



Our Lady of Good Hope Catholic Church

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2nd Sunday in Ordinary Time January 14, 2023



Stewardship Reflection

*"Jesus turned and saw them following him and said to them,
'What are you looking for?'" - John 1:38*

When we recognize who we are, it's easier to find what we are looking for. Once we see ourselves, and others, as children of God, we spend less time looking for the material comforts of the world. Instead, our hearts long for something deeper that can only be filled by God. Ask God daily how He wants you to live the life He intended for you.

Prayer Requests

*Please pray for those who are ill or housebound
in our Parish family*

Sandra Kos, Linda Mageau, Robert De Peter, Bernard Papp,
Shelley Simpson, Janet Doxey, Louise Dufresne, Liette Jauniaux
Also please pray for all caregivers and the people they care for.

Please pray for those who are deceased

+Emelio Pellegrino +Emilia Perna, +Brian Lloyd

TALK TO US

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MASS TIMES

Sunday Mass:

Saturday Mass of Anticipation - 5:30 pm
Sunday Mass - 8:30 am

Weekday Mass:

Tuesday - 9:00 am
Wednesday - 9:00 am

MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday: January 13th - 5:30 pm
+ **Rest of the soul of S. Ma. Carmela Conol, RVM, + Edwin Roberts, + Henry Lancien, Thanksgiving from Lancien Family**

Sunday: January 14th - 8:30 am
+ **Rest of the soul of S. Ma. Carmela Conol, RVM**

Tuesday: January 16th - 9:00 am
+ **Rest of the soul of S. Ma. Carmela Conol, RVM**

Wednesday: January 17th - 9:00 am

Saturday: January 21st - 5:30 pm
+ **Asuncion Aranas, + Death Anniversary of Gerda Smith & Robert Smith, Healing of Suzette Maslo & Daniell Doerksen**

OFFERING COLLECTIONS

January 7, 2024

Loose = \$98.65
Initial offering = \$50.00
Maintenance = \$1255.00
Regular envelopes = \$1276.00
Total = \$2745.75

Dear parishioners of Our Lady of Good Hope

You have probably noticed a new statue in the entrance to our church. He is Saint Pedro Calungsod, a martyr on the island of Guam. Pedro, a teenager, accompanied Father Diego Luis de San Vitores S.J. and a group of Jesuit missionaries and lay assistants from the Philippines.

On April 2, 1672, Pedro was speared in the chest when he tried to defend Fr. Vitores. As the priest gave Pedro absolution, one of the attackers killed him with a sword.

In 1994, the Archdiocese of Cebu started the formal process for the beatification of Calungsod. On April 2, 2000, Pedro was beatified by Pope John Paul II. He was canonized on October 22, 2012. May St. Pedro inspire our young people to defend the faith and dedicate themselves to Jesus.

“Rescue Live” Parish Coordinator Overview

Qualities of a “Rescue Live” Parish Coordinator:

- Has an active, living relationship with Jesus and a desire to lead others, especially the disengaged, to encounter Him.
- Committed to living out the faith in all aspects of their life.
- Has the ability to lead a small team of other committed disciples.

Primary Role as Coordinator: Empowering and supporting their parish team to invite and accompany disengaged Catholics before, during, and after the “Rescue Live” Conference on May 4th.

Coordinator Responsibilities:

- Recruit 3 – 5 other like-hearted individuals at the parish to join their team.
- Attend the “Rescue Live” Launch Event on February 10th with their parish team.
- Commit to meeting and praying with their team regularly to prepare for participation in the conference on May 4th (Training resources will be provided by RCAV).
- Help their team identify fallen-away and disengaged Catholics who they can invite to join them at the conference.
- Support their team members as they accompany their invitees.
- Help coordinate registering their team and their invitees for the conference.

Where might you find this person?

Parish Leadership Team Member, Discipleship Coordinator, Evangelization Coordinator, PREP teachers, RCIA Coordinators, Small-Group Faith Study leader, ALPHA team, etc.

How will RCAV support the “Rescue Live” Parish Coordinator?

Our Ministries and Outreach team will support the “Rescue Live” Parish Coordinator by pairing them with one of our staff members. Our staff will be available to meet and provide ongoing support so that the “Rescue Live” Parish Coordinator feels confident in their role of recruiting, supporting, and journeying with their team. Our M&O team is also able to offer training in accompaniment, leadership support, provide guidance on how to recruit team members, or answer any questions that arise.

The “Rescue Project” vs. “Rescue Live”

The “Rescue Project” is an 8-week video series, intended to be shown in a small group setting, which features Fr. John Riccardo (ACTS XXIX ministries), and offers a compelling proclamation of the Gospel. “Rescue Live” is bringing Fr. Riccardo in-person to offer what he presents in The Rescue Project series as a one-day conference event (or in other words, according to ACTS XXIX, a “one-day Gospel revival!”). “Rescue Live” will be held on May 4, 2024, at the Hyatt Regency Hotel in downtown Vancouver.

Why “Rescue”?

We desire that everyone may have their hearts and lives transformed by the power of the Gospel. “Rescue Live,” through the power of the Holy Spirit, assisted by intentional invitation, accompaniment, and prayer, provides an exciting opportunity for hearts and lives to be transformed by the power of the Gospel.

How does “Rescue” differ from ALPHA?

While the ALPHA series also offers a proclamation of the core Gospel message in a small group setting, ALPHA’s primary audience is directed towards non-believers. Rescue is an excellent tool for fallen-away, disengaged, or lukewarm Catholics.

“Rescue Live” Launch Event

These questions and more will be answered at our “Rescue Live” Launch Event for “Rescue Live” Parish Coordinators and their teams on Saturday, February 10. This event will give you a taste of the Rescue experience and a chance to see how impactful it can be. More information about this event and how to attend will be sent to the “Rescue Live” Parish Coordinator.

COFFEE

Thank you to coffee helpers. We really, really need two or four more helpers. Please let us know if you can help us.

CATHOLIC WOMEN’S LEAGUE

CWL Word of the Week

IDENTITY

Members may wear pins and scarves with the Catholic Women’s League crest, but our true identity is seen in sharing our faith, service to the community and advocacy for social justice.

Your place is among us.

Next meeting Tues, Jan 30th at 2:30 pm

PREP

PREP class has already resumed. It started last Friday, January 12th

TILL TAPES

We are now saving receipts from both save-on-foods and buy low. For every \$5000.00 in receipts we receive \$20 in grocery gift cards. These cards support the purchase of items for coffee after mass as well as other parish needs. Please either bring them to mass and pin them on the bulletin board going into the meeting room or leave them with me, Linda Mageau. I will take care of adding the receipts and taking them to the stores. Your assistance in this is greatly appreciated.

PARISH CONTACT LIST

We would like to create a Parish contact list. Please submit your email and phone number to the parish office or email them to us at ologhope@telus.net

