PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK

Mike Abboud, John Adu, Ken Arthur, Jaime Awa, Sylvia Baco, Don Baker, Aldo Bevacqua, Bill & Kay Blair, Raymond Blais, Andrew Blount, Sandy Bogdanich, Maurice Booth, Tomas Bourassa, Julie Brown, June Buchan, Wendy Buchan, Joe & Megan Buenacruz, Kristi Burgon, Cynthia Caraan, Jules Carrier, Helen Cartier, Michael Carney, Sylvana Carr, Eileen Cassidy, Joe & Albina Cavaliere, Leonida Chaplin, Jenny Cheng, Robert Cheng, Elysha Chernosky, Maria Correia, Jose Correia, Pedro Paulo Freitas Costa, Robert Costa, James Cresswell, Catherine Crocock, Justin Darrah, David Dawson, Rita De Croos, Luigino De Paoli, Jeanie Deagle, Maddalena Demichina, Martino Demichina, David Dixon, Sylvia Dixon, Elizabeth Drlje, Filipe Duarte, Barbara Duralia, Frank Duralia, Victor Edwin, Christine Ermita, Arend Fernandez, Cecilia Ferreira, Claude & Hélène Fournier, Maria Margarida Freitas, Lydia Gareau, Lloyd & Bernice Gerson, Robert Gierico, Victoria Gillespie, William & Doris Girard, Amy Goco, Linda Gorrie, Chung Eun & Jung Soo Han, Anthony Hee, Domingo & Violeta Hernandez, Dawn Horrocks, Kathy Horrocks, Noelle Horrocks, Quinlan Huff, Bogumil Iwan, Travis Jack, Bronwyn Jones, Herta Kemnitz, Caterina Kennedy, Susan Kent, Josephine Kerr, Lisa Kerr, Daniel Kozak, Kimberly Lam, Leslie Larden, Danna Larsen, Fr. Joseph Thoai Le, Paul Levy, Chuk Ming Lo, Erin Mackay, Lia Macri, Phyllis Marchand, Pablo Marzano, Fr. Dunstan Massey OSB, Jamie McCloskey, Tom & Pat McCloskey, Bruce McLean, Julie McNeil, Peggy MacDonald, Anne Marie MacFarlane, Shirley Mhur, Marion Milton, Peggy Mrazek, Kwong-Lung Mui, Rosemary Nicholson, Jim O'Brien, Eileen O'Riordan, Anthony Patrick, Brad Philley, Terry Phillips, Naomi Piñeda, Bernadeth Recinto, Hugo Regier, Eduardo Reyes, Ron Rosvold, Gordon Santaga, Linda Scholl, Manfred Schunck, Richard Seganfreddo, Dennis Sharkey, Marlene Shein, Winnie Sirec, Fred Sirec, Susan Skidmore, Fr. Bill Somerville, Walter Sporer, Stacey Stalhem, Janet Stead, Ted Stewart, Theresa Stobbs, Ian Stockdale, Fr. John Swinkels, Gen Sykes, Sigi Ullrich, Jitka Valing, Elizabeth Vitek, Barbara Waller, Christina Wee, Emily Wegrich, Patrick Welsh, Anne Whittey, Jack Wilcock, Isabel Wodtke, Cindy Woo, Heather Wright, Aida Yepez, Henry Zilkowsky, and all the sick of whom we do not know. Mary, Health of the Sick, pray for us.

"I lift up my eyes toward the mountains; whence shall help come to me?

My help is from the Lord, who made heaven and earth.

The Lord is your guardian; the Lord is your shade; he is beside you at your right hand.

The Lord will guard you from all evil; he will guard your life.

The Lord will guard your coming and your going, both now and forever." (Psalm 121)

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PARISH SECRETARY: Mrs. Sharon Gauvin



THE THIRD SUNDAY OF ADVENT, DECEMBER 13, 2020

ALL PUBLIC CELEBRATIONS OF THE HOLY MASS ARE CANCELLED

The church will remain open Monday through Saturday from 8:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. and on Sundays from 11:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. for personal prayer and Adoration

Confessions:

Saturdays: 9:00 – 9:30 a.m. and 4:00 - 4:30 p.m.

Father Rossi and Father DePaul will hear confessions in their respective offices in the parish centre.

Baptisms:

By appointment. Please call the parish office.

Marriage:

Please contact Monsignor Rossi at least 4 months in advance.

Parish School:

Principal: Mrs. Caterina Kennedy

Secretary: Mrs. Rosie Bird Phone: (604) 526-9768



"I am the voice of one crying out in the wilderness, 'Make straight the way of the Lord.'"

WEEK AT A GLANCE

Dec 14 Monday

❖ Saint John of the Cross, priest, Doctor of the Church

8:00 a.m. Mass (Live-streamed only)

Dec 15 Tuesday

8:00 a.m. Mass (Live-streamed only)

Dec 16 Wednesday

8:00 a.m. Mass (Live-streamed only)

Dec 17 Thursday

8:00 a.m. Mass (Live-streamed only)

7:00 p.m. Adult Catechism (On-line)

Dec 18 Friday

9:00 a.m. Mass (Live-streamed only)

Dec 19 Saturday

8:00 a.m. Mass (Live-streamed only)

Dec 20 Sunday

❖ The Fourth Sunday of Advent 10:00 a.m. Mass (Live-streamed only)



ADVENT

During the four weeks of Advent, we prepare for the celebration of Christ's birth through prayer and reflection. We contemplate the First Coming of Jesus as Savior, and anticipate his promised Second Coming. At this time, while we are unable to come together to worship and to pray our Advent Devotions, you are encouraged to look for practical ways to observe the holiness of the Advent season in your homes and in your everyday life.

CHRISTMAS CONFESSIONS

During the final week before Christmas, there will be additional confession times at Saint Michael's as follows:

Saturday, December 19th
9:00 – 10:00 a.m. and 3:30 – 4:30 p.m.
Thursday, December 24th
9:00 – 11:00 a.m. and 3:30 – 4:30 p.m.

SCHEDULE OF MASSES FOR CHRISTMAS

(Live-streamed only)

Friday, December 25th:
Midnight Mass at 12:00 a.m.
Christmas Morning Mass at 10:00

BIRTHRIGHT

After Christmas, gifts for babies may be left before the nativity scene in the church. These will be passed on to Birthright for distribution to moms in need for their babies. Blankets, clothing, sleepers, diapers, and small toys for infants would all be greatly appreciated.

A NOTE OF THANKS

Special thanks to Alain Custeau and Gary Jeannotte who have been busy these past few weeks, cleaning out the storage area beneath the church (no small feat!) and putting up the lights for Christmas. Your service and generosity are very much appreciated!

2021 OFFERING ENVELOPES AND SUNDAY MISSALS

2021 Sunday Offering envelopes and Saint Joseph Sunday Missals are available for pickup from the parish office during office hours. The Sunday Missals are \$4 each. Complimentary 2021 calendars courtesy of Kearney Funeral Services are also available.

MINI ON-LINE AUCTION

The Auction committee would like to thank those who placed bids on the Mini On-line Auction. The successful bidders will be notified via email with information about payment and pick up.

"Bee Kind, Bee Calm, Bee safe".

PROJECT ADVANCE 2020: OUR CATHOLIC RESPONSE TO THE CRISIS

Thank you to the 156 families at Saint Michael's who together have pledged \$107,000 to Project Advance this year, resulting in a rebate of over \$70,000 to the parish. You are to be commended for your generosity. Additional donations will be accepted up until December 25th to be credited and receipted for this year's campaign.

PARISH DIRECTORY

Parish Office:

Tuesday – Saturday: 9:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.

PLEASE CHECK WITH THE INDIVIDUAL ORGANISATIONS REGARDING MEETINGS

Catechism:

September - May: Wednesday evening at 7:00 Contact: Claudia DeSimone (604) 522-2186 claudia.desimone@stmichaelschool.ca

Adult Catechism:

September - May: Thursday evening at 7:00 in the Parish Centre.

Knights of Columbus:

2nd Tuesday of the month, after evening Mass. Contact: John Cabana (604) 294-4222, or Enrico Garrone (604) 540-8760
Website: http://www.kofc9246.org/

Ladies Auxiliary:

1st Tuesday of the month, beginning with Rosary in the church at 7:10 p.m. Contact: Norina Kathrein (604) 522-6691

Legion of Mary:

Saturday at 9:30 a.m. in the Shrine Room Contact: Maria Melim (604) 716-1487

Youth Group:

1st Sunday of the month, 7:00 p.m. in the gym 3rd Saturday of the month, 7:00 p.m. Mass and social. Contact: Debora or Ryan

email: st.mikes_youthgroup@hotmail.com