**News of Christ.** We each strive to share our gifts within and uphold a welcoming, Eucharistic community that spreads the good news of Christ. We are family bond, education, freedom, and faith. Continued...

**Conversion**

During the difficult time hiding from the communist, John had different satisfactions to values, even for value against satisfaction when he was able to go to Church with his family or the God that he talked to. The awareness of our own need for others was the motivation force behind these behaviours.

It was when they were “stripped naked” of their lives that they could do for others. A senior couple who had an empty dilapidated home on their farm behind, packed the essentials, and took the children to a rice farm in the Southern part of Vietnam near the Mekong River. There they changed their names and lived on God’s providence.

**An unexpected purification came when the war between the**

**Philanthropic Stage / Psycho-spiritual**

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**This Week at St. Ann's**

**2nd Collection** this weekend, January 27th & 28th to help towards building up our Syrian Family fund (for rent, food and living expenses for a year).

**Mass** will be celebrated, Sunday, January 28th at 4:00 p.m. in the Sacred Space at Abbotsford Regional Hospital.

**Women's Recreation** with a priest of Opus Dei: Monday, January 29th at 7:00 p.m. in the Church. All ladies are welcome to attend.

**St. Vincent de Paul Meeting:** Thursday, February 1st at 7:00 p.m. in St. Theresa’s room.

**One Body in Christ Prayer Meeting:** Thursday evenings at 7:30 p.m. in St. Joachim room.

First Friday Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament will be held on Friday, February 2nd after morning Mass, ending with Prayers for Vocations at 6:30 p.m., Benediction at 6:45 p.m. and then Mass at 7:00 p.m. Please come and spend some quiet time with our Lord in prayer and thanksgiving.

Welcome All!

Welcome All Kids ages 3 to 5 and children from grades 1 to 4 to our Kids for Jesus Program held on Saturday, February 3rd from 10:00am-12:00 pm. in St. Joachim room.

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**Tickets on Sale:** $20 - after all the Masses this weekend

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**4th Degree Knights of Columbus**

**Next Saturday, February 3rd, at St. Ann's Parish Centre**

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His ideal-self or more particular his personal ideal was to become a good self-giving person with an education to help and free those who are suffering in his country. Obviously the dialectic between these personal ideal-self and his actual circumstances self make it hard to come to realization because of the limitation created by the Communists. John was not free.

His relationship with God at this time was not consistent. God to him was [him], so it is intuitive ideal because for John He was more of a set of “do-s and don’t-s”. He was the God that John met when he was able to go to Church with his family or the God that he talked to when he came to family prayer time. John manipulated His God and loves Him when what he asked was being answered and hated Him when things were not going well. It was dialectic between the subjective “me” and the objective God that John wanted to be in control and not God. The actual self was still dominating in John.

B. LONEGAN, Method in Theology, 240.
C. A. CENCINI – A. MANENTI, Psychology and formation: Structures and Dynamic, 175.

**Mass Intentions for Jan. 29th to Feb. 4th, 2018**

**Monday** 8:00am Gerry Nagy, int.
7:00pm Kay Sanderson, int.
8:00am Peter Kaszonyi, rip.
8:00am Hilda Leier, rip.
8:00am Riky Otto, int.
7:00pm Maria Bassani, int.
Saturday 9:00am Matilde Carrao, int.
5:00pm Fran Fredette & Family int.
Sunday 8:00am Lorne & Sheila Donaldson, int.
10:00am Intentions for the Parish
8:00am St. Elizabeth De Guzman, int.

**Youth Ministry Activities**

**Youth Alpha [Gr. 5-7 & Gr. 8-12] - Starting January 27th**

Youth Alpha focuses on our personal relationship with God and our faith and is a wonderful program for anyone wishing to develop a deeper connection. The program will run weekly at our normal time on Saturdays from 6-8pm. Alpha (for 18+, Parents, grandparents, etc) will also run at the same time (Contact Jody Garneau regarding the adult program and babysitting). Dinner is provided and there no cost to attend! This would be a wonderful experience for the whole family and I highly encourage you to join us. We will be dividing the group into age groups for videos, discussions, games, and more. Contact Kirsten at youthministry@stannsabbotsford.ca for more information.

**Youth Ministry Study Team**

We are excited to announce that on Tuesdays and Thursdays from 5:45-6:45pm LifeTeen is starting a homework group. If there is a subject that you are struggling with and you would like some help feel free to come by and join us. Email Kirsten if you would like more information and let us know if you have a subject you would like us to cover.

**If anyone would be interested in volunteering to help with this program please contact Kirsten.**

Any one registered for the ONE Conference is asked to please call Leo at the Parish Office on Monday.

**Feast Days & Readings**

**Jan. 29th to Feb. 4th, 2018**

**Monday**
2 Samuel 18:9-10,14b,24-26a,30—19:3+; Mark 5:1-20

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**Wednesday-St. John Bosco**
2 Samuel 24:2-9,17; Mark 6:1-6

**Thursday**
1 Kings 2:1-4, 10-12; Mark 6:7-13

**Friday-Presentation of the Lord**

**Saturday**
1 Kings 3:8-13; Mark 6:30-34

**Sunday-Sunday in Ordinary Time: Job 7:1-4, 6-7, 1 Corinthians 9:16-19,22-23; Mark 1:29-39**

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**Please remember in your prayers the repose of the souls of Peter CAVACEIC whose Funeral Mass will be celebrated on Thursday, February 1st at 11:00 a.m. & Mary SIERPINA whose Funeral Mass will be celebrated on Friday, February 2nd at 11:00 a.m. with prayers on Thursday evening at 7:00 p.m.**

**Childcare Substitute Needed**
The Endowm women's study group is looking for a substitute childcare helper to fill in occasionally if their regular childcare helpers are away/sick. The group will be meeting every second Wednesday, from 9:30-11:30 am, from February-May.

If you enjoy working with young children and might be able to volunteer your time occasionally please contact Ellen (778-908-5748) or Katy (604-996-5351). Thank you!
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