

“Sanctify them in the truth; your word is truth.”

Liturgical Calendar for this week

Saturday, May 19 – Weekday

6 pm For All Parishioners

Sunday, May 20 – THE ASCENSION OF THE LORD

9:00 am Ann Price..... INT

11:30 am Jim Middleton RIP

Monday, May 21 – Weekday

Tuesday, May 22 – Weekday

Wednesday, May 23 – Weekday

Thursday, May 24 – Weekday

Friday, May 25 – Weekday

Quote of the Week

“The truth does not change according to our ability to stomach it.” ~ Flannery O'Connor

Catechism 614

This sacrifice of Christ is unique; it completes and surpasses all other sacrifices. First, it is a gift from God the Father himself, for the Father handed his Son over to sinners in order to reconcile us with himself. At the same time it is the offering of the Son of God made man, who in freedom and love offered his life to his Father through the Holy Spirit in reparation for our disobedience.

Project Advance

Week 1	\$2,804.00	
Week 2	\$ 1,776.00	
Total to-date	\$4,580.00	55% of Target

Pledges can be given to Paulette or Marlene after mass, or put into the collection plate (with a note that it is for Project Advance) and/or you can donate on line at www.rcav.org.

Each year, thousands of people experience the Risen Lord through the programs and services supported by Project Advance. Our own parish benefits in many ways.

God calls us to share what we have to help others.

Please plan to give your gift to Project Advance 2012 soon. Thank you for your gift.

An excellent video, which shows all the ways Project Advance helps individuals and groups, can be seen at <http://www.rcav.org/projectadvancevideo/> — you'll see Holy Family and St. Mary's mentioned there! Check it out!

Fr. Vincent Away May 21 - 25

Fr. Vincent is going to attend his yearly retreat from this Monday (May 21) to Friday (May 25). If you need to see a priest during his absence, please contact Fr. David.

Collections

Last Sunday's Collection

Regular	\$ 1,117.03
Building Fund	\$ 393.75
Children's Collection.....	\$ 19.79
Work of Charity.....	\$ 15.00
Candles	\$ 30.87

This week's Collection

Second Collection..... Pope's Pastoral Works

Knights of Columbus



- **Executive** meetings are on the 2nd Wednesday of the month, except July & August.
- General meetings are on the 4th Wednesday of the month, except July & August.
- The next meeting will be a General meeting on May 23 in Gibsons.
- Next **Men's Breakfast** will be on **June 2nd**
- Next **Pancake Breakfast** at Holy Family will be on **June 24th**.

Vietnamese Dinner

“A Taste of Vietnam”



Saturday, June 9, 2012

Holy Family Church Hall

7:00 p.m.

\$20.00 per person

A Vietnamese culture & food experience

With a

Presentation by Fr. Vincent Nguyen

A fund-raiser by the knights of Columbus

Note: No tickets will be sold after Sunday June 3rd, nor at the door.

Catholic Women’s League



- Wednesday, **May 16** – CWL General meeting – 7:00 p.m.
- The Parish purchases Grocery vouchers at a discount from Super Value and IGA. Everyone needs groceries; so your purchase of the vouchers helps the Building Fund.
- CWL bursary applications are available at the hall office. Please submit by **June 20**.
- **May 27** following 11:30 mass, CWL is hosting a lunch for all Moms with babies 3 and under. Contact Janice at 886-3001 for more info.
- **May 27** — half day retreat from 9:00am to 1:00 pm at All Saints Parish in Coquitlam. Please see CWL bulletin board for more info.

Rosary for May – the Month of Mary

There will be recitation of the rosary every evening in the month of May at 6:30 pm. For more information contact Marie-Bernadette at 604-7412257

PARISH PICNIC

Sunday June 24 at Kenan's Farm
(1496 Lockyer Rd. Roberts Creek)
Picnic begins at 3:00 pm
Mass at 4:15

Note: Regular 4:00 mass at St. Mary's will be cancelled for this day

Dinner at 5:30 pm
Come and join the Parishes on the Coast for our Annual Parish Picnic.

Lots of games for young and old.
Mouth Watering Pork Roast.
Please bring a dish to share with others.

Bit of Humour

Mary's son, Mitchell, who is in kindergarten, practices spelling with magnetic letters on the refrigerator: cat, dog, dad, and mom have been proudly displayed for all to see.

One morning while getting ready for the day, Mitchell bounded into the room with his arms outstretched. In his hands were three magnetic letters: "G"- "O"- "D."

"Look what I spelled, Mom!" Mitch exclaimed, a proud smile on his face.

"That's wonderful!" she praised him. "Now go put them on the fridge so Dad can see when he gets home tonight."

That Catholic education is certainly having an impact, Ishe thought, happily.

Just then, a little voice called from the kitchen. "Mom? How do you spell 'zilla?'"

Don't miss these

Important Dates

May. 20	First Communion.....	SM
May 26	Clothing Giveaway.....	SM
May 27	Hot dogs.....	SM
Jun. 9	Vietnamese Dinner	HF
Jun. 16	Pro-Life Walk	SEC
Jun. 24	Parish Picnic	KENAN's
Aug. 18	Pilgrimage to OLOL Grotto	MISSION

Free Clothing Giveaway

There will be a free giveaway to the needy:

St. Mary's Church Hall

Saturday, May 26, 2012
10:00 – 2:00

We need donations of Clothes, Blankets, Sheets, Towels, Diapers, Hygeine products, Toileteries, etc, by May 25 – drop off at the Hall.

CELEBRATION OF LIFE WALK!

It's that time again! Sunshine Coast Pro Life will host the

nd Annual Celebration of Life Walk
on June 16th !

Registration begins at 10:00 at Hackett Park in Sechelt and the walk begins at 10:30. A barbecue lunch will be provided after the walk along with goodies and CAKE! Pender Harbour's own Skinny Jimmy Dugan will be playing some great lively music for us and goodie bags will be handed out for the kids too!

Come and show your support for LIFE as we stroll through Sechelt with our

"I ♥ LIFE" signs and t-shirts!

We had a great turnout last year and we'd sure like to surpass last year's numbers and show the Coast that WE LOVE LIFE!

Come on down and CELEBRATE LIFE!