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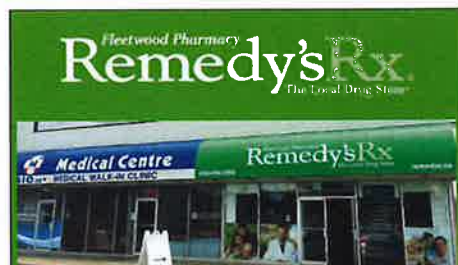
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**Third Sunday in Ordinary Time**  
January 25, 2026  
*The only thing that comes to a person without effort is old age.*  
—Anonymous



**Office Hours:**  
Weekdays: 9:00 AM to 12:00 PM  
1:00 PM to 5:00 PM  
Saturdays: 9:00 AM to 12:00 PM  
12:30 PM to 4:00 PM  
Sundays & Statutory Holidays-Closed

**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 & SPECIAL MASSES**  
Mother of Perpetual Help Wed 7:00 PM Mass  
First Friday Novenas:  
Santo Niño 6:15 PM  
Sacred Heart of Jesus 7:00 PM Mass

**CONFESSIONS**  
Saturdays 3 PM and Sundays 4 PM;  
30 mins before Sunday Masses, Wednesdays'  
Novena and First Friday evening Masses or call  
office for an appointment.

**ADORATION HOURS**  
Pray and reflect inside the adoration chapel! It is  
open from 6 AM to 11PM, 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  
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before the baptism, on the 3rd Friday of the  
month at 7:00 PM. Call the office to register.  
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parish for at least six months before they can  
register their child for baptism.

**MARRIAGES**  
Six months' notice. Attendance at Marriage  
Preparation Course is required. One of the  
parties must be a registered parishioner for at  
least 6 months before processing.

**ANOINTING OF THE SICK**  
Please set an appointment with the parish office.

**TODAY'S READINGS**

**First Reading** — The burdens that were once laid upon the people have been vanquished (Isaiah 8:23 — 9:3).  
**Psalms** — The Lord is my light and my salvation (Psalm 27).  
**Second Reading** — Paul exhorts the believers at Corinth: As there is one Christ, so too must there be no divisions among you. (1 Corinthians 1:10-13, 17).  
**Gospel** — After calling his first disciples, Jesus goes throughout Galilee teaching, proclaiming the gospel, and curing the people (Matthew 4:12-23 [12-17]).

**LIBERATION AND REFORM**

While you might have to reach for an atlas to determine that Isaiah is speaking about Galilee, today's first reading (part of which was read at Christmas) is prophetic of Jesus' future ministry in that province. The light that brings salvation and rejoicing is, ultimately, Christ. Liberation is the theme: liberation from both ignorance ("darkness") and sin (the "yoke"). As Isaiah identifies a place, Paul describes an attitude: the attitude that develops, even among good people, of equating their own will with the common good. This always brings dissension, and so it has been done in Corinth. Paul will not allow this; we are all members of "Christ's party." The gospel is not to divide us.  
Matthew quotes from Isaiah in today's Gospel, presenting Jesus as the fulfillment of Isaiah's prophecies. The theme is "Repent, for the kingdom of heaven is at hand" (Matthew 4:17). To spread this message, Jesus begins to select disciples, four of whom we meet today: Peter, Andrew, James, and John.

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Saturday, January 31, 2026,  
OLGC Parish celebrating  
The feast of  
**ST. JOHN BOSCO**  
January 31st  
at 7 PM Saturday Mass  
followed by a Potluck dinner at DBYC Gym.

**NOVENA TO ST. JOHN BOSCO** started on Jan. 22 to Jan. 30 with Mass at 7 PM. The Feast of St. John Bosco will be celebrated at the 7 PM Saturday Mass on Jan. 31 followed by a Potluck dinner at DBYC Gym.

*Thank You!*

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**PARISH YOUTH RETREAT – Saturday, January 31, 2026 - Youth, age 13 yrs to Young Adults from 8 AM to 8 PM at the DBYC Gym** and to join in with the celebration of the Feast Day of St. John Bosco in the evening. For more info. call Br. Rob at 778-512-9758.

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**Mass Intentions**

**Sunday, January 25 – Third Sunday in Ordinary Time**

- 8:00 am + Simeon Mamaril
- 9:30 am Deceased Family Members of Marisa Iuzzolino
- 11:15 am Parishioners
- 5:00 pm Special Intentions: Herminigildo Malalang
- 7:00 pm + Medardo De Vera

**Monday, January 26**

- 7:30 am + Arnaldo Lima
- + Desideria Bertumen
- Thanksgiving: Ana Maria Agaton & Angelina Camaquin

- 9:00 am + Sr. Mary Rinaldi

- 7:00 pm Thanksgiving: De Leon & Alonsabe Family

**Tuesday, January 27**

- 7:30 am Thanksgiving: Rosa Santos
- ++ Avelina & Anatolio Olaer
- 9:00 am + Sr. Mary Rinaldi
- Thanksgiving: Qiumin Luo

- 7:00 pm + Leonora Mendoza Ferrer

**Wednesday, January 28**

- 7:30 am + Francisco Dioneda
- Thanksgiving: Beckett Firka & Family
- 9:00 am Thanksgiving: Priscilla Irene Khoo
- 7:00 pm Thanksgiving: Jolie Elizabeth Rodas

**Thursday, January 29**

- 7:30 am Thanksgiving: Noel & Carla
- All Souls in Purgatory
- 9:00 am + Editha Capistrano
- Special Intentions: Ivor & Jenny Ma Lee
- 7:00 pm + Wilfredo Aguilar Santos

**Friday, January 30**

- 7:30 am + Marko Boskovic
- + Polly Campollo
- 9:00 am + Manny Arrieta
- + Sr. Mary Rinaldi
- 7:00 pm All Souls in Purgatory

**Saturday, January 31**

- 7:30 am + Lucila Medrano
- Thanksgiving: Fernandes Family
- 9:00 am + David HF Wong
- 7:00 pm Thanksgiving to St. John Bosco

**OLGC PRESCHOOL BEFORE & AFTER SCHOOL CARE - For kids 3 to 12 years old at 10504 139 Street, Surrey. For more info, call Lenny at 604-581-3225.**



**CWL General Meeting - Tuesday, Jan. 27, 2026, at 7PM at the Mary Help of Christian Hall.** Ladies who are looking for sisterhood, fun and prayerful support please come and enjoy a lovely evening of spirit, faith and learning with the members of CWL. **Doors open at 6:30 PM.** Looking forward to seeing you.

**Movie Tuesday – Jan. 27, 2026 after 9 AM Mass at the Mary Help of Christians Hall, showing St. John Bosco.** This epic movie dramatizes the many challenges that Don Bosco had to overcome from childhood to founding his religious order, the Salesians, for helping educate boys. **Snack provided. All are welcome.**

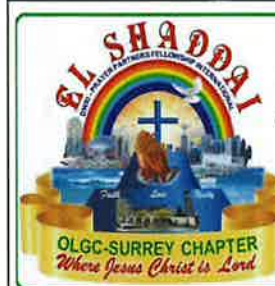


**MASS WEDDING 2026 - Information night is on Saturday, Feb. 17, 2026, from 4 PM to 8 PM at the OLGC School Auditorium.** The Mass Wedding is on Saturday, September 19, 2026, at 1:30 PM at St. Paul's Parish in Richmond. **Register by June 30, 2026.** To register, you can either scan the QR code or get the registration form at OLGC parish office.



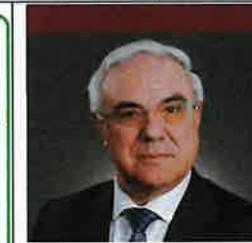
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