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

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

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

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

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament
First Fridays 8:30am - 6:50pm
Benediction to follow 6:50pm - 7:00pm

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 604-557-0308
Info Tech Brian McNeil it@stannsabbotsford.ca
Knights of Columbus Cheyanne Brinson 604-744-8555
Mayfair Sunshine Club Detta Fyfe 604-855-9284
Migrant Workers Mary Phillips 604-852-3437
One Body in Christ Praise & Worship Ken/Mena Beach 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
Prolife Reps. Anna & Benoit Wauthy 604-852-6198
Religious Education Office Extension 227 604-852-5602
RCIA/Adult Faith Formation Jody Garneau adultfaith@stannsabbotsford.ca
PREP - Children’s Catechism Jennifer Pucke prep@stannsabbotsford.ca
St. Vincent de Paul George Sweeney 604-852-5602
Young Adults Group Therese fvccatholicay@outlook.com
Widow’s Group Matilde Carrao 604-850-1782
Youth Ministry Kirsten van der Buhs youthministry@stannsabbotsford.ca
**Penitential Services—7:00 p.m.**

**For the Fraser Valley Deanery**

**Monday, April 10th**

St. Joachim & Ann

**Tuesday, April 11th**

St. Mary’s, Chilliwack

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**Pancake Breakfast** will be prepared today by the Knights of Columbus after the 8 & 10 am Masses.

**Charity of Divine Mercy and Vespers** on Sunday, April 9th at 3:00 p.m. in the Sacred Space at Abbotsford Regional Hospital. Please join us in praying for the Doctors, Nurses, hospital workers, and most especially the patients and their families.

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**One Body in Christ Prayer Meeting:** is cancelled for this week only.

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The Catholic Women’s League is hosting the “Poor Man’s Supper” following the Good Friday service on April 14th. Cost is $5.00 at the door. Menu will be the usual Soup and Sandwiches. All profits will go to charity. We thank you in advance for your support and look forward to seeing you there.

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An **Easter Dinner** will be prepared on Sunday, April 16th at 4:00 p.m. in the Parish Centre for all those who are single, widowed or have no family close by to celebrate this feast day with. RSVP to Zoltan at 604-226-3457 by April 13th. They will be serving Turkey & Ham with all the trimmings. By donation.

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The new eligible **LECTORS and EMHC Schedules** for Easter week and after with dates April 22-23 weekend are available for pickup in the Sacristy.

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**Holy Week Schedule**

**April 12th to April 16th**

**St. Ann’s Parish**

**Chris Mass:** Wednesday, April 12th at 5:00 p.m., at Holy Rosary Cathedral.

**Holy Thursday:** April 13th - The Lord’s Last Supper - 7:00 p.m. with the washing of the feet, followed by Adoration of the Real Presence of our Lord ending at midnight with the Divine Office Night Prayer.

**Good Friday:**

**April 14th**

**STATIONS OF THE CROSS - 11:00 A.M.**

**GOOD FRIDAY SERVICE - 3:00 P.M.**

**POOR MAN’S SUPPER - to follow the Passion in Parish Centre**

**NOVENA TO THE DIVINE MERCY - 6:00 P.M.**

**STATIONS OF THE CROSS IN SPANISH - 7:00 P.M.**

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**BLESSING OF THE EASTER FOODS - 11:00 A.M.**

*(RECEPTION TO FOLLOW IN PARISH CENTRE HALL)*

**Easter Vigil:**

**Saturday, April 15th, 9:00 p.m.**

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**NOVENA TO THE DIVINE MERCY - after the 8:00 A.M. Mass**

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**April 17th, 9:00 A.M.**

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**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? Kitchen items? Sports equipment? We will take all items in “GOOD Usable Condition” (no junk please! This costs the parish money to dispose of).
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