

NOVEMBER 11, 2018

32ND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

“She out of her poverty has put in everything she had, all she had to live on.”

THIS WEEK

Monday, Nov. 12 Mass at 9am.
(Remembrance Day weekend)
Wednesdays Mass at 8:15am & 6:45pm Novena to Our Lady of Perpetual Help followed by Mass.

STEWARDSHIP REFLECTION

“I say to you, this poor widow put in more than all the other contributors to the treasury.” – Mark 12:43-44. We are all called to give money to support the mission of the Church, regardless of our circumstance. No gift is too small or insignificant! Giving money to support the mission of our local parish is a matter of our faith. When you make a financial offering, is it from your “first fruits” or from what is “left over”?

PRAYERS FOR THE SICK

Creg Rosales; Ryan Lehwald; Kellie Marchak; Ian Wilson; Maria Amato; John Pollard; Edna Cachero; Almira Steeds; Melody Carruthers; Kay D; Shirley Papuc; Mike Peake; Louella D’Penha; Gloria & Cecilio Peralta; Darlene McHale; Helga & Bert Wolters; Dominga Carrion; Maria & Jose Santos; Jean Van Loo; Marie Connor; John William; Edward Chan; Nick Krueger; Mark Stockbrocks & Jo-Anne MacLeod.

If you have a relative who is sick in the hospital or at home, please let the rectory know so that we can arrange a visit.

PRAYERS FOR THE DEAD

Agatha Hertz

SECOND COLLECTION

Next weekend, November 18 there will be a special collection for the Home Missions. This collection is to support the 12 Catholic missions in First Nations communities throughout the Archdiocese of Vancouver, and the Apostleship of the Sea serving seafarers who work on ships that visit Vancouver’s ports. Please support generously.

MEN’S RECOLLECTION

Opus Dei men’s recollection at I.C. Parish on Saturday, November 17 at 10am.



Life Teen (High School): Sun., Nov. 11, 7pm “Trust or Fear” This is the 4th night of our Question Everything series. We’re going to tackle the question of suffering. Why does it exist?

Next Edge Night: Wed. Nov. 21, 6:45pm “On Your Mark, Get Set, Pray!” This is the next night in our prayer series! Have you ever struggled and didn’t know how to even start your prayer? Let us help you!

Follow us on Instagram, SnapChat, Twitter and Facebook! (iclifeteen or icdeltaedge)

For more information about Youth Ministry, please contact Faye p: 604.785.6729 or e: icyouthmin@gmail.com



KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

Collection of winter ware items: The Knights of Columbus will be collecting winter ware items for the Agape Ministry. Next weekend, November 17/18 till December 15/16. Items needed are winter mitts & gloves, woollen scarves and winter headware (toques).

Pancake Breakfast: Sunday, November 18 after the 8:30am and 10:15am Masses in the Parish Hall.



CWL NEWS

No **General Meeting** in November.

Membership Drive: Weekend of November 24/25. Renewals welcome.

Christmas Party: All women of the parish are cordially invited to our Christmas party on Tuesday, December 4 at 6:00pm. Potluck dinner, fun and games time! Please call Louise at 604.582.0870 or Annie at 604.581.7837 to advise that you will attend. Feel free to leave a message. We are trying to confirm the numbers to prepare for this event.

DISCOVER DISCIPLESHIP

We at Discover Discipleship-IC Delta invite you to consider the Faith Study Series, starting with “Discover”. Discover is a 6-lesson, small-group study which is still ongoing, is meant for each of us to rediscover the essence of our faith and establish that personal friendship with Jesus. We are here for you, by phone 778.232.5953/email: faithstudies101@gmail.com.

GIVING TREE

(No food donations, Gift Cards only please.)

To thank the Lord for all His blessings, we in turn wish to help those in need. The Giving Tree is now set up with leaves printed with Gift Card specifications on it. You are requested to take a leaf or more (buy a card of any denomination of your choice), mark it "Giving Tree" and drop it at the Parish office or in the Sunday collection basket, **latest by December 10**. Gift cards will be used to buy items for our Christmas Hampers. Many thanks for your generosity.

PRO-LIFE FUNDRAISER

Pro-Life group will be taking orders for yummy fruit filled Christmas cakes in the Gathering Area, after all Masses. 600g size is \$20 and the 1.0kg size is \$27. You can also call Mike at 604.592.5110 to place your order. Cakes will be delivered first week of December. See poster in the lobby.

PARISH LIBRARY

We know that the Church ask us to evangelize, but how do we do that? Practical hints and tactics to win souls for Christ are found in your Parish Library! Come in after Mass today! "Every time you hear Mass in the state of grace, with devout attention and in a spirit of recollection, Our Lord, of His loving-kindness, makes you to participate in no less than 77 graces and fruits... 31. This is so (30. praying well at Mass) because Christ unites His prayers to yours and offers them to His heavenly Father." From "The Incredible Catholic Mass" ~ in your Parish Library!

ST. JOHN PAUL II ACADEMY-OPEN HOUSE

All grandparents, parents, and students are cordially invited to the 2nd Annual St. John Paul II Academy Open House on Wednesday, December 5th at 6pm which will provide you with exciting updates about the Archdiocese's newest Catholic high school as well as to hear from our teachers and Gr. 8 students. The Open House will take place in our temporary home: The Star of the Sea Community Centre located at 15262 Pacific Avenue, in White Rock. Please rsvp: skelly@sjp2academy.com; T: 604.560.8210 or visit our website www.sjp2academy.com for more information.

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COMMUNITY MEMORIAL MASS

Immaculate Conception Parish, Delta.

On FRIDAY 23rd NOVEMBER @ 7:00pm

Sponsored by St. Martha's Grief Support

A warm welcome is extended to everyone!

This Mass is offered

IN LOVING MEMORY of our family, friends
and parishioners who have gone before us.

Please bring a small framed picture (8X11 or smaller) of your beloved deceased to be included in our display, up front, on both sides of the Altar during Mass. Father Abundo is our main celebrant. The 8:30am Choir has volunteered to celebrate with us and a reception will follow in the Gathering Area. Please bring some goodies to share. For more information call 604.580.1399.

PROJECT ADVANCE UPDATE

Our participation rate is at 32.2% which is 566 families participating out of 1821. Thank you for your support.

ALL SOULS – PRAY FOR THE DEAD

November is the month in which we particularly pray for the deceased members of our families and friends. A special way of doing this is by having a Mass offered for the repose of their souls. Envelopes are available at the entrance of the church marked All Souls @ the Baptismal font. They can be put in the collection box placed in front of the altar during the month of November. (Parishioners are always welcome to come to the office to make these requests, for the living or the deceased).

A beautiful 30 day prayer booklet, Prayers for the Holy Souls, was developed by Terry Whiteley, the Hallowtide Triduum and the month of Holy Souls is our call to remember, to pray and to give thanks for the Holy Souls during the month of November. The prayer booklet is free.

UNUSED CHRISTMAS CARDS

Unused Christmas Cards are needed to distribute to the homeless. There is a box in the Gathering Area for unused Christmas card donations. The cards will be handed out to the class-rooms so children can fill them with well wishes and then collected to send to the homeless shelters throughout the lower mainland, the Sunshine coast, Red Deer, Vernon and beyond.

I.C. CHANGE INITIATIVE

Please encourage your children to donate some of their loose change in the two boxes marked 'I.C. Change Initiative' located at the entrance of the church and the other next to Our Lady's statue. The proceeds will go towards our Parish Building Fund.