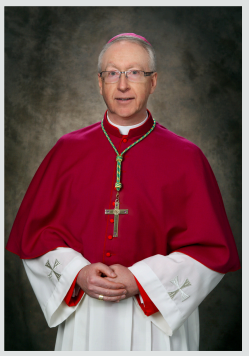




# HOLY NAME OF JESUS CATHOLIC CHURCH



## INSTALLATION MASS OF ARCHBISHOP RICHARD W. SMITH

With gratitude to God, the Archdiocese of Vancouver joyfully welcomes The Most Reverend Richard W. Smith as the Archbishop of Vancouver. His Installation Mass will be a moment of great significance as he formally takes up his ministry among us. Due to limited space, the Mass will be by invitation only.

Watch the Mass live stream Friday May 23 at 7:00 pm

**SAVE THE DATE**

Everyone is invited to watch the live stream and join us in prayer by clicking on the link: <https://rcav.org/events/installation-mass-of-archbishop-richard-w-smith>



## MASS FOR THE SACRAMENT OF CONFIRMATION

**SAVE THE DATE**

Wednesday, June 4 at 7:00 pm

Celebrant: Archbishop Richard W. Smith

Mark your calendars! We have an upcoming special Mass on **Wednesday, June 4 at 7:00 pm** to celebrate the Sacrament of Confirmation of our PREP students (Parish Religious Education Program). This will be the first official visit from Archbishop Richard Smith, and we hope the whole parish will come to this Mass to welcome him and support our candidates for Confirmation, who have undergone months of preparation and guidance led by our wonderful PREP catechists.

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Weekday Mass: Monday–Saturday 9 am

Sunday Mass: Saturday 5 pm (Anticipated Mass), Sunday 9 am & 11 am

Confession Times:

Monday – Friday 8:40 to 8:55 am

Saturday 9:30 to 10:00 am

Saturday 4:00 to 4:50 pm



# WHAT'S HAPPENING?

## A warm welcome to our new catechumens

Last Sunday at 9 am Mass, we witnessed a joyful and exciting event in our church: two young brothers, Nolan and Declan, were anointed and accepted into the Order of Catechumens. They are now members of our church discerning and preparing to receive the Sacrament of Baptism next year.

Their good friend Incheol sets a wonderful example for our entire Holy Name of Jesus family: to have courage and take active part in sharing one's Catholic faith.

I've always believed in God but I was unsure how. I never went to church because I didn't know how. I thought you had to be a part of the church and couldn't just walk in and take a seat. Incheol mentioned that he is catholic and he can help me get closer to God. At first I was very scared to go to a mass but he assured me that it was going to be ok. When I went to my first mass I had no clue what to do so I just followed him and after mass I realized that it was really fun and at that point I knew I wanted to become a catholic.

-Nolan

What really sparked my interest in Christianity was reading Scripture online and watching videos about Jesus and the miracles He performed. That curiosity led me to start reading the Bible, and my faith has really grown since then. Sunday Mass has become a highlight of my week, and I genuinely look forward to attending every Sunday. Thanks for being part of a community that's made me feel welcome.

-Declan

To Nolan, Declan, Incheol, and all inquirers who are seeking and exploring who Jesus Christ is and what He has done for us: we are praying for all of you as your faith journey unfolds!



*With thanks to Wendy Gray for taking photos*



## Cor Session for Men



Today, **Sunday May 18 after 9:00 am Mass**, all men of Holy Name parish **age 18 and up** are invited to a Men's *Cor* Session. Through *Cor*, men will be formed and sharpened as disciples of Jesus, who are committed to serving him and willing to boldly live and share their faith.

There will be breakfast and fried chicken for the men provided for free hosted by the Knights of Columbus. Men of Holy Name, see you at 10:15 am downstairs in the Church Hall!

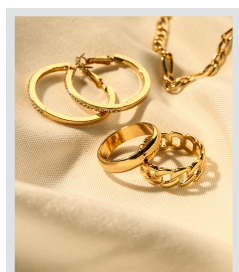
## Pancake Breakfast



Our dedicated Knights are also hosting their monthly Pancake Breakfast today, **Sunday May 18 after the 9 am and 11 am Masses** in the Church Hall. All are welcome. If this is your first visit to Holy Name of Jesus Parish, tell the cashier: "It's my first time" and your breakfast is free, thanks to the Knights of Columbus.

## Books, Baking, & Bling

A fundraiser for the Catholic Women's League



Our CWL is now collecting books and jewellery donations for the bazaar on June 14 & 15. Your donation, regardless of its size, can have a significant impact. A box has been placed in the north vestibule (near the Sacred Heart of Jesus statue). **Please no magazines, textbooks or encyclopedias. Please place jewellery into a labelled small box.** Your support is truly appreciated and the money raised will go toward:

- The Human Family- an orphanage in Bolivia
- Domestic Abuse Society/Service
- Euthanasia Prevention Coalition



## Collection for the Pope's Pastoral Works

Next **Sunday, May 22** there will be a 2<sup>nd</sup> collection to contribute to the financial aid offered by the Holy Father to people stricken by natural disasters. Scan the QR code or visit [holynameparish.ca/donate](http://holynameparish.ca/donate).



Last weekend's carnations sale raised **\$670.00** for Birthright. **THANK YOU!**

## MASS INTENTIONS

Monday May 19 to Sunday May 25, 2025  
(† Deceased)

**MONDAY** Celebrant's Intention

**TUESDAY** Ben Tin Sy Jr. †

**WEDNESDAY** Alden Ronquilo

**THURSDAY** Mr. & Mrs. C. Y. Huang & Family †

**FRIDAY** Peter, Mariana & Jenny Wu †

**SATURDAY**

**9 AM** Chi Ping Cheng †

**5 PM** Lucy & Mr. & Mrs. P. S. Lee †

**SUNDAY**

**9 AM** Children of Falana & Afful Family †

**11 AM** Parishioners

## Attention Gr.12 students



The CWL at Holy Name of Jesus Parish is offering a \$500 bursary for a student entering post- secondary education starting in

September 2025. The applicant must be a parishioner at this parish for at least 2 years. The submission deadline is **Sunday June 1, 2025**. To apply: [holynameparish.ca/cwl](http://holynameparish.ca/cwl)

## Seat of Wisdom College



We recently welcomed at morning Mass Dr. Christine Schintgen, President of Our Lady Seat of Wisdom College in Barry's Bay, Ontario. Janine Lieu, the late

daughter of our parishioner Connie, was a student there. It is known for its authentic Catholic identity and community spirit. There is some attractive material about the college on the Welcome Table and more can be requested from [info@seatofwisdom.ca](mailto:info@seatofwisdom.ca) or by going online to [www.seatofwisdom.ca](http://www.seatofwisdom.ca).



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## World Day of Prayer for the Church in China: May 24


Our Lady of China, you care for each of us and want to do all you can to help us reach heaven. The Church in China is in particular need of your help, as they struggle against persecution by the government. Pray for us!



# Opposing Euthanasia in Canada

## — Looking to the Future with Hope

Keynote Speaker: **Alex Schadenberg**  
*Executive, Director, Euthanasia Prevention Coalition*



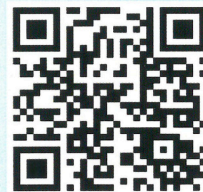
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killing, institutionalized  
from the highest levels...  
What dystopian future  
awaits our children?

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**Monday, May 26, 6:30–9 pm**

**SHERATON VANCOUVER WALL CENTRE**  
1000 Burrard St., Vancouver, Junior Ballroom

*To Register, scan QR Code*  
*Tickets: No Cost*



*Refreshments, First 50 registrants receive*  
*Inquiries, email: [euthanasiaresistancebc@gmail.com](mailto:euthanasiaresistancebc@gmail.com)*



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