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TRANSFIGURATION OF THE LORD

THIS WEEK AT ST. ANN'S

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS MEETING:
Tuesday, August 8th, 8:00 p.m. in St. Joachim room.

MASS will be celebrated at the Mayfair Seniors Home on *Thursday, August 10th at 10:00 a.m.*

ONE BODY IN CHRIST PRAYER MEETING: Thursday evenings at *7:30 p.m.* in St. Monica's lounge.

MASS will be celebrated at Maplewood House on *Friday, August 11th at 4:00 pm*

HISPANIC MASS will be celebrated on *Saturday, August 12th at 7:00 p.m.* Reception to follow.

CHAPLET OF DIVINE MERCY AND VESPERS on *Sunday, August 13th 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.

PREP (Parish Religious Education Program) is designed for students in grades K-7 to further their Religious Education. The program assists children in learning and deepening their Catholic Faith as well as receiving the Sacraments. Students only need to attend PREP if they do not attend Catholic school. Registration is now OPEN. Forms are available on the parish website or by the office. This program runs on volunteers to teach in the classrooms. Manuals and lessons plans are already laid out and a curriculum is set for the year. Classes run mid-Sept to May on Wednesday evenings. The program is in need of a few more volunteers for each class as well as on a part time basis for substituting. Teaching experience is an asset but not necessary. If this is an area of interest or a way you feel you would like to help in our Parish, please contact Jennifer Pucek at prep@stannsabbotsford.ca before the end of August.

MASS INTENTIONS FOR AUGUST 7TH – AUGUST 13TH

Monday	9:00am	Marie Serpanchy, rip.
Tuesday	7:00pm	Betty Dean-Freeman, rip.
Wednesday	8:00am	Fernanda Candidio, rip.
Thursday	8:00am	Joseph Britto, rip.
Friday	8:00am	John Heathe, rip.
Saturday	9:00am	Jason & Brianna Elvina, int
	5:00pm	Roman Glowka, rip
Sunday	8:00am	Lolita Kooy, int.
	10:00am	Walburga Sehn, rip.
	12:00pm	Intentions for the Parish

REFUGEE FAMILY ARRIVING SOON

1) They are a family of 5 with three children aged 14, 13 and 8. They will need a large **TWO OR THREE BEDROOM SUITE**. If anyone has one available call Ken at 604-614-0087.

2) In order to complete the home for our family, we are asking for donations of gift cards to purchase the final items needed. The **GIVING TREE** is set up in the Parish Centre. Please return all cards to the Parish Office or put them in the Sunday collection. Thank you for your generosity!

PILGRIMAGE to the Grotto of our Lady of Lourdes, Fraser River Heritage Park, Mission, **Saturday, August 19th. Confession from 10:00am to 1:00pm, Mass at 1:00 pm**, Please bring your own picnic lunch and chairs.

FEAST DAYS & READINGS AUGUST 7TH - AUGUST 13TH

Monday	Number 11:4b-15; Matthew 14:22-36
Tuesday-St. Dominic	Numbers 12:1-13; Matthew 15:1-2, 10-14
Wednesday	Numbers 13:1-2,25-33;14:1-2b,26-29,34-35++; Matthew 15:21-28
Thursday-St. Lawrence	2 Corinthians 9:6-10; John 12:24-28
Friday-St. Clare	Deuteronomy 4:32-40; Matthew 16:24-28
Saturday	Deuteronomy 6:4-13; Matthew 17:14-20
Sunday-19th Sunday in Ordinary Time	1 Kings 19:9, 11-13; Romans 9:1-5; Matthew 14:22-33

ALPHA: St Ann's Parish, begins Thursday, Sept 14 @ 6 pm; starts with dinner.

ALPHA HELPER TRAINING on Saturday, August 12th at 10 am - 12 noon (light breakfast provided). Come and bring friends! We are looking for 24 table leaders plus more for promotion & publicity, greeting, music, babysitting, prayer, food, clean up, and IT. If you've done Alpha – we need you! If you haven't done Alpha – we need you! Come and be a part of this parish-wide initiative for Fall 2017.

Who Am I? Are you longing to Discover the richness within yourself? Improve your relationships? Increase your happiness and productivity?

PRH (Personality & Human Relations) Workshop with Fr John McCarthy is being offered for St Ann's community. Location: Spirit of Formation House, 24283 – 16th Avenue, Langley, BC. Date/Time: **September 1st–4th, 9:00 am – 5:00 p.m.**

PARISH OFFICE IS CLOSED ON MONDAY, AUGUST 7TH. MORNING MASS WILL BE CELEBRATED AT 9:00 A.M. THAT DAY.

