



MAKE EVERY SUNDAY MATTER

Sunday is the time when we come together: at Mass, in the parish, in shared activities. Improving our shared experiences of Sunday will inspire deeper faith and a greater sense of community.

- Celebrate like we mean it through effective preaching and beautiful music
- Welcome like we mean it

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Archbishop J. Michael Miller, CSB, is the shepherd of the Catholic Church in Vancouver, home to over 430,000 Catholics.

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OUR EVANGELIZING MISSION



PRIORITIES AND GOALS

Introducing the Archdiocese of Vancouver's Priorities and Goals, which will focus our pastoral efforts and mission as we work to intentionally help people experience God's merciful love.



GET CLOSER TO JESUS

Our goal as Christians is to continuously grow closer to Jesus. Some of us are looking for ways to encounter Him in a personal way. Some of us are looking for deeper discipleship.

- Foster personal encounters
- Promote discipleship paths

STRENGTHEN MARRIAGES AND FAMILIES

The world makes non-stop demands. Our culture works against Christian family life. In the spirit of Pope Francis' *Amoris Laetitia*, we will invest in strengthening marriage and families. This will benefit families, parishes and the wider culture.

- Provide support for parents seeking to acquire additional parenting skills
- Connect people in need with support services that address their challenges

DEVELOP PARISH LEADERSHIP AND SUPPORT

Parishes thrive and experience renewal when pastors are enabled to delegate spiritual and administrative leadership roles to a talented and evangelized team of parishioners.

- Parishes are called to be dynamic communities of missionary disciples
- Every parish will be offered services in management, development, and human resources functions