



Twenty-third Sunday in Ordinary Time September 9, 2018

Did not God choose those who are poor in the world to be rich in faith and heirs to the kingdom? – James 2:5

OUR LADY OF GOOD COUNSEL PARISH

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1:30 pm – 5:00 pm 1:00 pm – 4:00 pm
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MASS SCHEDULE

Sunday 8:00am, 9:30am, 11:15am,
11:20 am, 1:00pm [Polish], 5:00pm, 7:00pm
Monday to Friday 7:30am, 9:00am
Saturday 7:30 am, 9:00 am, 5:30pm [Spanish], 7:00pm (Anticipated Mass)
First Saturday 4:00pm [Laotian]
Second Saturday 5:30pm [Indo-Canadian]

NOVENAS

Mother of Perpetual Help Wednesday 7:00pm
Santo Niño First Friday 6:15 pm
Sacred Heart of Jesus First Friday 7:00pm, 8:00pm [Polish]

BAPTISMS

On the first and third Saturdays of the month at 10am. Parents and sponsors are required to attend a class on the third Friday of the month at 7:30pm. Call the office to register. Parents should be registered in the parish for at least six months before they can register for the baptism classes.

CONFESSIONS

Saturdays at 3 PM and 15 minutes before all masses

MARRIAGES

Six months notice. Attendance at a seven-session course or a three-weekend course is required.

ANOINTING OF THE SICK

Please set appointment with the parish office.

RCIA

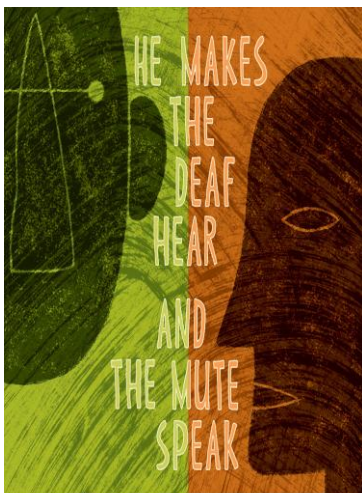
Classes for those interested in learning about the Catholic Church
Wednesdays 7 PM in the Church basement.

SEE BEYOND OUTWARD APPEARANCES

The phrase "Sunday best" has lost much of its meaning in our society today. Some lament the loss of people dressing up for church on Sunday; others think it's a healthy sign that we're as casual in attire gathered before the Lord as we are elsewhere. No matter which school of thought on this topic we belong to, James would probably chastise us. In either case, we are still focused on external appearance, mistaking it for some sort of favored position before God. True, James criticizes the community that favors the rich and well-dressed while ostracizing the poorly clothed, but even more he criticizes the making of distinctions, making choices based on criteria that having nothing to do with the reign of God. James might turn our attention to the reign of God described by Isaiah, in which people are healed and the earth becomes ripe to bear fruit. Jesus today is focused on this reign of God, healing a Gentile man in a region hostile to his Jewish faith, not mindful of the man's origins or clothing or status or ability to repay. Isaiah, James, and Jesus in Mark's Gospel all call us to look more deeply to find where the will of God needs to be done, and has been done, on earth as in heaven.

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TODAY'S READINGS



First Reading — Be strong, fear not! Here is your God (Isaiah 35:4-7a).

Psalms — Praise the Lord, my soul! (Psalm 146).

Second Reading — Show no partiality as you adhere to the faith in our glorious Lord Jesus Christ (James 2:1-5).

Gospel — Jesus makes the deaf hear and the mute speak (Mark 7:31-37).

Weekly Collection

September 2, 2018	\$17,523.40
Seismic	2,515.60
Project Advance (323 Pledges)	69,354.86

Chronicles

September 2	2:00 pm	Polish Baptism by Fr. Jan Julia Tomczyk
September 7	11:00 am	Funeral mass by Fr. John Leotina Gaudolfi

OLGC ADORATION CHAPEL



"Could you not watch one hour with me?" Mt. 26-40

We have an Adoration Chapel with people praying in it 24 hours a day, 7 days a week. While everyone interested in praying is welcome to enter the Chapel, we NEED volunteers to commit themselves to specific time periods so that someone will be in the Chapel while it is available to all parishioners. To sign up, please call Sabina at 604-584-5817 or contact the Parish office.

COMMITTED EUCHARISTIC ADORERS NEEDED

Mon	12-1-2-3-4-5-6 AM
Tue	1-2-3-4-5-6 AM; 12-1 PM; 4-5 PM
Wed	1-2-3-4-5 AM
Thu	2-3-4-5-6 AM; 3-4 PM; 5-6 PM
Fri	10-11 AM; 1-2-3 PM; 5-6 PM
Sat	12-1-2-3-4-5 AM; 2-3 PM
Sun	2-3-4-5 AM; 10-11 PM; 11 PM-12 AM

OLGC LINE DANCING

Wednesdays from 7:30 – 10 pm at the Auditorium

OLGC PRESCHOOL BEFORE & AFTER SCHOOL CARE

For kids 2 ½ to 12 years old at 10504 139th Street, Surrey. For more info, call Lenny at 604.581.3225.

CWL We continue to collect Canadian Tire money coupons for the Domestic Abuse Services. Please put them in an envelope marked **"CWL for DAS."**

CWL PIES FOR SALE Apple, Apple/Rhubarb pies at \$7 each, berry pies at \$8. Please call Cathy at 604.588.6336 or Phyllis at 604.581.2008 to order.

ADMA (DEVOTEES OF MARY HELP OF CHRISTIANS)

Pray the Rosary every 24th of the month at the upper suite in the Don Bosco Youth Centre. Please join us. Weekdays-6:30 PM Weekends-1:30PM

THURSDAY ENGLISH CHARISMATIC PRAYER MEETING

meets Thursdays 7:45-9:15 PM at the Mary Help of Christians Hall. Everyone is welcome.

Mass Intentions

Sunday, September 9

8:00 am	Nathaniel Dauz
9:30 am	Maria Jose Sousa & Joao Barbosa
11:15 am	Parishioners
11:20 am	+ Ricardo & Consolacion Aranda
1:00 pm	+ Teresa i Edykt Piecuch
5:00 pm	+ Gloria & Elpedio Josol
7:00 pm	+ Maria Joana Araujo

Monday, September 10

7:30 am	Thanksgiving: Christopher Cordova Thanksgiving: Sean Liao + Joseph Khamphinh Phommarath + Marceliana Cane
9:00 am	Thanksgiving: Nicolette Ann Khoo

Tuesday, September 11

7:30 am	Alex Davis + Paulina Tizon + Maximo & Efren Aragoncillo
9:00 am	+ Leo Khoo + Rogelio & Teresita Galupo

Wednesday, September 12

7:30 am	+ Mary & Joseph Kubus Bogdan Rosolski
9:00 am	+ Arsenio Soque + Catherine Newn
7:00 pm	+ Beniamino & Marina Tessarolo

Thursday, September 13

7:30 am	+ Estelita Molina + Ferdinand Aries + Juanita M. Victorio
9:00 am	Thanksgiving: Leonida Casanova + Desideria Bertumen

Friday, September 14

7:30 am	+ Richard Kouhi Thanksgiving: Maura Deala + Lydia Salarda
9:00 am	Thanksgiving: Alfredo Sta. Maria Thanksgiving: Alfredo Bauermann

Saturday, September 15

7:30 am	Joanna Dauz
9:00 am	+ Khamthene Homsavath
7:00 pm	+ Joao Pereira

For masses said here, the earliest date is **November 21, 2018**. Other mass intentions could be sent away to the Salesian Missions.

PERPETUAL MASSES One mass a day in perpetuity, said in the Basilica in Rome for the intention of the person enrolled. Half of the proceeds is used for the upkeep of the Basilica and the other half is used to help the Salesian Seminarians.

SPIRITUAL BOUQUETS For the living – 25 Masses said in a year for five years. For the deceased – 25 Masses said for a year.

Announcements

PREP REGISTRATION The Parish Religious Education Program or PREP runs from September to May from 6:30 to 8:30 pm. We offer Religious Education (or catechism) to Pre-School, Grades 1 to 7 and High School students attending public school. Classes begin on **Tuesday, September 11, 2018** for students in Grades 1 thru 5 and **Thursday, September 13, 2018** for students in Grades 1 thru 7 and High School. Our volunteer catechists will lead the children understand our Catholic faith, grow in their love for God, joyfully journey with Christ, and prepare them to celebrate the Sacraments of Holy Communion and Confirmation. Parents, please register your children at the Parish Office; office hours at the front page of the bulletin.



VOCATIONS MASS The Serra Club Fraser Valley West and IC Delta Parish invite you to attend the Vocations Mass on **Thursday, September 13 at 7 PM**. All are welcome. Fr. Rodney Nootebos, Director of Vocations and Seminarians is the anticipated celebrant.

BOYS BASKETBALL TRYOUTS The tryout for the Holy Cross Junior Crusader Boys Basketball Team will be on Friday, **September 28 from 6-8 pm** and Saturday, **September 29 from 10 am-12 pm** at the **Holy Cross High School gym**. If you a boy in Grades 4-7 and thinking on attending Holy Cross High School in the future, you are eligible to try out. There will be 1 or 2 practices per week and one game a week. The tryout is free for everyone.

RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION FOR ADULTS (RCIA) Looking for peace? Needing hope? Feeling God's love? RCIA is here for you! Do you: have a child in Catholic School but not a Catholic yourself? Want to be baptized? Or interested in knowing more about the church? Our friendly group meets **every Wednesday, starting September 12, 7:00 – 9:00 pm** in the **church basement**. Call us, join us, and ask your questions! We are here to listen. Peace, Hope, Love awaits us through Faith. RCIA is a process to receive the sacraments (Baptism, Confirmation and Holy Communion) Call **604.581.4141** and register today or send an email to olgrcia@hotmail.com

ANCOP BOTTLE AND CLOTHING DRIVE Saturday, **September 15 from 8 am to 4 pm** at the OLGCA auditorium parking lot.



NEW ALTAR SERVERS TRAINING **September 23 to November 25, 2018 2:30 to 4:30 every Sunday** at OLGCA

Church. Registration forms are available at the Parish Office. For any inquiry, please contact Edzel at 778.896.1770.

CWL BAKE SALE after all morning masses on **Sunday, September 30th** outside the church. Delicious home-made baked goods will be sold in time for Thanksgiving Day. Proceeds will go towards our charitable works. Please support our fundraiser.

Prayers for the Sick

Please keep in your prayers those who are sick at home or in the hospital. Call the parish office for the names of the sick you want to pray for.

Alexis Sebok
Andy Sebok
Barbara Cebujano
Bryson Ledoux
Carlos Cabalfin
Catherine Salgado
Chichi Trinidad
Christine Nobleza
Cora Nazaire
Delia Gabucan
Derek Lin

Dulce Yaeger
Eleanor Juanima
Evelyn Reyes
Frank Cirillo
George Poulain, Jr.
Giovanna Artuso
Guiseppe Calandra
Ilona Sebok
Jasmin Javier
Jayne Cebujano
Jennifer Lin

Joan Chan
Johanna Kilistoff
Julio Guerra
Ligaya Bautista
Maria Catherine Salgado
Maria Taladiar
Marcela Garneau
Marjorie Rapada Austria
Michael Pongos-Banta
Natalie Caywood
Neville Buckle

Orest Woywitka
Philip John Ochangco
Priscila Suson
Ricky Soril
Rodillo Lorenzo
Romeo Aragoncillo
Ruben De Ocampo
Ruth De Leon
Sam Behnam
Samuel Salarda
Tim Luhowy
Wally Kennedy

BEQUEST CLAUSE

(This can be added to your existing Will as a codicil.)

I give and bequeath to the Roman Catholic Archbishop of Vancouver, incorporated under a special Act of Legislative Assembly of B. C., and whose offices are located in Vancouver, B. C., for the benefit of Our Lady of Good Counsel Parish, Surrey, B.C. The sum of \$ _____ dollars or _____ percentage of the estate or the total of the residue of the estate.