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WELCOME!

If you are new in our parish, registration forms can be found on the table in front of the Sacristy when you enter from the outside doors. You may place your completed form in the collection basket at the weekend Masses or drop it off at the Parish Office. Donation envelopes will be left on that same table for the next weekend, if they are requested. Please join us for refreshments after the 8:00 & 10:00am Sunday Morning Masses in St. Joachim's Room of the Parish Centre. Please notify the Parish Office if you are moving from the parish.

SACRAMENTS

Baptism

Baptisms usually take place on the 2nd & 4th Sunday of each month at 1:15pm. A baptism course is required for parents of their first child & Godparents are welcome to attend. Registration required. Teenagers & adults are asked to contact the RCIA coordinator.

Marriage

Please contact one of the priests through the Parish Office before making any plans for your wedding. We require at least 6 months advance notice before your wedding date, since a marriage preparation course & paperwork are required.

Priesthood or Religious Life

Please contact the Vocations Office at: rcav.org/vocations

CONFESSION

Saturdays

Monday - Friday 20min before Mass 10:00am - 11:00am & 4:00pm - 4:35pm

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MASS TIMES

www.stannsabbotsford.ca

Weekends Saturday 5:00pm 8:00am, 10:00am & 12:00pm Sunday

Weekdays

Monday, Wednesday, Thursday & Fridays 8:00am . Tuesday Evenings 7:00pm (Perpetual Novena to St. Ann)

Other

Spanish Mass - 2nd Sat of mnth 7:00pm Korean Mass - Last Sat of mnth 7:00pm (served by St. Andrew Kim Parish) **First Fridays** 8:00am & 7:00pm Saturdays & Holidays 9:00am

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

8:30am - 6:50pm **First Fridays** 6:50pm - 7:00pm Benediction to follow



IMPORTANT CONTACT INFO

Altar Servers	Bob Kaszonyi	604-864-9443
Altar Society	Linda Harder	604-556-3643
Bookstore	Lucy Kaszonyi	604-852-5696
Couples for Christ	Pat & Mariz Carlos	604-853-2474
CWL-Catholic Women's League	Bev Katchmer	604-557-0309
Info Tech	Brian McNeil	it@stannsabbotsford.ca
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Knights of Columbus	Cheyanne Brinson	
Mayfair Sunshine Club	Detta Fyfe	604-855-9284
Migrant Workers	Mary Phillips	604-852-3437
One Body in Christ Praise & Worsh		604-855-9701
Outreach Bus	Parish Office	604-852-5602
Parish Education Committee	Claire Wilkie	778-928-1406
St. John Brebeuf HighSchool	Monique Navarro	604-853-3028
Parish Outreach	Carl Gomes	604-859-6729
Parish Screening Coordinator	Jody Garneau	604-852-5602
Parish Vocation Committee	Angela	604-852-5602
Preschool	JoAnn Nixon	604-852-5602
Prison Ministry & Victim Support	Gabrielle Hoffer	604-864-0745
Project Advance Fundraising	Paula Fischer	604-850-3506
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Religious Education Office	Extension 227	604-852-5602
RCIA/Adult Faith Formation	Jody Garneau	adultfaith@stannsabbotsford.ca
PREP - Children's Catechism	Jennifer Pucek	prep@stannsabbotsford.ca
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Welcome

come to St. Ann's Parish! We are

happy that you have joined us as we celebrate the greatest feast of the Christian calendar - THE RESURRECTION OF THE LORD! We invite you to join us next Sunday as well—Divine Mercy Sunday. We will celebrate this feast day with a special Adoration Service at 3:00 p.m.



NOVENA TO THE DIVINE MERCY CONTINUES APRIL 17TH TO APRIL 22ND: MONDAY, WEDNESDAY, THURSDAY, FRIDAY & SATURDAY after the morning Mass, TUESDAY after the 7:00 p.m. MASS.

The Parenting Teenagers Course

Is it time to invest in your family? There is still room to sign up and join the Family Group as they learn to parent teens and younger children who will one day be teens. This is a really worthwhile opportunity for all parents. Enjoy a date night each week: a delicious dinner, followed by a great parenting program and discussion with other parents facing the same issues.

Last year's Parenting Children Course was excellent and enjoyed by all participants!

Dates: April 21st & 28th, May 5th, 12th & 26th (no session on May long weekend) Come to as many sessions as you are able.

Time: 6:30-9:00pm

Cost: \$20 per person (This fee includes a guest manual and dinner for **all five sessions**.)

To register: <u>http://rcav.org/event/alpha-parentingteens/</u> or sign up at the parish office.

For more info: <u>stannsfamilygroup@gmail.com</u> or call 604-683-0281 ext. 50221

Welcome to St. Ann's Parish

Our Vision Statement: to be a Christ-centered community of missionary disciples.

Our Mission Statement: to work and pray to be a welcoming, Eucharistic community that spreads the good news of Christ. We each strive to share our gifts within and beyond the parish for the glory of God.

This Week at St. Ann's



After all the Masses today in the Parish Centre

PARISH OFFICE IS CLOSED MONDAY. MASS will be celebrated at 9:00 a.m.

MOM'S & TOTS is cancelled for this Monday.

CWL MEETING: Ladies please join us on *Monday, April 17th at* 7:00 p.m. in St. Joachim room for our monthly meeting. Upcoming Events to discuss: Fashion Show & Tea, 12 Hour Prayer for Palliative Care, Marian Display, Bake Sale at Spring Fair (containers available for pickup) plus much more.

ONE BODY IN CHRIST PRAYER MEETING: meets every Thursday evening at 7:30 p.m. in St. Joachim room.

MASS will be celebrated at the Cottage Pavilion on *Friday, April* 21st at 4:00 p.m.

MASS will be celebrated, *Sunday, April 23rd at 4:00 p.m.* in the Sacred Space at Abbotsford Regional Hospital.

St. Ann's Catholic Community welcomes DOMINIC MCKINNON

(MARCH 18TH) & AUSTIN HEDRICK (APRIL 9TH) who were received into the Catholic Faith through the Sacrament of Baptism.

2016-2017 RCIA PROGRAM

Welcome to the Church! At Easter Vigil, two adults were baptized and one was brought into full communion with the Catholic Church. They have journeyed with the RCIA program during this year. Please welcome the newly baptized: **Vanessa Chen and Teresa Rosa**! And the new Catholic **Feldi Castillo.** Pray for them as they begin this new life in Christ!

Would you like to grow in your relationship with Jesus Christ? Do you know someone who might want to know more about Jesus and the Catholic Church? This is WHY our parish has invested in **FORMED** – that each of us might grow in our relationship with Jesus Christ and in our desire to share our faith with others, especially those closest to us.

FORMED is a fantastic website that has been called a "Catholic Netflix," with inspiring movies and video-based programs, audio presentations, and e-books from the Church's most compelling speakers and authors. We hope that you are using FORMED or will try it out in the coming weeks. If you have not created your login, it is very easy to do!

To log on go to formed.org -- **Use our Parish Code G3WXM6** Register for the parish subscription (not personal) -- you will get access to more things.

RESURRECTION OF THE LORD

MASS INTENTIONS FOR Apr 17th to Apr 23td, 2017

Monday 9:00am Lolita & Peter Kooy, int.

Tuesday7:00pmDave & Olive Loeppky, rip.

Wednesday

8:00am Jean Pilla, rip.

Thursday

8:00am Maddy & Jay Jay, int.

Friday

8:00am Mrs. Rene van Dokkumberg, rip.

Saturday

9:00am Anselm Oswald D'Souza, rip.5:00pm Walburga Sehn, rip.

Sunday

8:00am Intentions for the Parish 10:00am Ann Thibeault, rip. Noon Rosemary MacMillan, rip.

Feast Days & Readings Apr 17th to Apr 23rd, 2017

Monday Acts 2:14, 22-33; Matthew 28:8-15

Tuesday Acts 2:36-41; John 20:11-18

Wednesday Acts 3:1-10; Luke 24:13-35

Thursday Acts 3:11-26; Luke 24:35-48

Friday Acts 4:1-12; John 21:1-14

Saturday Acts 4:13-21; Mark 16:9-15

Sunday–Divine Mercy Sunday Acts 2:42-47; 1 Peter 1:3-9; John 20:19-31

APRIL 16TH, 2017



Tickets \$5

Tickets available at the office and after all Masses next weekend April 22nd & 23rd. That will be the last chance to purchase tickets

Please remember in your prayers the repose of the soul of JOSEPH MADDALOZZO who passed away. His Funeral Mass will be

celebrated on Friday, April 21st at 10:30am

YOUTH MINISTRY'S UPCOMING EVENTS:

April 22: LifeTeen (Gr. 8-12)

God has given us the gift of a conscience so that we can know the difference between right and wrong. To live the life that Jesus calls us to, we must allow Him to teach our conscience so that we can trust our judgment. In this Life Night we will look at how we can form our conscience and how this formation is part of our Christian life. Through games, talks, and much more, we will explore our theme "The Drive of Your Life."

GRADS: Just a little over a month before the deadline to get your application in for a CWL \$1000 bursary. Don't let this opportunity slip through your fingers. **Please return forms to St. Ann's Parish Office c/o Louise Young by May 19, 2017.**

CONGRATULATIONS to our parishioners **Sumjana Galay** and **Gerard Corr!** They are grade 11 students at Abby Senior just finishing the first year of the two-year International Baccalaureate (IB) Diploma Programme – and two of four students in the province to recently win British Columbia Association of International Baccalaurelate World Schools (BCAIBWS) scholarships to the IB World School Conference in London, England this summer. Sumjana and Gerard will join other students from around the world at King's College London, one of the world's top 25 universities, to examine the topic "Well-being in a healthy world: personal responsibility and global health." Well done! We'll all be praying you, have a safe trip and wonderful learning experience.

A BIG THANK YOU to the group of **CWL** ladies who scrubbed all day cleaning the church, the Family room and St. Monica's lounge. No statue, window, chair or carpet was missed. A job very well done!

St Ann's PREP Program is looking for a **Korean speaking teacher** who is willing to volunteer their Wednesday evenings from *6:30-7:45 September 2017-May 2018* teaching ESL students the Catholic Faith. This would be for a "catch-up" style class, with students of Grades 2-7. Think this could be an area you could help with? Please email Jennifer Pucek at prep@stannsabbotsford.ca for more information.

2017 Spring Fair May Long Weekend (May 19-20)

SPRING FAIR UPDATE:

Vendor forms for 2017 Spring Fair (May 19-20) are available at the office. Space is limited so sign up early! Crafters, vendors, and others are welcome to book a table. Tables are \$45 each.

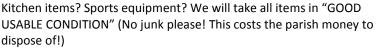
Calling all FARMERS!!! Do you have connections to plants, produce,



eggs, dairy, or other FARMERS MARKET items? Soil, garden supplies, etc. It is all suitable for the Farmers Market! Are you interested in helping us with collecting donations? Contact Jody through the office. We also need a Farmers Market coordinator. All proceeds go to

the building fund and Syrian family sponsored by our parish. We have a donation letter you can have for any people you are approaching.

COLLECT YOUR DONATIONS: We will start accepting donations on **Sat May 13 – May 18**. But now is a good time to go through your items to prepare. Do you have extra towels? Linens? Books? Clothing?



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