



Holy Name of Jesus Parish

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Pastor: Msgr. Gregory Smith

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OFFICE HOURS: Monday to Friday

9:00 am - 12:00 noon

1:00 pm - 3:00 pm

LITURGICAL CELEBRATIONS

Sunday Mass

Saturday 5:00 pm (Anticipated Mass)

Sunday 9:00 am & 11:00 am

Weekday Masses

Monday to Saturday 9:00 am

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Monday to Friday 8:30 to 8:50 am

Saturday 9:30 am to 10:00 am

Saturday 4:00 pm to 4:45 pm

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament & Benediction

First Saturday of the month 8:00 to 9:00 am

PASTORAL CARE

Baptisms: Please call the office to arrange for baptismal preparation and scheduling.

Marriage: Couples wishing to marry at Holy Name of Jesus Parish should contact the office at least six months in advance to make the necessary arrangements.

Sacrament of the Sick: Anyone who is shut-in or who wishes to receive the Sacrament of Anointing of the Sick or Holy Communion is asked to please phone the pastor.

Funerals: We will do our best to accommodate the wishes with the bereaved with regard to scheduling. In order to ensure availability of the church and clergy at the desired time, please contact the pastor or the parish office prior to making arrangements with a funeral director.

E-Bulletin: Sign up to receive an electronic copy of the parish bulletin directly to your email inbox every Friday.

Visit www.holynameparish.ca/emailsSignup

WELCOME TO HOLY NAME OF JESUS PARISH

If you are a new parishioner who has moved into the area and wishes to join our faith community of Holy Name of Jesus, please register yourself and your family using the registration card in the vestibule or you may go online to our website at www.holynameparish.ca. You may place your completed form in the Sunday collection or drop it off at the parish office. Please be sure to inform the parish office when you are moving away from the parish. Thank you for your attention.

PARISH MINISTRIES AND ORGANIZATIONS

Director of Music	Kristin Fung	604-261-9393, ext. 6
Children's Religious Education (PREP)	Katrina King	prep@holynameparish.ca
Catholic Women's League	Charity Chen	604-261-8017
Knights of Columbus	Paul Fang, Gr. Knight	604-730-8028
Hospitality	Mike O'Neill	welcome@holynameparish.ca
Legion of Mary	Katrina King	katrina@holynameparish.ca
Altar Servers	William Coligado	altarservers@holynameparish.ca
Lectors	Kristin Fung	lector@holynameparish.ca
Parish Home Ministry of Care (Outreach)		604-261-9393
Seniors Outreach		604-261-9393

THE TRANSFIGURATION OF THE LORD – AUGUST 6, 2023

A MESSAGE FROM THE PASTOR:

After nearly three weeks on the job I had hoped to provide an update on some aspects of parish life that I've observed, but the bronchitis with which I arrived has hung on and I have limited energy. So these words, written before I head off on a two-week holiday (during which I will only be away for one weekend), will be short and simple.

In the short and sweet department, I can't begin to thank the hard-working members of the CWL, KofC, and other volunteers who made the summer barbeque such a resounding success and I am very grateful to the many parishioners who expressed such a warm welcome to me in the course of the evening.

The other message is also short but perhaps not so sweet. After careful study and attentive listening, I have determined that we need to take another look at the parish hall renovation project presented in the Spring. There are a number of concerns which require further consultation in light of our emerging needs and present finances.

To restart the process I will be reconstituting the former Parish Pastoral Council (which, by law, expired with the change of pastor) and enlisting the help of the Parish Finance Council (which, by law, continued despite the change.) I appreciate very much how those most involved in the planning to date have accepted and understood the new situations. We will do our best to make the hall as attractive as possible during this time of review, especially since Archbishop Miller will be with us on September 17th to install me formally as pastor.

As the Gershwin song goes, "Summertime, and the living is easy"; we will have a quiet August but hit the ground running after Labour Day.

I hope that the rest of the summer is pleasant and relaxing for you and your families.

Msgr. Gregory Smith

PILGRIMAGE TO THE GROTTA OF OUR LADY OF LOURDES MISSION, BC - Saturday, August 19th: Celebrated Mass led by Archbishop Michael Miller at **1:00pm**, Rosary & Benediction at **2:00pm**. For more information, please see the bulletin board in the vestibule for details on bus pick up locations or call **604-940-2360**. **Cost:** \$40 per person (non-refundable).

HOLY NAME OF JESUS PARISH RELIGIOUS EDUCATION PROGRAM (PREP): Let your children draw closer to Jesus through our Parish Religious Education Program. PREP is designed to assist parents with children attending public school, private non-Catholic School, and Home-School (Kindergarten – Grade 7). It is a 7-year Religious Education Program designed to run parallel to a child's elementary school education.

PREP helps to prepare children for the Sacraments of 1st Reconciliation, 1st Holy Communion and Confirmation by having a personal relationship with Jesus Christ.

PREP classes will be held on **Thursday evenings from 6:00 – 7:15pm** starting **September 21st**.

2023-2024 PREP REGISTRATION IS OPEN NOW. Early registration is encouraged. Please contact Katrina King at prep@holynameparish.ca for more information. Thank you. Please pick up a copy of the Registration and Parent Commitment Form at the back of the church. Payment may be made in person in the office by cheque.

Registration forms will be collected after all weekend Masses on **August 12th/13th** and on **August 19th/20th**. Payment and form can also be dropped off at the parish office during office hours or through the mail slot. If you have any questions, please email at prep@holynameparish.ca.

PLEASE NOTE: Holy Hours on the evenings of **Thursday, August 10th** and **Thursday September 14th** had to be cancelled. We will resume our Holy Hour with music in October. Thank you.

MASS INTENTIONS

Monday, August 7th – Sunday, August 13th, 2023
(† Deceased)

Monday.....Pastor's Intention
Tuesday.....Sr. Helen Hong
Wednesday.....Eric & Nancy Lim
Thursday.....Rev. Rodney Nootebos
Friday.....John Johnstone †
Saturday
9:00am.....Teresita & Narciso Reyes †
5:00pm.....Dominic Tan †
Sunday
9:00am.....Connie Lieu
11:00am.....Holy Name Parish