



# CPC Communiqué

(Mar 2019 Edition)

## MARCH

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3	4	5 <b>Shrove Tuesday Social</b>  Pancake Breakfast After 11am Mass	6 <b>ASH WEDNESDAY</b> <small>LENT BEGINS</small> Prepare to enter the desert with Christ	7  <b>LASER TAG</b> PLANET LAZER, LANGLEY 7PM	8	9
10	11	12	13	14  <b>OPEN MIC NIGHT</b> LOCATION & DATE TBA 7PM	15	16
17	18 CPC Knights present: <b>ADORATION</b> & CONSECRATION TO ST. JOSEPH 7PM	19  <b>FEAST OF ST. JOSEPH</b> Solemnity	20 <b>FIRST DAY OF SPRING</b>	21 	22	23
24	25 <b>FEAST OF THE ANNUNCIATION</b> Solemnity 	26	27	28	29	30
31		"Every day, but particularly in Lent, Christians must face a struggle, like the one that Christ underwent in the desert of Judea, where for 40 days he was tempted by the devil, and then in Gethsemane, when he rejected the most severe temptation, accepting the Father's will to the very end." Pope Emeritus Benedict XVI, <i>Ash Wednesday Homily</i> , 2006				

“Fasting is the change of every part of our life.” – St. John Chrysostom

“Lent reminds us, therefore, that Christian life is a never-ending combat in which the "weapons" of prayer, fasting and penance are used. Fighting against evil, against every form of selfishness and hate, and dying to oneself to live in God is the ascetic journey that every disciple of Jesus is called to make with humility and patience, with generosity and perseverance ... The manifestation of love is one of the essential elements in the life of Christians who are encouraged by Jesus to be the light of the world, so that by seeing their "good works," people give glory to God (cf. Matthew 5: 16) ... This recommendation to us is particularly appropriate at the beginning of Lent, so that we may understand better and better that "for the Church, charity is not a kind of welfare activity ... but is a part of her nature, an indispensable expression of her very being" (Deus Caritas Est, n. 25).”

(Pope Emeritus Benedict XVI, *Homily on Feast of the Presentation of the Lord; Candlemas, 2013*)

### Highlights | Shrove Tuesday Social (Pancake Breakfast)

March 5 @ 11:30am – Join us for our weekly social, transferred to Tuesday due to Ash Wednesday. Oh, what a sweet exchange since we are having a pancake breakfast! It’s after the 11am Mass – so, join us and bring a friend.

## Ash Wednesday Mass

March 6 - 11am

Yes, we will receive ashes on campus at the 11am Mass. I know you thought we might miss out, but, don't worry, Fr. Lawrence is the best forehead marker in the world.

## Laser Tag

March 7, 7pm

"Is it just me or has this semester felt a bit like eating old toast; dry, dull and frankly unpleasant? Let's spice things up a bit by playing some good ol' laser tag! Wear some dark clothes, bring your friends and get ready to win! We will be meeting at CPC at 7pm to carpool - so if you need a ride or can offer a ride, let us know. Can't wait to see you there!" - CPSA

## Adoration Night & Consecration

March 18, 7pm

The Knights are hosting an adoration night on the Eve of the Feast of St. Joseph, complete with a consecration to the great Protector of the Holy Family, Patron of Canada, and Patron of the Church Universal.

## CPC<sup>3</sup> Lecture Series: Dr. Andrew Kaethler presents: "Is Church Necessary?"

March 28, 7pm

Dr. Kaethler will be tackling the important ecclesiological question of whether "going to Church" is optional, or essential to Christianity. You don't want to miss it!

## Open Mic Night

March 14 or 21? 7pm - Not sure yet!!

There is hopefully an Open Mic Night on either March 14 or 21, please stay tuned to calendars, posters, Facebook, or Instagram for more details.

*Parking Passes (only \$40) for this semester are available in Sherri's office - Remember the lot is patrolled by Clover Towing... you don't want to get caught without a permit.*

## Regular Events | Mass and Weekly Social

Mass on Campus..... Monday-Thursday @ 11am

Weekly Social..... Wednesdays after 11am Mass (usually 11:30am) - Bring a friend!

*If you would like to receive these as emails from us, please email Scott at [scott@catholicpacific.ca](mailto:scott@catholicpacific.ca), and we'll get you set up!*

