



Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time February 17, 2019

“Blessed are you who are poor, for the kingdom of God is yours.
Blessed are you who are now hungry, for you will be satisfied.” – Luke 6:20-21a

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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.

TODAY'S READINGS

The one who trusts
the Lord is like
a tree planted
near running water



First Reading — The one who trusts in the LORD is like a tree planted beside the waters (Jeremiah 17:5-8).

Psalm — Blessed are they who hope in the Lord (Psalm 1).

Second Reading — Christ has been raised from the dead, the firstfruits of those who have fallen asleep (1 Corinthians 15:12, 16-20).

Gospel — Blessed are you who are poor, hungry, weeping. Woe to you who are rich, filled, laughing (Luke 6:17, 20-26).

BLESSED

When we think of the word “Beatitude” we think of today’s discourse from Luke’s Gospel, or the more familiar one from Matthew (which begins “Blessed are the poor in spirit . . .”). Actually, beatitudes occur throughout the prophets and Gospels. Today in Jeremiah (with an echo in the psalm) we hear, “Blessed is the one who trusts in the Lord” (Jeremiah 17:7). Following his resurrection in John’s Gospel, Christ proclaims, “Blessed are those who have not seen and have believed” (John 20:29). The evangelists placed these sayings throughout the Gospels as short reminders about the characteristics that one will find in a follower of Christ, characteristics that will help spread the Good News in this life and lead to eternal blessings in the next. In Latin, the saints are called the *Beati*, the “Blessed,” for they are the ones who lived the “blessed” life as described by Jesus throughout the Gospels. How blest are we, when we also strive to make our own days a living beatitude!



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Weekly Collection

February 10, 2019	\$15,215.15
Seismic Upgrade	478.40
Educational Facilities	\$2,278.45

Chronicles

February 16	10:00 AM	Baptism by Fr. John Zhian Marcus Cruz Kent Genesis Lapac Princess Eliah Ladia Ryan Pearse Madeleine Claire Tanchanco
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OLGC ADORATION CHAPEL



The Adorers of the Blessed Sacrament is a prayer group who schedule silent personal time with Jesus in the Eucharistic Adoration Chapel. Adoration hours at Our Lady of Good Counsel Parish are 24 hours a day, 7 days a week. Many parishioners have signed up to pray one hour a week – a weekly hour of solitude and peace in our often hectic lives.

We need permanent committed adorers all the time. Our goal is to have at least two people on each hour.

Are you the one? 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. **Come adore Jesus truly present in the Holy Eucharist.**

To sign up, please call Sabina at 604.584.5817 or contact the Parish Office.

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION COORDINATORS MEETING: Tuesday, February 26, 2019 at 7:00 PM in the MHC Hall.

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

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

Mass Intentions

Sunday, February 17

- 8:00 am + Albert Garcia
- 9:30 am + Desideria C. Bertumen
- 11:15 am Parishioners
- 11:20 am + Flory Bella Lat
- 1:00 pm + Emma Chwilkowska w rocznice smierci i sp. Alicja
- 5:00 pm Liam Fancey
- 7:00 pm + Jordan Eric Gaisford

Monday, February 18

- 7:30 am + Elizabeth Ting
Thanksgiving: Karen & Tony Kwan
+ Martha Gomes
- 9:00 am Thanksgiving: Simeon Lamanilao

Tuesday, February 19

- 7:30 am + Ilona Sebok
Thanksgiving & Special Intentions: Hazel Montecines
- 9:00 am Thanksgiving: Bernadette Cabrera
Special Intention: Angelo Dauz

Wednesday, February 20

- 7:30 am + Perpetuo de Guzman
Thanksgiving: Peter, Beatrice & Andrew Yuen
- 9:00 am Thanksgiving: Maria Ngo
- 7:00 pm Thanksgiving: Ben, Leny & Sofia Sanchez

Thursday, February 21

- 7:30 am + Ramon Navarro
+ Mark Oliviere R. Pilaspilas
- 9:00 am Souls In Purgatory
+ Wilfredo Suay, Sr.

Friday, February 22

- 7:30 am Thanksgiving: Alex, Imelda Yuen & Family
Thanksgiving: Vedasto Yngreso
- 9:00 am + Purificacion Saavedra
+ Gregorio Urbiztonzo

Saturday, February 23

- 7:30 am + Desideria C. Bertumen
- 9:00 am Thanksgiving: Peter, Beatrice & Andrew Yuen
- 7:00 pm + Joao Pereira

For masses said here, the earliest date is **March 10, 2019**. 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 Seminararians.

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

Announcements

THANKS, DEACON GREG! We are grateful to Deacon Greg Barcelon for preaching at the Masses last Sunday and for meeting with parishioners afterwards. If you are married civilly and would like to be married sacramentally either at the Mass Wedding in September or in a more private ceremony, please call the parish office or contact Deacon Greg at 604.771.2975.

THANK YOU to all parishioners and volunteers who supported and helped with the **Agape Street Ministry fundraiser**. We raised **\$661.10**. A very special thank you to **Fr. Jan**, for his generosity and hard work in making the cheesecakes and providing the tins.

2018 TAX RECEIPTS are now available for pick up at the parish office.

2019 ENVELOPES PLEASE remember to pick up your 2019 Envelopes. The envelopes are placed in the hallway towards the Mary Help of Christians Hall.

CWL GENERAL MEETING February 25 at 7:00 pm in the MHC Hall. Open to all ladies of our parish. Please join us for Faith, Fun and Fulfillment! Doors open at 6:30. Bring a friend. Visit our website www.cwl.ca for more info or pick up a brochure at the back of the church or at the office.

CWL MEMBERSHIP FEES can be given to Nicky or Charity or dropped off at the office. Please label the envelope with your name.

WORLD DAY OF PRAYER Friday, March 1, 1-3 PM at St. Matthews Church, 16079 88 Ave, Surrey. Everyone welcome!

DON BOSCO 3 ON 3 BASKETBALL TOURNAMENT We are now accepting registrations for the **17th Annual Don Bosco 3 on 3 Basketball Tournament**, which will take place on **Saturday, March 9, 2019 from 8:30 am to 4:30 pm at the Don Bosco Youth Centre**. Boys and girls **ages 6 to 15 are welcome!** Guaranteed three (3) games per team. To register or for more info, please contact Joe Amabili at 604.514.4306 or by email at jamabili@shaw.ca.

OLGC TAX CLINIC The Tax Preparation Clinic at OLGC starts on **March 2**. It will be held Saturdays and Sundays at the **Rectory basement from 1 to 5 PM** and will run **until April 28th**. Volunteers will help individuals with modest income and simple tax situation, prepare and file their income tax and benefit returns. **The clinic is closed on April 20 and 21.**

HOLY CROSS HIGH SCHOOL SPRING BREAK BASKETBALL SKILLS CAMP For boys and girls in Grades 4-7, 9 am thru 12 pm, Monday, March 18 thru Friday March 22 at the Holy Cross High School Gymnasium. Cost is \$135 which includes t-shirt, daily prizes and snack. This camp is to improve overall basketball skills, meet future classmates and have fun. Please email Head Coach/Teacher Matthew LeChasseur at hcbasketball@gmail.com Download and fill out a registration form at www.hcbasketball.com and bring a cheque and form on the first day of the camp.

JUNIOR CRUSADER VOLLEYBALL PROGRAM geared for **girls currently in grades 4 and 5** who want to increase their volleyball skills and love of the game. This is a great opportunity to have fun, make new friends, and learn the game. **Cost is \$100**. Program runs **every Saturday from April 6-May 25 at 9:30 – 11:00 am at Holy Cross Regional High School**. If you are interested, email bgrandia@holycross.bc.ca to secure a spot before March 9.

RETRouvaille WEEKEND FOR MARRIED COUPLES April 5-7, 2019 Barnabas Landing, Keats Island. Retrouvaille is a program designed to help struggling marriages regain their health. It helps husbands and wives rediscover or re-awaken the love, trust and commitment that originally brought them together. The program is highly successful in saving hurting marriages, even bringing reconciliation to couples who have already separated or divorced. For more info, contact Marc and Candice at 604.530.6710 and leave a message or visit ww.retrouvaille.vancouver.com.

ACCOMODATIONS NEEDED by end of April 2019. Fr. Mika, a retired priest from St. Bernadette Parish, is seeking a place to rent, a basement suite with two bedrooms. He can be contacted at 604.496.0224.

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	Donna Whitford
Andy Sebok	Dulce Yaeger
Barbara Cebujano	Eleanor Juanima
Bryson Ledoux	Evelyn Reyes
Carlos Cabalfin	George Poulain, Jr.
Catherine Salgado	Giovanna Artuso
Chichi Trinidad	Jasmin Javier
Christine Nobleza	Jayne Cebujano
Cora Nazaire	Jennifer Lin
Delia Gabucan	Joan Chan
Denise Afable	Johanna Kilistoff
Derek Lin	Joseph Linh Duy Nguyen

Julio Guerra
Ligaya Bautista
Maria Catherine Salgado
Maria Taladiar
Marcela Garneau
Marjorie Rapada Austria
Michael Pongos-Banta
Natalie Caywood
Neville Buckle
Norman Iglecias
Orest Woywitka
Pat Breslin

Paul Van de Perre, Sr.
Philip John Ochangco
Priscila Suson
Ricky Soril
Rodillo Lorenzo
Romeo Aragoncillo
Ruben De Ocampo
Ruth De Leon
Sam Behnam
Samuel Salarda
Simeon Lamanilao
Vicente Jayme
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.

