



CHRIST THE REDEEMER

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RADIATING THE JOY OF THE GOSPEL WITHIN OUR PARISH FAMILY AND BEYOND

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2nd Sunday of Advent — December 6, 2020

A SPECIAL INVITATION



You are cordially invited to the

Priestly Ordination of Deacon Richard Conlin

at the hands of Archbishop J. Michael Miller, CSB

Friday, December 11, 2020 at 7:00 PM
Live streamed from Holy Rosary Cathedral

Join our novena for Deacon Richard beginning December 3

Register to attend for free at
rcav.org/ordination



Archdiocese
of Vancouver

PARISH DAY OF MERCY

Archbishop Miller has designated **Saturday, December 12**, as a special Day of Mercy. Throughout the Archdiocese of Vancouver, parishes will offer additional times for the Sacrament of Penance so that everyone can prepare for Christmas by going to Confession, even though penitential services cannot be held this year. Confessions will be offered at:

10 am 12 pm 2 pm 4 pm 6 pm 8 pm

The priests will be available beginning at each of these times, **only for as long as people are waiting.**

During December, confession will also be available at 7:30 am on Friday mornings for as long as people are waiting. An examination of conscience can be found online [here](#).

A GLANCE AT OUR PARISH CALENDAR

For more information about how you can get involved in parish life, email: office@ctrwestvan.ca.

Sunday	December 6	10:00 am	Sunday Mass LIVE	rebrand.ly/ctrmass
		After Mass	Prayer over Zoom	rebrand.ly/zoomprayer
		12-2 pm	Christmas Outreach collection	Parish parking lot
		7:00 pm	Anchor	RSVP: rebrand.ly/ctranchor
Monday	December 7	1-3 pm	Christmas Outreach collection	Parish parking lot
Wednesday	December 9	4:00 pm	PREP	Zoom
Friday	December 11	6:30 am	Friday Men's Prayer Group	Zoom
		7:30 am	Advent Confession Time	Mallon Room
		7:00 pm	Dcn. Richard Conlin's Ordination	rcav.org/ordination
Saturday	December 12	6 time slots	Parish Day of Mercy	Church

MASS SCHEDULE & INTENTIONS

L = Live Streamed Mass online at rebrand.ly/ctrmass.
No Public Masses

Saturday Dec 5			Pyk Family (int)
Sunday Dec 6	L	10:00 am	Monica Teo (int) <i>Second Sunday of Advent</i>
Monday Dec 7			Frank Affettuso † <i>St. Ambrose</i>
Tuesday Dec 8			Sr. Marilyn Kelly (int) <i>The Immaculate Conception</i>
Wednesday Dec 9			Russell Sheehan †
Thursday Dec 10			Chan Keng Boon †
Friday Dec 11			Jeannick Helm †
Saturday Dec 12			Rodrigo Naranjo Vallejo † <i>Our Lady of Guadalupe</i>

BAKE SALE SUCCESS!

Our deepest gratitude to everyone who ordered Christmas treats from the CWL last weekend. We received strong support from the parish despite the unusual circumstances. We appreciate all your support!

SUNDAY READINGS

We ordered a limited number of Sunday missals but there has been a shipping delay. For now, follow along with the readings online at: readings.livingwithchrist.ca

PLEASE PRAY FOR

Frank & Rowena Cheung
(brother & sister-in-law of Maria Law)
All those affected by the COVID-19 virus

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Kathy Barcenas, Thelma Bailey, Stanley Bednarski,
Helen Bush, Ron Buziol, Noel Callahan,
Stephanie Cameron-Anctil, Mark Ceraldi, Veronica Chan,
Kathy Cheng, Cathy Chun, Caleb Clarke,
Patricia Collingwood, Leo Dy, Ted Ewbank, Carol Fung,
Nancy Fung, Marilyn Goulet, Germaine Guay,
Annie Mackenzie, Mary Menescardi, Josef Mlick,
Simon Ngui, Sei Joon Park, Paula Pelletier,
Eduardo Peralta, Gloria Serrano, Breda Sheehan,
Theresa Sheehan, Linwood Trask, Thua Tran Thai,
Titas Uogintas, Molly Waechter and Sierra Watton

OR

Pray for the repose of the soul of
Violeta Canonizado

Second Collection

YOUTH MINISTRY SUNDAY

There will be a second collection taken up **this Sunday, December 6** to support youth ministry in the Archdiocese. You can donate [online](#) or drop off your envelope at the office. Half of the proceeds of this collection go directly to support [our parish's youth ministry](#); the largest of its kind on the North Shore.

Thank you for your generosity in supporting the young Church. For more information about the work Youth Ministry does at CTR, visit them on Instagram [@ctrwvyouth](https://www.instagram.com/ctrwvyouth), sign up for the newsletter on [Flocknote](#), or email youthministry@ctrwestvan.ca.



CHRISTMAS MASSES

We have planned our Christmas Mass Schedule as follows, with gatherings in both the church and the gym.

- Christmas Eve: 4 pm, 6 pm, 8 pm
- Christmas Day: 8 am, 10 am, 12 pm, 2 pm, 4 pm

Our plans are dependent on provincial health orders and may change accordingly. When we are able to finalize our plans, details regarding online registration will be sent via Flocknote and information will be published on our website. **Please do not contact the office about registration.**



ANCHOR THIS WEEK



Anchor is back in December at an earlier time! All students Grades 8-12 are welcome to join us on **Sunday, December 6 from 7:00-8:30 pm** for community, games and more over Zoom. Registration and online permission forms are required, so please RSVP at rebrand.ly/ctranchor.

For more information, email youthministry@ctrwestvan.ca and follow us on Instagram at [@ctrwvyouth](https://www.instagram.com/ctrwvyouth).



CONFESSION SCHEDULE

Saturdays: 9:30—10:00 am
Sundays: 4:00—4:30 pm

Additional Advent Confession time:

Fridays: 7:30 am *for only as long as people are waiting.*



ADVENT RETREAT FRIDAY

Friday, December 4, from 7-9 pm, the Archdiocese is hosting an online Advent retreat led by Fr. Juan Lucca and Barb Dowding. For many of us, it would be easy to say that 2020 has had its unique share of challenges. Advent and Christmas present an opportunity to share in a fresh joy that can conquer any darkness. This retreat will explore the rich symbols in Advent and share the intricate details of the Christmas liturgy to help prepare us for the coming of Christ at Christmas, where our hope and our joy will be full. [Register online](#) to get full access.



PRIESTLY ORDINATION OF DEACON RICHARD CONLIN



Christ the Redeemer Parish is delighted that one of our own, the son of parishioners Monica and Brian Conlin, brother of Jonathan and brother-in-law of Brittany, also of our parish, will be ordained a priest next **Friday, December 11.**

We assure the future Father Richard Conlin of our prayers and look forward to celebrating with him as a parish when health regulations permit.

To pre-register for the livestream of the ordination, please visit: rcav.org/ordination.

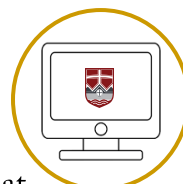
PRAYER AFTER MASS

Do you need encouragement or prayer for any reason? Every Sunday, after our 10:00 am Livestreamed Mass, teams of two are available via Zoom to pray with you! The experience is similar to prayer ministry on Alpha Spirit Saturday for those who have had that experience. You can connect to the Zoom call by visiting rebrand.ly/zoomprayer. After connecting, you'll be redirected to a break out room where the prayer time will be confidential and private—just you and two members of the prayer team.



ONLINE GIVING

It is easy to offer your support to the parish online at rebrand.ly/ctroffering. To donate over the phone, please call the parish office at **604-922-1371**. Thank you for your sacrificial support at this difficult time!





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Christmas Outreach Campaign

POSTPONED

until further notice to comply with the provincial health order released on Dec 3 which prohibits events "including drive-throughs... to drop off items"

At a future date, we will receive your donations:

- Gently used winter jackets and rain coats
- New or gently used sweatshirts and hoodies
- New winter gloves and toques
- New underwear
- New socks
- New t-shirts



*An initiative of our parish led by the Society of St. Vincent de Paul,
the Men's Shelter Ministry and Prison Ministry*