



Fourth Sunday of Lent March 11, 2018

God did not send his Son into the world to condemn the world, but that the world might be saved through him – John 3:17

OUR LADY OF GOOD COUNSEL PARISH

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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.

COMMUNAL RESPONSIBILITY

The people of God forgot the covenant and flouted God's laws. They did not listen to the prophets among them, who spoke for God in warning them. Prophets are sent from God



to remind us why we are here, but they are often, even in our own time, mocked, disregarded, and mistreated rather than thanked and listened to.

The book of Chronicles tells the results of these sins: the destruction of the temple and all of Jerusalem, murder, mayhem, and finally exile to a foreign land. Why are these stories in the Bible? Just to inform us of what happened to our ancient forebears? What good would that be unless there were a message and a warning for us as well? Are we people who follow the teachings of God, who obey the words of Christ in the second covenant in his blood? Or do we continue to wreak works of darkness and violence? We are reminded by these readings that we will be judged as a people, not just as individuals. Copyright © J. S. Paluch Co., Inc

TODAY'S READINGS

First Reading — The wrath and the mercy of the LORD are revealed in the exile and liberation of the Chosen People (2 Chronicles 36:14-16, 19-23) or 1 Samuel 16:1b, 6-7, 10-13a.

Psalms — Let my



tongue be silenced, if I ever forget you! (Psalm 137) or Psalm 23.

Second Reading — God, who is rich in mercy, brought us to life with Christ (Ephesians 2:4-10) or Ephesians 5:8-14.

Gospel — The Son of Man must be lifted up, so that everyone who believes in him may have eternal life (John 3:14-21) or John 9:1-41 [1, 6-9, 13-17, 34-38].

Weekly Collection

March 4, 2018 \$19,328.70
Seismic Upgrade 2,022.00

THANK YOU FOR YOUR GENEROSITY!

Chronicles

March 4 1:00 pm Polish Lenten Retreat
March 5 7:00 pm Polish Lenten Retreat
March 6 7:00 pm Polish Lenten Retreat
March 7 7:00 pm Polish Confession
March 8 6:30 pm PREP Confession
March 9 7:00 pm Stations of the Cross
March 10 9:30 am CWL - Way Of the Cross
(Lenten Reflection)

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

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 Angie at 778.836.0270 or Cathy at 604.588.6336 to order. The CWL needs rhubarb. Please contact Maureen at 604.588.8224.

ADMA (DEVOTEES OF MARY HELP OF CHRISTIANS)

Pray the Rosary every 24th of the month at the Discernment House. Please join us. Weekdays-6:30 PM Weekends-1:30PM

THE CHARISMATIC PRAYER GROUP meets Thursday 7:45-9:15 PM at the Mary Help of Christians Hall. Everyone is welcome.

Mass Intentions

Sunday, March 11

8:00 am + Gaudiosa Borreta
9:30 am Erika Steiner
11:15 am Parishioners
11:20 am + Jan Rosolski
1:00 pm ++ Agnieszka Retel i Mieczyslaw Znamirovski
5:00 pm + Alejandre Budono, Sr.
7:00 pm Special Intention: Vincent Ah-Sien

Monday, March 12

7:30 am + Dr. Andres E. Atega
+ Mary & Joseph Kubus
+ Beatrice Macalino
'+ Jesus Gamit
9:00 am + Desideria Bertumen

Tuesday, March 13

7:30 am Thanksgiving: Yuen & Kwan Families
+ Richard Walmsley
'+ Aquilina S. Faustino
9:00 am + Ricardo & Consolacion Aranda
Thanksgiving: Lourdes Amigo

Wednesday, March 14

7:30 am Thanksgiving: Yuen & Kwan Families
Deceased Members Of Gandolfi Family
9:00 am + Romualda Menil
Thanksgiving: Leonor Bamba
7:00 pm + Beniamino & Marina Tessarolo

Thursday, March 15

7:30 am Lita Garcia
+ Yolanda Dizon
+ Nery Atienza
9:00 am '+ Nicolasa & Roman Galupo
Thanksgiving: Ruth De Leon

Friday, March 16

7:30 am + Andres & Esperanza Ochangco
Deceased Members Of Gandolfi Family
9:00 am + Raymond Madanguit
+ Veronica Olea
7:00 pm + Tomas Ochangco

Saturday, March 17

7:30 am Thanksgiving: Mark Shin Hean Lee
9:00 am + Emanuele & Norma Gasparin
Thanksgiving: Imelda Padua
7:00 pm Faustina Chiu & Family

For masses said here, the earliest date is **March 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

LENT PENITENTIAL SERVICES 2018

Parish	Date & Time
Our Lady of Good Counsel	March 14 7:00 pm
St. Bernadette's	March 15 7:00 pm
Immaculate Conception	March 20 7:00 pm
Good Shepherd	March 21 7:00 pm
Precious Blood	March 21 7:00 pm
St. Matthew's	March 22 8:00 pm

STATIONS OF THE CROSS followed by Mass every Friday during Lent at 7 PM

A LENT TO REMEMBER: A LENTEN ENCOUNTER WITH MERCY Join us for a 4-week video-based study featuring the Augustine Institute original productions.

The Transforming Power of Confession. A Lent to Remember is a beautiful presentation of the transforming power of mercy in the Sacrament of Confession. No matter what you have done, no matter how long you have been away, Jesus is waiting for you with open arms this Lent!

Week Four (Mar 15): Symbolon: The Paschal Mystery

6:30 pm at the **OLGC School Auditorium**. Come participate and make this Lent experience your best ever.

OLGC ALTAR SERVERS TRAINING March 18 to May 20, 2018 from **2:30 to 4:30 pm** at **OLGC church**.

Anyone interested must have made their first communion. Or they must be preparing to make their first communion on May 12, 2018. Regular attendance at all training sessions is required. Registration forms are available at the OLGC Parish Office. For any questions, please may contact Edzel at 778.896.1770.

LECTORS AND COMMENTATORS MEETING All lectors and commentators are requested by Fr. John to take time from their busy schedules for a brief meeting. We always need to update ourselves so that we can better share God's Word with His people. This meeting is for veteran lectors, new lectors and commentators. You have a choice to attend on Tuesday, **March 20 at 7 pm OR Saturday, March 24 at 9:30 am**.

TAX CLINIC AT OLGC The tax preparation clinic at OLGC on **Saturdays and Sundays from 1:00 to 5:00 pm** at the Mary Help of Christians Hall until **April 29**. Volunteers will help individuals with modest income **and** a simple tax situation, complete their tax returns.

TAX RECEIPTS The 2017 tax receipts are ready for pick-up at the parish office.

KEEPING FAMILIES IN FAITH THE DOMESTIC CHURCH IN A GLOBAL VILLAGE Cardinal Luis Antonio Tagle, the Archbishop of Manila, will address the challenges of living the faith within family life. Monday, March 19 at 6 pm (doors open at 5:30 pm) at the Queen Elizabeth Theatre, Vancouver. Visit rcav.org/cardinal-tagle for tickets and more information. There is a limited number of tickets available at the parish office.

PLEA FOR KIDNEY FROM LIVING DONOR A long-time parishioner is suffering from end-stage renal failure. He has been on dialysis for some time but with his rare blood type (B+), it will take five to seven years before he can receive a transplant unless he finds a living donor. For more info, please call 604.930.2249.

BASKETBALL SKILLS CAMP For boys and girls in Grades 4 to 7 who want to improve their overall basketball skills, meet future classmates and have fun. **March 12-16 from 9 AM to 12 PM at the Holy Cross High School Gym**. Please email coach Matthew LeChasseur @hcboysbasketball@gmail.com to confirm spot in camp or download and fill out a registration form at www.holocross.bc.ca or www.hcboysbasketball.com and bring a cheque and form on the first day of camp. Cost is \$125 which includes t-shirt, daily prizes and snack.

CWL BURSARIES are available for sons and daughters of CWL members pursuing post-secondary studies. Applications are available at the parish office.

CLOTHING AND BOTTLE DRIVE Couples for Christ-ANCOP (Answering the Cry of the Poor) Clothing and Bottle Drive on **March 24th from 8 am to 4 pm**, in front of the **OLGC School Auditorium**. Please donate your unwanted used clothing, shoes, bags, towels, linens and empty bottles for recycling.

RETRouvaille The next Retrouvaille program for troubled marriages will be from April 13-15, 2018 at Christian Retreat Centre Barnabas Landing on Keats Island. For more info, please contact Marc and Candice at 604.530.6710 or visit www.retrouvaille.org or retrouvaillevancouver.com.

ORATORY NIGHT at the **DBYC of OLGC every Friday from 5:30 to 9 PM**. All youth are welcome.

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
Bryson Ledoux
Chichi Trinidad
David Parkes
Evelyn Reyes
Frank Cirillo

Giovanna Artuso
Guiseppe Calandra
Giuseppe Lupacchino
Ilona Sebok
Johanna Kilistoff
Ligaya Bautista

Lydia Soliven
Maria Taladiar
Marcela Garneau
Michael Pongos-Banta
Natalie Caywood
Orest Woywitka

Philip John Ochangco
Priscila Suson
Ricky Soril
Rodillo Lorenzo
Samuel Salarda
Tim Luhowy
Wally Kennedy

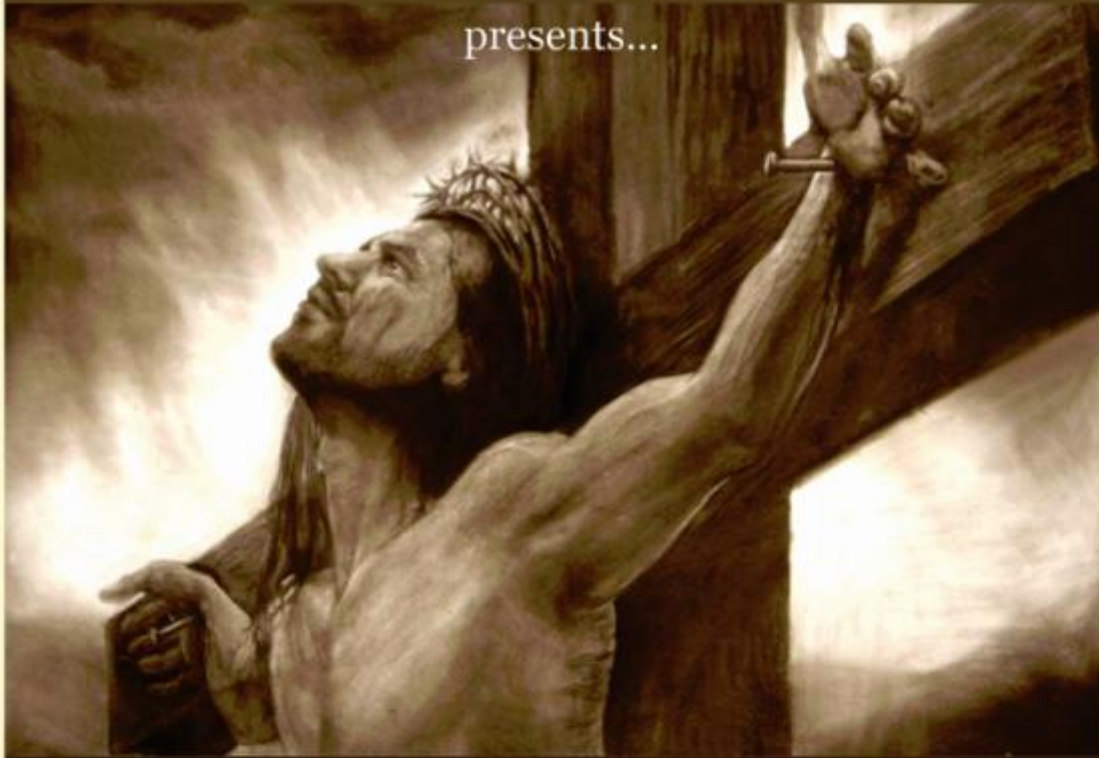
BEQUEST CLAUSE

(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.

The Youth of Our Lady of Good Counsel

presents...



“The Living Stations of the Cross”

A Passion Play

Done with narration, music and movement

March 23 8:00 pm
Friday in our church

Arranged and Directed by Fr. Vince Paczkowski
Come and pray with us as we prepare for Holy Week