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5TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME - FEBRUARY 8TH - 9TH, 2025

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MASS TIMES

ENGLISH: Sun: 8:00 am, 10:00 am, 12:00 pm | Mon, Wed,
 Thurs & Fri: 8:00 am | Tues: 7:00 pm | Sat: 9am, 5:00 pm
 (Anticipation Mass) | Holidays: 9:00 am

SPANISH: Sun: 1:30pm | Wed: 7pm | 2nd Sat: 7:30pm

KOREAN: Last Sat: 7pm

ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

1st Fri: 8:30am – 6:30pm; Benediction: 6:30pm – 6:40pm;
 Mass: 7pm

SACRAMENTS

CONFESSION: Mon – Fri: 20min before each Mass
 Sat: 10:00am – 11:00am & 4 – 4:35pm or by appointment
CONFIRMATION: PREP/RCIA visit stannsabbotsford.ca
BAPTISM, MATRIMONY, ANOINTING, HOLY ORDERS:
 Contact Parish Office

WEEKLY READINGS

Feb 9 - 5th Sunday in Ordinary Time: Isaiah 6.1-2a, 3-8; 1
 Corinthians 15.1-11 OR 1 Corinthians 15.3-8, 11; Luke 5.1-
 11

Feb 10 - St Scholastica, Virgin Memorial - Genesis 1.1-19;
 Mark 6.53-56

Feb 11 - Genesis 1.20-2.4a; Mark 7.1-13

Feb 12 - Genesis 2.4b-9, 15-17; Mark 7.14-23

Feb 13 - Genesis 2.18-25; Mark 7.24-30

Feb 14 - St Cyril, Monk, and St Methodius, Bishop Memorial
 - Genesis 3.1-8; Mark 7.31-37

Feb 15 - Genesis 3.9-24; Mark 8.1-10

Feb 16 - 6th Sunday in Ordinary Time - Jeremiah 17.5-8; 1
 Corinthians 15.12, 16-20; Luke 6.17, 20-26

MASS INTENTIONS

Sunday, February 9, 2025

8am For the repose of the soul of Cesar Francisco
 10am For the intention of Ben Hume
 12pm For the intention of Monica Roddis
 1:30pm For the repose of the soul of Maureen Creaney

Monday, February 10, 2025

8am For the repose of the soul of Fr Donald Neilson

Tuesday, February 11, 2025

7pm For the intention of Rose Funtanaras-Rovensky

Wednesday, February 12, 2025

8am For the intention of Noli Buyco
 7pm For the repose of the soul of Maria Alegria

Thursday, February 13, 2025

8am For the repose of the soul of Silveria & Angelino Valdez

Friday, February 14, 2025

8am For the repose of the soul of Esther Lucas

Saturday, February 15, 2025

9am For the repose of the soul of Dina Bancosta
 5pm For the repose of the soul of Henry Lemieux

Sunday, February 16, 2025

8am For the repose of the soul of Peter Francison
 10am For the repose of the soul of Irene Mituta
 12pm For the intention of the Parish
 1:30pm For the intention of A.D. Devassia

IMPORTANT DATES

Sunday, February 9th

- Pancake Breakfast - After 8am & 10am Mass - Gym

Monday, February 10th

- Ukrainian Dancing - 5pm - St Joachim & Front Gym
- CCC - St. Teresa - 7pm

Tuesday, February 11th

- Moms & Tots - St Monica - 9am
- KofC Gen Meeting - 7pm - St Joachim
- Zumba - Gym - 8pm

Wednesday, February 12th

- PREP - 6:45pm
- Grupo de Oracion - 8pm - Church/St Monica

Thursday, February 13th

- Legion of Mary - Men (Korean) - St Teresa - 11am
- Sunshine Club - Bingo - St Joachim
- Faith Enrichment - St Monica - 7pm
- Zumba - Gym - 8pm

Friday, February 14th

- Legion of Mary - Women (Korean) - St Joachim - 9am
- Rosary Making - St Monica - 9am

Saturday, February 15th

- COR - 7am - St Monica
- St. Joseph's Bereavement Support Program - St Teresa - 9am
- CWL Gen Meeting - 10am - St Joachim

WELCOME TO ST. ANN'S PARISH

If you are new in our parish, registration forms can be found at the back of the Church.

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MESSAGE FROM FR. JAIME AGUILA

Trusting in God - To be a Christian, certain qualities are needed. To follow Jesus, to commit to Him, to leave the nets (so many nets that often envelop us), a man must have a special way of being. There is no need for special talent, or brilliant qualities, or to stand out for beauty or prestige. No. Nothing of the sort. What is needed is to be like Peter appears in today's Gospel scene:

You need to be a man - or a woman - capable of trusting Jesus. And this is not easy at all. It must not have been easy for Peter, a seasoned and experienced fisherman, to cast his nets in broad daylight, when he knew perfectly well that fish are caught at night and that night had been a resounding failure. It must not have been easy for Peter, and he said so in astonishment. But he cast his net. He trusted Jesus, who - Peter would think - did not know a word about fishing, and he was clearly demonstrating it.

Fr. Jaime

ARCHBISHOP MILLER'S PASTORAL LETTER ON THE JUBILEE OF HOPE: Archbishop Miller has released a pastoral letter for the 2025 Jubilee Year of Hope, encouraging all Catholics in the Archdiocese to renew their faith and trust in God. He highlights the importance of hope in difficult times and offers simple ways to live this Jubilee year, such as prayer, acts of kindness, and making a pilgrimage. Read the full letter at <https://rcav.org/jubilee-2025>

ST. JOSEPH'S BEREAVEMENT SUPPORT PROGRAM: a 8-week support group for Parents of Infant and Pregnancy Loss. Come to our 8 week closed support group beginning Saturdays Feb 8th 2025 – 9:30 to 11:30 a.m. Held at St. Ann's Parish. Registration limited to 6 parents. Cost of materials and book \$35. To register or for information contact Carla Vangool 604-308-0050 or carlavan@shaw.ca

HUMAN TRAFFICKING IN BC: You are invited to attend a special presentation on Human Trafficking in BC and Canada on Saturday, March 1st, 9:30 am - Noon at St. Ann's Parish Centre. The speaker is Glendale Gerrard, founder of Defend Dignity, an organization that advocates for law and policy reform with all levels of government. Hosted by St. Ann's CWL. Refreshments will be served. Bring a friend. Come and be informed.

WEEKEND GETAWAY MARRIAGE CONFERENCE: This conference is uniquely designed to enrich your relationship. The atmosphere is relaxed, warm and fun. Hear from real couples doing real life together God's way. Take time to process what you're learning, and together, build a joyful marriage that lasts a lifetime. Friday, February 21 through Sunday February 23 at Fairmont Empress, Victoria. Register for \$299 by February 19 at behold-vancouver.org/events Register with promo code "RCAVIC" for \$199 before February 9.

WORLD DAY OF THE SICK: Archbishop Miller, CSB will celebrate Mass for World Day of the Sick for those who suffer from illness and for their caregivers. Tuesday, February 11 at 11:00 a.m. at Our Lady of Sorrows Parish, Vancouver. Reception will follow. Learn more at rcav.org/wds2025.

MIGRANT FARMWORKERS MINISTRY is currently in need of winter coats, sweaters, hoodies and gloves as they are all working outside and it is very cold right now. Migrant farm worker ministry would like to provide an update to the parish on some of our activities in 2024. We provided 13.62 tons of food for migrant farm workers. We assisted 2,720 farm workers and greeted 518 farm workers with welcome bags in 2024. We would like to thank all those involved in volunteering and assisting in our ministry.

FEBRUARY 8TH - 9TH, 2025

MOMS & TOTS: Tuesday morning between 9-10:30am in St. Monica's room. This is a casual time to connect and for your little ones (0-5yrs) to play. For more information contact Margaret (604-302-9897)

COR All men are invited to join us for our men's Cor gathering, Sat Feb 15th 7:00-8:30 am. For more info or to RSVP email stannscor@gmail.com

SPIRITUAL CARE TRAINING WORKSHOP: This 8-week training course teaches how to make yourself more available to seniors and others who can benefit from your genuine concern and presence in their lives. Some topics covered include aging, communication, boundaries, and self-care. The course will be offered online with small discussion groups. Beginning Thursday, February 13, 1:30 - 4:00 p.m. through April 4. Register by February 13 at beholdvancouver.org/events.

ATTENTION YOUNG PEOPLE AGED 9 TO 14: The Knights of Columbus Council 6767, is once again sponsoring the annual Basketball Free Throw competition. It takes place, Wednesday Feb 26 at St. James and St. Ann's elementary school gym. Starting time is 2:30 pm but allowances are made for those who need to be a few minutes late. Those attending will be scored on 15 freethrow attempts at the basket, with gold, silver and bronze medals given to the top 3 of each age and gender. The competition is exciting and always done in a spirit of friendship and good sportsmanship. For answers to any questions please email gdelong1@shaw.ca

WEEKLY PRAYER MEETINGS ON ZOOM: Come and join us on Zoom on Thursday evenings from 7:30-9:00 to praise and worship the Lord with music, scripture, sharing and prayer intentions. Everyone is welcome. Come and see. For more information, call Anna Wauthy at 778-240-3226. Please email us to receive the Zoom Passcode at wauthy@shaw.ca or phone us at 778-240-3226. If you are not able to attend but need prayer, please contact us, and we will pray for you.

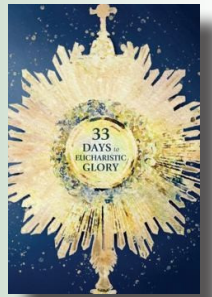
CALLING ALL MARRIED COUPLES: Together for Good Workshop: One day could change your marriage! The Archdiocese is happy to offer the Together for Good Marriage Workshop - a video series by FamilyLife Canada. The Together for Good Marriage Workshop will give couples tools, exercises and guided conversations to help them grow a healthier, more joy-filled and resilient marriage. This is a workshop exclusively for married couples. Saturday, February 22, 9:30 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. at Our Lady of the Assumption Parish Hall in Port Coquitlam. Register by February 14 at beholdvancouver.org/events.

THE MONK AND THE POPE: Pope Francis affirming Thomas Merton's vision of interfaith dialogue and unity Throughout his papacy, Pope Francis has highlighted Thomas Merton as one of America's moral prophets, embracing a culture of dialogue that built bridges to a greater unity. Join this inspiring discussion on the thought-provoking lecture by Dr. Michael W. Higgins, former President of St. Mark's College. Monday, February 10, 7:00 - 9:00 p.m. at St. Mark's College, Vancouver. Learn more and register at beholdvancouver.org/events.

LIFE IN THE SPIRIT SEMINAR - ST. FRANCIS DE SALES PARISH: This seminar is designed as an introduction to a life lived in the power of the Holy Spirit. It provides an opportunity for people to find out more about that life, and to be helped in taking the first steps of a new relationship with the Lord. At St. Francis de Sales Parish in Burnaby every Wednesday at 7p.m. from Feb. 19 to Apr. 9, 2025. Register by February 17 at beholdvancouver.org/events.

Book of the Month

33 Days to Eucharistic Glory by Matthew Kelly



33 Days to Eucharistic Glory is the first ever Eucharistic Consecration guide. This unprecedented spiritual resource presents profound truths, astonishing historical facts, powerful practical examples, a daily virtue to adopt, extraordinary prayers, and inspiring stories all in an easy to read daily format.



JUBILEE YEAR 2025

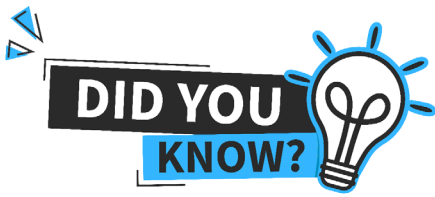
A Jubilee Year is celebrated by the universal Church every 25 years, dedicated to encouraging the faithful to embark on pilgrimages, repent of their sins, forgive others, and renew their focus on spiritual life. Learn more about this special year, stay updated with the latest news, and explore how you can participate at rcav.org/jubilee



REFLECTION

"Then I heard the voice of the Lord saying, 'Whom shall I send? Who will go for us?' 'Here I am,' I said, 'send me!'" (Isaiah 6:8)

Every day, in little ways and in big ways, God asks, "Whom shall I send?" Whether it is someone to take on a new ministry, to give a friendly smile to a stranger or to say a word of encouragement to a friend, God constantly provides opportunities to help someone in need. God is always talking to us; we just need to pay more attention. When you hear God calling have the courage to walk through the door and say, "Here I am, Lord."



We are in Ordinary Time — the season between Advent and Christmas and Lent and Easter. Ordinary Time is a time for growth and maturation, a time in which the mystery of Christ is called to penetrate ever more deeply into history until all things are finally caught up in Christ.

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