

PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK

Berta Arruda, Jaime Awa, Sylvia Baco, Don Baker, Alfredo Baldissera, Kay Blair, Andrew Blount, Tomas Bourassa, Julie Brown, June Buchan, Wendy Buchan, Kristi Burgon, Cynthia Caraan, Helen Cartier, Albina Cavaliere, Leonida Chaplin, Jenny Cheng, Robert & Theresa Cheng, Hershey Chow, Maria Correia, Jose Correia, James Cresswell, Owen Culpepper, Justin Darrah, David Dawson, Michael De Faria-Neves, Luigino De Paoli, Jeanie Deagle, Joyce Diemert, Christine Ermita, Arend Fernandez, Cecilia Ferreira, Terry Fitzgerald, Lloyd Gerson, Robert Gierico, Victoria Gillespie, William Girard, Amy Goco, Linda Gorrie, Chung Eun & Jung Soo Han, Domingo & Violeta Hernandez, Chris Holmes, Dawn Horrocks, Kathy Horrocks, Noelle Horrocks, Bogumil Iwan, Travis Jack, Martina Javerina-Barbour, Bronwyn Jones, Herta Kemnitz, Susan Kent, Alfred Kerr, Josephine Kerr, Lisa Kerr, Kimberly Lam, Leslie Larden, Fr. Joseph Thoai Le, Paul Levy, Chuk Ming Lo, Msgr. Dennis Luterbach, Erin Mackay, Lia Macri, Carol March, Ray Marchand, Connie McLellan, Julie McNeil, Peggy MacDonald, Shirley Mhur, Kevin Mrazek, Peggy Mrazek, Kwong-Lung Mui, Albin Naliath, Martha Nguyen, Rosemary Nicholson, Jim O'Brien, Eileen O'Riordan, Lillian Pasin, Phil Petrie, Terry Phillips, Naomi Piñeda, Bernadeth Recinto, Manfred Schunck, Richard Seganfreddo, Stephen Smith, Walter Sporer, Stacey Stalhem, Janet Stead, Theresa Stobbs, Ian Stockdale, Gen Sykes, Sigi Ullrich, Dominic Vu, Christina Wee, Isabel Wodtke, Cindy Woo, Heather Wright, Aida Yopez, 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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TWENTY-FIRST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME, AUGUST 24, 2025

Sunday Mass: Saturday (anticipated) 7:00 p.m.
Sunday - 8:30 a.m., 10:00 a.m., 12 noon, 5:00 p.m.
Weekday Mass: Monday, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday - 7:15 a.m.
Tuesday - 7:30 p.m.
First Friday - 9:00 a.m. and 7:30 p.m.
Saturday and Holidays - 9:00 a.m.
Confessions: Saturdays: 8:30 - 8:55 a.m. and following the 9:00 Mass;
4:00 - 4:30 p.m. and following the evening Mass.
Baptisms: By appointment. Held on Sundays at 1:15 p.m.
Marriage: Please contact Monsignor Rossi at least 4 months in advance.
Parish School: Principal: Mrs. Elaine Grant
Secretary: Mrs. Jodi De Julius Phone: (604) 526-9768



"Strive to enter through the narrow door"

WEEK AT A GLANCE

Aug 25 Monday

7:00 a.m. Lauds

7:15 a.m. Mass

Aug 26 Tuesday

7:00 p.m. Rosary for the Sick

7:30 p.m. Mass

Aug 27 Wednesday

❖ Saint Monica

7:00 a.m. Lauds

7:15 a.m. Mass

Aug 28 Thursday

❖ Saint Augustine, bishop, Doctor of the Church

7:00 a.m. Lauds

7:15 a.m. Mass

Aug 29 Friday

❖ The Passion of Saint John the Baptist

7:00 a.m. Lauds

7:15 a.m. Mass

Aug 30 Saturday

9:00 a.m. Mass

9:30 a.m. Rosary for Vocations

WELCOME

If you are new to Saint Michael's or just visiting, we welcome you. If you would like to register in the parish, kindly pick up a registration card from the vestibule of the church, fill it out, and drop it in the collection basket. If you would like a set of Sunday offering envelopes, please contact the parish office.

PARISH PICNIC

Today is the day! Our parish picnic begins at 1:00, immediately following the noon Mass, and everyone is invited! There will be a barbecue and griddle available for you to use, plus our Knights will provide corn-on-the-cob, and ice cream treats for the children. God has blessed us with a beautiful sunny day; let us give thanks and enjoy it in the company of fellow parishioners.

CHURCH ETIQUETTE

The kneelers should be lowered and raised gently by hand so as to avoid their banging on the floor or on the pew. It is especially disconcerting to hear a chorus of kneelers banging after the Holy, Holy, and when we stand to say the Our Father. It is also appropriate to remain kneeling after the Invitation to Communion until it is your turn to go forward to receive the Blessed Sacrament. Then, after receiving Holy Communion, to kneel in prayer until Communion is over and the Blessed Sacrament has been returned to the tabernacle.

RESUMPTION OF PARISH ACTIVITIES

The coming of September brings with it the resumption of parish organizations' meetings and activities as follows:

Ladies Auxiliary: Sept. 2nd at 1 p.m.

PREP for children: Sept. 3rd at 7:00 p.m.

Choir Practice: Sept. 4th at 7:00 p.m.

Adult Catechism: Sept. 4th at 7:00 p.m.

Youth Group: Sept. 7th at 7:00 p.m.

Knights of Columbus: Sept. 9 at 8:00 p.m.

All parish groups are welcoming new members. You are encouraged to help to build up the Body of Christ at Saint Michael's by sharing your time and your talents and joining one of our parish groups.

FOOD BANK

Next Sunday, August 31st, is dedicated Food Bank Sunday in our parish. We are currently in short supply of canned fruit and vegetables, breakfast cereal, and potato side dishes. A reminder that the next bottle drop-off will be at the end of September so please save your empty refundable bottles and cans until then, or drop them off at a Return-It Depot using the parish phone number.

COFFEE HOUR

Coffee hour after the 10:00 Sunday Mass will resume on September 14th. Please see the sign-up sheet in the vestibule to host the coffee hour one Sunday morning from September to December as listed on the schedule.

PARISH DIRECTORY

Parish Office:

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

PREP:

September - May: Wednesday evening at 7:00

PREP Co-ordinator: Samantha Hill

Email: CCD@smeschool.ca

Adult Catechism:

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

Choir:

September - June: Thursday evening at 7:00

Contact: Tyler Mitchell (604) 671-7453

Knights of Columbus:

September - June: 2nd Tuesday of the month, after evening Mass.

Contact: Adrian Smith (604) 837-0897 or

Email: adrianerlesmith@gmail.com

Suresh Perera (778) 889-3696

Website: <http://www.kofc9246.org/>

Ladies Auxiliary:

September - June: 1st Tuesday of the month at 1:00 p.m.

Contact: Rosalyn Ogilvie (604) 420-6279

Youth Group:

September - June: 1st Sunday of the month, 7:00 p.m. in the gym, and 3rd Saturday of the month, 7:00 p.m. Mass and social.

Contact: Paul Roder

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