November 2023



Sacred Heart Parish
525 Campbell Avenue
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Mass: Sunday at 9:30am

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St. Tekakwitha Centre: 887 Keefer Street
Mass: Weekdays at 10am
St. Paul's Parish: 381 East Cordova Street

Mass: Sunday at 11:30am

The month of November is dedicated to the Holy Souls in Purgatory whose feast is celebrated on November 2

The Holy Father's Intentions for the Month of November 2023 is for the Pope. We pray for the Holy Father; as he fulfils his mission, may he continue to accompany the flock entrusted to him, with the help of the Holy Spirit.

Highlights of the Month

During November, as in all of Ordinary Time (Time After Pentecost), the Liturgy signifies and expresses the regenerated life from the coming of the Holy Spirit, which is to be spent on the model of Christ's Life and under the direction of His Spirit. As we come to the end of the Church year we are asked to consider the end times, our own as well as the world's. The culmination of the liturgical year is the Solemnity of Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe. "This feast asserts the supreme authority of Christ over human beings and their institutions.... Beyond it we see Advent dawning with its perspective of the Lord's coming in glory."— The Liturgy and Time, A.G. Mortimort

Wonderful people to remember in your prayers:

Amelia & Pietro Morlin, Anastasia Estropia & Family, Angela Calogero, Angelina Ciotti, Audrey Breaker, Darryl Halisky, Francesco (Antonella's father), George Macri, Irene Lapierre, Iolanda Minicucci, Jacob Legoff, James B., Lena Record, Maria Dos Santos, Mateo Carelse-Borzel, Mimi Yeung and her Mother, Raymond LaBoucane, Tessie Chin's Husband, the husband of Ursula, the family of Gloria, the mother of Jim.

Happy Birthday & Anniversary to all celebrating a special day in November!

Project Advance 2023: Empowering our Parish Vision

Your support of Project Advance will help grow your parish and expand the reach of Christ's love to those who need it most. It will fund initiatives such as pastoral formation, youth and young adult ministries, outreach programs for the vulnerable and in need, and the construction of new Catholic schools.

Tax-deductible donations can be made in person at our parish or online. Legacy gifts are also appreciated. Learn more and donate at projectadvance.ca.

Please consider making a gift to Project Advance 2023. Every gift, regardless of its size, makes a difference.

Sacred Heart Mass Intentions for November 2023

November 5 - Deceased Members of the Coi Family requested by Sestilia Pettovello November 5 - Alberto Sibug JR & Alberto Sibug SR requested by Sibug, Henson, Rosanes Families

November 12 - Deceased Members of the Morlin Family requested by Amelia Morlin November 19 - Deceased Members of the Pettovello Family requested by Sestilia Pettovello

November 26 - Deceased Members of the Caverzan Family requested by Amelia Morlin

All Masses will be for the Intention of the People of God, unless otherwise indicated in the above.

Every Sunday at 11am you are welcome to pray with the Legion of Mary at Kateri Centre basement.

Sacrament of Reconciliation: 30 minutes before Mass.

Starting December 1st - Monday to Friday masses (10am) and the Saturday (430pm) will be in St. Kateri Centre- Chapel (in the Basement Room).

The Lay Carmelites 3rd Order Mass is every First Saturday of the Month in St. Kateri Centre-Chapel (in the Basement Room)

Every Wednesday after the 10am Mass, those who attended the Mass gather for snacks and a little sharing of reflections on the reading or any other topic of interest. You may bring a little snack that you wish to share with the group. This is a very informal gathering.

1st Friday of the month after the 10am Mass we have a Holy Hour with Benediction, all other Fridays the Stations of the Cross after the 10am Mass.

Sacred Heart Parish News

- Parish Council Meeting for November 12th at 10:30am in the St. Kateri Centre - Main Floor (Parishioners who wish to know more about the proposed future plan for the school site and rectory may attend the PPC Meeting)
- November 5th until 30th Mass Schedule
 - Sunday's 9:30am at Sacred Heart and 11:30am in St. Paul's
 - Monday to Friday = NO MASS
 - Saturday's 4:30pm in Sacred Heart
- November 26th Birthdays and Anniversaries Greetings/Blessing and Snacks. Please sign up at the back of the church if you can bring something.
- Sunday collections:
 - October 1st = \$1,128.00
 - October 8th = \$1,055.00
 - October $15^{th} = $1,645.00$
 - October 22nd = \$930.95
- Parish Bake Sale= \$506.35
- Fr. Al is staying in the OMI Pandosy House near St. Augustine Church to recuperate. If you wish to call him: 778-868-7120
- We need volunteers to clean around the church property, mow/cut the grass etc.
- Any parishioner who has experience with fluorescent lamps to contact Father Nestor.

Archdiocese News

November 2023 Events - To view more about these and many more upcoming events, visit **beholdvancouver.org/events**

- I Am With You: Fall Lecture Series November 7, at 5:00 p.m. via Zoom.
- <u>Life Compass Workshop Retreat for Men November 25, from 8:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. at</u> Holy Grounds Coffee House on the campus of St. Patrick's Parish in Maple Ridge.
- The Twelfth Annual Archbishop's Dinner On November 9, 6:00 p.m. at Hyatt Regency in Vancouver. Learn more and register at rcav.org/dinner2023.
- Marriage Conference Weekend Getaway November 10 to 12, at Fairmont Chateau in Whistler. Registration: The conference fee is typically \$299, but with the promo code "RCAV," you can secure your spot for just \$199. Accommodations at Fairmont Chateau Whistler can be booked separately. Registration deadline: November 6, at 9:00 a.m.
- <u>Catechists' Evening with Archbishop Miller Cost is \$5. On November 17, from 6:00 to 9:00 p.m. at Holy Name of Jesus Parish in Vancouver. Registration deadline: Monday, November 13.</u>
- St. Mark's College/Corpus Christi College 23rd Annual Fundraising Breakfast November 18, at 8:45 a.m. at St. Thomas More Collegiate in Burnaby. This is a free
 event, but RSVP is required on Eventbrite. For more information, please email
 developmentoffice@stmarkscollege.ca.
- <u>Christmas Craft Market, St. Helen's November 18, from 10:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. at the</u> gym of St. Helen's in Burnaby.
- <u>Virtual Worldwide Marriage Encounter November 24-26. Registration deadline: November 17. Cost is \$130.</u>
- Community Dinner (Archdiocese of Vancouver and Temple Sholom) November 30, at 6:00 p.m. at Temple Sholom in Vancouver. Cost is \$36.
- Married Couples Date Night December 7, from 6:30 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. at St. Matthew's Parish in Surrey. Registration deadline: November 30.
- Pilgrimage to the Holy Land June 28 to July 7, 2024. This extraordinary pilgrimage is proudly sponsored by BesTOUR, a trusted name in guiding pilgrims through the Holy Land for three decades. Limited group of 50 participants on this once-in-a-lifetime journey. Secure your seat now by contacting us at amerguide@gmail.com or calling +972-52-6903169 (Please note that Israel is +10 hours ahead of Pacific Time).

Support for Displaced Ukrainians Settling in the Lower Mainland - Arrange to drop off donations at the nearest Ukrainian Catholic Church or contact: uahelp.ca

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Never respond to emails requesting Google Play cards, iTunes cards, or any other form of personal financial assistance, even if it appears to be from a priest, deacon, religious, parish staff or bishop. If you have any doubt, please contact the sender by other means to verify any requests.

Blessing