

Youth Ministry Update

Youth Night

Shout out to everyone who has made our Grade 6-12 Youth Nights so exciting and wonderful this semester! Sadly, we're going to be taking a break for the months of July and August.

If you've been coming regularly or if you're brand new and interested in meeting some new and lovely people, please come out to our last two youth nights before the summer! All Grade 6-12 students are invited.

JUNE 1 - MOVIE NIGHT

JUNE 15 - SUMMER BREAK PARTY

We'll keep having Youth Nights every first and third Friday of the month when we go back to school in September.

World Youth Day

St. Patrick's Parish is sending a group of young adults to World Youth Day 2019 in Panama City! If you are a young adult interested in learning more about this massive Catholic gathering of young people, are curious about what a pilgrimage is all about, or desire adventure in community, please speak to Fr. Matthew or contact Veronica at youthministry@stpatricksmpleridge.ca

Youth Bottle Drive:

We continue to collect bottles for the ongoing bottle drive organized by the senior youth. Please call Margaret at (604) 313-3499 if you would like to arrange a pick up/delivery. These funds go towards the youth activities! The Youth Ministry greatly appreciates your continuous support!!

Parish Breakfast

Next Parish Breakfast is on Sunday, **June 10, 2018** after the 9:00 am and 11:00 am. Masses.

Bike Donations for Migrant Workers

Do you have a good used bike you can donate for the migrant workers in the area? They would be so grateful to be able to bike into town and to other farms for fellowship with other workers. Please call Mike Hamaliuk 604-467-8375.

CHRISTIAN LIFE PROGRAM (CLP)

The Couples for Christ - Handmaids of the Lord will host a Christian Life Program (CLP) at St. Patrick's hall starting on **June 1, 2018, Friday at 6:30 p.m.** The program is FREE and is a series of talks, reflection and discussion which will help us understand God's call to 1) Build a deepening relationship with Him, 2) Live out His love at home and outside 3) Bring the Light of Christ to others. For details, pls. contact Peachie Salonga at (604)505-3959 or Emily Freiburghaus at (604)459-8872.

Confirmation and 1st Communion

Confirmation Mass is at **7:00 pm this Friday, May 25, 2018** to be celebrated by our Archbishop Most Reverend J. Michael Miller, CSB.

1st Holy Communion of our parish children is on **Sunday, June 3, 2018 at 1:00 pm.**

Please pray for all the children who will receive the Sacraments of Confirmation and 1st Communion.

St. Pats Pilgrims

St. Pat's Pilgrims - a prayer and study group for men; meets every 2nd and 4th Saturday mornings at 7:30 am in the parish—call Denis at 604-463-5519

Coffee after Sunday Morning Masses

All Parishioners are invited to coffee after the 9:00 a.m. and 11:00 a.m. Mass at the Parish Hall (except when there is Parish Breakfast in the gym). This is an opportunity to meet other members of the Parish family.

Volunteers are needed for Coffee after Sunday morning Masses. It involves set-up, preparing coffee, tea & juice and clean-up. The drinks and goodies are provided by the parish but you are welcome to bring and share some. This is also an opportunity for school families to be actively involved in the parish and meet the other parishioners. More volunteers make light work. The rotation is usually every other 5 – 6 weeks. To sign up, please call the Parish Office at 604-463-7148. Thank you for sharing your time, talent and treasure.

Adoration in the Parish Chapel (St. Thomas Chapel)

The Blessed Sacrament is exposed in the chapel from 9:00 am – 9:00 pm, Monday to Friday. We invite everyone to spend half an hour to an hour with Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament. A new sign-up calendar will be at the back of the church. According to Mother Teresa of Calcutta, "It will be the best time you spend on earth" so please be generous with spending time with our Lord. Make sure that when you commit to a certain day and time, you keep your date with Jesus. If you cannot make it, ask a family member or friend to be there in your place.

"Then he returned to his disciples, he found them asleep. He said to Peter, 'So you could not keep watch with me for one hour?'" (Matthew 26:40)

Petition Box

We invite all parishioners to write their petitions and put them in the petition box. The Prayer box will be brought up to the altar with the gifts and remain at the foot of the altar during the Mass.

Knights of Columbus

You are invited to the **KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS HOLY HOUR**. Join us for an hour of prayer and worship in the Chapel on **May 23rd** and every **4th Wednesday** of the month, from **7:30 to 8:30 pm**. Refreshments following Holy Hour in Parish hall.

You are invited to the **THOMAS HANEY COUNCIL 5566 Annual Golf Tournament** on Saturday, **June 2, 2018 at 2:00 pm** at Maple Ridge Golf Course.

9 hole Texas Scramble

Prizes to be won.

Golf only \$25 BBQ only \$20 Both \$45

Call Derek Niziol at 778-938-3752 koc-derek.niziol@outlook.com or Ed Monteiro at 604-467-2330 egmonte@aol.com

Catholics on the Run

St. Patrick's Parish running/walking/hiking club, "Catholics on the Run" is resuming its weekly gathering. The hikes/runs take place every Saturday, right after the 9:00 am Mass. The club is open to beginners and advanced runners as well as those who just want to walk. We gather at the dike parking on 210 Street at 10am (rain or shine). Everyone is welcome!



ST. PATRICK'S PARISH



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Email: parish.spatmr@rcav.org | Parish website: stpatricksmpleridge.ca

Parish Priest: **Rev. Matthew To** | In Residence: Rev. John Tritschler

Sunday Mass Times

Saturday Anticipated Mass:
5:30pm.

Sunday 9:00 a.m., 11:00 a.m.,
4:30 p.m.

Weekday Mass Times

Monday to Friday 8:00 a.m.
(Holidays at 9 a.m.)

Wednesday at 7:30 p.m.
Saturday at 9:00 a.m.

Ordinarite Mass

Sunday 9:15 a.m. at St. Thomas
Chapel with Father Michael
Shier

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturday 4:30—5:15 p.m.
Wednesday 6:30—7:15 p.m.
Also by Appointment.

Sacrament of Baptism, Marriage, Anointing of the Sick and Funerals

Please contact the Parish
Office.

St. Thomas Chapel

Open 24 hours. Please visit the
Parish Office to receive the
code.

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament at Church

Wednesday 6:30 p.m.

Daily Rosary

Monday to Friday @ 7:10 am
Saturday @ 8:10 am

"All of them were filled with the Holy Spirit."



May 20, 2018

Pentecost Sunday

Novenas and Rosary

Novena to Our Lady of
Perpetual Help after
Wednesday Morning Mass.

Novena to the Miraculous
Medal after Saturday
Morning Mass.

20 Decades of the Rosary
on First Saturday of each
month at 4:00 p.m.

Liturgy of the Hours

Sunday 8:30 a.m.
Monday to Friday 7:40 a.m.
Saturday 8:40 a.m.

Parish Office Hours

Monday to Friday
9:00a.m.—4:00 p.m.
Closed from 12:00—1:15
p.m.
Sunday 10:00 am —1:00 pm

Parish Group Contacts

Parish Pastoral Council & Leadership Team:
463-7148

Director for Faith Formation – Eric Chow

Discipleship Formation Coordinator—
Cesar Inducil

Director for Finance – Valerie Spurrell

Director for Facilities—Cornel Hessels

Director for Parish Life – Merle Bawagan

Director for Parish Ministry – Margaret Jakus

Youth Coordinator—Veronica Hargrave

Director for Communication – Terrence

Geernaert, Michael Goldberg

Director for Engagement – Marie Therese

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Secretary – Lorna D’Mello

St Patrick’s Parish School

Clive Heah, Principal: 467-1571

Parish Education Committee

Eric Chow: 460-9080

Catholic Women’s League

Joanne Prawdzik, President: 467-5116

Exec. Mtg: 2nd Mon. of the month

Reg. Mtg: 3rd Tues. of the month

Knights of Columbus

Ed Monteiro, Grand Knight: 467-2330

Exec. Mtg: 1st Wed. of the month at 7:30 p.m.

Reg. Mtg: 2nd Wed. of the month at 7:30 p.m.

Holy Hour - 4th Wed of the month at 7:30 pm

KofC.org/JoinUs

Legion of Mary, Our Lady of Grace

Angela de Silva: 778-955-9179

Every Sat. at 9:45 a.m.

Legion of Mary, O.L. of Perpetual Help

Peter Popovic: 477-9980

Every Sat. 10:15 a.m.-12:00 p.m. at Meeting

Room 2 (Library)

Liturgy of the Word for Children

Erin Jaskiewicz: 753-9956

P.R.E.P.

Anna Tillotson: 463-0451

Prison Ministry

Angela de Silva: 778-955-9179

R.C.I.A.

Lorraine Holt: 476-1662

Parish Rep to Archbishop Carney

Tracy Francis: 562-4492

Marco Bawagan: 463-6015

Regnum Christi

Marie Therese Krzus: 778-991-0005

Every Friday. at 9:00 a.m.

Couples for Christ

Marc & Merle Bawagan: 463-6015

CFC Youth

Rojh & Tina Aguila: 479-1449

El Shaddai Cell Group

Thess Binaday: 778-242-2065

Teresita Dickson: 466-7393

Emmanuel Community

Rosa & Miguel Salas: 778-871-4645

St. Patrick’s Parish Education Committee (PEC) Elections for School

Parish Education Committee Election is usually held on the last Sunday of May, i.e., **May 27** this year. St. Patrick’s School has 2 elected position to be filled for the coming 2 years. If you are interested in putting your name forward for elections, please pick up Nomination Form and ‘Expectation of Education Committee Members’ from the *school office*, and must be signed by the Nominating Committee: **Michael Goldberg** (604)319-6453 & **Joseph Loch** (604) 768-7635. The completed form must be in a sealed envelope addressed to the Nominating Committee. Deadline for submission is on **Wednesday, May 16 at 3:00 p.m.** Please see the following Archdiocesan policy for those who are eligible to nominate and/or hold office:

ELIGIBLE FOR NOMINATION (HOLD OFFICE): Those eligible to hold office as a member of a parish education committee are practicing Catholics (meaning those who go to Mass every Sunday), approved by the Pastor, who are eligible to vote in that parish and have reached the age of twenty-one (21). The candidate must be a registered parishioner of St. Patrick’s Parish.

NON-ELIGIBLE FOR NOMINATION: Teachers and principal of the school; past employees of the school until three full calendar years have passed since the termination of employment; employees of the parish and/or school; spouses, children, parents, brothers and sisters of persons covered in the above; all other teachers/principals employed currently working for the Catholic Independent School of Vancouver Archdiocese (CISVA).

Project Advance

Project Advance is a diocesan-wide appeal which seeks to provide resources for both diocesan and individual parish needs. This year’s Parish Goal is \$39,000. The Parish rebate above \$39,000 will be returned to the parish and will go toward facilities upkeep and future replacement of facilities.

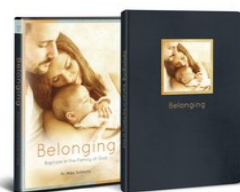
Project Advance Pledge cards are available for pick up at the back of the church. The Pledge cards can be dropped in the Collection Basket. Donations can be handed in at the Parish Office or by going online to www.rcav.org/giving. Please support Project Advance.

R.C.I.A. (Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults)

Primarily, RCIA is for those seeking to become Catholic or those seeking full communion with the Catholic Church. Also, it is for the adult Catholics who are not yet confirmed. In general, the Church asks that those seeking the Sacrament of Holy Matrimony be confirmed first. The invitation is also extended to all who also would like to deepen their understanding of their Faith; who would like to refresh their knowledge of the Church. **RCIA classes are every Thursday at 7:00 pm.** For more information, please call the parish office at 604-463-7148.

Baptism Course

Belonging: Baptism in the Family of God is designed to provide parents with an incredible encounter with Jesus and with the Church. This program seeks to prepare parents to have their children baptized and to win over their hearts at this important time in their lives. Parents will learn what it means to be children of God and that in the Church, they will always have a place where they belong. If you have a child that needs to be baptized, please call the parish office to register for this course. Next course is on **Sunday, June 10 @ 12:30 pm** at the Parish Hall.



Mass Intentions

May 21, Monday — Agnes Huong †

May 22, Tuesday — Joe Pacella †

May 23, Wednesday — Jasmine Bince †

May 24, Thursday — Guglielmo Testa †

May 25, Friday — Thi Mai †

May 26, Saturday — Guiseppe Damiani †

Prayer Corner

Please pray for: Eugene Lesiczka, Gerry Rijkers, Steve Lopert, Sofia Daunais, Anna Able, Mary Tanco, Marguerite Sephton, Chiquita Hessels, Lucien de Silva, Olga Wingert, Anna Pacella, Malcolm Coulter, James McCloskey, Meneleo & Fe de Castro, Marisa Cameron, Kristen Collins, Stasha Cavalli, Marion Thiessen, Mary McLeod, Mary Brunner, Alfred Czengery, Emily Jones, Daniel Markillie, Delfin Pan, Isabel Degenhardt, Luis Caragan Jr.,Raymundo Lopez, Amy Levitsky, Vincent St. Hilaire, Dory Soriano, Aimee Senecal, Piera Bertelle, Maritza Jacobs, Phyllis Mitchel, Adriana Cassullo, Anne Wallace, Michel Kern, Anna Carbonell, Vern Fautoux, Carol Ann Thibodeau, Steven Campbell, Jonathan Simm, Jean Duhamel, Eileen Moore, Alice Schafli, Kathleen Donaldson, David Campbell, Jeannita Thibodeau, Peta Purdy, Beverly Emond, Jim Bertelle, Dana Watkins, Celine Coppin, Lara Bewcyk, Al Olsen, Graham Beattie, Dawn Van den camp, Crystal Campbell, Ryken Covin, Debbie Ladouceur, Joni Fautoux, Paulette Bonneau, Monika Tor, Pauline Drexler, Tara Vilas, Lynn Barker, Ramona Charters, Al Albrecht

Prayer Corner Update (monthly): Please call the office if you want to add a new name to the list, or if you still want to include a current name.

Lector Schedule

May 26, Saturday

5:30 p.m. — Chris White

May 27, Sunday

9:00 a.m. — Mona Bawagan & Ralph Aguila

11:00 a.m. — School children

4:30 p.m. — Anna Kravjanski

Parish Bingo

Every Wednesday. Doors open at 5:30 p.m. Session starts at 6:20 p.m.

New Parishioners

Welcome!

Please fill in a registration form from the back of the church. You can drop it in the collection basket or at the parish office.



CCO Impact is here at St. Patrick’s! Impact is a mission project run by Catholic Christian Outreach (CCO). In May & June, 14 faith-filled, young adult missionaries from across Canada are here to serve in the parish through leading faith studies and other engaging events. Being a part of this mission will revitalize your faith and equip you to become missionary disciples for life!

Discovery

is a 6-week study; the first in a series of studies developed by CCO. Led in a small group setting, the weekly lessons integrate Scripture and Church teaching, guiding participants through truths and principles for living the Catholic faith. It communicates the simple—yet profound—Gospel message. *Discovery* culminates in an invitation to begin or deepen a personal relationship with Jesus Christ.

Discovery Groups (Parish Hall)

Starting the week of May 15 until the week of June 19-22

Tuesdays: 6:30-7:30pm (*during Prep classes, coffee and refreshments provided*)

Thursdays: 7-8pm (*supper provided from 6-7pm*)

Wednesdays: 9:00 - 10:00am (*refreshments provided*)

Fridays: 3:15—4:15 pm—School Staff

Baby sitting will be provided for Wednesdays and Thursdays.

*For information or to sign up, please contact Carissa Benavides—
carissa.benavides@cco.ca, (403) 975-4714*



The CCO IMPACT TEAM will host **NIGHTFEVER**, a powerful night of adoration, worship, and prayer on **SATURDAY, MAY 26 - 7 PM**. You are welcome to stop by for a few minutes or spend an hour. Bring a friend!

For more information about CCO Impact, please contact Eric eric.filion@cco.ca or Carissa carissa.benavides@cco.ca or Ron ron.salvador@cco.ca.

CWL Pro Life Shower

C.W.L. is having a Pro Life Shower, **Tuesday, June 19, 2017 at 7:00 p.m.** in the Parish Hall. All ladies from the Parish are invited to the Baby Shower. Wrapped or unwrapped gifts and monetary donations are acceptable. Come and join us for an evening of fun and games, prizes and refreshments. Bring a friend! If you have any questions please call Joanne Prawdzik 604-783-5463 or joprawdzik@live.com



Refugee Sponsorship Update

Good news! The first of two of the Iraqi families (2nd family of 4) our parish sponsors has reached the final stage of assessment. They are anticipated to arrive in Vancouver on July 5, 2018. The Rashos are a family of seven: The father is a carpenter and upholster by trade; and the mother is a child care worker. They have 3 girls and 2 boys, age 12, 11, 3 and 16, 11 respectively.

We are in urgent need of TEMPORARY and LONG TERM accommodation. If you have a suite to rent out, please contact Gloria Isaac-Tam at (604) 466-7500 or gktamis@telus.net.