# SAINT NICHOLAS CATHOLIC CHURCH

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Our Parish Vision:

To be a growing family who joyfully brings people to Jesus.

February 11, 2024

6th Sunday in Ordinary Time

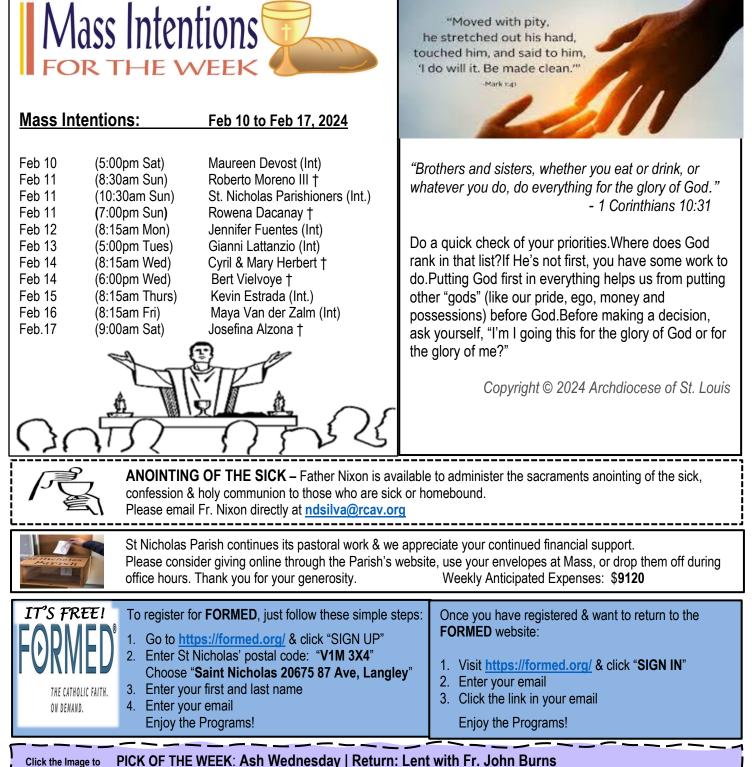
We Value Relationships of:

- Faith
- Community
- Service

Sunday Mass: 8:30am, 10:30am, 7:00pm Mass of Anticipation: Saturday evening @ 5:00pm Weekday Mass: Mon, Wed, Thurs, Fri & holidays @ 8:15am; Tuesday @ 6:00pm Sat @ 9:00am - followed by Rosary & Divine Mercy Chaplet all days except Tuesday **First Friday:** Adoration after 8:15am Mass, concluding with Benediction @ 3:50pm **Reconciliation:** Sat @ 9:30am – 10:00am and 4:30pm, or by appointment with Fr. Nixon. 30 Minutes before weekend &15 Minutes before weekday Mass. **Baptism:** Please contact the Parish Office. Pre-Baptismal instruction is required. Marriage: Please notify the Parish Office at least six months in advance. Marriage preparation course is required. Tuesday - Friday, 9:00am-5:00pm Office Hours: PARISH MINISTRIES 'If you believe what you like in the gospels, and reject what you don't like, it is not the Gospel Adult Faith 604-513-0300 Altar Servers - Esther Spindlove 778-298-4732 you believe, but yourself." Building Committee - Barry Nickerson 604-888-7633 St. Augustine Catholic Women's League - Renée Roberge 604-539-9691 Children's Liturgy - Evelyn Moi-Precourt 604-365-5617 Couples for Christ - Carlo & Irma Escalona 778-255-8575 Pastor: Fr. Nixon D'Silva Ecumenism & Interfaith Relations – Adrienne Castellon 604-783-8066 ndsilva@rcav.org Elizabeth Ministry – Donna Crombie info@elizabethministrybc.ca 604-513-0300 604-888-1254 Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion - Toni Lush Family Ministry – Laura de Fleuriot laura.defleuriot@gmail.com Maria Moreno Greeters & Hospitality - Regina Hynes 604-888-7021 Secretary, Infant Baptism & Rental Inquiries: 604-513-0300 Knights of Columbus – Eric Sardoma 604-783-9079 parish.snic@rcav.org Lectors - Renée Roberge 604-539-9691 Legion of Mary - Emelinda Seminiano 604-613-7548 PREP Coordinator: Brenda Villaraza 604-910-0708 Music – Elizabeth Ard 778-868-0550 prep.snic@rcav.org Prayer Chain – Liane M 604-813-4325 Prison Ministry – Annette DeKraker 604-882-1984 905-795-8068 Parish Facility Coord: Theresa Tombocon Project Advance – Barry Nickerson 604-888-7633 facilities.snic@rcav.org RCIA - Cheryl Unruh 604-250-2733 Sacristan Ministry – Claudette Rice 604-888-0451 Parish Maintenance Coordinator: Mike Kumar Safe Environment Policy - Jeremy Spindlove psc.snic@rcav.org Seniors Ministry – Sandy Shaw 604-866-8510 maintenance.snic@rcav.net St. Vincent de Paul – Pat Schiller patschiller@me.com Ushers – Sue Koyanagi bachun.koyanagi@gmail.com Youth Ministry Coordinator: Kelly Hady St. John Brebeuf - Gianni Bittante 604-855-0571 vouth.snic@rcav.net 778-863-4149 St. Catherine's - Jeff Brophy 604-534-6564

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## PICK OF THE WEEK: Ash Wednesday | Return: Lent with Fr. John Burns



Fr. John Burns explains how the season of Lent calls us to return to the Lord and renounce all those things of the world that separate us from God. Lent begins with the practice of wearing ashes on our foreheads to remind us and the world that there is grave sin, disorder, and division that is against God's will. As we wear ashes, we proclaim our rejection of sin and our desire to be in communion with God. How will you repent and return to the Lord this Lent?



ASH WEDNESDAY, FEB. 14 Masses will be at 8:15 am and 6:00 pm. Remember that this is a day of Fasting and Abstinence. Ashes will be distributed during both masses.



Stations of the Cross during Lent will be prayed every Friday at 6:00 pm.



YOUTH MINISTRY

The theme of the youth ministry for Sunday, February 18 is **Starting Lent Together + Bible Games.** Come and join us in Classroom 3B from 3:00 – 4:00 pm. Hope to see you there!

## 40 DAYS FOR LIFE 2024 CAMPAIGN: PRAY FOR REVERENCE FOR LIFE!

40 Days for Life is an international focused prolife campaign with a vision to access God's power through prayer, fasting, and peaceful vigil to end abortion.

• 24 hour Adoration at St Nicholas Parish on Thursday, February 29, 2024.

Starting at 9 am on Thursday morning through to Friday morning at 8 am, ending with Benediction at 8 am. Please find the signup sheet in the foyer or contact trixieobrien@gmail.com

• On-site Silent Prayer Vigil outside the BC Women's Hospital located at Willow St & West 32nd Ave, Vancouver on Saturday, March 2, 2024 from 12 noon to 2 pm. Please find details and the signup sheet in the foyer or contact trixieobrien@gmail.com

#### Pilgrimage to MEXICO and Our Lady of Guadalupe with Fr Nixon D'Silva – April 15 - April 22, 2024



We invite you on this special pilgrimage to visit our Blessed mother with Fr. Nixon D'Silva. Visit Mexico City, Taxco and Ixtapa. The tour includes your return flights to Vancouver or any international airport in North America, domestic flights, transportations, site seeing, breakfasts, lunches and dinners.

For more information and reservations please contact Brian Andrade at 403-539-8999 or 7789994599 or Deon at 778-866-8118. This is an all-inclusive tour for only \$3900 + 80 USD Tips. Itinerary for this once in a lifetime and very safe trip is available on <u>www.royaleorchidtours.com</u>.

Information meeting for the Pilgrimage to Mexico will be on Sunday, February 18 from 1:00 – 2:30 pm in the Pope Francis



Development and Peace Caritas Canada places human dignity at the heart of the mission. We support communities in the Global South in taking charge of their own development through projects that address the root cause of poverty. Our work focuses on: Climate and ecological justice; Democracy and citizen participation; Justice for women; Peace and reconciliation; Humanitarian aid. If this interests you and you would be interested in being a representative for St. Nicholas Parish, please contact Marie Paulhus 604-510-8456.

**2024 CWL MEMBERSHIP FEES FOR EXISTING MEMBERS ARE DUE BY FEBRUARY 29**. The dues will be the same as last year at \$45 for 2024. Anyone who renews or joins the CWL by February 16 will be eligible to be entered into a draw for a prize. The draw will be held at our general meeting on Saturday February 17. You can pay by cheque or cash by dropping it into the slot by the Parish office. You can also send an Etransfer to <a href="mailto:strictloggmail.com">strictloggmail.com</a> which will be automatically deposited.

### Crusader Spring Break Basketball Skills Camp 2024

Who and When: Session 1: Boys and Girls currently in Gr. 3 and 4 March 11th-15th Everyday 9am-11:00am.

Session 2: Boys and Girls currently in Gr 5-7 March 11th-15th Everyday 11:30am-2:30pm

**Where**: Holy Cross High School Gymnasium **Why:** to improve overall basketball skills, meet future classmates and have fun.

**How to register**: 1. email Head Coach/Teacher Matthew LeChasseur hcboysbasketball@gmail.com to confirm your child's spot in the camp. It is limited space and first come first serve. We cap the number of participants for quality coaching. 2. Download and fill out a registration form at www.hcboysbasketball.com

3. Bring completed registration form and \$140.00 to the first day of camp. Cash or Cheque.

Make cheques payable to Crusader Basketball Club

