

APRIL 7, 2024
DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY



"From all My wounds, like from streams, mercy flows for souls, but the wound in My Heart is the fountain of unfathomable mercy. From this fountain spring all graces for souls. The flames of compassion burn Me. I desire greatly to pour them out upon souls. Speak to the whole world about My mercy."

Stewardship Reflection

"The community of believers was of one heart and mind, and no one claimed that any of his possessions was his own..."

Acts 4:32

All that we are and all that we have is a gift from God! Think of your family, your friends, your life, your talents and your money – these are all gifts from God! We aren't really owners of anything, we are merely "stewards" of the gifts God has blessed us with. We are called to be grateful and generous with all of our gifts for the benefit of others.

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THANKS TO ALL! The celebration of Easter has involved a lot of parishioners with their time, talents and treasure. We wish to thank especially:

- Those who have contributed for flowers and those who have decorated the church
- The choirs with the many required rehearsals.
- Ushers, Altar Servers, Extraordinary Ministers and Lectors who have helped at the Mass celebrations.
- Collection counters for their help in this important task



ST. HELEN'S FOOD BANK would like to thank you on your generous support in collecting the food during the Lent for the needy families in our community. Thanks from those who have received them and volunteers.

FAMILY DINNER ORGANIZED BY ST. HELEN'S KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS will be on **Saturday, April 20** in the Parish Hall (Gym). For tickets please contact Bortolo, 604-294-9553 or Office (Biba), 604-298-4144, during the office hours. Price: \$40-adult; \$20-children 12 and under. Profit will benefit our parish.

PARISH OFFICE HOURS- 9:00AM-12:00PM (NOON) AND 1:00 PM-4:00- PM . For the sacrament of anointing outside of office hours, please contact **604-298-6111**.

SENIORS CLUB resumed their activities on Saturdays from 11:00 AM to 2:00PM in the Gym, based on the hall availability. For more information, please call Elia, 604-299-0455.

ADORATION CHAPEL is open from 7:15am to 9 pm, from Monday to Friday. Please do not enter after 9 pm as the alarm will be activated. Thank you.

EUCCHARISTIC QUOTE

"What happiness do we not feel in the presence of God, when we find ourselves alone at His feet before the holy tabernacle!... 'Come, my soul, redouble your ardor! You are here alone to adore your God! His look rests on you alone! Ah! If we only had the angels' eyes! Seeing our Lord Jesus Christ here, on that altar, and looking at us, how we should love Him! We should want to stay always at His feet, it would be a foretaste of Heaven; everything else would become insipid to us."

St. John Vianney



HOST AND WINE. If you are interested in donating the Host and Wine in memory of dear one, please contact the office, 604-298-4144. Donations are tax deductible.

HELP FOR MISSION SOCIETY collects clothing and household items. **PLEASE DO NOT DROP OFF YOUR DONATIONS BEFORE CONTACTING MANUELA, 604-298-6202.**

St Helen's CWL: Collecting baked goods to deliver to downtown eastside, **Door is Open.** Baking drop off, Friday, Apr 12th, 9am-4pm. Address, 3801 Dundas St. Delivery will be on Saturday, April 13th. Contact Imma 604-773-2715 for more information.

THE WALL OF FAITH offers a memorable and lasting gift that should be considered for funerals and it is tax deductible. If the family of the deceased person requests a memorial donation to St. Helen's Parish on the occasion of the Funeral Mass in lieu of flowers, deceased's name will be written on the Wall of Faith. Display is in a prominent location in the lobby of the church. For more information and donations, please contact parish office. **"Their names are written in heaven"**

BULLETIN SPONSOR OF THE WEEK. Please support **DIGNITY FUNERAL HOMES**, one of the sponsors who brings to you this weekly Parish Bulletin.

YOU CAN DONATE by the credit card at <https://sthelen.ca/giving>

Sunday Collection (Weekly goal: \$12,000.00)			
Date	Envelopes	Loose	Total
Good Friday			\$ 3,241.00
Easter Collection			\$ 7,765.00
March 31	\$6,890.00	\$1,859.00	\$ 8,749.00
Thank you for your generosity!			

We Pray For

Saturday, April 6 [Saturday within the Octave of Easter]

9:00 am – † Isabelita Viduya, † Bozena Ossowska
 4:00 pm – Spec. Int. for Recovery, † Sisto & Lina Marini, † Benito Manzo, † Teresa Musso
 † Gloria Paraan, † Cesira Genovese, † Mario & Antonio Giardulo, † Patrick Cash

Sunday, April 7 [SUNDAY OF DIVINE MERCY]

8:30 am – Spec. Int. for the Ruggiero & Zarzycka Fam.,
 Spec. Int. for McKenna & Teixeira Fam.
 † All Souls in Purgatory, † Emilio Maio, † Joe Zinetti, † Aurele Riendeau
 † Normande Guay, † Maria & Nicola Farela, † Charlotte Riendeau
 10:00 am – † Imelda Bordignon, † Caterina & Diego Rizzuto, † Noe Mastroianni
 † Guido Giardini, † Mr. & Mrs. Cupo, † Pasquale & Vincenzo Miniaci
 † Wilma Visona, † Pietro Artuso, † Giancarlo Bagnasco

11:30 am – Pro-Popolo

Monday, April 8 [THE ANNUNCIATION OF THE LORD]

7:45 am– Special Intention

Tuesday, April 9 [Easter Weekday]

7:45 am – Special Intention

Wednesday, April 10 [Easter Weekday]

7:45 am – Special Intention

Thursday, April 11 [Easter Weekday]

7:45 am – Special Intention

Friday, April 12 [St. Stanislaus, Bishop and Martyr]

7:45 am – Special Intention

Saturday, April 13 [St. Martin I, Pope and Martyr]

9:00 am – † Eduardo Hernandez, † Bozena Ossowska
 4:00 pm – Spec. Int. for Martin, Spec. Intention, † Lorenzo Iameo, † Gloria Paraan
 † Joseph & Agnes Wong

Sunday, April 14 [THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER]

8:30 am – † All Souls in Purgatory, † John Simone, † Davue Frroku, † Marie Moli
 † Pjetr Suli, † Joe Zinetti, † Isabella Mincieli
 10:00 am – † Manlio Mottes, † Rosa Zonta, † Domenico & Donata Cibelli, † Jack Cusinato
 † Gianni Cerantola, † Pietro Artuso, † Giancarlo Bagnasco, † Giuseppina Santorelli
 11:30 am – Pro-Popolo

7 APRILE, 2024

DOMENICA DELLA DIVINA MISERICORDIA



«Da tutte le Mie Piaghe, come da ruscelli, scorre la Misericordia per le anime, ma la Piaga del Mio Cuore è la sorgente della Misericordia senza limiti; da questa sorgente sgorgano tutte le grazie per le anime. Le fiamme della compassione Mi divorano, desidero riversarle sulle anime degli uomini. Parla a tutto il mondo della Mia Misericordia».

GRAZIE MILLE A TUTTI I VOLONTARI !

Le celebrazioni di Pasqua hanno coinvolto moltissimi parrocchiani che hanno donato il loro tempo e capacità personali. Ringraziamo specialmente:

- *Coloro che hanno contribuito per i fiori e coloro che hanno decorato la chiesa.*
- *I cori che hanno dovuto prepararsi con costanza per cantare così bene.*
- *Gli usceri; i ministri e i lettori, i chirichetti e tutti coloro che hanno animato le celebrazioni*
- *Contatori della colletta per generoso aiuto nel loro compito importante*



BANCO DI ALIMENTI DI SANT'ELENA: vi ringraziamo moltissimo per la vostra generosità durante la quaresima per raccogliere alimenti per le famiglie povere nella nostra comunità. Grazie da parte nostra i volontari e da parte delle famiglie beneficiate.

CENA DI FAMIGLIA ORGANIZZATA DA CAVALIERI DI COLOMBO sarà **sabato 20 aprile** nella Salla Parrocchiale (Gym). Per i biglietti si prega di contattare Bortolo, 604-294-9553 o Ufficio (Biba), 604-298-4144, durante le ore d'ufficio. Prezzo: \$ 40-adulto; \$ 20-bambini, 12 anni e sotto. Il profitto andrà a beneficio della parrocchia di Sant'Elena.

PANELLO DELLA FEDE e una opportunità per fare un dono memorabile per i nostri cari defunti. L'offerta fatta puo essere dichiarata nelle tasse. Se la famiglia del defunto, per occasione della Messa di Funerale, richiede ai partecipanti "donazione a S. Elena" al posto di fiori, allora il nome del deceduto verra aggiunto al Pannello della Fede. Pannello e preminentemente installato all'entrata della Chiesa. Per informazioni o offerte chiamate l'ufficio parrocchiale.

"I loro nomi sono scritti nei cieli"

LA SOCIETA' PER ANZIANI ha ripreso le attività, **sabato, dalle ore 11:00 alle 14:00 in Palestra.** Gli incontri saranno programmati in base alla disponibilità della Palestra. Per informazioni chiamare Elia, 604-299-0455.



SE VOLETE OFFRIRE IL PANE E IL VINO da usare durante tutte le Sante Messe della settimana a ricordo dei propri cari, per favore chiamate l'ufficio parrocchiale.

CAPPELLA DELL'ADORAZIONE è aperta dalle 7:15 alle 21:00, **dal lunedì al venerdì.** Si prega di non inserire dopo le 21:00 poiché l'allarme verrà attivato. Grazie.

SOCIETA PER LE MISSIONI sta raccogliendo abbigliamento e articoli per la casa. Per favore, **NON LASCIATE LE VOSTRE DONAZIONI PRIMA DI CHIAMARE MANUELA, 604-298-6202.**

LAST RITES AND MEDICAL EMERGENCIES

Please call the office, 604-298-4144. Outside of office hours, please call 604-298-6111.

The following priest chaplains are also available:
 Burnaby General Hospital: Fr. Bede Kiem Minh Le, 604.298.6800, 604-434-4211
 Vancouver General Hospital: 604-877-5918 (Pager) / 604-875-4111 Fr. Gilbert Nunez & Fr. Luis Martin
 Brian Delgado (Mon., Tue., Fri., Sat. and Sun.); Fr. Aresene Dutunge (Wed. and Thurs.)
 Mount St. Joseph Hospital: Fr. Joseph Ha Vinh Tran, OP (Chaplain)604-876-7826
 Royal Columbian Hospital: Chaplains' Cell 604-250-7513, Rev Claude Makulu, O. Praem, 604.936. 2525
Please provide this important information to the priest before he arrives: name of the sick, ward, room number, bed number and name & phone number of the person requesting the visit as the hospital will not provide any details due to privacy laws.

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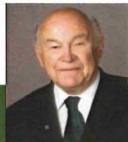
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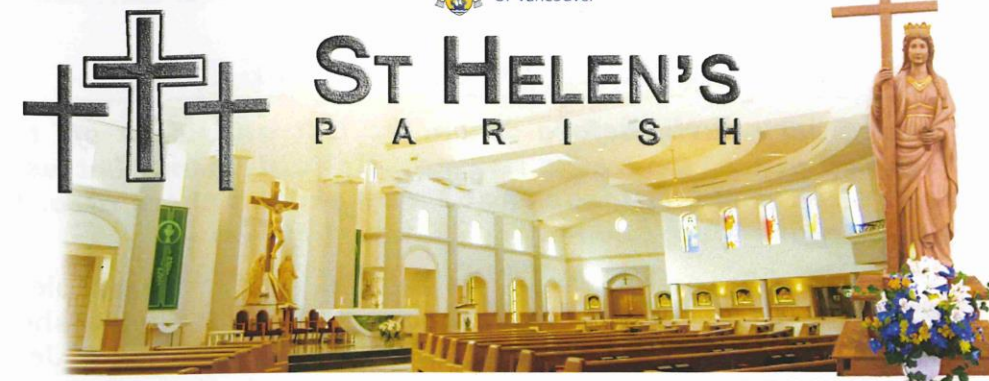
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MASS SCHEDULE

SATURDAY:

4:00 pm – Children's Liturgy

SUNDAY:

8:30 am

10:00 am – (Italian) Children's Liturgy

11:30 am – Children's Liturgy

MONDAY TO FRIDAY:

7:45 am

SATURDAY & PUBLIC HOLIDAYS:

9:00 am

ADORATION CHAPEL
MONDAY TO FRIDAY: 7:15 am – 9:00 pm
CLOSED ON SATURDAY AND SUNDAY

CONFESSIONS
MONDAY TO FRIDAY: 7:25 am – 7:40 am
SATURDAY: 8:30 am – 8:55 am and
3:00 pm – 3:50 pm

BAPTISMS: 2nd Sunday of the Month MARRIAGES: Prior arrangements six months in advance.

PARISH CONTACTS AND MINISTRIES

MINISTRY TO THE SICK: Please call during office hours.

SACRED MUSIC COORDINATOR: Agnes Wan, 604-299-3916

LAST RIGHTS AND MEDICAL EMERGENCIES: Please call during office hours.
Outside of office hours, please call 604-298-6111. See inside for more information.

PARISH RELIGIOUS EDUCATION PROGRAM (PREP)

CLASSES ON TUESDAY: 6:30 pm – 7:50 pm in the school.

PREP COORDINATOR: Sandra Crema, 604-298-5239, prepsainthelens@gmail.com

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FOR ADULTS WHO DESIRE TO JOIN THE CATHOLIC FAITH: (please call office)

CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE (CWL): Flavia Musso, 604-299-4466

CHILDREN'S LITURGY COORDINATOR: Jaime Poldrugo, (please call office)

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS' COORDINATOR: Marivic Morelos, 778-881-6505

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS: Tony Ramalho, 604-294-5501

LECTORS COORDINATOR: (please call office)

SAFE ENVIRONMENT COORDINATOR: Ariana Quashie, (please call office)

SENIORS CLUB: Tecla Volpe, (please call office)

YOUTH ADULT GROUP: Please call during office hours.

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