

Guardian Angels Parish

PARISH INFORMATION:

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Office hours: 8:30 am – 4:00 pm
(Mon. & Tues.; Thurs. & Friday)

Church Open:

Mon. Tues, Thurs., and Friday 8 am
to 4 pm (except during Holidays).

CHURCH CLOSED:

Wednesday and Saturday after Mass

27th Sunday In Ordinary Time
October 3, 2010



Regular Liturgical Celebrations

Sunday Mass Times:

Saturday- 4:00 pm (Anticipated)

Sunday 9:00 am; 11:00 am; & 12:30 pm

Weekday Mass Times:

Monday 7:00 pm

Tuesday – Friday 8:00 am

Saturday 9:00 am

First Friday 7:00 pm

Devotions / Prayers / Studies:

Morning Prayers:

Tuesday-Friday 7:40 am

Sat. & Sunday 8:30 am

Perpetual Help Novena Wed. 7:00 pm

Infant Jesus of Prague Mondays 6:30 pm

Divine Mercy Chaplet - Sundays 1:30 pm

1st Fridays–

All Day Adoration – Benediction 6:40 pm



DEAR VISITORS:

Thank you for visiting. We wish you a safe trip home.

Please visit our website:

www.guardianangelsocd.org

Happy Feast Day of Guardian Angels

Happy Parish Anniversary and Blessings
To All of Us!!!

Mass Intentions This Week

October 4—October 10

Mon. : +Guilberta Nonato+

By: Liliana & John

Tues.: +Quintiano Conceicao Fernandes

By: Fr. Rudolf

Wed. : +Rafael Campos+

By: Family

Thurs: Int. of Joseph Yu

By: Family

Friday: +Ernesto Velo Mendoza+

By: Adelfa Anover

Saturday:

9 am: Int. of Joseph Yu

By: Family

4 pm:+Guilberta Nonato Vda. De Wong

By: Liliana & John

Sunday:

9:00 am: Int. of Edward Yu

By: Daniel Brooks

11:00 am: +Greg & Lillian Acosta+

By: Friend

Prayer Requests:

For the sick and infirm priests, our brothers and sisters, Elizabeth Walton, Iva Bricel, Harold Chisholm, Barry McDermott, Dick Herring, Eddie Bilek, Margaret Stepler, Lucille Johnston, Ralph Millburn, Marjorie McLaughlin, Milta Rapalo, Ida Brown, Sonja Lawrence, Colleen Mason, Jara Asterova, Ollie Korinetz, Zenaïda Nicolas, Doreen Millburn, Helena Glavot, Zeenith Garay, Florence Nichols, Joanne Borrys and all the sick / shut-ins of our Parish whom we may not know by name.

Prayer for the Sick

Father of goodness and love, hear our prayers for the sick members of our community and for all who are in need. Amid mental and physical suffering may they find consolation in your healing presence. Show your mercy as you close wounds, cure illness, make broken bodies whole and free downcast spirits. May these special people find lasting health and deliverance, and so join us in thanking you for all your gifts. We ask this through the Lord Jesus who healed those who believed. Amen.

GUARDIAN ANGELS NEWS & EVENTS

THE FIRST FRIDAY ALL DAY ADORATION POSTPONED TO FRIDAY, OCTOBER 8TH

Due to unavoidable circumstances related to the preparation of the Consecration of our new Tabernacle, the All Day Eucharistic Adoration on First Friday had to be postponed to Friday, October 8th. The schedule will be the same as usual. Thank you for your kind understanding.

CHECK OUT THE ADS ON THE BACK PAGE

You might be interested to publish your own Advertisement or Announcement. The rates are on sample boxes—choose the size you need. ALL ADS WILL BE IN FULL COLOR. Subscription or Publication forms are now available in the Church foyer.

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Discover God's plan for your life as you discover His amazing story in 'A Quick Journey Through The Bible'. In this study, you will discover the "big picture" of the biblical story as it is presented in specific books of the Bible. Join us and learn the major people, places, events and themes of the Bible. Perhaps for the first time in your life, you will understand the overview of the Bible story. This then makes your Bible reading and even the Sunday mass readings come alive like never before.

A Quick Journey Through The Bible study will be offered here at Guardian Angels Parish in the Millennium Hall which will start sometime in November. The dates and times will be announced in the next few weeks.

READERS FOR SUNDAY MASS:

BIG 'THANK YOU' TO THOSE WHO RESPONDED SO QUICKLY. Those who were contemplating and have now decided to do it, you are still welcome.

Announcements from:
Fr. Rudolf



Our new Confession Room is ready. It is now situated right where the Cry Room was.

Thank you for all your support, cooperation, understanding and appreciation in the duration of our Church Renovations

Special Appreciation and Gratitude for the Time, Talent, and Treasure which were selflessly shared to the Parish by the following:

The Renovations Committee

- Charles Adkisson
- Arie Smits
- Duncan Phyper
- Heather Haba
- Carol McMehen
- Clyve Menezes

Bernie Pettit

*Woodwork of Angels & Tabernacle Background-
Installed the New
Stations of the Cross*



*Special thanks also to
Valeri Davydiouk-
Artist, for the beautiful mural*

*Riz Geronimo, my Secretary,
who has put in so much extra time
and hard work in the
administration of this project.*

Barb & Mark Cullen

*For the beautiful landscaping work
done.*

Pastor's Corner -

27th Sunday In Ordinary Time

Parable of the Pencil

The Pencil Maker took the pencil aside, just before putting him into the box.

"There are 5 things you need to know," he told the pencil, "Before I send you out into the world. Always remember them and never forget, and you will become the best pencil you can be."

"One: You will be able to do many great things, but only if you allow yourself to be held in Someone's hand."

"Two: You will experience a painful sharpening from time to time, but you'll need it to become a better pencil."

"Three: You will be able to correct any mistakes you might make."

"Four: The most important part of you will always be what's inside."

"And Five: On every surface you are used on, you must leave your mark. No matter what the condition, you must continue to write."

The pencil understood and promised to remember, and went into the box with purpose in its heart.

Now replacing the place of the pencil with you: Always remember them and never forget, and you will become the best person you can be.

One: You will be able to do many great things, but only if you allow yourself to be held in God's hand. And allow other human beings to access you for the many gifts you possess.

Two: You will experience a painful sharpening from time to time, by going through various problems in life, but you'll need it to become a stronger person.

Three: You will be able to correct any mistakes you might make.

Four: The most important part of you will always be what's on the inside.

And Five: On every surface you walk through, you must leave your mark. No matter what the situation, you must continue to do your duties.

Pastor's Corner continued...

Allow this parable on the pencil to encourage you to know that you are a special person and only you can fulfill the purpose to which you were born to accomplish.

Never allow yourself to get discouraged and think that your life is insignificant and cannot make a change.

Lessons of faith from the Parable:

To be held in someone's hand

- Experience a painful sharpening from time to time
- Able to correct any mistakes you might make
- Important part of you will always be what's inside
- You must continue to write

God bless you,
Fr. Rudolf

P. S.

Let us include in our prayers, Fr. Mario Fernandes and his family in this time of their bereavement for their Dad + Quintiano Conceicao Fernandes+ who passed away last Sunday.

Scriptural Readings

Mon, Oct. 4– St. Francis of Assisi

Gal. 1:6-12; Psalm 111;
Luke 10:25-37

Tues Oct. 5 – Ferial

Gal. 1:13-24; Psalm 139;
Luke 10:38-42

Wed, Oct. 6– Saint Bruno

Gal. 2:1-2,7-14; Psalm 117;
Luke 11:1-4

Thurs, Oct. 7 – Our Lady of the Rosary

Gal. 3:1-5; Luke 1; Luke 11:5-13

Fri, Oct. 8 – Ferial

Gal. 3:6-14; Psalm 111;
Luke 11:15-26

Sat, Oct. 9- Ferial

Gal. 3:22-29; Psalm 105;
Luke 11:27-28

ARCHDIOCESAN NEWS AND EVENTS

Catholic Forum, by Rev. Mark Hagemoen

Entitled: "The New Evangelization and Mission Oriented Parishes", it will take place on Tuesday, October 5 at 7 pm at St. Mary's Parish, 5251 Joyce St. Vancouver. Catholic Forum was conceived as a means to enliven Catholics in faith and witness, and to start to engage those who have been inactive in their faith or who are searching for truth about God. For continuing discussion we now have an internet group: <http://groups.yahoo.com/group/vancatholic/>

Thanksgiving Mass for Seniors

Archbishop J. Michael Miller, CSB, will celebrate Mass on Oct. 7 - 10 a.m. at St. Patrick's Parish, Vancouver followed by a light lunch and "meet and greet" with the Archbishop. Please contact your parish office to register. Space is limited!

"Who do you say I am?"

A quiet weekend retreat with Father Elton Fernandes, SJ, and Sr. Monica Kaufer: Oct. 15 - 18 at Rivendell on Bowen Island. Retreat, private room and meals - \$250. For reservations and more information, 604-266-1611.

Relic of St. John Vianney Amidst Us

Relic of St. John Vianney will be coming to our Parishes Oct. 3 to Oct. 8. Morning and evening Mass and Confessions at each parish. For complete list of Relic viewing schedule, visit www.rcav.org, click on News & Events.

St. John Bosco's Relic is coming

To the parish of Our Lady of Good Counsel in Surrey on Oct. 9 and Oct. 10. Share the joy and experience the blessings that the visit of the pilgrim relic brings. For more information and details of itinerary please call 604-581-4141 or visit: <http://www3.telus.net/OLGC/> and www.donboscoamongus.org

Listen to Dr. Chris Morrissey

North Shore Catholic Seminar Series Presents "Father Spitzer: the antidote to Stephen Hawking's faulty logic" by Dr. Chris Morrissey, Assistant Professor of Philosophy, Redeemer Pacific College on Oct. 8 from 7:30-9:30 pm at Christ the Redeemer Parish, West Vancouver. Visit website www.nscdg.ca

MARRIAGE BANNNS

Proposed Marriage of Stephen Arrollado of Davie St., Vancouver, BC—son of Mamerto Arrollado & Edna Acat—and Cynthia Magura of 2054 Smith St., Malate, Manila Phils., daughter of Benjamin Magura & Consolacion Torres. Wedding will take place on Oct. 28, 2010 in Manila, Phil.

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A Way to Empower Your Prayer



Rudolf V. D'Souza OGD

DEVOTION TO THE INFANT JESUS OF PRAGUE

In cases of great urgency, a novena of nine hours may be made instead of nine days.

The prayers should, if possible, be repeated at the same time every hour for nine consecutive hours.

You are invited to our Perpetual Novena to the Infant Jesus every Monday at 6:30 pm here in Guardian Angels Church



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