

## INTENTIONS FOR HOLY MASS DURING THIS WEEK

Sun.	(Feb. 10)	8:30 am 10:30 am 6:30 pm	For ALL THE PEOPLE OF THE PARISH
Mon.	(Feb. 11)	8:30 am	For THE EVANS FAMILY
Tues.	(Feb. 12)	8:30 am	+ ROBERT LIM
Wed.	(Feb. 13)	8:30 am	+ LORENZO DI FRANCESCO
Thurs.	(Feb. 14)	8:30 am	+ FILOMENA VILORIA
Fri.	(Feb. 15)	8:30 am	For JANE WONCH
Sat.	(Feb. 16)	9:00 am 4:30 pm	+ ROBERT, JOSEPH & TERESA LAM
Sun.	(Feb. 17)	8:30 am 10:30 am 6:30 pm	For ALL THE PEOPLE OF THE PARISH

### Privileged to serve

Sat. Feb. 16     4:30 pm

Sun. Feb. 17     8:30 am  
10:30 am

6:30 pm

### EM

John Toljanich

### Readers

Trish Gares

Nancy Alden  
Michelle Diaz

Melisa Savino

### Altar servers

Maya Lorezca-Finney, Mackenzie Singh

Ian & Joel Ceholski  
Michael & Mel Villagrancia,  
Zachary & Matis Simmons  
Justin Achadinha

Shawn & Aiden Cardle,  
Samuel & Layne Rausch



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## FEBRUARY 10, 2019 – FIFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

**WELCOME TO ST. STEPHEN'S PARISH: Office: Mon to Fri. 9 am to 4 pm**

**Our Mass times and Sacrament of Reconciliation times are as follows:**

**Mass Schedule:**     Weekdays:     Monday to Friday & holidays: 8:30 a.m.  
                                          Saturday:     9 a.m.  
                                          Sunday Liturgy:     Saturday evening: 4:30 p.m.

Sunday: 8:30 a.m.; 10:30 a.m.; 6:30 p.m.

**The Sacrament of Reconciliation:**     Monday to Saturday : 8:00 - 8:20 a.m.

Saturday:     3:00 - 4:15 p.m.

Sunday:     30 mins before Masses

(Or at any time - Please call the Rectory)

**Sacrament of Baptism:**     Please contact the Rectory.

**Sacrament of Marriage:**     Please contact the Rectory 4-6 months in advance.

**Holy Orders:**     Fr. Rodney Nootebos - 604-683-0281 (Vocations Office)

**Anointing of the Sick:**     Please contact the Rectory

Welcome to any new parishioners to St. Stephen's. If you would like to register or get envelopes please contact the parish office on weekdays.

**LECTORS/USHERS NEEDED** - If you would like to volunteer to read or usher at the Sunday, 6:30 pm Mass, please contact Anne Pearsall – 604-988-6302. Thank you for your stewardship.

**Your prayers are requested** for Jim Alden, John Barry, Virgil Billesberger, Jennifer Blore, Edward Carter, Steve Cervenko, Angela Ciprian, Joe Dinahan, Denis Doll, Thelma Fairleigh, Mark Hamilton, Dylan Kemper, Cecilia Lam, John Magee, Ariel Nonan, Diego Nunez, Hilda Tacneng, John Toljanich, and Jarrod Weisner.

**PARISH MISSION AT ST. STEPHEN'S - Feb 16-20, 2019:** Take some time to reconnect your relationship with the Blessed Trinity and be greatly mindful and deepen the awareness of the Holy presence of God in every moment of your lives. **Sr. Beth Ann Dillon, d.s.m.p. is presenting a Mission each night at 7:30 p.m. at St. Stephen's** 1360 East 24th Street, North Vancouver. All are welcome!

**VALENTINE'S DAY BRUNCH – for all ladies of the Parish – Sun. February 17, 2019 – after the 10:30 am Mass in the parish hall.** Special envelopes are available for you to take home to include your \$ 10 payment to reserve your seat. Please drop these off at the parish office with your name. This amount will be returned to you at the door. Thank you & look forward to seeing you there!

**ST. STEPHEN'S PRAYER GROUP** – We will meet on **Thursday, February 14, 2019 at 7:00 pm for Mass** followed by our meeting in the Upper room of the church. For more information, contact Ted: 604-924-0573 Alfred: [hoathome@shaw.ca](mailto:hoathome@shaw.ca).

**LEGION OF MARY** – The statue is at the home of Jude & Patricia Correa from February 9th to February 23rd, 2019. Please keep them in your prayers. Contact Jan – 985-1184 to book the statue.

**DIVINE MERCY DEVOTION** - at 3:00 pm every day, in the Upper room of the church.

**The Society of St. Vincent de Paul** thanks all those helping with sandwich making and distribution & donations of Peanut butter. They are also in need of jars of red jam. Thank you!

**STA NEWS - OPEN HOUSE at St. Thomas Aquinas High School – Wednesday, February 13, 2019** – 1:45 pm to 2:45 pm student led tours. The evening will have full staff in attendance 6:00 pm to 8:00 pm. **PLACEMENT EXAM – Friday, February 22, 2019 @ 8:30 am.** All students applying for Grade 8 in September 2019, please contact Barbara Dougan at STA to pre-register 604-987-4431. Registration packages will be handed out to all Grade 7 students in feeder schools and PREP classes.

### **STEWARDSHIP REFLECTION - February 10, 2019 - 5th Sunday in Ordinary Time**

"Then I heard the voice of the Lord saying, 'Whom shall I send? Who will go for us?' 'Here I am,' I said, 'send me!'" (Isaiah 6:8) Every day, in little ways and in big ways, God asks, "Whom shall I send?" Whether it is someone to take on a new ministry, to give a friendly smile to a stranger or say a word of encouragement to a friend, God constantly provides opportunities to help someone in need. The next time you hear God calling, have the courage to walk through the door and say "Here I am, Lord."

**WORLD DAY OF THE SICK - Archbishop Michael Miller, CSB, will be celebrating a Mass of Anointing in honour of World Day of the Sick 2019 at Our Lady of Sorrows Church, 555 S. Slocan Street, Vancouver, V5K 3X5, on Monday, February 11th at 11:00 a.m.** The Sacrament of Anointing will be administered after the Homily. All the sick and their caregivers are invited to attend.

**St. Paul's Indian Church** - under Fr TAP, (OMI) Pastor, and WATCHMEN Missions Ministry will host a charity event at St Francis de Sales Parish. **Ave Maria Concert** by Mexican-Canadian Tenor, Gustavo Herrera. **SFDS Gym, Saturday, Feb. 23<sup>rd</sup>. 6:30pm to 7:45pm.** To help in Acquiring Logistics For Mobile Soup Kitchen and Partnering With The Cities To Alleviate Homelessness. Tickets - \$ 10. Felix Wee -SMS:604-265-2320.Cell: 778-776-8384.

### **RETROUVAILLE** - A lifeline for trouble marriages

Retrouvaille (Rediscovery), supported by the Life, Marriage and Family Office of the Archdiocese of Vancouver, consists of a weekend experience for couples (no group discussions) with six follow-up sessions. As a Retrouvaille alumni couple you may then also attend our monthly support meetings. The next program is scheduled for the weekend of **April 5 - 7, 2019** at Barnabas Landing, on beautiful Keats Island. For more details please visit our websites [www.retrouvaillevancouver.com](http://www.retrouvaillevancouver.com) and/or [www.helpourmarriage.org](http://www.helpourmarriage.org) or phone 604-530-6710 and leave a message, to be called back. All inquiries are confidential.