

Aug 10, 2025 ❖ Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time



Stewardship Reflection

“For where your treasure is, there also will your heart be.” (Luke 12:34)

Jesus encourages us to build up our treasure in heaven. The world encourages us to build up our treasure in real estate, investments, and material goods. How much time are you investing in building up a worldly treasure? How much time are you investing in building up a heavenly treasure? To invest more in the things of heaven, you must let go of some of the things of this world.

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We have set aside 9 Monday evenings spread across the upcoming year 2025 - 2026. Our First Session will be on Mon, Sep 15 from 7 - 8:30pm Father Nick Misel will be our guest speaker. Come join us!



ARE YOU THINKING ABOUT BECOMING CATHOLIC ?

Whether you are considering becoming Catholic or simply want to learn more about the Catholic faith and the teachings of Jesus Christ, we welcome you on this journey of faith and conversion. RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults) will be held on Tuesday evenings from 6:30pm – 8:00pm in the parish hall. If you are interested in joining the RCIA program, visit <https://olphchurch.ca/join/become-catholic/> Our first class will begin on Tuesday, September 9.

Note: Deadline to submit registration is September 15



WEEKLY CATECHISM CLASS FOR CHILDREN NOT IN CATHOLIC SCHOOL

If your child is in Grade K-7 (or beyond G.7 if they are not yet Confirmed) who does not attend Catholic school, consider joining PREP (Parish Religious Education Program) for sacramental preparation for First Reconciliation, First Communion and Confirmation. To register, visit <https://olphchurch.ca/join/prep/> or email prep.olph@gmail.com for more information.



ALPHA COURSE AT OLPH : 12 Tuesday Mornings beginning Sep 16 from 8:30 - 10:00am
Come explore the Christian faith in an informal and friendly way
that has helped countless people grow closer to God. Registration to begin soon!



With Deepest Sympathy

The funeral arrangement for †Mark Thompson is as follows:

Friday, Aug 29 - Prayer Vigil at 7:00pm

↻ Saturday, Aug 30 ↻

Mass of Christian Burial at 11:00am

OLPH Church

Celebration of Life from 1:00pm - 3:00pm

Sage at The University Centre, 6331 Crescent Rd, Vancouver



FOR THE CELEBRATION OF LIFE, PLEASE RSVP BELOW:

<https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSctJZHCTD7ayYNDdl2zwqda2vbxGfMGtGV6wQLzk9HIC1rag/viewform>

Note: Deadline to RSVP is Friday, August 15th by 12noon



↻ NEWS & NOTICES ↻

♦ VOLUNTEERING OPPORTUNITY - SUNDAY COFFEE



Thank you to all of you who helped with our Sunday Coffee Social on Sunday mornings! Your great work is always appreciated by the community. We are looking for volunteers to help set up and clean up in the month of SEPTEMBER. If you can help, please click here to sign up:

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/904054CAEA728A7FC1-48231572-sunday#/>

♦ UPPER ROOM CONFERENCE 2025



The Upper Room Conference is for those who long to see the Gospel take root in their homes, parishes, and communities. Through inspiring talks, Spirit-led conversations, and parish-based follow-up gatherings, this two-part experience will help you clarify your personal call to evangelize and strengthen your impact in ministry. Join us on Saturday, September 20 at Pacific Academy in Surrey and again for local gatherings on

Saturday, September 27 as we grow together in faith and mission. Register at upperroomvancouver.com

♦ GROTTTO TO OUR LADY OF LOURDES PILGRIMAGE

The annual pilgrimage to the Grotto of Our Lady of Lourdes at Fraser River Heritage Park in Mission will be held on Sat, Aug 16. The day begins with Confessions at 10am followed by Mass at 1pm., celebrated by Archbishop Richard Smith. After Mass will be a procession to the Grotto followed by Eucharistic Adoration. The day will conclude with a picnic and time for fellowship. Please bring your own picnic baskets and chairs. For bus information, email info@aquinasinstitute.ca, or call 604-751-1452.

MASSSES & SERVICES

Saturday Anticipated Mass: 5pm

Sunday Masses: 9am, 11am, 5pm

Daily Mass : Mon – Fri 8am

Thurs OLPH Novena: After 8am Mass

Sat & Holidays: 9am Mass

Sat Adoration: 9:30am – 10:00am

Reconciliation: Sat 4pm – 4:45pm

Or by appointment: 604-224-4344

OFFICE HOURS

Monday-Friday 9:30am-4pm

Stat Holiday, Sat & Sun: Closed

Pastor: Fr. Leo English, CSsR

Parochial Vicar: Fr. Alfredo Medina Ramos, CSsR

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