

JULY 9, 2017

14TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

“Come to me, all you that are weary and are carrying heavy burdens and I will give you rest.”

Stewardship Reflection:

“For my yoke is easy, and my burden light.” - Matthew 11:30. When we think of being good stewards, we may think that God is asking too much of us when he calls us to generously share our time, talent and treasure. However, we must remember that we are not “owners” of anything; we are merely “stewards” of the gifts God has given us. All he is asking is that we give back a small portion of what he has already given to us.

PRAYERS FOR THE SICK

Lorraine Cameron; Creg Rosales; Gail Krueger; Ruel Capili; Loreto Ciaccia; Jerry Schaab; Ryan Lehwald; Helen Kutty; Kellie Marchak; Ian Wilson; Maria Amato; John Pollard; Darlene Erskine; Leo Verstraete; Bearl Hall; Edna Cachero; Tom Luxford; Marie Connor; Dominga Carrion; William Tam; Gloria Peralta; Edward Chan; Ernesto Hidalgo; Alex Cameron; Lawrence Cameron; Almira Steeds; Joanne McLeod; Vivian Tepoorten; Mildred Tamondong; Melody Carruthers; Roger Charbonneau; Frank Donovan; Brian Vint; Maria B & Cliff Maxwell.

If you have a relative who is sick in the hospital or at home, please let the rectory know so that we can arrange for a visit.

BULLETIN ADVERTISEMENT

Our next new bulletin advertisements will be printed from August 1st 2017. This is your opportunity to advertise your businesses in our parish Sunday bulletins. For more information, please call the parish office 604.591.2271.



CWL

Knitting/Crochet Schedule for July:

Please join us on Monday, July 10, 17, 24 and 31 in meeting room 4 from 9:15am - 11:00am. No experience necessary.

PRE-AUTHORIZED DEBIT PLAN

Parishioners can use our pre-authorized debit plan towards the Sunday collection. Those who are on pre-authorized debit plan, please continue dropping the empty Sunday collection envelopes in the collection basket. For more information please call the parish office 604.591.2271.



Please pray for the youth and Core going to YouthLeader this week for leadership training!

Next Sunday, July 16, 7pm-9pm: “Water You Doing?” Come cool off with us at our annual water games night! Please wear appropriate clothes for getting soaked, a towel and some dry clothes you can change into. You’ll also need to bring your own water propulsion device.

Upcoming: Sunday, July 30, 7pm: “Sunday, Sunday, Sundaes!” We’ll be making our own sundaes! We’ll provide the ice cream and you bring your own toppings (bring some to share too) and your favourite spoon!

IC Life Teen is open to all those who are in high school and those who just finished off their Grade 7 year.

Keep up to date and find out about upcoming events on Instagram, SnapChat, Twitter and Facebook! (iclifeteen) For more information about Youth Ministry and Life Teen, please contact Faye
p: 604.785.6729 or e: icyouthmin@gmail.com

FAREWELL TO FR. PAUL CHU & WELCOME TO FR. FRED BUTTNER

Our Parish is planning a farewell and welcome potluck dinner with our parishioners for Fr. Paul and Fr. Fred. This send off/welcome will take place on Saturday, July 15 after the 5pm Mass. **Volunteers are needed to set up before or after the event. Please include your name in the sign-up sheet in the Gathering Area. Please bring goodies to share.**

Fr. Paul would like to share his email address for those wishing to contact him: pchu@rcav.org



PARISH LIBRARY

Come into the Parish Library after Mass today to join in the Summer Reading Adventure! Read a book and enter to win! Also, can you answer this week's Quiz Question for another chance to win! Question: On which three body parts do Catholics make small signs of the cross before the Gospel is proclaimed? Correct answers receive a prize in the Library!

Visit www.icparishlibrary.com for more details.

RETREAT: EUCHARISTIC APOSTOLATE OF VANCOUVER

Title: Surviving Periods of Dryness
Spiritual Director: Father Justin Huang
Date: Saturday, 22nd July, 2017
Time: 10am to 2:30pm
Place: Our Lady of the Assumption Church
3141 Shaughnessy St., Port Coquitlam, BC
Please bring your own lunch and drinks. All are welcome!

FATIMA: MESSAGE OF HOPE FOR TODAY

Drawing on her intimate knowledge of Fatima, including a private visit with Sr. Lucia in 1992, Angelyn Dee, MA Theology, connects Fatima's history, messages, prophecies and promise to past and current world events, and, most importantly, explains why our personal response to the Blessed Mother is so urgently needed now. Join us Saturday, July 29, from 1 to 4 p.m., at Canadian Martyrs Church, Richmond.

CHURCH ANNULMENT WORKSHOP

Join us on Friday, July 21, from 7-9 pm for a workshop on Church annulment. Monsignor Bernard Rossi will discuss the purpose of church annulments, the filing process, documents and fees required and other related issues. Hosted by St. Mary's Migrant Ministry, this workshop will be held at St. Mary's school seminar room, 5239 Joyce St, Vancouver. To register, please email Lenn Castro at stmarysmigrant@gmail.com or call Chit Arma at 604.684.7498 ext. 166 or email resochoita.arma@issbc.org.

PILGRIMAGE TO HOLY LAND

October 1-9, 2017 : Holy Land Tour
October 9-11, 2017 : Jordan (optional)
Led by Fr. Patrick Tepoorten - Church of the Assumption, Powell River, BC with English speaking Catholic tour guide. For more information, visit www.aquinaspilgrimages.ca or contact Teresita Nixon at 604.868.2354/604.940.7006 or email: info@aquinasinstitute.ca

CATECHESIS OF THE GOOD SHEPHERD

Catechesis of the Good Shepherd is a Montessori-based program of Christian formation for children ages 3 through 12. The Level I course is the foundation for all three levels of the Catechesis of the Good Shepherd and aims to prepare the adults to work, to listen and to learn with children. Sign up for Level 1 – Part 1 Training today! Join us August 14-18, from 8:30am – 5:30pm at Immaculate Heart of Mary, ECE Centre, 789 Alderson Ave, Coquitlam. To register visit rcav.org/catechesis-of-the-good-shepherd-training

REGISTRATION FOR RCIA

RCIA (*Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults*) You can pre-register at the Parish office. If you or someone you know is interested in becoming a Catholic, or already Catholic and would like to learn more about their faith, or have not made their First Communion or been confirmed, then this program is for you. There is no registration fee & materials are provided. If you would like to serve the Lord as a sponsor by journeying with someone who is going through RCIA, please call the Parish Office: 604.591.2271.

GROWING IN SELF-CONFIDENCE

Have life's changes left you feeling anxious? Decisions becoming a burden? Want to feel more confident in your daily life? Growing in Self-Confidence is an evening of learning about your strengths and how you can nurture courage and confidence in your life. Tuesday, July 11, from 7pm-9:30pm at St. Nicholas Church, Langley. For more information please contact Jane Waldo at 778.997.4672.

PERMANENT DIACONATE

Do you feel called to be a Permanent Deacon? Curious about the role of the Permanent Deacons? Deacons are official teachers and preachers of the Gospel. They also share in the pastoral responsibilities of outreach, such as visiting the sick, the homebound, those imprisoned and in need. Men interested in this ordained ministry, along with their wives are invited to an introductory seminar covering the history, theology and practicalities of the Permanent Diaconate. Sessions on Saturdays on September 23, October 28 and November 19. Register at <http://stmarkscollege.ca/programs/deacon>.

FOUNTAIN LAKE PILGRIMAGE-KAMLOOPS

Enjoy a quiet family weekend of prayer, adoration and silence. Bishop Most Rev. Joseph Nguyen will have his first experience at this simple but prayerful gathering with pilgrims in the Diocese of Kamloops. Friday, August 11 starting at 5pm to Sunday, August 13 till 3pm at Fountain Lake Pilgrimage Site. Directions: Drive 15 kms North of Lillooet on Highway 99, turn right on Fountain Valley Road, 11 kilometres to campsite. Please contact Roman Catholic Diocese of Kamloops at 1.250.376.3351 or info@rcdk.org for more details.

ROSARY RALLY - VANCOUVER

Join the faithful from across the lower mainland in honouring Our Lady by praying the Rosary on Saturday, July 15 from 10am-11am at Robson Square, South Plaza of the Vancouver Art Gallery, 800 Robson Street, Vancouver. For more information, please contact David Pearce at 604.929.4812.
