsvan@gmail.com

**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

**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



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**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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 Chapel **OPENS** at time of first morning Mass  
 Chapel **CLOSES** at 9:00 pm \*  
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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

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 School Office | (604) 879 4411  
 Email | administration@spev.ca  
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 Principal | Ralph Gabriele  
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## WEEKLY MASS INTENTIONS

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| <b>SUNDAY,</b><br>7:00 a.m.<br>9:00 a.m.<br>11:00 a.m.<br>5:00 p.m. | <b>APR 14</b><br>St. Patrick's Parishioners<br>* Lamberto Agnes<br>* Rodolfo & Rafael Querol<br>* Lourdes Perada |
| <b>MONDAY,</b><br>8:15 a.m.   | <b>APR 15</b><br>* Harvey Richer   |
| <b>TUESDAY,</b><br>7:00 a.m.<br>8:15 a.m.                           | <b>APR 16</b><br>* Julian Dychauco Sr.<br>Ianna & Ioanard Aranda   |
| <b>WEDNESDAY,</b><br>7:00 a.m.<br>8:15 a.m.                         | <b>APR 17</b><br>* Lourdes Perada<br>Gilbert U. Dalisay  |
| <b>THURSDAY,</b><br>7:00 a.m.<br>8:15 a.m.                          | <b>APR 18</b><br>Lolita Odulio<br>* Myrtle Perry   |
| <b>FRIDAY,</b><br>8:15 a.m.<br>7:00 p.m.                            | <b>APR 19</b><br>* Crispin Balagbagan<br>* Esperanza De Guzman   |
| <b>SATURDAY,</b><br>9:00 a.m.<br>4:30 p.m.                          | <b>APR 20</b><br>* Margarito Costo & Simeon Fernandez<br>* Leon L. Solis   |

\*Mass for Repose of Soul

## FUNERAL NOTICE

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

### 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.

### MARIA LOURDES PUCOVSKY

**Funeral Prayers:** Tuesday, April 23 at 6:00 p.m.  
**Funeral Mass:** Wednesday, April 24 at 11:00 a.m.

## SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION

### RELIGIOUS EDUCATION 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

### PILGRIM VIRGIN STATUE OF FATIMA VISIT: THANK YOU!

Thank you to everyone who joined our Parish in welcoming the International Pilgrim Virgin Statue of Fatima! Thank you to Mediatrix Conferences and the World Apostolate of Fatima, USA for bringing Our Lady's Statue to our Parish. A very special to **Murita Chua**, CWL President, and our parish visit coordinator, who worked tirelessly with members of the Catholic Women's League, the Knights of Columbus, St. Patrick's Elementary and High Schools and many others to ensure that Our Lady received the warmest and most beautiful welcome possible! We trust that Our Lady accompanied Her Statue and that many graces were received by all! Our Lady of Fatima, Pray for us!



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### 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.

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 TUESDAY!

**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!



### 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      |

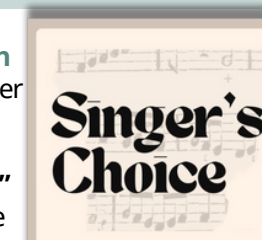
### PHOTO DIRECTORY PICK-UP!

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



### SPIRIT ALIVE CHORALE CONCERT

**Sun., Apr. 28 | 2:30 p.m. | St. Pat's Church**  
**Spirit Alive Chorale** community choir under the direction of **Dr. Tony Araujo** is celebrating the launch of its **25th anniversary** season with **"Singers Choice"** - a celebration of choral music favorites we have sang over the years, picked by the choir members themselves! You may recognize some of these classics that Spirit Alive Chorale has performed over the years; from nostalgic old chamber choir days, a fan favourite piece, to a song that's never quite left you since you heard it 7 years ago. **Tickets are available at the door on the day of the concert or online through Showpass: showpass.com/singers-choice-sunday/** Tickets are **\$25 for Adults**, and **\$20 for Students and Seniors!**



### 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

### 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**.



## 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 Saint Monica's Parish in Richmond.**



### SWEET SURRENDER: THE JOY OF ENTERING GOD'S WILL

**EASTER RETREAT FOR DIVORCED & SEPARATED**  
**Sat. Apr. 27 | 9:30 a.m. | St. Francis De Sales**  
The word surrender doesn't usually evoke excited anticipation or desire in us. And yet, our faith tells us that surrendering our will to the Lord is the central path to life and fulfillment in Him. In this retreat, we'll explore what surrender really means and explore concrete, real-world ways to come into direct contact with our Lord and His will, while discovering the joy and peace that true surrender brings. **Speaker: Makani Marquis. On Saturday, April 27, 9:30 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. at St. Francis de Sales Parish in Burnaby. Cost is \$20.** Learn more and register at **beholdvancouver.org/events**.



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

**Thu., May 9 | Victoria, BC**  
Join thousands from across Canada who are passionate about promoting life from conception to its natural end. Participants will gather in prayer and listen to a number of speakers who actively advance life issues at the BC Legislature in Victoria, in an effort to lobby the pro-life movement across the province. On **Thursday, May 9, from 9:00 a.m. to 3:30 p.m.** Pick-up and drop-off points are available at several locations throughout the Archdiocese. **Register by Wednesday, April 24.** Learn more at **m4lvictoria.ca**. To join a **Bus** leaving from **St. Patrick's Parish, Vancouver** contact **Murita Chua** at **604-683-0281 Ext. 50210** **mchua@rcav.org**



### MARRIAGE ANNIVERSARY MASS 2024

**Sun. May 12 | 1:30 pm | Coquitlam**  
**"Love isn't easy. No. But the most beautiful thing that a man and a woman can give each other is true love, for a lifetime." ~ Pope Francis**  
On **Sunday, May 12, Archbishop Michael Miller, CSB** will be honouring couples celebrating milestone marriage anniversaries: five-year increments from 5 to 60 years, and every year beyond 60 years. The Marriage Anniversary Mass will be at **Our Lady of the Assumption Parish in Port Coquitlam at 1:30 p.m.** Registrations received by **Friday, April 19, will receive their certificate at the Mass.** Learn more and register at **family.rcav.org/mam**.

