

ST. PETER'S CHURCH

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FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER



Father Jack Herklotz, OMI

Saturday, 5 pm Mass is live-streamed.

<https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCvWDCCr3ATXbn23t83E6gfA>

If a person would like to spend some quiet prayer time in church, they can do so, **Mon.-Fri., 8:30 am to 2:30 pm.**

If a parishioner would like to give a donation, they can do so by clicking the link below

<https://support.rcav.org/donate-sunday-offering/?BBFund=505&BBHideOtherFunds=1>

Also, parishioners can mail a cheque to St. Peter's Parish, by adding the envelope amounts and mailing only one Sunday envelope with the cheque. Envelopes can be dropped off at the parish office, M-F: 8:30 am to 2:30 pm.

PRAYERS FOR THE SICK: Please remember those among our families and friends who are suffering the burden of illness or pain: Alexander Agsalud, Leon Alzate, JM Baquiran, Julie Beaupre, Gail Bonner, Debbie Borger, Desiree Changfoot, Lucia Christensen, John Clark, Maggie Cottons, Lily Cregan, Anthony Donovan, Sue-Anne Dunkin, Alfred Eheses, Ruby Lagmay Ghasemi, Marie Hocking, Gloria Jacquiard, Leonida Lampong, Jiangping Luo, Renato Malabanan, Tess Marier, Bonnie McKinley, Maggie Misfeldt, Roland Proulx, Ron Ross, Rosa Santos, Mimi Wunderlich.

Please keep in your prayers: **Cristina Schwarz** who died on **Sunday, April 11.**

Memorial Mass - Monday, May 3. Invited guests only.

2021 ENVELOPE BOXES: Parishioners who would like to pick up their envelope boxes for 2021 can do so from the parish office, Monday-Friday: 8:30 am to 12:30 pm.

PROJECT ADVANCE 2021 - Our Way Forward.

Donations can be made by cheque, cash or credit/debit cards. Please call the parish office to make a donation. Donations can also be made online at <http://projectadvance.ca>.

Pledge Amount: \$ 27,500. # of Donors: 29. Amount Collected: 7,515.

Couples for Christ (CFC) - Christian Life Program (CLP): Every Saturday, 7:00 to 9:00PM, through a zoom meeting, the link will be provided to the participants. For information, please contact Dave/Divine Orenzo at 778-387-5896, (dorenzo@gamil.com).

CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE OF CANADA: St. Peter's CWL is committed to supporting our youth pursuing post-secondary education. Two bursaries of \$500.00 each, will be awarded to a daughter or son of parents/guardians registered in St. Peter's Parish. Criteria and application forms can be requested via email or pick up, from the parish office. **The application deadline is May 15th.** Questions/info: Christine at 604-521-4182.

NATIONAL COUNCIL, CATHOLIC WOMENS LEAGUE OF CANADA: A bursary fund is available to C.W.L. members wishing to pursue studies, courses, workshops or degrees in many areas of spiritual life, growth, youth ministry, education, shut-ins, palliative care, literacy or parliamentary procedure. Applicants must have been C.W.L. members for a minimum of 3 years. **Application deadline is May 15th.** Criteria and application forms available at www.cwl.ca. Questions? Call Christine Gangnon at 604-521-4182.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS BURSARY: One bursary of \$ 500 to be awarded to a registered member of St. Peter's Parish who will attend 1st year of post-secondary education. Application forms can be requested via email: st.peters@telus.net or pick up from the Parish Office, Monday-Friday; 8:30 am to 2:30 pm. **Application deadline, May 31.**

The Worldwide Marriage Encounter virtual weekend experience is coming to you!

May 14-16, 2021. Registration deadline May 7, 2021

If you desire to restore communication & rekindle romance in your marriage, this weekend is for you; no travel required and from the comfort of your own home!

Click here for registration: <https://beholdvancouver.org/events/virtual-worldwide-marriage-encounter-5>

Click here for info video: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=VvQUEZ35Ufg&feature=youtu.be>

Click here for a short testimonial: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=i8hzCv3QN1A>

MARRIAGE ANNIVERSARY MASS - Sunday, May 9, 3:00 pm, Archbishop J. Michael Miller, CSB, will be honouring couples celebrating milestone anniversaries: 5, 10, 15, 20, 25, 30, 35, 40, 45, 50, 55 & 60+ years of marriage.

On behalf of Archbishop Miller, we are excited to invite you to the 2021 Milestone Marriage Anniversary Mass. We will be live streaming the Mass and invite you and your family to join us.

The Mass will be celebrated for each couple with a special blessing at the end. At the time of the blessing, we will list the names of all the couples that have registered for the Mass. Deadline to submit names and pictures will be Sunday, May 3 at 3 pm. Register online for free at beholdvancouver.org/events/marriage-anniversary-mass-2021

STEWARDSHIP REFLECTION: *"Children, let us love not in word or speech but in deed and truth."* - 1 John 3:18
Regarding our Catholic faith, do you "walk the talk?" Do your actions reflect what it means to be a good disciple? Are you an active participant at Sunday Mass? Are you joyful when participating in parish ministry? Do you give gratefully and generously with your financial support to your parish and other Church needs? If not, it's not too late to start!