



Our Lady of Mercy Parish

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Deacon: Deacon Andre Coronado

April 13, 2025
Passion (Palm) Sunday

PARISH OFFICE HOURS:

Monday - Friday:
08:30 am - 3:30 pm
(12 - 1 pm lunch break)

Our Lady of Mercy School

School Office: (604) 526-7121
Principal: Neva Grout
Email: office@ourladyofmercy.ca
website: www.ourladyofmercy.ca

Parish Religious Education Program (PREP) Classes for Children in Public School

PREP classes are scheduled every
Wednesday at 6:30 pm
For inquiries:
email Marivic at olmprep@gmail.com

Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults (RCIA)

Do you have questions about
the Catholic faith?
Are you interested in developing a deeper
relationship with Jesus Christ?
The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults
(RCIA) is an incredible journey of
learning, personal fulfillment and
spiritual growth. Sessions are scheduled
every Thursday, from 7:00 – 9:00 pm
For inquiries:
call/text Valder at 604-861-9774

Sunday Mass Schedule

with Rosary Prayer and Novena to Holy Spirit start 30 minutes prior to Sunday Masses
Saturday Mass of Anticipation: 5:00 PM
Sunday: 8:30 AM; 10:30 AM and 12:30 PM

Weekday Mass Schedule

Monday – Friday: 8:00 AM
First Friday of the month: 8:00 AM and 7:00 PM
Saturday and Public Holidays: 9:00 AM

Confession: 30 minutes prior to Masses or upon request.

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament every first Friday of the month:

8:45 AM to 6:15 PM with Divine Mercy Novena/Chaplet at 3:00 PM,
Benediction at 6:30 PM and Mass at 7 PM.

Daily Rosary and Novena Prayer Schedules (after morning Mass)

- * Monday : Saint Joseph Novena
- * Tuesday : Saint Anthony of Padua Perpetual Novena
- * Wednesday : Our Lady of Perpetual Help Novena (+ 6 PM)
- * Thursday : Perpetual Novena to Saint Therese of Lisieux
- * Friday : Devotion to the Holy Face of Jesus (6 PM)
- * Saturday : Our Lady of Mercy Novena

Perpetual Adoration Chapel & Devotional Garden

Open every day. For more information, please call the parish office.

The Sacrament of Marriage

At least **six months** notice must be given to the Pastor

The Sacrament of Baptism Parish families who wish to have a child
baptized should be registered in the parish. Please visit the Parish Office
to register. Attendance of preparation class prior to the baptism is
mandatory for parents and godparents. Class is held every last Thursday
of the month at 7 PM. Children Baptisms are scheduled on second
Saturday of every month at 10:30 AM.

Email Fraud Warning

Our Lady of Mercy Parish has received multiple reports from parishioners and priests who have fallen victim to recent Phone SMS/text messages and Internet email phishing scam. Imposters, posing as priests and using cell phone numbers and/or email addresses that are similar to those of our priests, have been texting and emailing people asking for personal donations, gift cards, and other forms of financial assistance.

Never respond to texts and/or 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.

For Parish Ministries and Organisations inquiries, please contact the parish office.

THIS WEEK'S SCHEDULE

SATURDAY, APRIL 12, 2025
 5:00 pm Saturday Mass of Anticipation
PASSION (PALM) SUNDAY, APRIL 13, 2025
 8:30 am Passion (Palm) Sunday Mass
 10:30 am Passion (Palm) Sunday Mass
 12:30 pm Passion (Palm) Sunday Mass
MONDAY, APRIL 14, 2025
 8:00 am Daily Mass
TUESDAY, APRIL 15, 2025
 8:00 am Daily Mass
WEDNESDAY, APRIL 16, 2025
 8:00 am Daily Mass
HOLY THURSDAY, APRIL 17, 2025
 No Morning Mass
 7:00 pm Mass of the Lord's Supper
 Adoration until 12:00 am
GOOD FRIDAY, APRIL 18, 2025
 No Morning Mass
 11:00am LIVE Stations of the Cross
 3:00 pm Passion of the Lord
 Divine Mercy Novena Day 1
HOLY SATURDAY, APRIL 19, 2025
 No Morning Mass
 10:00 am Confession
 8:00 pm Divine Mercy Novena Day 2
 9:00 pm Easter Vigil

PRAYERS FOR THE SICK

In your prayers, please remember the sick:

Mila Balanay, Patricia Vargas Casas, Roz Chua, Lily Katherine Cregan, Nilcar Donato, Purita Fabian, Pamela Gardner, Gail Larson, Maria Marks, Van & Thu Tung Nguyen, Victoria Obleada, Barbara Obreska, Ernesto Oloresisimo, Rosemarie Ordaniel, Alberto & Emilia Pagaduan, Richard Pereira, Ngu Thi Phan, Marie Piche, Virgilio Pino Jr, Celestino Regacho, Philip Rekawek, Rosa Maria Santos, Sydney Shanti, Lorenzo Sia, Quan, Mary & Mollen Tran, Doriz Vertucio, Sharon Vine, Anna Wojciechowska.



Holy Communion:

Any one who is shut-in and wishes to receive the Holy Eucharist, please let us know. If you have a loved one who is sick and needs our prayers, and would like to put their name in the bulletin, kindly contact the office.

VOLUNTEERS FOR CHILDREN'S LITURGY

Children's Liturgy is needing Volunteers for 8:30am and 10:30 am Masses. Training will be provided by **Myla Reddy**, contact email ajmreddy@shaw.ca or text to 604-783-7141.

STEWARDSHIP REFLECTION

"I tell you, Peter, before the cock crows this day, you will deny three times that you know me." (Luke 22:34)

How many times have you heard someone make a disparaging comment about God or our Catholic faith? How did you react? Do you remain quiet so not to cause a disturbance? Or, because you don't want people to think negatively about you? Or, because you don't think you know enough about the Catholic faith? Pray for the courage to speak up and enter into a respectful conversation when the opportunity to talk about our faith arises. Joyfully share your faith with others.

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SHARE LENT 2025
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Thank you for giving from the heart to Share Lent



2025!
 Development and Peace — Caritas Canada thanks you for supporting the **Turn Debt into Hope** campaign with your Share Lent donation. Thanks to your generosity, **our parish collected \$ 4,042.00.** This sum will help support

our sisters and brothers in Africa, Asia, Eastern Europe, Latin America and the Middle East.

If you have not yet had a chance to give, you can still place your Share Lent envelope in the offertory or donate online at devp.org/give.

Thank you for continuing to pray for all those who are working to build a world of peace and justice.

LENTEN PENITENTIAL SERVICES

Each Service will begin at 7:00 PM	
Mon, Apr 14	Saint Peter's Parish, New Westminster
Mon, Apr 14	Saint Michael's Parish, Burnaby
Tue, Apr 15	Saints Cyril & Methodius, New Westminster
Visit rcav.org/lent to view more penitential service times in Greater Vancouver	

MARRIAGE ANNIVERSARY MASS

If you are celebrating a milestone marriage anniversary this year (5, 10, 15, 20, 25, 30, 35, 40, 45, 50, 55 & 60+ years of marriage), we invite you to join us for the 2025 Marriage Anniversary Mass, celebrated by Archbishop J. Michael Miller. At St. Paul's Parish, Richmond, on **Sunday, May 11, 2:30 pm**. Register by **April 18** at rcav.org/mam.



HOLY WEEK & EASTER SCHEDULES

Palm Sunday, April 13th

Saturday, April 12th at 5:00 pm

Sunday, April 13th at 8:30 am, 10:30 am & 12:30 pm

Holy Thursday, April 17th

No Morning Mass

7:00 pm : Mass of the Lord's Supper
8 pm-12 am : Adoration

Good Friday, April 18th

No Morning Mass

11:00 am : LIVE Way of the Cross
3:00 pm : Passion of the Lord
Divine Mercy Novena

Holy Saturday, April 19th

No Morning Mass

10 am -11 am : Confession
8:00 pm : Divine Mercy Novena
9:00 pm : Easter Vigil

Easter Sunday, April 20th

Easter Sunday Mass at 8:30 am, 10:30 am & 12:30 pm
2:30 pm : Easter Sunday Mass in Indonesian

FAREWELL DINNER FOR ARCHBISHOP MILLER

Tuesday, April 29, 2025
Italian Cultural Centre, Vancouver
Doors open at 5:30 PM | Dinner begins at 6:30 PM
\$100 per ticket
(Registrants for the Farewell Mass are also welcome to attend.)

CLARIFICATION ON HOLY DOORS DURING THE JUBILEE OF HOPE

The Archdiocese of Vancouver has received many inquiries regarding Holy Doors during the Jubilee Year of Hope. This Jubilee Year, Pope Francis has designated Holy Doors exclusively at the four major papal basilicas in Rome to highlight the unity of the universal Church and to invite Catholics worldwide to make the traditional pilgrimage to Rome. There are no Holy Doors in Vancouver, though Catholics can still obtain the Jubilee Indulgence by following the instructions outlined at rcav.org/jubilee.

CATHOLIC YOUTH CONFERENCE



Calling all high school youth! You're invited to the Catholic Youth Conference, hosted by the Archdiocese of Vancouver. This exciting, full-day event is designed for students in grades 8-12, as well as youth ministry

leaders, teachers, and mentors. Come experience an inspiring talk by keynote speaker Maggie Craig, engaging breakout sessions, meaningful prayer time, praise and worship music, delicious food, and plenty of chances to connect with other Catholic youth from across Greater Vancouver.

On **Saturday, May 3**, 10:00 a.m. to 9:00 p.m. at Archbishop Carney Secondary School in Port Coquitlam. Learn more and register as a group by **April 25** at cyc.rcav.org.

APPLICATIONS OPEN: YOUTH MINISTRY LEADERSHIP BURSARY

The Youth Ministry Leadership Bursary recognizes high school students who are making a difference in their parishes, schools, communities and homes. Two Grade 12 students will be selected to receive an award of \$500 each for their post-secondary schooling. **Application deadline: Monday, May 5.** Learn more and apply at rcav.org/youth-ministry.

MARCH FOR LIFE

This year's annual March for Life in Victoria, BC takes place on **Thursday, May 8**. The March is a public witness to the sanctity of human life and a message to the provincial government of the need for changing the law to protect the most vulnerable, especially the unborn and the elderly. Come and join the thousands across Canada that are participating in this important Pro-Life event. There will be a bus available at Our Lady of Mercy parking lot at 7:30 am. The participants meet at Centennial Square and march down the Government Street to a rally at the parliament building. See below for the itinerary and costs for bus and ferry. Sign up soon, limited (46) seats available. **Register by Thursday, April 24.**

Pack your own lunch and dress for rain

AGE	BUS FARE	FERRY FARE	TOTAL
< 5 years old	FREE for OLM parishioners	FREE	FREE
5-11 years old	FREE for OLM parishioners	\$15	\$15
	\$35 for non-parishioners	\$15	\$50
12-64 years old	FREE for OLM parishioners	\$35	\$35
	\$35 for non-parishioners	\$35	\$70
65+ years old	FREE for OLM parishioners	FREE	FREE
	\$35 for non-parishioners	FREE	\$35

PROOF OF ID REQUIRED

SCHEDULE

8:00 AM	Buses will depart from the OLM parish parking lot
9:15 AM	Mass at Sacred Heart Parish celebrated by Archbishop M. Miller
9:45 AM	Following Mass, bus will proceed to BC Ferries in Tsawwassen
11:00 AM	Sail to Swartz Bay All bus riders will board the BC Ferry as walk-on passengers
	From Swartz Bay, everyone will board buses that will take them to Centennial Square
1:45 PM	Start of March to Parliament Building
2:15 PM	Rally commences
3:15 PM	Rally concludes
3:30 PM	Leave for BC Ferries in Swartz Bay
5:00 PM	Sail to Tsawwassen
~7:30 PM	Arrive back at OLM parish parking lot

SIGN UP SHEET IN CHURCH FOYER

PILGRIMS OF HOPE!! MARIAN PILGRIMAGE TOUR WITH FATHER REY USMAN

Join Father Rey on a spiritual journey through Italy, France, Spain, and Portugal, from **Sept 29 to Oct 15, 2025**. Explore each country's rich history, culture, and faith as you visit numerous sites.

Destinations: Rome, Assisi, Turin, Padua, Venice, Montpellier, Lourdes, Fatima, Lisbon, Barcelona, Monserrat, and Zaragoza.

Registration: Deon Almeida 778-866-8118 or Brian Andrade 778-999-4599 of Royale Orchid Tours and Holidays, Inc. to secure your spot by **May 28, 2025**.

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