

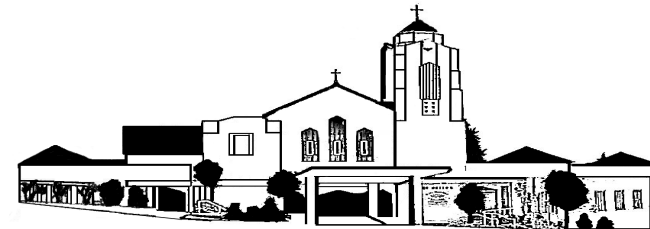
**FEBRUARY 2024**

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
				1 Kiwanis 10:30  YAH 1:30pm  CRL 7pm	2 RC Manor 10:00am Adoration 12:30-2 pm  CFC Choir 6-9	3
4 5 Sunday Pancake Breakfast 10/NOON Catholic Artist Link 2pm	5 Bible Study 7pm	6 Queen's Park 10:15 am  CWL Ex. Meeting 7 pm RCIA 7pm	7  PREP 6:15-7:30pm	8 YAH Bingo 1-3 pm	9 CFC Choir 6-9	10 Baptism Prep 10 am, Hall CFC 6-10 pm
11 6 Sunday Coffee 10/Noon	12 Bible Study 7pm	13 CWL GM 6:30pm RCIA 7pm	14 Ash Wednesday Masses: Noon and 6:30 pm	15 YAH Bingo 1-3 pm SSVP Mtg 6:30pm CRL 7pm	16 Stations 6:45 CFC Choir 7:30-9	17 Lenten Retreat 1-4:30pm
18 1 Sunday Lent Coffee 10/Noon Youth Evening 6-7:30 pm Hall	19 Bible Study 7pm	20 Lenten Series RCIA 7pm	21 PREP 6:15-7:30pm	22 YAH Bingo 1-3 pm	23 Stations 6:45 CFC Choir 7:30-9	24 Mass with Anointing of the Sick 10 am
25 2 Sunday Lent Coffee 10/Noon Young Adults 6-9 pm Hall	26 Bible Study 7 pm Knights GM 7:30pm	27 Lenten Series RCIA 7pm	28 PREP 6:15-7:30pm	29		

# ST. PETER'S CHURCH

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## 6 SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME, FEBRUARY 11, 2024



**PASTOR**  
**PRIEST IN RESIDENCE**

Fr. Nick Meisl  
Fr. Martin Moser, OMI

**SUNDAY MASS**

Saturday: 5 pm (also livestreamed)  
Sunday: 9 am, 11 am, 5 pm

**WEEKDAY MASS**

Tuesday – Friday: 12 Noon

**SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION**

Saturday: 4:15 – 4:45 pm  
Tuesday – Friday: 11:40 – 11:50 am

**BAPTISM, MARRIAGE, ANOINTING OF THE SICK**

Please contact Fr. Nick: (604) 522 4611, ext. 2

*For marriages, please contact the Parish at least six months in advance.*

**PARISH ORGANIZATIONS**

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

Catholic Women's League

Knights of Columbus

Couples for Christ

Young at Heart Seniors' Group

Indigenous Relations

Legion of Mary

Community of the Risen Lord

Eritrean Community

Young Adults Ministry

Development and Peace

Choir

Youth Ministry

## Lenten Activities

We are blessed to have many ways to enter into the Lenten season, preparing our hearts for the celebration of Easter:

**Ash Wednesday, February 14:** Masses are at noon and 6:30 pm

**Stations of the Cross** every Friday in Lent after the noon Mass.

**Family Friendly Stations of the Cross** held in the Church every Friday in Lent at 6:45 pm

**Penitential Services (all start at 7 pm):** There will be an opportunity to celebrate the Sacrament of Reconciliation on Mar 18 at St. Peter's, Mar 20 at St. Francis de Sales, Mar 21 at Our Lady of Mercy, Mar 25 at St. Michael's, and Mar 26 at Sts. Cyril and Methodius.

**Parish Lenten Retreat – Good News Announced, Opposed, and Vindicated:** Join us in the hall on **Sat. Feb 17 from 1-4:30 pm** as Fr. Nick leads us through an overview of St. Mark's Gospel, with a focus on the Passion account. This retreat, sponsored by our CWL, is open to all and a great way to enter into the Lenten Season. Please bring a Bible.

**Anointing of the Sick:** There will be a special Mass with the opportunity to receive the Sacrament of Anointing of the Sick on **Saturday February 24 at 10 am.**

**Lenten Series: Reading the Psalms with Rev. Dr. Patricia Dutcher-Walls**

Each session starts at 7pm:

**Feb 20:** Trinity Presbyterian Church/Gordon location, 7457 Edmonds St. Burnaby

- Topic: Poetic Artistry Part 1 – Lines and Images

**Feb 27:** St. Barnabas /Shiloh 5<sup>th</sup> Ave. United Church, 1010 5<sup>th</sup> Ave. New Westminster

- Topic: Poetic Artistry Part 2 – Repetition and Drama

**Mar 12:** St. Peter's Catholic Church, 330 Royal Ave. New Westminster

- Topic: Theological Themes Part 1 – Cosmic Hymns

**Mar 19:** Holy Trinity Cathedral, 514 Carnarvon St. New Westminster

- Topic: Theological Themes Part 2 – Lament and Thanksgiving

**Let us pray for those who are sick:** Gabby Alba, Celestina Amparo, Remedios Barro, Remedios Bartko, Jim Bilesky, Gail Bonner, Lorrie Fee, Marlene Giddens, Marie Hocking, Terry Keenan, Ruby Lagmay, Bill Lawrence, Maggie Misfeldt, Raymond Mandursiak, Margaret Ng, Marie Pham, Catherine Radley, Mary Ann Maningas, Mary Villegas de Ballesteros, Romel Romey, Tim Salvacion, Melissa Santos, Ricardo Tecson, Maria Luisa Valenzuela, Fidel Villanueva, and Mimi Wunderlich.

**Happy Lunar New Year!** To all those who celebrate, we wish many blessings!

**Youth Gathering: Feb. 18, 6-7:30pm:** Teens (grade 8-12) are invited to join us for pizza, games, and fellowship in the hall.

**Young Adult Gathering Feb. 25, 6-9 pm:** Young Adults (~18-35) are invited to an evening of board games and pizza in the hall.

**Are you interested in having your child baptized?** Please speak to Fr. Nick or fill out the information form here: [stpetersnewwest.ca/sacraments/baptism](http://stpetersnewwest.ca/sacraments/baptism). **Interested in getting married in the Church?** Please contact Fr. Nick: [stpetersnewwest.ca/about/contact](http://stpetersnewwest.ca/about/contact)

**CWL Knitting Group:** All knitters/crocheters are invited to join our group on the fourth Wednesday of every month from 1-2:30pm. The next meeting will be on Wednesday, February 28th. We are knitting items in preparation for the next CWL Bazaar. Please come with your knitted items and ideas for what we might sell at our Bazaar this Fall. Feel free to bring along a "crafty" friend. We also appreciate donations of wool. For more information, please call or email Lorraine 604-540-1522; rgjohn@telus.net or Cathy, 604-523-5625; [cathy.miehm@shaw.ca](mailto:cathy.miehm@shaw.ca) Hope you can join us!

**2023 Tax Receipts:** Tax receipts are available for pick up after all Masses. You can also pick up your tax receipt at the Parish office, Tues or Wed (9am-1pm). After this date, all tax receipts will be mailed. Thank you for your generous support of our parish!

**Young at Heart (YAH):** Please join us for the **YAH Spring Tea** on Thursday, March 17, 2024 from 12:45-3:00 pm. The cost is \$15 for members and \$20 for non-members. For tickets, please contact Doris by February 27 (604-525-7219). **YAH Bingo** will be held on February 8, 15, and 22. Next **YAH Executive meeting** is Thursday Feb 22, at 10:30 am.

**Spanish Mass Sunday March 3 at 6:30 pm:** The Spanish speaking community at St. Peter's is excited to invite you to a Spanish Mass on Sunday March 3 at 6:30 pm at St. Peter's. Join us for Mass and a reception in the hall after Mass.

**Misa en Español Domingo 3 de Marzo a las 6:30 pm:** Nuestra comunidad de habla hispana llena de júbilo invita a la misa en español a celebrarse este domingo 3 de marzo 2024 a las 6:30 pm en la iglesia de St. Peter's. Tendremos una recepción al final de la celebración de la misa católica en nuestras instalaciones.

**Parking:** A reminder to not park in spots reserved for residents or to block garages, especially on Cunningham Street behind the Church. Violators may be towed. Thank you.