### THIRD SUNDAY IN LENT

# 🚀 MASS INTENTIONS

March 28 - Apr 3, 2011					
8.00 am Monday:	骨Esther DeBoda				
7.00 pm Tuesday:					
8.00 am Wednesday:	✤Norman Gibson				
8.00 am Thursday:	⊕Evilin Kanthan				
9.00 am Friday:					
7.00 pm Friday:	Edna Evans				
9.00 am Saturday:					
5.00 pm Saturday:					
9.00 am Sunday:	Dora Yee				
10.45 am Sunday:	All Saints Parish				
12.30 pm Sunday:	Legion of Mary				

LAST SUNDAY'S OFFERINGS	\$ 6,090.00	
LOOSE COLLECTIONS	\$ 870.00	
BUILDING FUND	\$ 6,529.00	L

**DURING LENT** 7 pm Mass on Fridays followed by Stations of the Cross

**FIRST FRIDAY** Apr 1, all day adoration in the church after 9.00 am Mass ending with benediction, Mass at 7.00 pm and Stations.

2010 TAX RECEIPTS Available for pick up in the vestibule.

**PANCAKE BREAKFAST** will be served by the Knights of Columbus Mar 27, after 9.00 and 10.45 am Mass. Come and enjoy delicious breakfast and good company!

**88TH CWL VANCOUVER ARCHDIOCESAN CONVENTION** will be held at All Saints Parish from May 5 to 7, 2011. The registration form is now available for pick up at the CWL mailbox. Deadline is April 15th.

**HALF DAY OF RECOLLECTION** Sat, Apr 2, by Fr. John Sequeira, OCD. Sponsored by Secular Order of the Discalced Carmelites. 8.40 am Morning Prayer; 9.00 am Mass followed by Rosary; Coffee break; Talk by Fr. John after coffee break followed by Benediction. All are welcome.

**55+ GROUP** Meeting on Tue, Mar 29, after 11 am Mass. It is our Lent Soup Day, please bring your own bowl and \$6. The money collected will be used to buy goods for the street people. Also, please remember to bring a baby or child picture of yourself for an interesting game.

**SPIRITUAL LENTEN RETREAT AT THE CATHEDRAL** A Presentation by Rev. Father Glenn Dion, sponsored by the CWL of the Holy Rosary Cathedral, on Sat, Apr 2 – 9:30 am to 3 pm at the Lower Hall at 646, Richards St., Vancouver. Registration \$10 – refreshment included. Bring your own lunch. All are welcome. To register call Angela, 604-682-6774 ext.5.

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Day	Liturgy	Mass	Rosary (Divi	ne Mercy)	Novena
Mon	7.35 am	8.00 am	8.30 am		
Tue	—	7.00 pm	6.10 pm		6.45 pm
Wed	7.35 am	8.00 am	8.30 am		
Thu	7.35 am	8.00 am	8.30 am		
Fri	8.25 am	9.00 am	9.30 am	Cenacle	10.00 am
Sat	8.35 am	9.00 am	9.30 am		

#### SACRIFICE YOURSELF FOR LENT

Forsake yourself, resign yourself, and you shall enjoy great inward peace. Give all for all; ask for nothing, require back nothing; abide purely and unhesitating in God and you shall possess Him. You shall be free in heart, and darkness shall not tread you down. Let this be your Lenten endeavor, this your prayer, your desire: that you may be



stripped of all selfishness and self-less follow Jesus; that you may die to yourself and live eternally to God.

## **MIRACLE OR NOT?**

FASTING

A new religious ed teacher was struggling to open a combination lock on the supply cabinet. She had been told the combination, but couldn't quite remember it.

Finally she went to the pastor's study and asked for help. The pastor came into the room and began to turn the dial. After the first two numbers he paused and stared blankly for a moment.

Finally he looked serenely heavenward and his lips moved silently, as if in prayer. Then he looked back at the lock, and quickly turned to the final number, and opened the lock.

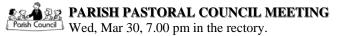
The teacher was amazed. "I'm in awe at your faith, pastor," she said.

"It's really nothing," he answered. "The number is on a piece of tape on the ceiling."

#### JAPAN- RELIEF & AID The Cana-

dian Catholic Organization for Development and Peace is forwarding donations from the Canadian public to Caritas Japan for its reconstruction programs. To donate visit <u>www.rcav.org/japan</u>





**LEGION OF MARY—COMMUNION SUNDAY** 12.30 pm Mass on Apr 3. All auxiliary members are invited to attend. Please be seated at front right aisle.

#### FIRST SATURDAY DEVOTION—ORIGINS

The First Saturday Devotion to the Immaculate Heart of Mary was first mentioned by our Lady of Fatima on July 13, 1917. After showing the three children a terrifying vision of hell she said, "You have seen hell where the souls of poor sinners go. To save them, God wishes to establish in the world devotion to my Immaculate Heart. If what I say to you is done, many souls will be saved and there will be peace... I shall come to ask for... the Communion of reparation on the First Saturdays..." Seven years later, on December 10 1925, Mary and the child Jesus appeared to Lucia, the sole surviving Fatima seer, at a convent in Pontevedra, Spain. Our Lady rested her hand on Lucia's shoulder, revealing a heart encircled with thorns. The child said: have compassion on the heart of your most holy Mother, covered with thorns with which ungrateful men pierce it every moment and there is no one to make reparation.

**SAVE THE DATE!** Sun, May 1, Divine Mercy Sunday and the Beatification of John Paul II. Eucharistic Celebration at 2:30 pm at the Holy Rosary Cathedral followed by a reception in Rosary Hall.



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Sylvia Gabriele, Robert Johnstone Sr, Janet Hogg, Tena Colton, Betty Rozec, Matthew Pramana, Sophie Baum, Olivera Lambeta, Bugette Pray for the Sick Zecca, Bill Foord, John Rizzo, Yvonne Doucette, Audra Mayne, Kim Junkin, Bob Reiter, Ken

Purves, Lucy Leathern, Eva Russo, Peter Muc, Miklos Ignacz, Lilia Tecson, Chris Yuan, Sophie Morson, Arnie DeLeon, Michael Coss, Thelma Thompson, Marcie Andrews, Teresa Racine, Inamen Northcoff, Wilfred Lefevbre, Margerita & Hubert Hamilton, Harold & Marion Haug

ROOM & BOARD AVAILABLE in lovely family home located next to Miller Park. Ideal for a student attending SFU Please call Marisa @ 604 340 6047 for more details.

FOR RENT One B/R basement suite, new kitchen, with dw. new bathroom, shared laundry. No smoking; no pets. Como Lake and Robinson. \$600/mth. Available May 1. Please call 778-896-2625.

## A DAY OF CONVERSATION ON RELIGIOUS LIFE

Includes conversation on the call to religious life, prayer, community life, mission and ministry. Sat, Apr 2, 9 am - 4 pm, at Immaculate Heart Early Childhood Education Centre (near Our Lady of Fatima Church) 789 Alderson Ave, beginning with coffee and muffins. Lunch provided. If you need a lift, please indicate when you register). Cost: By

donation. To register or for further info, please contact: Sister Marie-vie: mariavie2000@yahoo.com or 604 874 9371 or Sister Veronica: sihm@telus.net or 604 936 3455



LENTEN VIGIL FOR THE SILENCED We stand in solidarity with those whom Jesus identified. Wednesdays noon to 1 pm - Mar 30 at Christ Church Cathedral, Corner of Burrard & Georgia St.; Apr 6 at Corner Commercial Drive & East Broadway; Apr 13 at Cambie & West Broadway; also on Good Friday, Apr 22, Way of the Cross – beginning 12:30 at Lutheran Urban Ministry, 360 Jackson Ave. For information, call 604-685-9987.

16<sup>TH</sup> ANNUAL "WISH UPON A STAR" GALA DINNER

AND AUCTION! On Apr 30, at Archbishop Carney Regional Secondary School. The funds raised will be a significant part of the continual growth of the school's "Building and Bonding" initiatives. Tickets are \$60 per person or \$550 for a table of 10. Please call Yolanda Broderick, All Saints Auction Rep, 604-937-5831 or pick up an order form from the vestibule.



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**ONDARY** Still accepting applications for Grades 8 through 11 for the 2011-2012 academic school year. Applications packages are available at the school office. For more info, please call office@acrss.org or call 604-942-7465, ext 2.

PRO-LIFE MASS & VIGIL Peaceful, prayerful vigil for unborn children and their parents on Apr 2. Mass at 9 am, at St. Stephen's Parish, 1360 East 24th Street, North Vancouver. Followed by Vigil at Lion's Gate Hospital.

**NEW PARISHIONERS** To register please complete the registration form, available in the vestibule.

MARRIAGE SAVING - THE WEEKEND PHASE - During the Retrouvaille weekend a series of presentations are given by a team of three couples and a priest. The team presents a technique of communication that enables you to take a good look at most areas of your relationship. After each presentation you have time in the privacy of your room to discuss the previous presentation. For confidential info or to register for the program beginning the weekend of April 8 - 10, 2011, call 604-530-6710, email vancouverbc@retrouvaille.org or visit www.retrouvaille.org.

ALTAR SOCIETY MEMBERS Volunteers are needed on these dates: Apr 14, Thursday 9:30 am – prepare palms.

Apr 16, Saturday 9:30 am – arrange palms in vases.

Apr 21, Holy Thursday 9:00 am – arrange flowers in 3 vases, place flowering plants in front of the altar and in the Adoration Chapel.

Apr 21, after Holy Thursday Mass – remove flowers from the church. Apr 22, Good Friday 8:30 am – remove flowers from the Adoration Chapel Apr 23, Holy Saturday – prepare the Easter lilies and arrange flowers. May God continue to bless all of you for your hard work.

**ADORATION CHAPEL** Call office or Victoria at 604 937-5565 for door code or to sign up for a regular hour in the adoration chapel. Please consider the available hours as follows.

Monday AM: 2,3,10,11 PM: 12,1,2,3,4,5,6,11



Tuesday AM: 2,3,4,5,8,9, PM: 2,3,11 Wednesday AM: 2, PM: 12,2,3,4,5,7,11

Thursday AM: 2,5,9,10 PM: 3 Friday AM: 12,1,2 PM: 1,2,5,6,8

Saturday AM: 12,5

**BECOME A GUARDIAN OF SALT + LIGHT** Spreading the Light of Christ to the world through media. In 2003, Salt + Light was born thanks to the vision and financial support of a single family. Since then, our base of supporters has grown, as has the understanding of our media ministry and its importance in society. We recently launched a new program and campaign to encourage monthly donors. We invite you to consider this program – and Salt + Light – in your annual giving priorities. Together, through the positive aspects social communication, we can help encourage people of all ages to live a more hopeful, faithful and fruitful life in the company of Christ, the Church and the communion of saints.

## FOOD FOR THOUGHT

- Please come to Mass early enough not to disrupt
- Leave late enough not to insult
- Worship reverently enough not to distract
- Dress enough not to offend

RACHEL'S VINEYARD Many women have no one to turn to who can help them validate and work through their grief. They feel isolated and become trapped in the mistaken belief that no one can understand their feelings. Come find help, understanding and hope on a Rachel's Vineyard Retreat<sup>TM</sup>. Next Retreat is May 2011. For confidential information or to register call 604.525.0999.

## **3rd Sunday of Lent - March 27**

When Jesus asked the Samaritan woman for a drink of water, he opened the door for a life-changing relationship with him. Stewardship likewise can be life-changing. When we open our hearts to Christ's call in our lives – when we use our gifts in the service of others – we like the Samaritan woman will draw many others to Christ through our witness.

> For more information, please refer to www.rcav.org or contact <u>margaret.chow@hotmail.com</u>

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