Upcoming Parish Events in 2026

Jan 1 to Jan 9 – Novena to Don Bosco
Jan 10 – St. John Bosco Feast Day Spaghetti Supper
Feb 14 to 22 – Eucharistic Miracles Display
Feb 18 – Ash Wednesday
Mar 14 – Marriage Enrichment Retreat 1
Apr 3 – Good Friday
Apr 5 – Easter Sunday
Apr 25 – Young Adult Group Gala
May 9 – Mother's Day Tea
May 30 – Prayer Breakfast
Jun 7 – Eucharistic Procession & BBQ
- One Mass at 10:30am

Sept 19 – Multicultural Potluck
Oct 17 – Candlelight Procession
Oct 24 – Marriage Enrichment Retreat 2
Nov 7 – 25th & 50th Anniversaries Celebration and Blessing for our couples

Dates subject to change*

More information about other parish events can be found on our website: **www.boscoparish.com**

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Merry Christmas



Christmas Prayer

Let us Pray.

Heavenly Father, we pray for your peace and joy to fill every heart this Christmas season. Guide us to remember the true meaning of this time—Your gift of love, hope, and peace through Your Son, Jesus Christ. Bless all people, from the hungry to the sick, and inspire us to extend our love to one another, so that your light may shine in the world through us, in Jesus' name. Amen.

Christmas & New Years Mass Times

Christmas Eve, **Dec 24th** - 5:00pm, 7:00pm & 10:00pm

Christmas Day, **Dec 25th** - 9:30am & 11:30am

No evening Mass on Friday, Dec 26th

No morning Mass on Dec 30th & 31st

New Year's Eve, **Dec 31st** - 5:00pm

New Year's Day, **Jan 1st** - 9:30am & 11:30am

January 1st is the Feast of Mary the Mother of God.
It is a day of obligation in Canada to attend Holy Mass.



Dear Parish Family,
I am very happy to wish you all with my prayerful greetings.

"The people who walked in darkness have seen a great light" (Is 9:1). It's time for us to pause and see this Light and feel its warmth. Here at St. John Bosco Parish, as we celebrate Christmas as one big parish family, may the light of Christ illumine your ways and fill your homes. I would like to thank each and every one of you for your commitment to our parish. The giving of your time, talent and treasure to the Lord, continues to reflect God's presence in our community.

My Christmas message this year is to challenge all of us to become more involved. It is not so much a question of giving more; it is a question of giving more of ourselves. Moreover, that's what God did when he entered our world at the first Christmas. God will fill us with His peace if there is room for Him in our lives.

In closing, my only prayer today, that you, your family and homes be filled with the blessings of peace, joy and love. At the same time, I thank you all most sincerely for your thoughtful prayers, inspiring Christmas greetings and priceless gifts. May all my dear parishioners be overshadowed with the mighty and powerful blessings of the Baby Jesus, the Emmanuel. May almighty God, Father, Son and Holy Spirit bless you all now and forever. Amen.



I wish you all a Blessed Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.

With love and prayers,
Fr. Chinna.