

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

## **Holy Hour**

Second Thursday of the month 7:00 to 8:00 pm

# Holy Name of Jesus Parish

4925 Cambie Street, Vancouver, B.C., V5Z 2Z4
Phone: (604) 261-9393 Fax: (604) 261-9307
Email: office@holynameparish.ca Web: www.holynameparish.ca

Pastor: Father Rodney Nootebos
Parish Administrative Assistant: Liesl Borel

### **PASTORAL CARE**

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

**Marriage:** Couples wishing to marry at Holy Name of Jesus Parish should contact the pastor 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/emailsignup

# 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

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

# 3RD SUNDAY OF LENT-MARCH 12, 2023

**SECOND COLLECTION NEXT SUNDAY (March 19<sup>th</sup>)** is for the support of the Needy.

**STATIONS OF THE CROSS AND BENEDICTION:** On Fridays during Lent, we will have Stations of the Cross at 6:30pm followed by Benediction until 7:15pm.



Our parish's **40 DAYS FOR LIFE PRAYER VIGIL** is coming up soon! **Friday, March 17**<sup>th</sup>, from **8:00am - 8:00pm** at 4818 Willow Street. Please sign up for an hour or more of prayer for an end to abortion and the protection of all

life. The maps and sign-up sheet are on the hospitality table in the church vestibule. We need a minimum of two people per hour. Coffee, cocoa and treats will be provided by the Knights of Columbus. For more information please contact Andrea Des Mazes at <a href="mailto:ardesmazes@gmail.com">ardesmazes@gmail.com</a>.



If you would like to pray on zoom with other life supporters during the 40 Days for Life Lenten Campaign, please join the **nightly zoom rosary at 8:00pm**, daily until **Sunday, April 2<sup>nd</sup>**. Go to <u>zoom.us</u>, click Join, enter Meeting ID: 830 7953 8120,

then Passcode: 237217.



HOLY NAME OF JESUS LEGION OF MARY would like to invite: Spiritual Directors, active and auxiliary members, past members, friends and families to ACIES. ACIES is the yearly consecration of oneself to the Blessed Virgin Mary. The 2023 ACIES will be held at St. Andrew's Parish, 480 East 47<sup>th</sup> Avenue, on Saturday, March 18<sup>th</sup>. Invocation and Prayers: 9:30am. Holy Mass: 10:00am. Followed by individual and

collective act of consecration - "I am all yours, my queen and my Mother. All that I have is yours!"

# **MARK YOUR CALENDARS!**

Tuesday, March 28<sup>th</sup>, 7:00pm: Lenten Penitential Service at our parish. Please stay tuned for the full list of dates for Lenten penitential services in our surrounding parishes.

**Sunday, April 16<sup>th</sup>, 3:00pm**: **Divine Mercy Hour** at our parish, jointly celebrated with St. Anthony of Padua parish. Invite your family and friends to this beautiful celebration.

PARISH HALL INFORMATION SESSION: Friday, March 31<sup>st</sup>, 7:30—9:00pm. This information session is for anyone interested in learning more about the details of our parish hall renovation and how it relates to our parish vision. Come and view a simulated video of the plan for the new parish hall and offer your questions and feedback. If you are not able to attend the information session in person, you can also view the video online and share your feedback with the Parish Hall Design Committee via this link on our website: www.holynameparish.ca/parishhall



**ANNOUNCING OUR SPRING ALPHA 2023!** Wednesdays at 7:00pm, **May 3**<sup>rd</sup> - **June 28**<sup>th</sup>. Last Fall, 44 people, ages 21 to 65+, gathered weekly to share a delicious dinner, watch a compelling video, and have heartfelt discussions on topics such as life, faith, forgiveness, and the significance of Jesus. One participant,

Donata Ling, is now our Alpha Coordinator. If you are interested in helping at Alpha and/or experiencing it for yourself, please email Donata before March 19<sup>th</sup> at

<u>alpha@holynameparish.ca</u>. There will be a dinner to discuss how you can help and invite others. For more information on Alpha, please visit <u>holynameparish.ca/alpha</u>.

"Unless there is Good Friday in your life, there can be no Easter Sunday."

Fulton J. Sheen

### **MASS INTENTIONS**

Monday, March 13<sup>th</sup> — Sunday, March 19<sup>th</sup>, 2023 († Deceased)

Monday	dayPastor's Intention	
Tuesday	Grace Park	
Wednesday	Alastair Jamieson †	
Thursday	Kubo Chan †	
Friday	Alexander Dy Lo †	
Saturday		
9:00am	Hilda Abi Rached & Family	
5:00pm	Holy Name Parish	
Sunday		
9:00am	Shirley Koo O'Neill †	
11:00am	Mark Yuen †	

## Gospel Reflection for Sunday, March 12, 2023

## The Woman at the Well

- by Bishop Robert Barron, 2023



At high noon, on a very hot day, Jesus meets a Samaritan woman by Jacob's well. To her enormous surprise, for Jews typically did not associate publicly with women or Samaritans, he asks her for a drink. When she balks, he calmly says, If you only knew what God is offering and who it is that is saying to you: give me a drink, you would have been the one to ask, and he would have given you living water. The woman comes day after day to this well, draws the water, consumes it, and then becomes thirsty again, prompting her to return once more. Jesus is offering her not just a single refreshing drink but something that will satisfy her thirst forever: the water that I shall give will turn into a spring inside him, welling up to eternal life.

The obsessive and repeated journey to the well is a symbol of what the spiritual tradition calls "concupiscent desire", which is to say the attempt to satisfy our longing for God through something less than God. When we seek to slake our infinite thirst for God with some worldly good- wealth, honor, pleasure, power- we are necessarily frustrated, and the pattern of our desire becomes addictive. Jesus offers the Samaritan woman grace, which is to say the divine life itself, and this will indeed become a spring bubbling up forever, for God's life is inexhaustible.

This is why, at the end of the story, the woman puts down her bucket, the instrument by which she had drawn water for many years. She could abandon her errant, frustrating, hopeless pattern of desire, for she had found grace, the water gushing up to eternal life.

Lord Jesus, you thirst to free us from our burdens. You thirst for us to receive your love. Open our hearts and fill them with living water. Amen.

#### Hear, everyone who thirsts, come to the waters. - Isaiah 55:1

Due to the number of retreats offered by the surrounding parishes, we are not holding our scheduled April 1<sup>st</sup> recollection. We encourage everyone to attend one or more of these wonderful opportunities "to be filled with living water":

Saturday, March 18<sup>th</sup>, 9:30am—12:00pm at Corpus Christi Parish, 6350 Nanaimo Street: Fr. Richard Conlin will lead a Lenten reflection "From Broken to Blessed", followed by a session of Kintsugi- the Japanese art of putting back together broken pieces of pottery with gold. To register, please contact the Corpus Christi parish office at 604-324-2265 or parish.cc@rcav.org

Saturday, March 18, at 10:00 am - 6:00 pm. at St. Mark's Chapel, UBC, 5935 Iona Drive.: Fr. Rob Allore, SJ, will be leading "The Shepherd's Search" - a day of guided prayer, silent reflection, rest, contemplation and companionship with the Lord. Lunch will be provided. There is a donation of \$10 if you are joining the retreat as a non-Newman Association member. No fee for members. Please google "Newman Lenten Retreat at St Marks 2023" to register.

**Saturday, March 25<sup>th</sup>, 10:00am - 12:30pm, at Sts. Peter & Paul Parish,** 1430 West 38<sup>th</sup> Avenue: Fr. Emmerich Vogt, OP, will speak on the Eucharist and the Life of Prayer. There will be two 30 minute talks followed by half an hour of adoration, benediction at 12:00noon, then lunch.

Monday - Thursday, March 27<sup>th</sup> - 30<sup>th</sup>, at 7:00—8:00pm, at St. Patrick's Church, 2881 Main Street: Rev. David Bellusci, OP, will give a Lenten Mission with the theme: Mary at the Foot of the Cross: Jesus Gives Us His Mother. Each evening begins with Mass at 7:00pm, followed by a talk at 7.30pm.

**Saturday, April 1<sup>st</sup>, at 9:00am - 3:00pm, at St Helen's Parish**, 3860 Triumph Street, Burnaby: An all-day retreat organized by the Archdiocese for those who serve in parishes. Led by Scott Roy, M.A. Theology and acting President of Catholic Pacific College. Scott will guide two Lenten Reflections: "Zeal for Your House"; and The Three Holy Weeks: Christ's, the Church's, and our own. The day opens with 9am Mass, and includes adoration, community prayer, lunch and snacks. To register, please go to:

https://beholdvancouver.org/events/holy-week-retreat-for-all-who-serve-others. Cost: \$25

## RECOMMENDATIONS on FORMED, Week of March 12, 2023

Go to signup.formed.org

Enter "Holy Name of Jesus Vancouver"

Enter your name and email

Enter "The Topic" in the Search bar

#### **LENTEN SERIES**

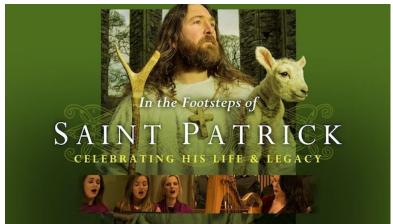


Metanoia: be converted! Each of the 10 episodes, beautifully filmed in the Holy Land, explores areas of our life where conversion is necessary. Led by Fr Dave Pivonka of Franciscan University.

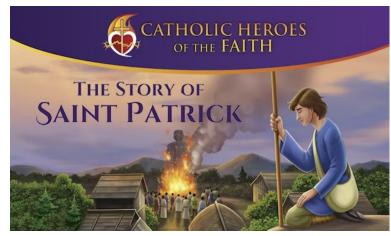


Join Chris Stefanick and his special guests in this 7-week series, meant to inspire us to 'be not afraid' as we seek to follow Jesus.

## **March 17: SAINT PATRICK**



An inspiring docu-drama and spiritual adventure that recreates Patrick's journey through Ireland, where he evangelized the Irish with the Catholic faith. 29m



Find out why the man known as St. Patrick is credited with bringing the Gospel to Ireland in this animated episode of Catholic Heroes of the Faith. 30m

## **GENERAL INTEREST**



Take a tour of Manhattan's magnificent and world renown St. Patrick's Cathedral, and go back in history to learn what it took to get it built. 30m



What are the 3 root causes of every human sin? Dr. Pitre looks into the mystery and meaning of Lent through the 3 temptations of Jesus and of Adam & Eve. 37m