**THIS WEEK AT ST. ANN’S**

**MASS** will be celebrated on **today, July 22nd at 4:00 p.m.** in the Sacred Space at Abbotsford Regional Hospital.

**WOMEN’S RECOLLECTION** with a priest from Opus Dei: **Monday, July 23rd at 7:00 p.m.** in the Family room.

**BRASS CLEANING:** We are asking for your help on **Wednesday, July 25th** after morning Mass in the back of the gym. Thank you.

**MASS** will be celebrated at MSA Manor on **Wednesday, July 25th at 2:30 p.m.**

**COMMUNION SERVICE** will be held on **Thursday, July 26th at 10:00 a.m.**, at the Mayfair Seniors Home.

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

**MASS** will be celebrated at the Menno Hospital Chapel on **Friday, July 27th at 10:00am.**

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**CWL SISTERS:** If you are interested in writing your story of immigrating to Canada, you still have time to drop it off at the parish office. Bev is honored to take them to the National Convention in August from our council.

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It is back! **ST. ANN’S CHRISTMAS MARKET November 2nd & 3rd.** There will be a “Pie Sale” as part of this year’s market. We are looking for donations of fruit for the pies so if you have any extra fruit (esp. blueberries) please clean and freeze. The Pie Making Bee will be in mid to late October. **Volunteers** are needed **now** to help with planning. Please contact the Parish Office if you can help.

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Looking for a couple of **VOLUNTEERS** to go up on the Parish Centre roof to sweep off needles and branches and to clean the gutters before we begin painting. Please call the Parish Office 604-852-5602.

**MASS INTENTIONS FOR JULY 23RD – JULY 29TH**

**Monday**
- 8:00am Cheryl Graham, rip.

**Tuesday**
- 7:00pm Ed Bellefontaine, rip.

**Wednesday**
- 8:00am Marie Hlusek, rip.

**Thursday**
- 8:00am Jose Carrao, rip.

**Friday**
- 8:00am Elma Puhl, rip.

**Saturday**
- 9:00am Leo Ilomin, int.
- 5:00pm Henry & Angele Lemieux, int.

**Sunday**
- 8:00am Emma Czerwinski, rip.
- 10:00am Intentions for the Parish
- noon Giovanni Sartor, rip.

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**We now have an AED which is located in the hallway between the Parish Centre and Religious Education Office. An automated external defibrillator (AED) is a portable electronic device that automatically diagnoses life-threatening cardiac arrhythmias and is able to treat them through defibrillation, the application of electricity which stops the arrhythmia, allowing the heart to reestablish an effective rhythm. With simple audio and visual commands, AEDs are designed to be simple to use for the layperson.***

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**ST. ANN’S FEAST DAY PICNIC: Sunday, July 29th @ 3:00 p.m.** There will be a bouncy castle, treats, face painting, soccer game and hamburgers and hot dogs. Please bring a salad, fruit tray or dessert as well as your own chairs, plates, cups and utensils. We will be showing the family movie “Paddington 2” to end the festivities.

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**PREP INFO:** Volunteer teachers are needed to help in the classes for the next school year. Contact Jennifer via email prep@stannsabbotsford.ca

**FEAST DAYS & READINGS JULY 23RD – JULY 29TH**

**Monday**
- Micah 6:1-4, 6-8; Matthew 12:38-42

**Tuesday**
- Micah 7:14-15, 18-20; Matthew 12:46, 48-50+

**Wednesday-St. James**
- 2 Corinthians 4:7-15; Matthew 20:20-28

**Thursday-St. Anne & St. Joachim**
- Sirach 44:1, 8, 10-15; Matthew 13:16-17

**Friday**
- Jeremiah 3:14-17; Matthew 13:18-23

**Saturday**
- Jeremiah 7:1-11; Matthew 13:24-30

**Sunday-17th Sunday in Ordinary Time**
- 2 Kings 4:42-44; Ephesians 4:1-6; John 6:1-15

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**SURVEY OF DAYCARE NEEDS OF ST. ANN’S AND ST. JAMES’ PARISHES**

Dear Parents / Parishioners,

St. Ann’s Parish is proposing to open a Catholic Daycare in the Parish Center in the fall of 2019, to accommodate the needs of the families of St. Ann’s and St. James. This is NOT intended to replace the existing preschool at St. Ann’s. **Please complete the survey by July 30, 2018** at the following link. **https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/3NNDKD6**

Thank you for taking the time to fill out this survey. St. Ann’s Parish and The Carmelite Sisters.

**VOLUNTEERS needed: To PREP &/or paint various classrooms in the Parish Centre. Please contact the Parish Office: 604-852-5602.***

Urgently needed: FANS of all sizes for Migrant Farm Worker cabins. Clean and in good working order, please. Drop off at church or contact Mary Phillips at 604 996 5854 (cell) or 604 852 3437 (home). Thank you for your generosity and compassion.