

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

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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	prep@holynameparish.ca
Education (PREP)		
Catholic Women's League	Charity Chen	604-261-8017
Knights of Columbus	Paul Fang, Gr. Kni	ght 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

PALM SUNDAY OF THE PASSION OF THE LORD - APRIL 2, 2023

PLEASE NOTE: Ash Wednesday and Good Friday are days of fast and abstinence throughout the Church.

Abstinence: Fridays throughout the year are days of abstinence from meat, unless a solemnity is celebrated on that day. The Canadian Conference of Catholic Bishops permits the substitution of an act of piety or charity in place of abstinence. The law of abstinence forbids the use of meat; but not of eggs, the products of milk or condiments made of animal fat.

N.B. On Ash Wednesday and Good Friday abstinence from meat is obligatory.

Fasting: The law of fasting applies to those between the ages of fourteen and sixty years unless impeded by health concerns. "Fasting allows only one full meal a day, but does not prohibit taking some food in the morning and evening, observing—as far as quality and quantity are concerned—approved local custom." (Canons 1250–53, Poenitemini III-1 &2).

Your prayers are requested for the repose of the soul of **Evelyn Florendo. Viewing & Prayers:** Wednesday, April 12th: 5:00—7:00pm; **Funeral:** Thursday, April 13th, at 11:00am, at Holy Name of Jesus Parish.

PLEASE NOTE: The parish office will be closed from Wednesday (April 5th) until Monday (April 10th). For emergencies please call Fr. Rodney Nootebos at 604-261-9393.

PONTIFICAL COLLECTION FOR THE HOLY LAND ON GOOD FRIDAY: The second collection on Good Friday, April 7th, is requested by the Holy See to help maintain the Church's holy places in the Holy Land, which is so important to the faith of Christians everywhere, and also to support the faithful who struggle to survive under political and economic oppression and persecution. Donations can be made through the parish or online at <u>support.rcav.org</u>.



Join us on Sunday afternoon, **April 16th**, for our annual joint celebration of Divine Mercy Sunday with St. Anthony of Padua Parish, held in our church. The schedule:

- **2:30pm** Talk: The Grace of Divine Mercy Sunday
- 2:50pm Confessions (3 priests available)
- **3:00pm** Adoration, Sung Chaplet, Reflections, Music
- **3:50pm** Benediction
- **4:00pm** Veneration of the Image, Refreshments outdoors

LENTEN PENITENTIAL SERVICE VANCOUVER WEST DEANERY

Sun, 2nd April @ 6:30pm.....St. Anthony of Padua

Tues, 4th April @ 7:00pm.....Immaculate Conception

HOLY WEEK SCHEDULE

REGULAR MASS FROM MONDAY TO WEDNESDAY

HOLY THURSDAY No Morning Mass

Mass of the Lord's Supper 7:00 pm Adoration until 10:00 pm

GOOD FRIDAY No Morning Mass

The Lord's Passion 3:00 pm
Church Open for Private Prayer 5:00 pm — 8:00 pm

REMINDER: Good Friday is a day of fasting and abstinence from meat.

HOLY SATURDAY No Morning Mass

Easter Vigil Mass [First Mass of Easter] 9:00 pm

EASTER SUNDAY 9:00 am & 11:00 am

LINE DANCING: There will be no line dancing on **Wednesday, April 5**th. We resume on Wednesday, April 12th. All are welcome!

PLEASE NOTE: Anyone who has information regarding the whereabouts of **Marie Pauline Profetana** is requested to contact Fr. Joseph Le at: ile@rcav.org.

MASS INTENTIONS

Monday, April 3rd — Sunday, April 9th, 2023 († Deceased)

Monday.....Pastor's Intention

Tuesday.....Teodoro Co Lim

Wednesday.....Poon King Leung &

Wong King Che †

Thursday......Mayimino Cortes †

Friday

9:00am.....No Mass

Saturday

9:00am.....No Mass

5:00pm.....No Mass

Sunday

9:00am.....Holy Name Parish

11:00am.....Kum Kwong †

Gospel Reflection for Sunday, April 2, 2023

Are We Amazed by His Love?

- by Pope Francis (shortened version)



Every year this liturgy leaves us amazed: we pass from the joy of welcoming Jesus as he enters Jerusalem to the sorrow of watching him condemned to death then crucified. As Saint Francis of Assisi contemplated the crucified Lord, he was amazed that his friars did not weep. What about us? Can we still be moved by God's love? Have we lost the ability to be amazed by him? Why? Maybe our faith has grown dull from habit. Maybe we remain trapped in our regrets and allow ourselves to be crippled by our disappointments. Maybe we have lost all our trust or even feel worthless.

Let us start over from amazement. Let us gaze upon Jesus on the cross and say to Him: "Lord, how much you love me! How precious I am to you!" Let us be amazed by Jesus so that we can start living again, for the grandeur of life lies not in possessions and promotions; the grandeur of life is in discovering that we are loved.

Brothers and sisters, let us be filled with amazement as we gaze upon the crucified Lord. May we, too, say with the centurion: "You are truly the Son of God! You are my God."

We adore you, O Christ, and we bless You, because by your Holy Cross you have redeemed the world. Amen.

For God so loved the world that he gave his only Son, that everyone who believes in him may not perish but may have eternal life.

John 3:16

Various in Our Archdiocese:

Encouragement for Physicians, Saturday, April 15th, 9:00am - 1:00pm, at the JPII Pastoral Centre. This is a seminar and luncheon for physicians, residents, medical students, and their family members. There will be presentations by Paul Yong, MD, Ph.D., FRCSC and Rev. Bryan Duggan, Psy.D. with time for questions, prayer, and socializing. For more information, contact Dr Julia Bright at 604 316-6858. **Registration deadline: Wednesday, April 5th** at:

https://beholdvancouver.org/events/encouragement-for-physicians#overview

Retrouvaille has helped hundreds of married couples in BC to recover from simple discontent to serious crises. The program consists of one weekend and six weekly follow-up sessions, which can be attended remotely. Friday, April 14th - Sunday, April 16th. To register, please call 604 530-6710 or visit www.helpmymarriage.ca. Registration deadline: Sunday, April 9th.

The Alpha Marriage Course, April 14th - May 26th, Friday nights 7.30pm - 9.30pm. This is a 7-week program designed for spouses seeking to strengthen their relationship and communication, keep the spark alive, and build a more joyful family. The sessions are online and in-person. Register at https://beholdvancouver.org/events/alpha-marriage-course-4

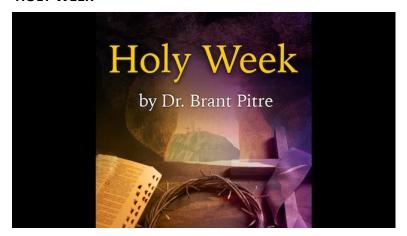
Women's Retreat 2023: The ONE, May 5th - 7th. This is an opportunity for women ages 19+ to rediscover the captivating beauty of The One, and to respond to His invitation to deeper intimacy, adventure, and fullness of life. It offers powerful presentations, quiet prayer time, break-out sessions, sacraments, fellowship, music, rest, hiking, and the stunning beauty of Rockridge Canyon. This is the retreat you don't want to miss! For more information, please visit

liferestoration.ca/womensretreat. Registration deadline: Tuesday, April 11th.

RECOMMENDATIONS on FORMED, Week of April 2, 2023

Go to signup.formed.org **Enter** "Holy Name of Jesus Vancouver" **Enter** your name and email **Enter** "The Topic" in the Search bar

HOLY WEEK



Dr. Brant Pitre takes a Scriptural walk through the last 7 days of Jesus' life in this very informative and inspirational talk. 1h



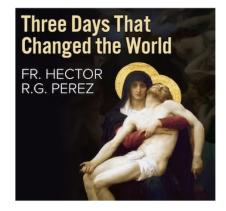
This beautiful documentary walks through the locations of Holy Week to bring you to a deeper understanding of the passion, death and resurrection of Jesus. 29m



Join Dr. Klein as she reflects on Christ's passion by exploring the meaning of the phrase "handed over". This is an exclusive excerpt from a Bible Conference. 38m



In this special episode, Benjamin Cello and friends tell the story of the Passion of Jesus to little children and bring the Greatest Love Story to life! 43m



Fr. Perez offers a moving look into the heart of Jesus as he shares detailed descriptions of His intense emotional and physical sufferings in the final hours of His public ministry. 59m



In this insightful presentation, speaker & author Kimberly Hahn reflects on the joys and sorrows that Mary experienced, and how her example leads us closer to Christ. 48m