

St. Luke's Parish

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Masses: Saturday - 5:00 P.M. Sunday - 8:45, 10:30 and 12:15 P.M.

Mon., Wed., Thu., Fri. - 9:00 A.M., Tue. - 7:00 P.M.

Devotions to Our Lady of Perpetual Help: Tuesday - after mass

First Friday Devotions - after morning mass

First Saturday Mass & Devotions – 8:30 A.M.

Confessions: Saturday 4:00-4:45 P.M. and Tuesday after mass & devotions

Office hours: Monday to Friday 8:30 A.M. – 4:00 P.M. 905-881-2786 Ext 221

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Name Phone.....

Address Postal Code.....

Children & Dates of Births:

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New Parishioner

Envelopes

Change of Address

Moving out of Parish



John the Baptist is an intriguing and challenging character. Unlike Jesus, who had a normal family upbringing, John left home while still a youth and went to live a hermit's life of lonely austerity in the desert. There he was summoned by the Spirit to prepare a people, making them ready for the coming of the Lord. His trademark was repentance for the forgiveness of sins. His fiery message had an irresistible fascination and struck a chord that resounded through the whole countryside. He spoke powerfully to the sinful hearts of people who had turned from God and warned them that the time of judgement was near at hand. Many were convinced by his preaching, acknowledged their sinfulness and as a sign of their sincerity underwent a ritual cleansing in the water of the Jordan. John the Baptist was a humble man who spoke the truth but did not glorify himself. According to his own words, he was merely a messenger preparing the way for 'Someone who is more powerful than I am and whose sandals' straps I am not fit to undo.'

MASS INTENTIONS

Monday	Soul of Lena, Peter & Ivan Soares
Tuesday	Intentions of Jessie Schmol Soul of Julian Peñoso Sr., Evelyn Aleda & Dexter Sarmiento Soul of Virginia Gorizzan Soul of Nolito Reyes Mass of Thanksgiving – The Peña Family
Wednesday	Soul of Remedios C. Peña
Thursday	Soul of Ignatius Mathias
Friday	Soul of Eileen Ambrosio

Please pray for the sick in our community.

May the healing power of God touch their hearts and ease their burdens, especially:

**Elizabeth and Tonya Liversidge,
Chantal Soriano, Wilfredo Soriano, Ann Bozabalian
and Aileen Crean**

The
CHOSEN
SEASON 2
JAN 6 – MAR 3
MONDAYS
SHOW TIME: 6:30 PM
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PRAYER, PRAISE & WORSHIP,
OR ADORATION

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We wish you all a very Merry Christmas!



Christmas Eve – Tuesday, December 24th

4:00 pm

(including children's choir & pageant)

8:00 pm & 12:00 midnight

The 8:00 pm mass will be livestreamed.

*** Our choirs will welcome parishioners
1/2 hour before each mass on Christmas Eve*

Christmas Day – Wednesday, December 25th

10:30 am & 12:15 pm

The 10:30 am mass will be livestreamed.

Boxing Day – Thursday, December 26th

9:00 am

New Year's Eve – Tuesday, December 31st

5:00 pm

(Note: No morning mass)

New Year's Day – Wednesday, January 1st

10:30 am & 12:15 pm

The 10:30 am mass will be livestreamed.



NEW YEAR'S EVE POT LUCK PARTY

Help us ring in New Year 2025 with a variety of delicious food, music, dancing & good company!

Where: Our parish hall

Bring: Family & friends
Your favourite dish to feed a few people
Your favourite dance song requests

Dress: As you wish

Time: 7:00 pm

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Sign Up: Sign up at the table in the narthex

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