



Sacred Heart Catholic Church

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*** 23rd Sunday in Ordinary Time | 4 September 2022 ***

LITURGICAL CELEBRATIONS

WEEKENDS

Saturday 4 pm
Sunday (live streamed) 9 am
Korean 3 pm

Syro-Malabar Sat. 12:30 pm
(Please call the Parish Office)

Vietnamese Sun. 5:30 pm
(Please call the Parish Office)

RECONCILIATION

Saturday (before Mass) 3:00 pm

Sacred Heart YouTube Channel

<https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCzXJfSxennwmYIT4kPyUh6w>



Enjoy a sumptuous

**Pancake
Breakfast**

after the 9 a.m. Mass on
Sunday 11 Sep 2022!

Hosted by
the Knights of Columbus



Please Note:
The live-streamed Mass is
now on Sundays at 9 a.m.



Share your talents, serve
the Lord, and be part of
the joyful and vibrant
Sacramental and Liturgical
celebrations in our parish.



**Volunteer with
a Parish Ministry**

Eucharistic Ministers, Ushers,
Altar Servers, Catechists, Music, Choir, Vid-
eo Streamers, Pastoral Care,
Altar Decorators, PrayerLine,
Funeral Reception

Please contact the Parish Office!
We look forward to hearing from you.

Sna!

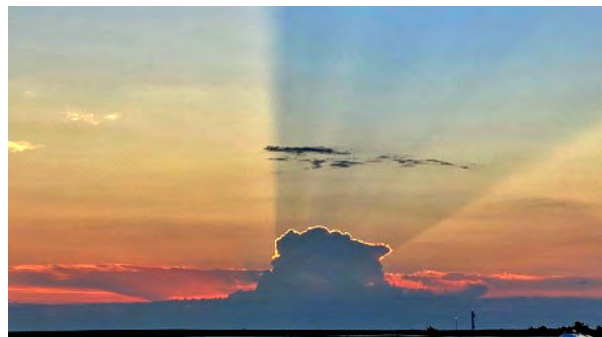
by Jean Allen

It's always a bit jarring when we hear Jesus say that we have to hate our mothers, fathers, sisters and brothers in order to follow him. Pretty harsh stuff. Several years ago, this scripture came up and I decided to see what the Aramaic word for 'hate' really is. The word is 'sna' and it has several definitions. The one definition that seemed to really jive with what Jesus said about hating everybody is 'to put to one side'.

Put to one side. Imagine that you are cooking a meal or fixing something and your partner comes along to chat and stands right in front of a cupboard you need to access. What you say is, "Could you please stand over there? I need to get into that cupboard." You just had a sna moment. There was no anger, no vitriol and no harshness. You just requested that your partner stand to one side. You're still available to him or her but you are also able to continue with the task you need to accomplish.

It's not always easy to set blockages to our faith to one side. Sometimes it's easier to give in and allow the blockage to remain rather than risk conflict by setting something or someone gently to the side in order to keep our vision and commitment clear. If we avoid the risk once – no big deal. But if it continually happens then we'll find ourselves with a muddled vision of who we are as followers of Christ. We start to feel like it doesn't matter that our commitment is slipping and our clarity of inner desire has been becoming murkier and murkier. It is then that 'Sna Discernment' is needed. There are so many people and circumstances that can inadvertently step in the way and need to be placed to one side, gently but firmly. 'Hate', as our world knows the word, is completely unnecessary and, in truth, is not something Christ wants to see us engaging in. He just wants us to see clearly – unblocked and unencumbered.

Sna! It's a good thing.



*Have an enjoyable and restful
Labour Day Long Weekend!*



Executive Committee
(Designated Acting Pastor of Sacred Heart Parish)
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Please pray for:

Those who have died
Joseph Chong,
members of Bond and Lopes families.

Those who are ill
Jaime A, Cora C, Tracy C, Cindy F,
Lori G, Kathleen G, Richard G,
Marie K, Daniel and Hope L, Ken L,
Barbara M, Bruno R, Patricia R, and Marguerite T.

Sacramental Preparation Classes

Begins Sunday, 18 September 2022
10 a.m. in the Parish Hall

Registration is open for the Children's Sacramental Preparation classes.
For more information, please contact Lidia Moodie.
The Registration Form is also available on the parish website: sacredheartvictoria.com



Contributions

Pre-Authorized Debit (PAD)

If you are PAD user, please remember to complete your name and address on the Special Collection envelopes, if you would like to receive a tax receipt.

Information & links are also available on our website.

Options To Donate

E-Transfer

The email to use is: sacredheart@rcdvictoria.org

**Pre-Authorized Debit:
Automatic Debit (PAD)**

**Canada Helps
Online through Canada Helps**

If you have any questions on the available options, or would like to make a change in how you donate, please contact the parish office. Thank you.

Thank you for your contributions!

27 and 28 August 2022

Envelopes \$ 2,161.00
Cash \$ 352.00
Total \$ 2,513.00

Month of August

PAD: \$ 6,000.00
E-Transfer: \$ 1,470.00
Canada Helps: \$ 936.26

Donations through PAD, Canada Helps, & e-Transfer will be reported after the month ends.

OFFICE HOURS (Tue-Fri)

9:30 am to 3:00 pm

Parish Administrative Assistant
Katherine Newton: sacredheart@rcdvictoria.org

Hospital Chaplain
Fr. Sean Flynn: 250-889 3761

Children's Religious Ed. Coordinator
Lidia Moodie: religiosed@sacredheartvictoria.com



**PLEASE NOTE
OFFICE HOURS**

TEMPORARY TIME CHANGE
From September 12 to October 14
~ 9:30 am to 12 pm ~



Baptisms

We welcome the newest members to our Catholic Family
Sunday, 4 September 2022

Jude Joseph Lalonde-Gauthier
Liam Donte Vidal
Congratulations!

Thank you

for supporting the Knights of Columbus' Barbeque last Saturday, and for making it a success!



We'll see you at our pancake breakfast on the 11th of September!

Schedule for September

23rd Ordinary Sunday of the Year

4 pm, Sat, 3 Sep : Fr. Frank Franz
9 am, Sun, 4 Sep : Fr. Eduardo Da Silva Santos

24th Ordinary Sunday of the Year

4 pm, Sat, 10 Sep : Fr. Frank Franz
9 am, Sun, 11 Sep : Fr. Eduardo Da Silva Santos

25th Ordinary Sunday of the Year

4 pm, Sat, 17 Sep : Fr. Frank Franz
9 am, Sun, 18 Sep : Fr. Eduardo Da Silva Santos

26th Ordinary Sunday of the Year

4 pm, Sat, 24 Sep : Fr. Frank Franz
9 am, Sun, 25 Sep : Fr. Eduardo Da Silva Santos

Mass for Vocations

12 pm, Thu, 29 Sep : Fr. Frank Franz
(Confessions available from 11 a.m. for Mass for Vocations)



Congratulations

to all the confirmands and children who received their Sacraments at the first Vietnamese Confirmation & First Holy Communion in Victoria, BC.



The Catholic Women's League



CWL General Meeting
Saturday, September 10 at 10 am
Pope John Hall

Guest speaker: Kathy Weswick, on the Pope's visit to Canada. All are welcome

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SAVE-THE-DATE: Saturday, November 5th
9 am to 1 pm

Parish Community Garage Sale!

Rent a table, and sell your goods.

For more information, please contact Miriam at mirpod@yahoo.com or 250-888-8797



From the Diocese

Strollerthon

September 24, 2022



Isabelle Boutin will be walking in Birthright's Annual Strollerthon on Saturday, September 24, 2022. She would love to have your support! Isabelle's sponsor sheet will be available in the church foyer after weekend Masses. Please sponsor her. Pledges, clearly labeled Birthright "Strollerthon". Pledges may also be dropped in the collection plate or left at the parish office.

Thank you for your support.

The Diocesan Liturgical Commission is delighted to host a FREE Liturgy Matters Conference

With Arms Open Wide

Welcoming God's People

October 21 to 22, 2022

St. Edward's the Confessor, Duncan

Keynote Speaker: Mona Goodman

Mass with Bishop Gary Gordon, Sat, Oct. 22 at 11:15 am

Keynote Speaker Mona Goodman, will ground us on hospitality in the liturgical ministries in which we serve. We will have an opportunity for fellowship at our Wine and Cheese social on Friday evening. There is something for everyone; Hospitality, Lectors, Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist, Leaders of Prayer, Music Ministers, Coordinators of Altar Servers, Family Faith, Liturgy of the Word for Children, and more!

For more information and to register, please visit

<https://armsopenwideliturgymatters.eventbrite.com/>

Indigenous Pastoral and Lay Leader Ministry Education program

Indigenous Pastoral and Lay Leader Ministry Education is an online continuing education program, jointly sponsored by the Roman Catholic Diocese of Saskatoon, St. Thomas More College and Greater Saskatoon Catholic Schools.

Course #1: Introduction to First Nations Studies - Tuesdays from 3:15 to 4:30 pm PST, September 20 to November 15. The three other courses in the program will run in 2023.

Participants who complete all four courses will earn an Indigenous Pastoral & Lay Leader Ministry Certificate. The fee for **each course** is \$200. For more information and to register: <https://rcdos.ca/ministries-services/indigenous-ministry-2/indigenous-ministry-education/>

World Youth Day in Portugal

August 2023



For pilgrims between the ages of 18 and 35, this pilgrimage is an opportunity to travel to be with the Pope and thousands of young adult Catholics.

If you are interested, or for more information, and to be added to the contact list please contact Fr Harrison Ayre at hayre@rcdvictoria.org

We are looking to organize at least one large fundraiser to help cover the costs, and plan events throughout the year to pray and build a bond as a group for this pilgrimage.

Online Pastoral Care Outreach Training

Starting in September

The free Pastoral Care Outreach Training series is being offered online again. Nine sessions will be held via Zoom, Saturday mornings, 9:30 a.m. to noon, beginning 24 Sep. 2022, until November 26 (no session, Thanksgiving, Oct. 8)

Participants who attend all sessions will receive a Certificate of Completion.

Please register through your local parish by 20th September.

For further information, please email moiraking@shaw.ca



JOB OPPORTUNITIES

Island Catholic Schools is Hiring!



Island Catholic Schools is hiring full-time teachers and educational assistants for various schools.

Please visit the Island Catholic Schools' website for more information. Please do pass this information to anyone you know who may be interested in joining the Island Catholic Schools team.

Casual Bus Drivers!

Island Catholic Schools is currently seeking casual bus drivers.

If you are interested in any position in Island Catholic Schools, please visit:

<https://cisdv.bc.ca/employment-opportunities/>

Contact us today at cisdv.bc.ca



Report Sexual Abuse

For all Responsible Ministry and Safe Environment information and forms

<https://www.rcdvictoria.org/responsible-ministry>

PARISH MINISTRIES

Please contact the Parish Office:
sacredheart@rcdvictoria.org

Altar Servers	Karla Cabida
Christian Meditation	Margie Noonan
C.W.L. / PrayerLine Ministry	Miriam Podmoroff
Extraordinary Ministers	Gilbert & Chay Santos
Finance Chairperson	Marilyn Turner
Knights of Columbus	Rick Perez de Tagle
Led By The Spirit Group	David MacIntyre
Music Director	Rafael Oei
Parish Liturgy Coordinator	Rafael Oei
Pastoral Care Ministry	Lynda Tan
Phone-tree Ministry	Elizabeth Olcen
Proclaimers	Stan Dzbik
Funeral Receptions	Elizabeth Olcen
Responsible Ministry	Neil Lundin
Social Justice/D & P	Stan Dzbik
St. Vincent de Paul	Georgina Short
Ushers	Marisa Tinsay / Isme Liem

PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL 2020 / 2022

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