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8:30am - 4:30pm

### MASS SCHEDULE

#### WEEKDAY

Monday to Friday 9 AM

#### WEEKEND

Saturday 9 AM | 4:30 PM  
Sunday 9 AM | 11 AM

**FIRST FRIDAY** 6:30 PM

**EXPOSITION AND ADORATION  
OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT**  
First Friday 3PM to 6:15PM

#### SPANISH MASS

3rd Sunday of the Month 4 PM

### CONFESSION SCHEDULE

**TUESDAY to FRIDAY** 8:30 - 8:50 AM  
**SATURDAY**

9:30 - 10:30 AM | 5:30 - 6:30 PM  
Or by Appointment

### SACRAMENTS

#### BAPTISM PREP CLASS

1st Saturday of the month 1-3 PM

#### BAPTISM

2nd and 4th Sundays - 1 PM

Contact Parish Office to register.  
Adults - Please enroll in RCIA or  
contact Parish Office for more  
information.

#### MARRIAGE

Please do not finalize wedding plans  
prior to initial meeting with  
Fr. Rey Usman. A minimum of six  
months advance notice is needed.

#### ANNOINTING OF THE SICK

Please contact parish office  
or if after office hours,  
email Fr. Rey at pastor@pbparish.ca.



## 31st Sunday in Ordinary Time Year B, 3rd November 2024

*'Love the Lord your God,  
and love your neighbour as yourself.'*

The readings this week remind us that the love of God and the love of other people lie at the core of our lives as Christians.

In the **First Reading**, Moses reminds the people of Israel, who are about to enter the promised land, that they must love God with all their heart, soul and strength.

The **Psalm** expresses our love for God, who is our rock and our refuge. It praises the God who has done so much for us.

The writer of the letter to the Hebrews (**Second Reading**) speaks of Jesus as the ideal high priest. Unlike previous high priests, he lives for ever, and can 'intercede for all who come to God through him'.

Answering the question posed by a scribe in the **Gospel**, Jesus goes beyond the exhortation of Moses. We are indeed to love God, but we must also love our neighbour. Love of God, the greatest commandment, is inseparable from love of neighbour.

This week, we might want to focus our prayer on the people around us, near and far, that they should know and love the Lord, and live in peace.

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### PARISH RELIGIOUS EDUCATION PROGRAM (PREP) - will resume 2nd October 2024

Every Wednesdays at 6:30 –7:45 pm  
Rency Soliven - prep@pbparish.ca

### RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION for ADULTS (RCIA) - will resume September 2024

Every Thursdays at 6:30 –8 pm

## PARISH ORGANISATIONS

### CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE (CWL)

Kathy Harms –preciousbloodcwl@gmail.com

### COUPLES FOR CHRIST

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### KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

Mathew Klaponski  
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### LEGION OF MARY

Every Saturdays at 10 - 11:30am  
Nancy Mathias – lom@pbparish.ca

### PRO-LIFE

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### SOCIETY OF ST VINCENT DE PAUL

Food Dist. Program every Tue 11-12 am  
Mary Paetsch - preciousbloodssvp@gmail.com

### ST. THERESA'S CIRCLE

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## In his intention for November 2024, Pope Francis prays: For anyone who has lost a child:

We pray that all parents who mourn the loss of a son or daughter find support in their community and receive peace and consolation from the Holy Spirit.



The sick & shut in; Norman Jansen, Debbie Davis, David Thiele, Leandro Rodino Jr., Delorus Lee, Dawn Epaarachchi, Gracie Formby, Jim O'Brien, Silvia Gallagher, Helen Gaska, Bernadette Leclair, Dario Dira, Carol Armstrong, Rejeanne Lajoie, George Blakey, Lily Gallant, Lucy Gallant, Carol LeBlanc, Roy Gregory, Jenna Faykosh, Artemio Abrogena, Sue Broerken, Christopher & Josh Lasell, Norma MacInnes, Margaret Mccreadie, Brenda Curran, Fran & Maureen, Gary Hopper, Lori Beaulieu Smith, Angela Todo, Anna-Lisa Bailey, Rosa Santos, Susan Harasyn McEvoy, Maximiliano O'Brien, Ney Antonio Villegas, Katherine, Polly Voon, Xenia Mallari, Peter Taillon, Ana Defrias, Richard Jones, Barbara Taylor, Ed & Eleanor Carrol, Joyce Krahnbel, Gigi Swalehe & Dar Maddatu, Nelly Wiemer (Madeline's mom), Judy Bothwell, Craig Stevenson, Roger Gagner, Catherine Tolmozoff, Barbara Naef, Wilson Borbon, Alma Zinger, Deanna Fernandes, Elaine Lauzon, Anne O'Hagan, Rose Javier, John Lloyd, Dominik Basiak, Pablito Basit, Rosana Ruiz, Bonnie Watson, Deanna Maceda Silva, Katrina Craig, Norah Aucoin, Thelma Urbano, Ron Hart Len Mackenzie, Earl Coatta, Dwayne McNee & all who have asked for our prayers... May our Lord sustain, comfort & heal them through faith.

## Parish Schedule

### Monday, Nov 04, 2024

1:00 pm - CWL mthly meeting at the Bushey Room

7:00 pm - PFG mthly meeting at the Bushey Room

7:30 pm - 'Restore' Women's adoration at the church  
followed by discussion & fellowship at the Cenacle-Columbus Rm

### Tuesday, Nov 05, 2024 @ 7:00 pm

monthly PMC meeting at the Cenacle Room

### Wednesday, Nov 06, 2024 @ 6:00 pm

PREP Parent meeting for confirmation at the Cenacle-Columbus Rm

### Thursday, Nov 07, 2024

6:00 pm - Filipino Ministry monthly meeting at the Cenacle Room

6:30 pm - Weekly RCIA class at the Bushey Room

## MASS INTENTIONS

Nov. Mon. 04th 09:00 am - Intentions of Precious Blood Parishioners

Tue. 05th 09:00 am - Intentions of Amelia Fernandes

Wed. 06th 09:00 am - Florentina Alcos †

Thu. 07th 09:00 am - Intentions of Rob Aucoin

Fri. 08th 09:00 am - Henry Khoo †

Sat. 09th 09:00 am - Members of Anne Fernandes family †  
04:30 pm - Iris Spaul †

Sun. 03rd 09:00 am - Edgar Paulo Jose †

11:00 am - Intentions of Jose Crespo & Lois & Maria  
Carvalho

## Pastor's Message

### Dear Parishioners

I hope you are enjoying the colors of the Fall season! I am amazed at how bright green leaves are turning to yellow and orange and brown! I also like the sound of the crunching leaves underfoot whenever I walked around our property. While we enjoy what Mother Nature has given us there are also sad news of natural disaster in other parts of the globe like flood, typhoon, and hurricane. The colors of Fall season though, do not last long as it gives way to winter season. We see in these changing of seasons the necessary cycle of life – birth, death and renewal.

Last Friday, November 1, we celebrated the beginning of the month of November with the Feast of All Saints followed by the Feast of All Souls on Saturday. These two celebrations are reminders for us that we will leave this world someday and our true home is Heaven. For the whole month we will pray and remember in our Mass our deceased loved ones and friends, former parishioners, and benefactors.

On November 11, “Canadians pause... in silence to remember those who died in war and to pray for the victims of aggression and inhumanity throughout the world. This is a day to pray for peace, to consider what we are doing as individuals, as a community and as a nation to bring God’s peace into the world. This is a day when a believing community should rededicate itself by prayer and action to the ideals Jesus gives us in the Beatitudes” (Ordo Liturgical Calendar 2023-2024, p. 246).

On November 17 we observe the World Day of the Poor. Pope Francis established this day in 2017 to encourage people to reflect on poverty and take action to help those in need. There are many poor in the world and each year the number is growing. While Jesus told us that we will always have the poor with us (Matthew 26.11), it is important to remember that poor people are not “outside” our communities. They are our brothers and sisters whose suffering we should ease, to restore them to our common brotherhood (Pope Francis, Message for 5th World Day of the Poor).

November is also the last month in our liturgical calendar. We celebrate the Solemnity of Jesus Christ, King of the Universe on November 24, the last Sunday of this month. This solemnity stands as a magnificent masterpiece and invites us to reflect deeply on the divine kingship of Christ and its profound significance in our lives as disciples of Jesus Christ. I always pray for you and your loved ones that Christ’s kingship may forever inspire you to live lives of faith, love, and devotion, proclaiming His kingship not only in our words but in the very fabric of our existence.

Have a blessed weekend!

Father Rey

### Badminton Games for Parishioners

Calling all badminton players and enthusiasts! Father Rey is organizing a regular badminton game for all parishioners.

If you are interested to play and be fit or to be part of the organizing committee, please send an email to [pastor@pbparish.ca](mailto:pastor@pbparish.ca)

### Living the Life of Christ in a Post-Christian World

Can Christians discern how to live in an environment increasingly hostile to faith? Fr. Paul Scalia, a priest of the Archdiocese of Arlington, VA will explore this question during a free, in-person talk at **St. Mark's College at UBC. Tuesday, November 5 at 7:00 p.m.**

Learn more at [beholdvancouver.org/events](http://beholdvancouver.org/events)

### North American Congress on Mercy

The Third North American Congress on Mercy (NACOM) promises spiritually enriching presentations from inspiring, well-known speakers and powerful witnesses to God's love and mercy; Holy Mass; Eucharistic Adoration; Confession; uplifting sacred music; book signings; and time for sharing and fellowship. **Friday, November 15 through Sunday, November 17 at Good Shepherd Church in Surrey.** Learn more and register at [marian.org/events](http://marian.org/events)

### Annual Mass for Deceased Bishops, Clergy, Consecrated Men and Women

All parishioners are welcome to attend this special Liturgy concelebrated by the priests of the Archdiocese. Remember in your prayers those who have laboured for the Church in Vancouver and pray that the Lord will send more dedicated men and women to continue their ministry. **Wednesday, November 6 at 12:10 p.m. at Holy Rosary Cathedral.**

### Youth Ministry Recap & Upcoming Event!

On October 26, we gathered for an inspiring session on the beatitude, “Blessed are the poor in spirit, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven.” Through the story of St. Maria Goretti, a heartfelt testimony on forgiveness, and meaningful group discussions, we reflected on humility and finding lasting joy in God. Plus, we enjoyed some fun games that brought everyone together!

Join us for our **next gathering on Saturday, November 9, at 2:30 p.m.** in the Parish Centre Columbus Room. Expect an afternoon filled with inspiration, fellowship, and fun. Snacks and refreshments provided—bring a friend and spread the word! Register here. See you there!



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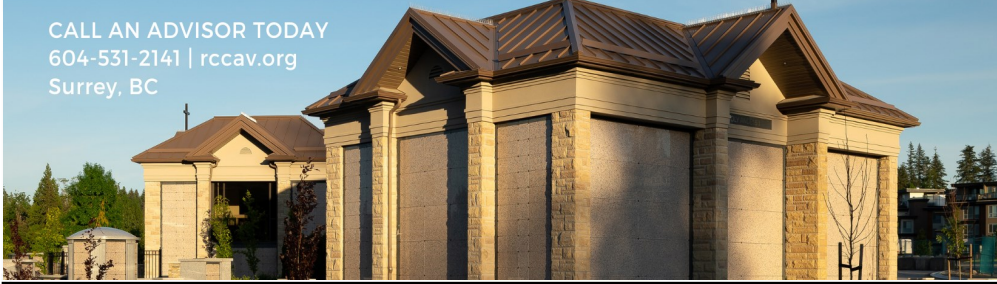
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