

MARCH 2022						
Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
		1 RCIA 7:00 pm to 8:30 pm	2 ASH WEDNESDAY Masses: Noon 6:30 pm	3 NO YAH GENERAL MEETING Parish Council 7:00 pm Choir Practice 7:15 to 8:45 pm	4 Stations of the Cross – 12:30 pm 6:30 pm	5
6 1 st Sunday of Lent Couples for Christ Noon to 4:00 pm	7	8 RCIA 7:00 pm to 8:30 pm	9 PREP 6:15-7:30 pm	10 Synod Meeting 7:00 pm	11 Stations of the Cross – 12:30 pm 6:30 pm	12
13 2 nd Sunday of Lent Daylight Savings Time Begins	14	15 CWL Meeting 7:00 pm RCIA 7:00 pm to 8:30 pm	16 NO PREP Spring Break	17 Bingo 1 pm St. Vincent de Paul 6:30 pm Finance Meeting 7:00 pm Choir Practice 7:15 to 8:45 pm	18 Stations of the Cross – 12:30 pm	19 1 st Scrutiny 5 pm Mass
20 3 rd Sunday of Lent	21 BIBLE STUDY 7:00 jpm	22 RCIA 7:00 pm to 8:30 pm	23 NO PREP Spring Break	24 Bingo 1 pm Choir Practice 7:15 to 8:45 pm	25 Stations of the Cross – 12:30 pm	26
27 4 th Sunday of Lent 2 nd Scrutiny 11 am Mass	28 K of C Meeting 7:30 pm BIBLE STUDY 7:00 pm	29 RCIA 7:00 pm to 8:30 pm	30 PREP 6:15-7:30 pm	31 NO YAH Executive Meeting Parish Council Meeting – 7 pm Choir Practice 7:15 to 8:45 pm		

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**MARCH 20, 2022
THIRD SUNDAY OF LENT**



Father Jack Herklotz, OMI

SUNDAY MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday 5pm (also live streamed)

Sunday 9am 11am 5pm

WEEKDAY MASS SCHEDULE

Tuesday through Friday

12 Noon

Sacrament of Reconciliation: Saturday 4:15pm to 4:45pm Tuesday thru Friday 11:40am – 11:50am

Baptisms & Marriages: Please call Father Jack at 604-522-4611X2

Parish Organizations

Catholic Women's League

St. Peter's Young at Heart Senior Group

Development & Peace

Outreach

Community of the Risen Lord

Knights of Columbus

St. Vincent de Paul Society (Help Line: 604-520-0663)

Choir

Legion of Mary

Couples for Christ

MINISTRY SCHEDULE FOR MARCH 26/27					
Mass	Lectors	Eucharistic Ministers	Greeters	Ushers Collectors	Altar Servers
Sat. 5 pm	Marian Soff	Beth Mitra	Gina Tolentino	Tim Salvacion-U Rebecca Licas Vangie Knowles Mike Abel	Phong Nguyen Aven Tecson Eve Jeremiah
Sun. 9 am	Dan Roxas	Bong Buiza	Nhomie Roxas	Domingo Almonte-U Helen Murzello Frankie Chiu Margaret Williams	Elijah Duifhuis Giuliana Duifhuis Reaghan Bruce Raphael Khezerniya
Sun. 11 am	Gerry Spindor	Marilyn Cole	Teresa Wright	Franics Ribeiro-U Daniela Ribeiro Rick Tecson Brent Bigmore	Keeley Drennan Ava Man Matteo Valeros
Sun. 5 pm	Marivic Cregan	Anne Maniam	Aaron Wong	Tim Mercier-U Henry D'Souza Anne Maniam Cynthia Wong	Isabella Wang Lilac Quiapo Renz Quiapo

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, Gail Bonner, Desiree Changfoot, Lucia Christensen, John Clark, Sue-Anne Dunkin, Christine Gangnon, Ruby Lagmay Ghasemi, Marie Hocking, Gloria Jacquiard, Bob Johnson, Elisabeth Kamensek, Maggie Misfeldt, Jayne Ng, Mimi Wunderlich.

WE'RE LOOKING FOR YOUR COMMENTS! We are beginning to collate our St. Peter's responses to the 5 Synod questions. We want to hear from everyone, so if you haven't had a chance yet to submit your response, please either go to the RCAF website: <https://rcav.org/synod> and click on "More details on how to participate" or complete a paper copy found at the back of the church and place it in the Sunday collection basket or give it to the Parish Office by **Sunday, March 27**. Questions, contact Corina Meisl at 604-525-3925.

PRE-ORDER TODAY! Pre-order your Chicken Chow Mein in the Parish Hall for only \$10/eco friendly container this weekend after all the Masses. This delicious, home-style food will be prepared in the St. Peter's kitchen and will be ready for pickup Sunday, March 27th following the 9: and 11 a.m. Masses. Last day to place your order is March 23rd. **All proceeds from this fundraiser will be given to Father Mykhailo, Pastor of the Holy Eucharist Ukrainian Cathedral (501-4th Ave) in support of their efforts to send supplies to people suffering in the Ukraine.** Orders/ Info - Lita at 604-522-5428 or email litafooss@gmail.com.

BIBLE STUDY: After a two-year break, we will continue our weekly Bible Study on **Monday, March 21 at 7:00 pm**. We will study women in the New Testament.

THE SCRUTINIES OF THE ELECT:

1st Scrutiny – Saturday, March 19, 5 pm Mass, 2nd Scrutiny – Sunday, March 27, 11 am Mass.
3rd Scrutiny – Sunday, April 3, 5 pm Mass.

PLEASE HELP THE MISSIONARY OBLATES HELP THE PEOPLE OF UKRAINE:

There are 25 Missionary Oblates in Ukraine serving areas such as Kyiv, Rokitne, Lviv, Tyvriv, and Chernihiv. Food such as bread is starting to be rationed with queues of 4-5 hours at grocery stores. Due to the bombings, people are having problems with gas, electricity and communication networks. Thousands of refugees from Ukraine have fled to Poland where the Oblates have opened their houses and churches to shelter the refugees. Parishioners and others who were not able to evacuate have also taken refuge in the basements of Oblate parishes in Ukraine.

You can donate on-line through our website: www.omilacombe.ca/mami/donations: (Once you click on the One Time Gift" button, there is a "Designate my Donation to "box after you enter your name and address. Please indicate Ukraine). **E-transfer to lacombemami@sasktel.net;**
Call the office directly 1-866-432-6264 or send a cheque payable to AMMI Lacombe Canada MAMI and mail to 601 Taylor Street West, Saskatoon, SK, S7M 0C9.

Donate to Help the People of Ukraine Survive War: A generous family from Alberta has agreed to match donations up to \$500,000 in support of the people of Ukraine. Please go to www.rcav.org where there is a [link](#) that takes you to a donations page through CNEWA. The Catholic Near East Welfare Association (CNEWA) is a papal agency for humanitarian and pastoral support that has been a lifeline for the poor throughout the Middle East, Northeast Africa, India and Eastern Europe for 90 years. CNEWA works in places where poverty, war, and displacement shatter innocent lives. CNEWA is known for its financial transparency and operational efficiency. Please be generous and continue to pray for peace.

2022 LENTEN SERIES: TOPIC – THAT WE ALL MAY BE ONE.

This Lent the New Westminster Ministerial will sponsor a Tuesday evening series focusing on Christian unity. Our series is based on material from this year's Week of Prayer for Christian Unity. **We'll meet from 7.00 p.m. to 8.00 p.m. on Zoom** to reflect on the Scriptures, to participate in discussion and to pray.

Tuesday, March 22: Luke 12.32-40 led by Carole Neilson of Holy Trinity Cathedral

Tuesday, March 29: Matthew 28.16-20 led by Jack Herklotz of Saint Peter's Roman Catholic Church

Tuesday, April 5: Matthew 11.25-30 led by Jocelyn Melder of Olivet Baptism Church

Zoom link- <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/81449558268?pwd=RWFmNmNPQk5wSWlUMGdJWHllci9ZQT09>

IF YOU RECEIVE A TEXT MESSAGE FROM FATHER JACK asking for ITUNE GIFT CARDS – it's a scam and please don't reply to the text.

STEWARDSHIP REFLECTION: "...He said to the gardener, 'For three years now I have come in search of fruit on this fig tree but have found none.'" (Luke 13:7). We can all be like the barren fig tree at times. Do you cling to what you have or do you generously share with others? How will you respond when God asks you what you have done with all the gifts, He has given you? Remember, not only are we called to be generous, we are called to develop and nurture our gifts, and return them with increase. Remember, we are called to be generous with all of gifts; especially the one that means the most to you.

Weekly Budget	Collected	Weekly Building Fund Goal	Collected
\$ 5,000.00	\$ 3,813.50	\$ 1,200.00	\$ 3,146.45