

Palm Sunday, April 09, 2017



ST. JOHN VIANNEY CATHOLIC CHURCH

A Christian Community in the Roman Catholic Tradition

Pastor: Jesus Christ

Assistant Pastor: Monsignor Jerry Desmond

Service Department: Deacon Eddie Lavoie

Office hours Tuesday - Friday 9:30-1:30 • Sunday Mass 10:30 (Our Lady of Lourdes 8:30am 573 Todd Mtn. Rd.)
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WEEKDAY MASSES IN THE CHAPEL

April 3 - 7th, 2017

Monday - Friday at 8:45 am (Chapel)

SUNDAY COLLECTION- April 04, 2017

Saint John Vianney

Envelopes:	\$ 2,466.00
Loose:	\$ 200.25
Share Lent:	\$ 1543.00
Stewardship Sunday:	\$ 357.00
Sun Peaks:	\$ 385.00

Our Lady of Lourdes

Envelopes:	\$ 182.00
Loose:	\$ 40.00
Share Lent:	\$ 427.00

LENTEN SCHEDULE:

Saint John Vianney:

Holy Thursday	7:00 PM April 13, followed by adoration in the Chapel until midnight
Good Friday Liturgy	3:00 PM, April 14, 8:30 AM morning prayer
Saturday Easter Vigil	8:00 PM April 15
Easter Sunday	10:30 AM April 16

Heffley Creek Our Lady of Lourdes:

Holy Thursday Mass	5:00 PM April 13, followed by adoration until 8:00 PM
Good Friday Liturgy	5:00 PM April 14
Easter Sunday	8:30 AM April 16

Sun Peaks:

Easter Sunday Mass	4:00 PM April 16
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Penance Celebrations (confessions):

SJV Monday	7:00 PM April 10th with 4 priests
Holy Family	7:00 PM Tuesday April 11 th
Confessions after daily Mass as well at 9:30am	

Paschal Fast - Good Friday is a universal day of fasting and abstinence from meat.

The Church of God fasts today and tomorrow to honour the suffering and death of the Lord Jesus, and to prepare to share more deeply in the joy of his resurrection.

On Holy Saturday, the people of God remain in prayer and fasting at the tomb of the Lord, meditating on his sufferings, death, and descent to the dead.

Throughout this day the faithful are invited to continue the solemn paschal fast which they began on Good Friday.

The Church abstains from the Sacrifice of the Mass today, with the altar left bare until the Vigil Service.

During the solemn Vigil Service, a night of prayer which looks forward to the celebration of the Lord's resurrection, mourning will give way to the joys of Eastertide, which will celebrate for the next fifty days.

St. Augustine said that the Easter Vigil, the night when Jesus Christ was raised from the dead, is to be considered the "mother of all vigils." During this night the people of the Lord and celebrate it in the sacraments of initiation.

Day	Reading	Gospel
Mon.	Isaiah 42.1-7	John 12.1-11
<i>First oracle of the Servant of the Lord: he will not cry or lift up his voice, or make it heard in the street.</i>		<i>Leave her alone. She bought this perfume for the day of my burial.</i>
Psalm: Ps 27.1, 2, 3, 13-15 (R.1a)		
R. The Lord is my light and my salvation.		
Tues.	Isaiah 49.1-6	John 13.21-33, 36-38
<i>Second oracle of the Servant of the Lord: I will give you as a light to the nations, that my salvation may reach to the end of the earth..</i>		<i>One of you will betray me; another will deny me three times.</i>
Psalm: Ps 71.1-2, 3, 5-6, 15+17 (R. 15)		
R. I will sing of your salvation		
Wed.	Isaiah 50.4-9a	Matthew 26.14-26
<i>Third oracle of the Servant of the Lord: I did not hide my face from insult and spitting.</i>		<i>The Son of Man goes as it is written of him, but woe to that one by whom the Son of Man is betrayed!</i>
Psalm: Ps 69.7-9, 20-21, 30+32-33 (R.13c)		
R. Lord, in your great love, answer me.		
Thur	Isaiah 61.1-3a, 6a 8b-9	Luke 4.16-21
<i>The Lord has anointed me; he has sent me to bring good news to the oppressed, and to give them the oil of gladness.</i>		<i>The spirit of the Lord is upon me, because he has anointed me to bring good news to the poor.</i>
2nd Reading Revelation 1.4-8++ Christ has made us to be a kingdom, priests serving his God and Father.		
Psalm: Ps 89.20-21, 24+26, 27-28 (R.1a)++		
R. Forever I will sing of your steadfast love, O Lord.		

CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE NEWS

Baking Needed for Convention!: Home baked loaves & cookies are needed for coffee breaks. Please bring your baking to the kitchen beside the gym throughout the day on Friday **April 21st**, lower sugar variations, are also much appreciated.

Pro Life Society Annual Fundraiser:

OLPH Parish Centre, Saturday **April 29th, 2017**. Gathering 5:30pm - Dinner 6:30pm. Program: Yuen Family...adoption a loving option. Tickets \$30.00 each and will be for sale at back of the church along with a "attendees" list so you can request a table to sit with friends or family, next 2 Sundays or in Parish office throughout the week.

Pregnancy Care Centre:

The Pregnancy Care Centre is distributing empty Baby Bottles for you to fill during Lent. As we got a late start this year we will continue until Mother's Day. Donations raised from the bottles enables the people at the Pregnancy Care Centre assist young women and teens who find themselves facing an unplanned pregnancy. Bottles can be return any time between now and May 7th. to the Church

Team Leader needed:

Needed to help with Funeral Tea's at our parish contact: Carole Stricker at 250-554-3245 : cstricker@hotmail.com

CWL General Meetings:

held on the 2nd Tuesday of every month, please come out and support your CWL

Homebound or in Hospital:

Please let us know of anyone in our parish. Please advise Colleen Stallard of the CWL 250-573-6004

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS NEWS

LOBSTERMANIA-Nova Scotian Lobster & Roast Beef Dinner Buffet!

May 27th, St. Ann's Academy. Get a group of friends and relatives for a East Coast Lobster evening, with music by Stan Bailey. Tickets: \$50.00 ea. contact Ed Barker 250-319-3331, Anthony Muzzillo 250-851-1111 or John Giddens 250-682-4600.

PARISH MISSION "New Beginnings, Back to Basics" April 24-27th!

Still needing volunteers with calling and bringing snacks. Signup sheet will be at back of the church or contact office @ 250-579-8711/ jvianney@telus.net.

DIOCESAN YOUTH RETREAT:

Earlier bird registration deadline for the is this Monday April 10. Register online at www.rcdk.org<<http://www.rcdk.org>>

JUSTICE COMMITTEE - Living Justice

Catholic Social Teaching in Action by Thomas Massaro, SJ ISBN 978-1-58051-046-2
As one of its goals the Justice Committee has tried to search out a way to understand what the Church says about social justice and how to practice social justice. The committee would like to invite anyone interested in social justice and the church to read the book "Living Justice", and if interested to join them at one of the meetings. Next meeting is 3rd May, 2017 at 6:30 p.m - church complex.

JOBS:

PRINCIPAL ASCEND ONLINE SCHOOL:

Full time position to commence on July 1, 2017. Qualified applicants interested in this position must complete a C.I.S.K.D. Principal Application Package, obtained by contacting the Superintendent of Schools, Kelly Tries, superintendent@ciskd.ca. Position will remain posted until May 1, 2017.

COOK: New Life Community Outreach Centre: Immediately - See poster in Church

WALK FOR ALZHEIMER'S BRUNCH:

"We wish to thank all those who attended and supported our Alzheimer's fundraiser last Sunday. Special thanks to Julian and his crew. We raised over \$1,400 to our cause. Marilyn, Casey and family."
To still donate: Casey 250-682-1096 casey@tricitycanada.ca or visit walkforalzheimers.ca

Mikkie's Corner - Health & Nutrition

Exercise! We don't need to suffer, we need to heal. If nothing else, walk 30 mins. a day. When I train people that have been sedentary, I see within the first 6 weeks that border line high blood pressure and heart rate improve dramatically.