

# ST. PETER'S CHURCH

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32nd Sunday in Ordinary Time



**Father Jack Herklotz, OMI**

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.

Registration for **Masses: Noon (Tuesday and Thursday), Saturday 5 PM and Sunday 11 AM) must be made** each week by **PHONE (604-522-4611 X 3) Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, 9 am to 2 pm.**

The Saturday, 5 pm Mass is live-streamed too.

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

PLEASE NOTE THAT **THE CHURCH DOORS WILL BE "SHUT" AND "LOCKED" WHEN MASS BEGINS FOR WEEKDAY AND WEEKEND MASSES.** Please don't bang on the church doors when they are shut.

**Prayers for the sick:** Please remember those among our families and friends who are suffering the burden of illness or pain: Alvin Agsalud, Leon Alzate, JM Baquiran, Paddy Behan, Gail Bonner, Debbie Borger, Lillian Carlos, Desiree Changfoot, Lucia Christensen, John Clark, Maggie Cottons, Lily Cregan, Anthony Donovan, Sue-Anne Dunkin, Eileen Heath, Marie Hocking, Gloria Jacquiard, Leonida Lampong, Michael Lane, Alon Langbid, Bill Lawrence, Renato Malabanan, Tess Marier, Bonnie McKinley, Maggie Misfeldt, Roland Proulx, Ron Ross, Rosa Santos, Mimi Wunderlich.

**MEMORIAL MASS FOR BARRY DUBBIN** will be held on Friday, November 13 at 11 am. Invited guests only.

**A BIG THANK YOU TO THE KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS FOR THEIR GENEROUS DONATION** OF \$ 250 to:

The Social Justice Committee and \$ 250 to The Youth Group.

**We remember our deceased parishioners who died after November 1, 2019:**

Fred Acedillo, Elvira Acosta, Anita Bernardin, Edna Cachero, Kathleen Conolly, Barry Dubbin, Mary Eady, Augustus Francisco, Ronald Fyffe, Gaylene Jones, Anne Kroeker, Cecilie Lackie, Tala Langbid, Edna Methot, Aline Nordstrand, Peter Ossai, Werner Pettirsch, Alexander Silvan, Mary Teague, Alan Vandene.

Dear Parishioners,

Greetings! I hope this finds you well. I am reaching out to our parish community to talk about a wonderful new ministry at St. Peter's. It is a ministry of distributing boxes of professionally manufactured frozen food to families or households who have been impacted by the Covid-19 pandemic, and who are having a hard time making ends meet, and for those who find it difficult to ask for help.

It is a huge success with those who have received food. Each box contains six bags of approximately seven servings each of soups or foods that constitute the bulk of a meal. We are told the dishes are all delicious. The funding, as well as the initiative for this beautiful ministry come from the Archdiocese. The Archbishop's "Crisis Response Fund", created with contributions made to this year's Project Advance campaign, and a grant from the Government of Canada, administered by United Way of the Lower Mainland, are the main sources of funding for this ministry, with private donors contributing as well.

A pilot of this project has shown two things. The first is that there is a definite and growing need for this ministry, and yet an enormous reluctance to asking for help. The people we are reaching out to are often people who have never had to ask for help in their lives, and for whom this is a very difficult thing to do. Perhaps it will help to point out that there is no limit or ceiling on the number of boxes that we can distribute every week. By asking for a box, you're not depriving anyone who needs a box from obtaining it. The second thing is that if it's difficult to ask for a box, it can be even more difficult to actually come and get the box. This is why we can provide confidential delivery to all who need it. We have some volunteers who are prepared to deliver boxes, and if we need more drivers at some point, God will provide.

Finally, you may not need help yourselves, but you may know someone who does. If you know someone who lives within our parish boundaries, whether they are parishioners or not, Catholic or not, please give them our contact information and encourage them to order a box from the All Were Filled Project.

I conclude with a very warm greeting to all of you, and the assurance of my prayer that God in His Providence will keep us all safe and well. With the All Were Filled Project, no one we know should go without.

Fr. Jack, OMI

**2020-2021 SUNDAY MISSALS MAY BE PURCHASED FOR \$ 5.00,** from the parish office, Monday to Friday from 9:00 am to 1:00 pm or after Sunday Masses.

**MASS OF REMEMBRANCE - November 11<sup>th</sup> 10:00AM:** Anyone wishing to attend this mass must pre-register by phone at 604-522-4611 x3 on Tuesday, 9:00 am to 1:00 pm. A maximum of 50-persons is allowed inside the church, the doors will be locked once mass begins, and we encourage all attendees to wear a mask.

**KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS 59<sup>th</sup> ANNUAL CHARITY APPEAL** is on-line instead of paper tickets and you can win ALL CASH prizes totalling \$177,000. Funds raised go to local charities including St. Vincent DePaul Society, Bursaries for St. Peter's students, St. Peter's Social Justice Committee, St. Peter's Youth Group, Ukrainian Youth Group, STM Dry Grad, NWSS Dry Grad, and Education of Seminarians. Tickets only \$3 and you can buy in groups of 1, 5 or 10 tickets. Please go to this link to purchase tickets: [KofCDraw.net/C1283](http://KofCDraw.net/C1283) and click on the poster, or if you don't have a computer, please call Rod Giddens 604-525-3030 to buy tickets.

**THE SOCIETY OF SAINT VINCENT DE PAUL:** Due to Covid 19 Saint Vincent de Paul will be giving out gift cards this year instead of Christmas hampers.. Gift cards from Save-On Foods and/or Walmart can be dropped off at the parish office during parish office hours or in the collection basket. Thank you for your continued support of The Society of Saint Vincent de Paul.

**MINISTRY SCHEDULING FOR NOVEMBER 14/15**

<b>Masses</b>	<b>Lectors</b>	<b>Greeters</b>	<b>Ushers</b>	<b>Church Sanitizers</b>
<b>Sat. 5 pm</b>	Louis de la Torre	Theresa Monaghan	Nhomie Roxas	Theresa Monaghan, Mike Abel, Rebecca Licas, Wally Licas
<b>Sun. 11am</b>	Dan Roxas	Mike Abel	Dan Roxas	Dan Roxas, Nhomie Roxas, Chris Barcelona, Jenette Barcelona