

WELCOME TO ST. JOSEPH’S PARISH

“Turn your ear, O Lord, and answer me; save the servant who trusts in you, my God. Have mercy on me, O Lord, for I cry to you all the day long.”



ROMAN CATHOLIC WOMEN
Thank you for all the support for RCW activities this year.

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FOR YOUR INFORMATION DIOCESAN STIPENDS

MASS STIPEND - \$10.00 (as of April 2025)
BAPTISM STIPEND - \$25.00 - Baptisms are celebrated by appointment (after a Baptism Preparation Course has been completed).
BAPTISM PREPARATION: The baptism of a child is a very important event in the life of the child, the child’s family, and the parish community. To help parents enter more fully into the celebration of their child’s baptism, St. Joseph’s Parish offers a Baptism Preparation Course by appointment. Parents along with godparents are expected to attend the Baptism Preparation Course before the baptism of the child. Please call the Parish Office to register.
MARRIAGE STIPEND - \$200.00 - Please allow at least six months between the time of contacting the Parish and the date of the Marriage. A Marriage Preparation Course is required.
FUNERAL STIPEND - \$200.00 - St. Joseph’s Parish has a Bereavement Committee to assist with planning funeral services.



PILGRIMS OF HOPE PILGRIMAGE
Our Lady of the Snows Church in Marysville has been chosen as one of the Churches in the Diocese where Jubilee celebrations will be held this summer. The schedule of events for Saturday, September 6, 2025 is as follows: **Our Lady of the Snows Church, Marysville**
(Three Parish Priests will be partaking in these events)
• **10:30 a.m. Mass in the Church**
• **11:30—3:30 p.m. Adoration/Confessions**
• **4:00 p.m. Grotto Mass**
(If any parishioners are interested in attending this event please contact the Parish Office.)



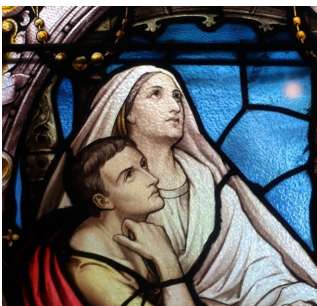
“When the light of forgiveness succeeds in filtering through the deepest crevices of the heart, we understand that it is never futile. Even if the other does not accept it, even if it seems to be in vain, forgiveness frees those who give it: it dispels resentment, it restores peace, it returns us to ourselves.” **Pope Leo XIV**

POP TABS FUNDRAISER

By donating your pop tabs money can be raised for The Robert Hampson Tabs for Kids Fund (through the Fraser Road United Church) which is used to purchase wheelchairs for kids. Tell your friends, tell your neighbours, tell everyone and keep those pop tabs coming. These small items make a huge difference in the life of a child. Eleanor Farrell is our new parish coordinator. You can drop your tabs off at the Church or the Parish Office.



The 2025 **Living with Christ Sunday Missal** is available at the Parish Office for \$5.00.
OFFERTORY ENVELOPES - are available at the Parish Office. The parish offers **DIRECT DEPOSIT** for contributions and accepts **E-TRANSFERS**.



AUGUST 27 - MEMORIAL OF SAINT MONICA: Monica was the mother of Saint Augustine, and all we know about her comes from Saint Augustine’s spiritual autobiography entitled *Confessions*. Her religious influence was so great that both her husband and mother-in-law converted to Christianity. She is largely known for devoting herself in prayer for the conversion of Augustine who had abandoned his Christian faith. Her prayers were answered and Augustine returned to his faith. Monica is a patron of mothers.

AUGUST 28 - MEMORIAL OF SAINT AUGUSTINE, BISHOP, DOCTOR: Augustine, born in North Africa, abandoned his Christian faith but later embraced it, thanks to the prayers of his mother Monica and the influence of the great Bishop Ambrose whose sermons convinced him of the truth of Christianity. At Easter 387, Augustine was baptized by Ambrose and later was ordained a priest, becoming Bishop of Hippo in 396. Augustine successfully defended the Christian faith against several heresies. His intelligence and pastoral concern shaped the thought of Western Christianity and guided the Church for over a thousand years. Augustine is one of the greatest Fathers of the Church and is known as the Doctor of Grace.



The All Saints Cemetery Mass was celebrated on Thursday, August 14th



SYMPATHY AND PRAYERS ARE EXTENDED TO THE FAMILY AND FRIENDS OF:
Clarence (Clar) FOLEY, formerly of our parish who died on Friday, August 15, 2025 as a result of a car accident near Grand Falls-Windsor. He is the brother of Bridget (Jerome) Bowen of our parish.
May his soul and the souls of all the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace. Amen.

ST. ANNE’S CHURCH, GLENWOOD Liturgical & Ministries’ Schedule for August 31, 2025

	Date Aug 31	Day Sun	Time 9:30 a.m.	Mass Intention Rivlyn Galway Donald Blackmore Michael Furlong	Requested By The O’Rielly family John & Eileen Suley Dan & Mary Turner
	Ministries: Readers: Gifts:	TWENTY-FIRST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME Helen Oake & Marg Rumbolt Remi & Rosie Truchon			Hospitality: Irene Broderick