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## PASTORAL CONCERNS:

**Baptisms:** Please prepare for infant/child baptism by contacting the office at ext. 15. For adult baptisms, see RCIA.

**Weddings:** Please call the office at ext. 16. Do not set the date until you have talked to Mark MacKenzie.

**Funerals:** Contact the office at ext. 11.

### **RCIA (Becoming Catholic) and Learning About The Catholic Faith:**

Everyone is invited to learn more about the faith or seek to become a Catholic. Contact parish office at ext. 15.

**Annulments:** Confidential help is available. Please call the parish office at ext.16.

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## CATHOLIC CEMETERY:

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## *WELCOME TO HOLY REDEEMER PARISH*

*DECEMBER 6, 2020*

## *SECOND SUNDAY OF ADVENT*

*Pastor: Father Thomas Nathe*



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**Church Open:** Daily 7:00am - 5:30pm

**Mass Schedule:** Saturday Vigil 4:30pm

[\(You Must sign-up](#) Sunday 7:30am, 9:30am, and 12:00pm (Noon)

[for Sunday Mass-see](#) Monday-Friday 7:00am

[Website to sign up!](#)) Saturday 8:00am

**Rosary:** Saturday 7:40am and 4:10pm

Sunday 7:10am, 9:10am and 11:40am

Monday-Friday 7:30am

**Confessions (in St. Cecilia):** Friday 4:00-5:15pm

Saturday 2:30-4:15pm

Sunday 7-7:15am/8:45-9:15am/11-11:45am

**Eucharistic Adoration:** Friday 7:30am —Saturday 7:30am

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*Please remember Holy Redeemer Parish in your will.*

**WEEK AT A GLANCE:**

**Sunday: 12/6**

**Second Sunday in Advent Year B**

Mass 7:30am/9:30am/Noon  
Confessions in St. Cecilia room  
7am, 8:45am, 11am

**Monday: 12/7**

7:00am—Daily Mass  
10:30am—Marian Movement  
(zoom ID # 720 392 391)  
Noon—Angelus ([parish Facebook page](#))  
5:00pm—Eve. Prayer  
([parish Facebook page](#))

**Tuesday: 12/8**

**The Immaculate Conception of the BVM**

**Office Closed**

7:00am—Mass  
11:00am—Mass  
7:00pm—Mass

**Wednesday : 12/9**

7:00am—Daily Mass  
Noon—Angelus ([parish Facebook page](#))  
5:00pm—Eve. Prayer  
([parish Facebook page](#))

**Thursday: 12/10**

7:00am—Daily Mass  
Noon—Angelus ([parish Facebook page](#))  
5:00pm—Eve. Prayer  
([parish Facebook page](#))

**Friday: 12/11**

7:00am—Daily Mass  
7:30am—24 hour Adoration  
4:00-5:15pm—Confessions in  
St. Cecilia room

**Saturday: 12/12**

**Our Lady of Guadalupe**

7:30am—Benediction  
8:00am—Daily Mass  
2:30-4:15pm—Confessions in St.  
Cecilia room  
4:30pm—Vigil Mass

**Sunday: 12/13**

**Third Sunday in Advent Year B**

Mass 7:30am/9:30am/Noon  
Confessions in St. Cecilia room  
7am, 8:45am, 11am

**Mass Intentions**

**Monday, December 7**

*MaryAnn Bock +*

**Tuesday, December 8**

*Immaculate Conception*

**Wednesday, December 9**

*Annie Cruz +*

**Thursday, December 10**

*Raymond Tida +*

**Friday, December 11**

*Anna Truc Mai +*

**Saturday, December 12**

*Angela Yang & Jeff Lee (marriage)*

**Celebrant for Masses**

**December 12:**  
**4:30pm Fr. Nathe**

**December 13:**  
**7:30am Fr. Martin**  
**9:30am & Noon Fr. Nathe**

**Readings for Sunday 12/13**

Is 61:1-2a, 10-11  
Lk 1:46-48, 49-50, 53-54  
1 Thess 5:16-24  
Jn 1:6-8, 19-28

**Important Links**

Sunday Mass:

<https://vimeo.com/user109632820>

Daily Mass, Angelus, & Evening Prayer:

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*Names stay on the prayer list for four weeks; please contact the parish office or [karenn@holyredeemervanc.org](mailto:karenn@holyredeemervanc.org) to extend the time frame.*

Last Week (11/23-11/29)	Income
Sunday:	\$ 19,027.00
Realizing Hope:	\$ 7,074.00
St. Vincent de Paul:	\$ 839.00

**Not all of us can do great things, but we can do small things with great love.**





### ***HONOR TO OUR PARISH PILGRIM LADY***

The seventeenth anniversary of the apostolate to “The Lady of the Miraculous Medal” under the Parish Pilgrim Lady program at Holy Redeemer will be celebrated during the Mass of the Feast of the Immaculate Conception.

This is a program for our Blessed Virgin Mother, where her statue visits one home each week during the year (52 weeks). Hosting the statue reinforces our faith and gives us the opportunity to pray and trust Our Lady during the difficult times that our nation and the world face today.

To be part of this apostolate, please sign up using this link <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/8050444afa82aa46-parish1> or Ed Brands at 360-885-7780 or email [edb@holyredeemervanc.org](mailto:edb@holyredeemervanc.org) for more information.

Please reserve only one week per year. This allows your fellow parishioners to have the Pilgrim Lady visit their home too! Thank you for your cooperation.

# GROWING IN HOLINESS

## FAITH FORMATION PROGRAM AND CONTACT INFORMATION

- ◆ Contact Melissa Abell at [melissaa@holyredeemervanc.org](mailto:melissaa@holyredeemervanc.org)
- ◆ To make an appointment: See Parish Personnel on the front page of the bulletin.

## NEW TO HOLY REDEEMER?

Contact the Faith Formation Office to meet and discuss how we can work together to build God's Kingdom in East Vancouver! Sacramental needs? Education? Let us know how we can help. Contact Mark: 885.7780 ext. 16, [markm@holyredeemervanc.org](mailto:markm@holyredeemervanc.org)

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## ADULTS

**Anne, a lay apostle—Monthly Prayer Group :** Anne, the author of *The Volumes*, received the message to have a prayer group meeting once a month. The Lay Apostle prayer group will be holding their meetings on the second Tuesday of the month at 10:30am via Zoom. If you are interested, contact Jean Marie Amos at 360.260.7352, or [Jean\\_Amos@q.com](mailto:Jean_Amos@q.com)

**Men of Faith:** All men in the parish are invited to attend our monthly gatherings. For more information or if you would like to be in the loop, contact Mark: [markm@holyredeemervanc.org](mailto:markm@holyredeemervanc.org)

**Women's Spiritual Studies:** Through their small groups, women are learning how to be the best version of themselves—made in the image and likeness of God—and reaching out to those around them. Contact Hannah at [hannahb@holyredeemervanc.org](mailto:hannahb@holyredeemervanc.org)

**Endow:** Thursday Endow will now meet in person in the parish center, and Monday Endow will continue to meet online. We are continuing our spiritual book studies. For Monday Night Endow: Discovering Your Dignity. For more information:

Monday night contact Jamie at [jamiiek@holyredeemervanc.org](mailto:jamiiek@holyredeemervanc.org)  
Thursday morning contact Hannah at [hannahb@holyredeemervanc.org](mailto:hannahb@holyredeemervanc.org)

## YOUNG ADULTS

If you want to pray together, chat, or talk about the faith, one-on-one office hours are normally available on the first, second, and third Wednesday of the month. Sign up for an appointment at this Google calendar link. [this Google calendar link](#)

## HIGH SCHOOLERS

**Life is Christ:** Join us for Life is Christ night on December 10th, for an in-person socially distanced game night. We will meet in the parish center from 5:30- 7:30 pm. We can have up to 12 people in person, so sign up to reserve your space. Life is Christ is now hybrid, meaning if it's safer for you to stay home, you can still join us from Zoom. Please choose on the signup if you'll be there in person or virtually. Contact Hannah: [hannahb@holyredeemervanc.org](mailto:hannahb@holyredeemervanc.org)

## MIDDLE SCHOOLERS

Join us for Verso L'alto night on December 17th, for an in-person socially distanced game night. We will meet in the parish center from 5:30- 7:30 pm. We can have up to 12 people in person, so sign up to reserve your space. Verso L'alto is now hybrid, meaning if it's safer for you to stay home, you can still join us from Zoom. Please choose on the signup if you'll be there in person or virtually. Contact Hannah: [hannahb@holyredeemervanc.org](mailto:hannahb@holyredeemervanc.org).



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American Heritage Girls &  
Trail Life USA (K-12th):

Meetings are on hold.

Contact Julie for AHG:

[nicholmarine@icloud.com](mailto:nicholmarine@icloud.com)

Contact Linda for TLUSA:

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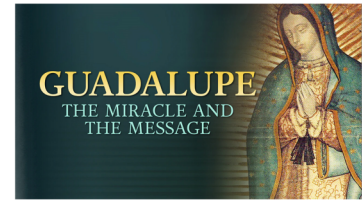
PICK OF THE WEEK

December 6, 2020

**WATCH**

**GUADALUPE:  
THE MIRACLE AND THE MESSAGE**

As we celebrate the patroness of the Americas this week, enjoy this film narrated by Jim Caviezel that walks us through our Mother's miraculous appearance to Juan Diego—an encounter that has converted millions.



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Please go to our website [www.HolyRedeemerVan.org](http://www.HolyRedeemerVan.org)  
and go to the Faith Formation Page for updates and resources.

## NEXT WEEK AT A GLANCE

Sunday 12/6	Monday 12/7	Tuesday 12/8 Immaculate Conception	Wednesday 12/9	Thursday 12/10	Friday 12/11	Saturday 12/13
<b>6th Gr. Session</b> Zoom (4:00pm)  <b>HS RE</b> Zoom (6:00pm)  <b>Confirmation Session</b> Zoom (6:00pm)  <b>8th Gr. Mystagogy</b> Zoom (7:00pm)	<b>Endow</b> Zoom (6:30pm)		<b>RCIA</b> Zoom (6:30pm)  <b>YA Advent Study</b> Parish Ctr. (6:00pm)  <b>HS Advent Study</b> Parish Ctr. (6:00pm)	<b>Endow</b> Parish Ctr. & Zoom (9:00am)		

## PARISH HAPPENINGS

**Office Hours:** Our offices are open Monday-Friday from 7:30am-1:00pm. Be advised that we will have limited staff and we strongly encourage you to use the internet, e-mail, and phone as much as possible but when you need to come in, we will be here for you. You have to wear a mask and maintain 6' of distance and obey all other signs while in any of the buildings. Please keep your visits as short as possible so that we can help everyone and keep everyone healthy.

**Christmas Mass Sign-up:** The sign-up for Christmas Masses is available on our website. We will be having **6 Christmas Masses** so there should be room for everyone. You can access the signup from the home page of our website where you will see a button for Christmas Mass Signup.

**ACA Rebate Update:** We have just received our third rebate check in the amount of \$10,261.99 for this year's Annual Catholic Appeal for a total of \$45,488.14 so far this year. These funds have been designated this year for our Realizing Hope Church Completion Project. Thank you to all who pledged, paid, and continue to pay on their Annual Catholic Appeal.

### Staying Close to Jesus

**Angelus:** We live stream the Angelus and prayer to Our Lady of Seattle for the end of the coronavirus Monday through Friday at noon and we invite you to join. The prayers are streamed through Facebook Live on our [parish Facebook page](#). You do not need a Facebook account to view the stream. Facebook may prompt you to create an account, but you can simply say "Not Now" and watch the video.

**Evening Prayer:** To help those at home stay close to Jesus, we have taken this ministry online and are making it more frequent. Join us Monday through Thursday at 5:00pm for Evening Prayer. The prayers are streamed through Facebook Live on

our [parish Facebook page](#). [Download This Week's Evening Prayers Here](#)

**Public Masses Have Resumed:** We are back to our regular Mass schedule (see the front of the bulletin), and you have to sign up in advance to attend Sunday Mass. You can sign up by going to our home page and clicking on the button for Sunday Mass. **Be sure to read all of the requirements on the signup and its attachments before signing up!** We will continue to record the Masses so that those who cannot attend may participate at home.

## EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY

**Nursery Staff :** Regina Caeli Academy is looking to hire a Nursery staff . Are you interested in working with our littlest students, Monday and Thursdays from 9am - 3pm? If so, please click the following link to the RCA Job Portal:

<https://rcahybrid.isolvedhire.com/jobs/>



### *Solemnity of the Immaculate Conception of the Blessed Virgin Mary is Tuesday, December 8th.*

Mass will be at 7am, 11am and 7pm. Please sign up for Mass on our website.



Saturday, December 12th is the Feast of Our Lady of Guadalupe and Mass will be at 8am. In December, 1531, the Blessed Virgin Mary appeared three times to Juan Diego, an Aztec Indian, requesting that a church be built on Tepeyac Hill, near Mexico City. Unable to convince the bishop, and busy caring for his sick uncle, Juan missed a fourth meeting. Mary intercepted him the next day. "Am I not here, who is your Mother? Are you not under my protection? Am I not your health?...What else do you wish?" Mary instructed Juan to gather roses for the bishop in his cloak. When roses tumbled out, a miraculous image appeared. The tilma, the venerated image, is enshrined within the Minor Basilica of Our Lady of Guadalupe in Mexico City. The basilica is the most visited Catholic pilgrimage site in the world, and the world's third most-visited sacred site.

Pope Pius XII accorded her the title "Queen of Mexico and Empress of the Americas" in 1945, and Pope John XXIII invoked her as "Mother of the Americas" in 1961.

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