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MASSES
Sunday **8:00 AM, 9:30 AM, 11:15 AM**
5:00 PM, 7:00 PM
Weekdays **7:30 AM, 9:00 AM**
Saturday **7:30 AM, 9:00 AM,**
4:00 PM (Laotian; 1st Saturday)
5:30 PM (Spanish)
5:30 PM (Indo-Canadian; 4th Saturday),
7:00 PM (Anticipated)

NOVENAS
Mother of Perpetual Help **Wed 7:00 PM**
First Friday Novenas
Santo Nino **6:15 PM**
Sacred Heart of Jesus **7:00 PM**

CONFESSIONS
Saturdays **3 PM** and Sundays **4 PM** and 30 mins before Sunday Masses or call office for appointment

ADORATION HOURS
Pray and reflect inside the adoration chapel!
It is open **24 hours a day, seven days a week.**

Special Adoration and Benediction to the Blessed Sacrament are inside the church on the **First Friday, after the 9 AM and 7 PM Masses.**

PREP Tue/Thu at 6:30 PM
RCIA Wed at 7:00 PM

BAPTISMS
On the **1st and 3rd Saturdays** of the month at **10:00 AM**. **Both Parents and sponsors are required to attend a baptism seminar a month before the baptism, on the 3rd Friday of the month at 7:00 PM.** Call the office to register. Child's parents should be registered in the parish **for at least six months** before they can register for the baptism class.

MARRIAGES
Six months notice. Attendance at Marriage Preparation Course is required. One of the parties must be a registered parishioner.

ANointing OF THE SICK
Please set appointment with the parish office.

Thirty-second Sunday in Ordinary Time
November 12, 2023
Stay awake, for you know neither the day nor the hour.
Matthew 25:13



TODAY'S READINGS
First Reading Wisdom is easily discerned by those who love her (Wisdom 6:12-16)
Psalm My soul is thirsting for you, O Lord my God (Psalm 63).
Second Reading Since we believe that Jesus died and rose again, through Jesus, God will bring with him those who have died (1 Thessalonians 4:13-18 [13-14]).
Gospel Stay awake! You know neither the day nor the hour (Matthew 25:1-13).

WISDOM
We consider wisdom today. The first reading from the book of Wisdom presents this precious gift as a feminine spirit, a very desirable virtue sought by many and graciously present to all who seek her. In today's Gospel, Jesus tells a parable to illustrate wisdom in a practical, measurable way. The wise will conserve their resources, use them prudently, and mark the passing of time. The foolish, on the other hand, not planning ahead, will be in the dark. Both of these readings tell us how accessible wisdom is to all who simply and honestly seek it.

Paul's words to the Thessalonians are not about wisdom, but describe one result of true wisdom: To the wise person of faith even death holds no terror. Our faith in Jesus' resurrection tells us we will all one day rise to new life in Christ. Copyright © J.S. Paluch Co.

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"RIDE ON King Jesus" Fr. Tony Ricard will celebrate Mass on Sunday, 26 November, the Feast of Christ the King and that's his theme. Please join us for the 11:15 a.m. Mass that day.



PARISH OFFICE IS CLOSED ON SATURDAY, NOV. 11 AND MONDAY, NOV. 13.

PROJECT ADVANCE – To date, **360 families** have donated **\$93,028**. So, we are on our way to reaching our goal of **\$104,000**. It would be great if our parish participation were better since **360 families** is less than **10%** of the total number of families registered in OLG. Please remember, no gift is too small. Thank you to those families who have already made a contribution to this important cause.

FREE FLU & COVID 19 VACCINE is sponsored by the Filipino Canadian Cultural Heritage Society of BC c/o Remedy's Pharmacy Sunday, November 19 from 9:30 AM to 1:00 PM at the Mary Help of Christian's Hall. Offering Moderna and Pfizer vaccines. Please remember to bring your Care Card. All walk-ins, no appointment necessary.

GOD'S LITTLE CHILDREN PRESIDERS Inviting enthusiastic presidors to proclaim the Good News to our little children at the Sunday morning Masses. We would like to begin before Advent. Training provided. Call 778-896-9249 or email margrit.mosaic@gmail.com.

ANCOP FALL CLOTHING & BOTTLE DRIVE – Saturday, Nov. 25, from 9 AM to 4 PM at the front of the school. Acceptable items: Wearable, gently worn clothings, useable belts & handbags; Useable household textiles – curtains, towels, beddings, etc. & Paired useable shoes.

PRAY THE ROSARY for increase in vocations for priests, deacons and consecrated religious life. Every Wednesday night via Zoom. Register at www.serrarosary.org

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PRISON MINISTRY – Our parish office is collecting 2024 Calendars and Christmas cards for the prison ministry. Please bring these before January 2024.

Mass Intentions

Sunday, November 12 – 32nd Sunday in Ordinary Time

- 8:00 am Thanksgiving: Padriao Family
- 9:30 am +Raffaele Grigoletto
- 11:15 am Parishioners
- 5:00 pm Thanksgiving: Vilma Ochango
- 7:00 pm +Carmelita Guanga

Monday, November 13

- 7:30 am All Souls In Purgatory
+Joao Pereira
+Francesco Cirillo
+Urszula & Nikodem Runowski
- 9:00 am +Carmelita Feliciano Guanga

Tuesday, November 14

- 7:30 am +Mariana Ciszewska & Alexandra Gora
+Cenon Villena
- 9:00 am Thanksgiving & Special Intentions:
Michelle De Ocampo
+Santos Salinas Adaptar

Wednesday, November 15

- 7:30 am All Souls In Purgatory
+Nenita Sebek
- 9:00 am Thanksgiving: Rodolfo & Rizalina Pilaspilas for their 42nd Wedding Anniversary

Thursday, November 16

- 7:00 pm +Rosavio Langcay
- 7:30 am Thanksgiving: Rizalina Pilaspilas
Souls In Purgatory
- 9:00 am +Adrian Bertumen
+Emilyn Sanchez

Friday, November 17

- 7:30 am Souls In Purgatory
+Pascual Domingo
- 9:00 am +Joe Correia
Thanksgiving: Andre & Ann Marszal for their 50th Wedding Anniversary
+Teresito Fortaleza, Sr.

Saturday, November 18

- 7:30 am Special Intentions
Souls In Purgatory
- 9:00 am Poor Souls In Purgatory
- 7:00 pm Thanksgiving: Szary Family

OLGC ENGLISH CHARISMATIC PRAYER MEETING is on every Thursday, from 7PM to 9 PM at the Mary Help of Christians Hall. Everyone is welcome.

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ADORATION CHAPEL – The Blessed Sacrament is exposed every day from 6AM to 11 PM in our parish's Adoration Chapel. If you are interested in offering one hour of your time with the Lord, please contact Fe Forteza at 604-805-3909 to register.

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