

SEPTEMBER 10, 2017

23RD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

FIRST ANNUAL FAMILY FOOD FESTIVAL. Today, Sunday September 10th, from 11:00am to 7:00pm in the Gym & outdoor. Please come with your family and friends to Enjoy low cost International food items- Chinese, Filipino, Hungarian, Italian and Portuguese-, with a bouncy castle for the kids.

2nd COLLECTION – On the weekend, September 16th & 17th there will be a second collection for the Seasonal Farm Workers Dinner. The money collected will help to offset the cost of transporting our migrant brothers from the farm to St. Helen etc. Thank you in advance for your generosity

CWL. General Meeting Monday, September 11th at 7:00 pm in the church basement. Join with other women of faith as we create light that inspires others.

SENIOR CLUB. Resumed their activities. Meetings are every Tuesday, at 12:00pm (noon). New members are welcome. For more information, please call Italo 604-299-6057

SEASONAL FARM WORKERS DINNER VOLUNTEERS There will be a meeting on Tuesday, September 12th at 7:00pm for all parish group/ministry coordinators as well as anyone interested in knowing more or who plan to volunteer. If you have any questions please contact the Lay Scalabrinians at shc-scalabrinians@hotmail.com or Fr. Rosemond at rosemond128@hotmail.com.

PREP. Begins Monday, September 18th, at 6:30 pm in the Church, Late Registrations are accepted until October 2nd in the church office during the office hours. For more info please call Sandra, 604-298-5239.

CHOIR. THE SUNDAY MORNING CHOIR (8:30, 10:00 and 11:30 AM), will be resuming their activity on Sunday September 17th. Practice will resume Sept. 12th for 8:30, Sept. 13th for 10:00, and Oct. 2nd for the 11:30 am. New members are welcomed. We are looking for a Guitarist for the 8:30 am mass (practice not necessary). For information call our Director Fortuna at 604-299-3414, or email to fortunakonarski@hotmail.com

CHILDREN'S LITURGY. Will commence this weekend and it is for children ages 4 to Grade 2. Any Grade 6 or 7 student Volunteers are asked to check in with Children's Liturgy teachers 10 min before mass (4 maximum).

RCIA. The Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults is a process through which adults become full members of the Roman Catholic Church. Program will begin in January 4th, 2018. and are held every Thursday evening at 7:30pm in the church basement. For more information, please contact Trish Hunt at tfulton@telus.net or call the rectory to speak with one of the priests.

CURIOUS ABOUT THE ROLE OF PERMANENT DEACONS? A unique and special vocation, Deacons are official teachers and preachers of the Gospel. Men interested in this ordained ministry, Seminar Sessions run Saturdays on September 23, October 28 and November 19. Register at <http://stmarkscollege.ca/programs/deacon>

BASEMENT SUIT FOR RENT. 2 Bedrooms finished, no pets. Close to St. Helen's Church for more info call 604-298-2316

SEASONAL FARM WORKERS DINNER - GIVING TREE COLLECTION

The dinner will be on **Saturday, September 23rd at 7:00pm**. Our goal is to give each participant a "Gift Bag" filled with some necessary items of soap, razors, socks etc. Over the next few weeks there will be a "Giving Tree" in the foyer of the church. **Please take a tag from the tree and return the requested gift bag items by Sept. 17th.** For more information or to volunteer please contact Fr. Rosemond at rosemond128@yahoo.fr or the Lay Scalabrinians at shc-scalabrinian@hotmail.com. Thank you for your help.



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

ST. HELEN'S FOOD BANK is always in operation. You can bring your donations to the church on Sunday or the rectory during the office hours. Items most needed: juice, rice, pasta sauce, school snacks, canned meat, ham, fish, fruit and veggies, soups, cereals, coffee, tea, cookies, toiletries, jam, peanut butter. Please check the expiry date. Thank you for your support.

HANDMADE CRAFTS. Tables available for rent at upcoming Craft Market in November at St Helen's. Sell/showcase your handmade crafts. For details email craftmarket3@gmail.com or call Maria 604-298-5617

LIGHTHOUSE CATHOLIC MEDIA. Thank you for your generous support in this new evangelization program established in our parish. Books, booklets, CDs and DVDs are displayed in a kiosk for purchase: CDs \$6, Booklets \$3, DVDs \$8, Books \$10. All proceeds will go towards the parish

COFFEE HOUR – September 10- Anna, 604-299-2273

CHURCH CLEANING – September – Team 1– Gemma, 604-294-1826

BULLETIN SPONSOR OF THE WEEK. Please support **DIGNITY MEMORIAL**, one of the sponsors who bring to you this weekly Parish Bulletin!

SUNDAY COLLECTION (Weekly goal \$12,000.00)			
Date	Envelopes	Loose	Total
September 3	\$ 6,905.00	\$ 430.00	\$ 7,335.00
<i>Thank you for your generosity!</i>			

Mass Intentions

Saturday, September 9 [St. Peter Claver, Priest]

9:00 am – † Elisabetta & Dec. of Colapinto Fam., † Lucia Luz Romuar

4:00 pm – † Eugenio Arcadi, † Sante Fedele

In Hon. of Sacred Heart of Jesus & Imm. Heart of Mary

Sunday, September 10 [23RD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME]

8:30 am – † Daniel Rezmer, † Christian Porcellato

† Alessandro & Elisabetta from Gnocato Family

10:00 am – † Antonia & Giuseppe De Mare, † Joe Corsi

† Flora Niccoli, † Pasqualino Ghiorzi

11:30 am – † Nada Borovic, Special Intention for Isabel Viduya

In Thanksgiving for Tania Kuehmel

7:30 pm –

Monday, September 11 [Weekday]

7:45 am – Our Parishioners

Tuesday, September 12 [The Most Holy Name of Mary]

7:45 am –

Wednesday, September 13 [St. John Chrysostom, Bishop & Doctor of the Church]

7:45 am –

Thursday, September 14 [The Exaltation of the Holy Cross]

7:45 am –

Friday, September 15 [Our Lady of Sorrows]

7:45 am – Special Intention for Alexandra Lee

Saturday, September 16 [St. Cornelius, Pope, and Cyprian, Bishop]

9:00 am – † Bak Pyung-Sun, † Maria Haydee Rosa

4:00 pm – † Agnes & Joseph Wong, † Rita Boivin

Nina & Mario DiNicolo 50th Wedding Anniversary

Sunday, September 17 [24TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME]

8:30 am –

10:00 am – † Caterina Peretto, † Mike DeMarco, † Domenico Cibelli

† Nina Luongo, † Antonio Msaselli, † Dec. of Parisotto Fam.

† Mark Agostino & Fortunato Pietramala, † Luigi Baldissera

† Dec. of Decicco & Riconosciuto Fam.

11:30 am – † Delores Bondi, † Grazia & Giuseppe Cusati, † Giuseppe Marrone

7:30 pm –

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XXIII DOMENICA DEL TEMPO ORDINARIO

PRIMO FESTA ANNUALE FAMIGLIA DEGLI ALIMENTI. Segnare il tuo calendario e pianificare di venire con la tua famiglia e gli amici, domenica 10 settembre, dalle 11:00 alle 19:00 nella palestra e all'aperto. Godetevi gli alimenti a basso costo internazionale -cinesi, filippini, ungheresi, italiani e portoghesi- con un castello rimbalzato per i bambini.

LA SOCIETA' PER ANZIANI si riunisce martedì 5 settembre. E' sempre aperta ad accogliere nuovi membri che desiderano trascorrere del tempo assieme e ritrovarsi fra amici. Per ulteriore informazioni chiamare Italo 604-299-6057.

CWL. General Meeting: Lunedì 11 settembre alle 19:00 nella sala della chiesa seminterrato. Partecipa con altre donne di fede mentre creiamo la luce che ispira gli altri.

CHOIR. LA DOMENICA MATTINA CORO (8:30, 10:00 e 11:30) sarà riprendere la loro attività di Domenica 17 Settembre I nuovi membri non solo sono accolti, ma sono molto necessaria. Per informazioni chiamare il nostro direttore Fortuna al 604-299-3414, o parlare con lei dopo messa.

PELLEGRINAGGIO ALLA SANTA TERRA con la parrocchia di S. Elena. // *Pellegrinaggio Su Le Orme Di Gesù* è prevista dal 10 al 20 Marzo 2018. Per informazioni e prenotazioni si prega di contattare Priscilla Estrada o Isabel Ong, 604-874-9533, 1-888-874-9533, oppure controllare il manifesto all'ingresso della chiesa.

REGISTRAZIONE AL CATECHISMO per l'anno catechetico 2017/18 alla canonica durante le ore d'ufficio. Per ulteriori informazioni chiamate Sandra, 604-298-5239.

RCIA. Le classi del Rito di Iniziazione Cristiana degli Adulti incominciano in gennaio 4, 2018. Per ulteriori informazioni, si prega di contattare a Trish Hunt tfulton@telus.net o a uno de sacerdoti.

ARTIGIANATO FATTI A MANO. Tavoli disponibili per affitto ala Fiera di Artigianato al mese di Novembre a S. Elena. Fatte vedere e vendete i vostri mestieri artigianali. Per ulteriori informazioni chiama Maria, 604-298-5617 o email craftmarket3@gmail.com

CIBO PER I POVERI. I primi a sentire il dolore per la presente difficoltà economica sono i più poveri. Negli ultimi mesi hanno bussato alla nostra porta molti più "clienti" del solito per cui la nostra scorta di cibo è svanita in fretta. I nostri bravi volontari del "food bank" raccolgono e distribuiscono a nome di tutti : cibo in lattine, verdura, frutta, carne, pesce, succhi di frutta, cereali, pasta, salsa per la pasta. Grazie per la vostra generosità.

"Chi ha l'occhio generoso sarà benedetto, perché egli dona del suo pane a povero." Prov. 22:9

CENA PER IL LAVORATORI STAGIONALI è prevista per sabato, 23 settembre. Speriamo poter dare a ciascun partecipante un "sacchetto Regalo" con sapone, rasoi, calzini etc... Durante le prossime settimane ci sarà un "Albero dei doni" all'entrata della Chiesa, per favore prendete un bigliettino dall'albero e portate il dono richiesto entro il 17 sett. Se siete disposti ad aiutare contattare il P. Fr. Rosemond, rosemond128@yahoo.fr o Tina, shc-scalabrinian@hotmail.com.