### PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK

Berta Arruda, Jaime Awa, Sylvia Baco, Don Baker, Alfredo Baldissera, Randy Battilana, Kay Blair, Andrew Blount, Fr. Alan Boisclair, Tomas Bourassa, Julie Brown, June Buchan, Wendy Buchan, Kristi Burgon, Cynthia Caraan, Roy & Jeanne Cardinal, Helen Cartier, Albina Cavaliere, Leonida Chaplin, Jenny Cheng, Robert & Theresa Cheng, Hershey Chow, Maria Correia, Jose Correia, James Cresswell, 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, Teresa Ramos, Bernadeth Recinto, Marguerite & Ralph Roberts, Manfred Schunck, Richard Seganfreddo, Stephen Smith, Walter Sporer, Stacey Stalhem, Janet Stead, Theresa Stobbs, Ian Stockdale, Gen Sykes, Sigi Ullrich, Dominic Vu, Christina Wee, Jaimie Willis, 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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## FIRST SUNDAY OF ADVENT, NOVEMBER 30, 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



"The Son of Man is coming at an unexpected hour."

#### **WEEK AT A GLANCE**

### Dec 1 Monday

7:00 a.m. Lauds

7:15 a.m. Mass

## Dec 2 Tuesday

1:00 p.m. Ladies Auxiliary Meeting

7:00 p.m. Rosary for the Sick

7:30 p.m. Mass

### Dec 3 Wednesday

❖ Saint Francis Xavier, priest

7:00 a.m. Lauds

7:15 a.m. Mass

7:00 p.m. PREP

### Dec 4 Thursday

7:00 a.m. Lauds

7:15 a.m. Mass

7:00 p.m. Adult Catechism

7:00 p.m. Choir Practice

## Dec 5 First Friday

9:00 a.m. School Mass

10:00 a.m. - 7:00 p.m. Adoration

7:00 p.m. Confessions

7:30 p.m. Mass

## Dec 6 Saturday

9:00 a.m. Mass

9:30 a.m. Rosary for Peace

#### **ADVENT DEVOTIONS**

Beginning this Sunday, November 30<sup>th</sup>, and on all the Sundays in Advent, there will be Vespers followed by Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament in the church at 4:00 in the afternoon, and everyone is welcome.

### **THANK YOU**

We welcome and thank Father Ephrem Kardouh for celebrating Mass with us this weekend.

# FOOD BANK/ BOTTLE DROP-OFF

This Sunday, November 30<sup>th</sup>, is Food Bank and bottle drop-off day. Food donations may be left at the back of the church or dropped off at the parish office during office hours. Your empty refundable bottles and cans may be left outside the school gymnasium doors after the morning Masses.

### **PROJECT ADVANCE 2025**

If you have not yet made your donation to

Project Advance, you may do so by scanning the QR code that is linked to our parish donation page.



Alternatively, you may place your gift in an envelope clearly marked "Project Advance" and drop it off at the parish office or place it in the collection basket.

All donations must be received by December 21<sup>st</sup> to be receipted for the 2025 campaign.

## PANCAKE BREAKFAST WITH SAINT NICHOLAS

Next Sunday, December 7<sup>th</sup>, the Knights of Columbus will be serving pancake breakfast in the school gymnasium after the 8:30 and 10:00 Masses. There will be also be an opportunity to have your photo taken with Saint Nicholas so we hope you will all want to take part in the festivities.

### **CHRISTMAS BAKE SALE**

The Ladies Auxiliary will be having a bake sale in conjunction with the Knights' Breakfast with Saint Nicholas. Anyone who would like to offer baked goods for the sale is welcome to! Please bring your baking ready to sell (packaged, wrapped, and labelled) to the school gym next Sunday morning no later than 10:00 – the earlier the better!

### **YOUTH MINISTRY**

There will be a second collection next Sunday for Youth Ministry, thus our Parish Development collection is deferred to the second Sunday in December.

# COFFEE HOUR SIGN-UP SHEET

Looking ahead to the New Year, a signup sheet to host Coffee Hour after the 10:00 Mass from January to the end of March is posted in the vestibule.

### **PARISH DIRECTORY**

### Parish Office:

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

### PREP:

September - May: Wednesday at 7:00 p.m.

PREP Co-ordinator: Samantha Hill

Email: CCD@smeschool.ca

### Adult Catechism:

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

### Choir:

September - June: Thursday at 7:00 p.m. Contact: Tyler Mitchell (604) 671-7453

### **Knights of Columbus:**

September - June: 2<sup>nd</sup> Tuesday of the month, after evening Mass.

Contact: Adrian Smith (604) 837-0897 or

Email: <u>adrianerlesmith@gmail.com</u> Suresh Perera (778) 889-3696

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

### Ladies Auxiliary:

September - June: 1<sup>st</sup> Tuesday of the month at 1:00 p.m.

Contact: Rosalyn Ogilvie (604) 420-6279

## Youth Group:

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

Contact: Paul Roder

Email: YouthGroup@stmichaelsparish.ca