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SUNDAY MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday Mass of Anticipation: 5:00 pm
 Sunday: 9:00 am, 11:00 am & 4:00 pm

WEEKDAY MASS SCHEDULE

Mon, Thurs, & Fri: 7:00am, & 8:30am
 Tues: 4:30pm, Wed: 9:00am

***First Friday of the month : 7:00pm Mass, therefore there will be No 7:00am Mass.
 (1st Friday 7:00 pm is a Latin Mass Novus Ordo with readings in English)

Sat: 9:00 am

*** NO 7:00am Masses on Mon., Thur., & Fri during the Christmas Season, Summer Months and Holiday Mondays'

CONFESSION TIMES

Tues: 4:00pm, Wed: 8:30am
 Thurs: & Fri: 8:00am* 1st Fri, 6:30pm
 Saturday: 9:30 -10:30am & 4:00-4:30pm

THE SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

- Baptisms are every Sunday@12:30pm. Parents and Godparents are to be married in the Catholic Church, and parents need to be registered parishioners for at least two months. Baptism Class attendance is mandatory for parents if you have not previously taken the class. You will need to register for a Baptism Class by calling the parish office during office hours. Before attending the Baptism Class you must fill out the Baptism information form.
- Website: assumptionofmary.ca/baptism
- Forms may also be picked up at the parish office.
- Baptism Classes are on the third Saturday of every month @ 10:00am.



THE SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE

Couples planning marriage (here or elsewhere) must contact the Parish Priest at least 6 months before the wedding. Must attend the Marriage Preparation Course and the Catholic is to be registered here, at least 6 months and regularly attending Mass here.

FUNERALS

Contact the Pastor @ 604-942-7808 ext. 2002

SACRAMENTALS

Blessing of cars and religious articles: See the Priest after Sat. pm & Sun. Masses.
 House blessings: please contact the Pastor at 604 942-7808 ext. 2002

PARISH MINISTRY & ORGANIZATIONS CONTACTS

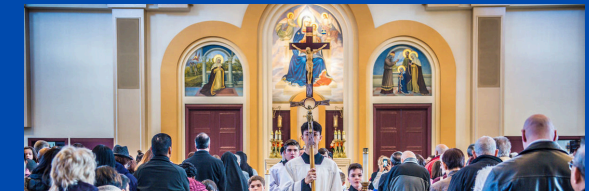
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ARE YOU NEW TO THE PARISH?

If you are new to the Parish, please fill out a Registration Form available online. If you would like a box of Donation Envelopes and/or the BC Catholic, please remember to check the boxes on the registration form. For those already registered, any changes such as your address, tel. #, etc., please contact the Parish Office at 604 942-7808. Pre-Auth Debit (PAD) is a good option for your giving. Regular Sunday contribution is taken on the 1st of each month and 2nd Collection is taken on the 15th of each month. ***Anyone who would like to receive an emailed copy of the Sunday bulletin, please email the office. The office will NOT share your email. Thank you.

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WEEKLY MASS INTENTIONS

SUNDAY, May. 24 | Pentecost Sunday

9:00am / 11:00am / 4:00pm - OLA Parishioners

MONDAY, May. 25 | Blessed Virgin Mary, Mother of the Church

7:00am Mark Alexander Watson+
8:30am Lorne Glen Rose+

TUESDAY, May. 26 | St. Philip Neri+1595

4:30pm CWL

WEDNESDAY, May. 27 | Ferial

9:00am Estelita Abela+

THURSDAY, May. 28 | Ferial

7:00am Pepito Daelo+
8:30am Marie-Eve Aragon

FRIDAY, May. 29 | Ferial

7:00am Bernard Hetzler+
8:30am Gheorghe Ristea+

SATURDAY, May. 30 | Ferial

9:00am Nicola Russo+
5:00pm Aniela Seweryn Galko+

The Solemnity of the Most Holy Trinity

THIS WEEK

Please pray for the repose of the soul of **Cheryl Rand** whose **Funeral Mass** will be on Fri., **May 29th at 11:00am** at Our Lady of the Assumption Church.



REGION 4 INVITES ALL MEMBERS TO THE R3:1 UNITY OUTREACH PRESENTATION MAY 30TH, 2026

OUR LADY OF THE ASSUMPTION - 3141 SHAUGHNESSY ST, PORT COQUITLAM
MASS: 9:00AM | PRESENTATION 10AM - 12PM

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NEXT WEEK

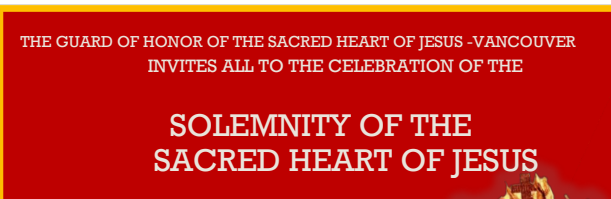
K OF C Meeting, Wednesday, June 3rd at 7:00pm in the Parish Centre.

FORTHCOMING WEEK

Corpus Christi procession at the end of the 11am Mass only on Sunday, June 7th.



SECOND COLLECTION: Sunday, June 7th - Catholic Missions in Canada- To provide support for over 600 remote and poor mission communities across Canada. **Thank you for your generosity!**



NOVENA PRAYERS after each Mass June 3 - 11, 2026

Solemn Mass

Followed by Act of Consecration to the Sacred Heart of Jesus

Friday, June 12, 2026 @7 PM
Our Lady of the Assumption
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ALL are WELCOME

Refreshments at the Parish Center

SAVE THE DATE

Assumption Basketball Camp (Grades 2- 7)
Starting **Wednesday, Aug 5th - Saturday, Aug 8th** from 9-12pm.



PARISH ONGOING

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION DAYS AND TIMES



Wednesday; 9:30am - 3:00pm.
Thursday & Friday; 9:00am - 3:00pm.
Tuesdays & Saturdays from 9:30am - 6:00pm.

The Eucharist will not be exposed on Tuesday & Saturday. The Adoration Chapel will only be open for personal prayer. You will need a code to get into the Chapel. Please come to the parish office for the code.

BEREAVEMENT MINISTRY

Are you grieving the loss of a loved one? You are not alone.



Every Tuesday evening, the **OLA Loss & Grief Support Group** provides a safe, supportive and confidential place to talk, cry and express your feelings. Come join us. **You are not alone.**

Tuesdays at 7:00pm. Space is limited. Register today. Email: olasupport@shaw.ca

Pro-Life Ministry invites you to pray for life in the adoration Chapel **every first Friday of each month from 3pm- 6:30pm. Be an advocate for legal protection of human life against abortion, euthanasia, and assisted suicide.** Contact Maureen @604-417-3077 to get involved with the Pro-Life Ministry.

BAND OF BROTHERS



Men helping men walk together in their Faith journey. You are invited to join our Band of Brothers gatherings - a fellowship of men committed to deepening their journey in the Catholic Faith. **We meet every Sunday from 7:00am to 8:30am** at Our Lady of the Assumption Church. Each session includes praying the Rosary, watching a faith-enrichment video, sharing reflections, engaging in open dialogue, and offering mutual support in all aspects of our Catholic lives. Looking to grow in faith and brotherhood? All men are welcome - reach out to Stephen James or Eric to get started at bandofbrothers.ola@gmail.com.

FATHERS AND SONS CLUB

Once a month (normally the 3rd Sunday of the month) Fathers and our boys, ages 7-13 (grades 2-8), gather for a couple hours playing sports and games, having fun enjoying each other. The purpose of the Father Son Club is to not only as Fathers bond with our sons but to connect with other dads who desire their boys to become men of integrity... men of good and strong character. Part of our program gives older boys and young men to provide some mentoring to the boys. If you're interested in getting involved or joining the club, Please register at www.fatherson.club.

COMMENDING THE SICK

Please pray for the sick in our parish:

Larry Bowen, Ernestine Craig, Gerard & Lou Choquette, Jacinta Howard, Margaret Johnston, Ian James, John & Alicia Kerssens, Henry Kerssens, Venessa Miller, Michael Morgan, Maria Milia, Carmen Mui, Bernadette Mesich, Luisa Pereira, Jean Standish, Frida Trip, Julie & Lynn Van Der Mark.



MOMS & TOTS GROUP

Every Wednesday after 9:00am Mass in the parish centre. If you would like to attend please email: momsandtots.oloa@gmail.com or contact Louisa @ 778-835-8960 or Tatiana @ 778-751-5704.



OUR CATHOLIC SCHOOLS



ARCHDIOCESE NEWS

Help Not Harm Canada

You're invited to visit HelpNotHarmCanada.ca where you can e-mail your Member of Parliament (MP), asking for their support of Bill C-218 (The Right to Recover Act), which would amend the Criminal Code to prevent Medical Assistance in Dying (MAiD) from being provided when mental illness is the sole underlying condition. Without this change, MAiD will be available for those suffering from mental illness alone beginning in March 2027. Chances are you know someone struggling with mental illness — a family member, friend, or colleague. As Catholics and Canadians, we are called to offer care, hope, and protection — not death — to those who are suffering and most vulnerable. Visit HelpNotHarmCanada.ca today and ask your MP to support Bill C-218.

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Solemnity of Pentecost
May 24, 2026

A Letter to the Christian Faithful on Renewal in the Archdiocese of Vancouver

Dear Brother and Sisters in Christ,

From the beginning of my appointment, I have sensed that I was entering a current of grace already moving through the Archdiocese of Vancouver. It has been a joy to witness the vitality of this local Church and to learn of its long tradition of faithful witness to Jesus Christ. The Holy Spirit has clearly been at work among us and continues to lead us forward in the joyful proclamation of the Gospel.

Over the past year, I have visited communities throughout the Archdiocese and listened to many voices. Meetings with our priests have deepened my understanding of our history and the challenges before us. Through these encounters, I have become even more convinced that God is powerfully at work among us, calling us to respond with faith, courage, and hope.

In many of these conversations, a shared desire for renewal has emerged. By renewal, we mean responding to what God is doing among us. It is not about reinventing the Church or focusing mainly on structures, strategies, or programs. The Church is more than buildings; she is mission. Everything we do must lead people to a personal encounter with Jesus Christ. The proclamation of the Gospel is the heart of renewal and must remain at the centre of all we do together.

Therefore, on this Solemnity of Pentecost, I am announcing a process of renewal for the Archdiocese of Vancouver. As we prepare for the great Jubilee of 2033, marking two thousand years since the Redemption, let us ask with renewed faith: what does the Lord desire for his Church in Vancouver, and to what is he calling us?

To guide this process, I have established several task forces to consider how renewal should unfold in different areas of Archdiocesan life and to make recommendations to me. These are: priestly life, parish life, liturgy, schools, and infrastructure. In the months ahead, many ideas, hopes, concerns, and proposals will emerge as participants reflect and pray with generosity and courage, always remembering that we are not directing this process. We are stepping into something God is already doing. This is an exciting moment in the life of our local Church.

The biblical text guiding this process is the Lord's promise in the Book of Revelation: "Behold, I make all things new" (*Revelation* 21:5). These words assure us that Christ is renewing his Church. Our task is to listen, discern, and follow. I invite everyone to take part in this endeavour, especially through prayer. Please pray for our parishes, priests, schools, and ministries. In particular, pray that care for God's poor ones remains at the heart of our Archdiocesan renewal. In the months ahead, there will also be opportunities to share your experiences and stay connected as this process unfolds.

Please visit rcav.org/renewal to commit to praying for this renewal process and to sign up for updates.

Together, let us entrust this journey to the intercession of the Blessed Mother, our model of openness to the gentle yet powerful work of the Holy Spirit. May she who said, "Do whatever he tells you" guide us by her example and prayer to follow with joy and hope where the Lord leads.

Yours sincerely in Christ,

✠Richard W. Smith
Archbishop of Vancouver