

Sacred Heart Catholic Church

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* Passion (Palm) Sunday | 2 April 2023 *

Weekday Masses



There will be NO 7 pm Mass on April 28, & May 23.

Mondays to Fridays at 7 pm Bp. Gary Gordon

Wednesdays at 8 pm Korean Mass (Fr. Robert Ryu)

Thursdays at 10:30 am Korean Mass (Fr. Robert Ryu) Please bring your bells to ring during the singing of the Gloria on Holy Thursday Easter Vigil, and for **Easter Sunday Mass.**

Altar of Repose Holy Thursday, 6 April **Adoration from** 8 pm to midnight in the Parish Hall.

LITURGICAL YEAR A **WEEKENDS**

Saturday 4:00 pm Sunday (live streamed) 9:00 am Korean 3:00 pm

Syro-Malabar 5:30 pm April 1 (Please call the Parish Office)

Polish April 16 5:30 pm

(Please call the Parish Office) Vietnamese April 23 5:30 pm

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RECONCILIATION

Saturday (only before a Mass) 3:00 pm

Sacred Heart YouTube Channel

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

This week we walk with Jesus to his cross - and he walks with us through ours. We walk with him through exuberant celebration to soul crushing death. He walks with us through dashed hopes and betrayals to abandonment. We know he rises again but, for this week, we are in the moment and in grief. He knows his resurrection is ours, yet, in this moment, he shares in the deepest wounds of our souls.

In the kingdom, there is no hierarchy of suffering. God does not call on us to forget our pains because the pain of his Son is so much greater. Jesus does not say to us, "You think you have it bad? Look at what I had to go through!" The Godhead is not in competition with us and has no desire to out-do anybody when it comes to suffering. When Jesus knew what he was going to be going through, do you know what he prayed? He prayed, "I pray they will all be one, Father, just as you are in me and I am in you. May they also be in us so that the world may believe that you have sent me." Within that prayer is Christ's desire to be one with our suffering and for us to be one with his and with each other's. Within his prayer is the fountainhead of compassion: the whole oneness of 'suffering with'.

Don't try to forget your suffering this week as if it is insignificant in the face of Christ's agony. It absolutely is significant and is all part of his agony, just as his agony is woven into the threads of our grief. His prayer was that we would be one with him and he would be one with us and nothing is left out of that oneness. It was not an airy-fairy prayer; it was a prayer for the mud, blood, and guts of our journeys. Oneness with him and each other is the only way we can survive all our Holy Weeks.

Take a deep breath.

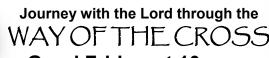
Now begin walking as one.



We thank Khue & Soi Nguyen from the Garry Oak tree that once stood

for carving five beautiful Altar Candle Stands in our parish garden/driveway.

Over these many years, the talented, creative, and generous Khue & Soi gave us our beautiful Baptism Stand, the two large Altar Candles Stands that flank our Altar, and the wooden stands for the sanitizers.



on Good Friday, at 10 a.m.

We thank the CWL for leading the Way of the Cross.



Please pray for:

Those who have died

Milanita Aquino, Ondina Morpurgo, Mike Short, Josin Remedios and Cissy Sequeira

Those who are ill

Jaime Aherrara, Jon Aquino, MaryLee A, Cora C, Pierre Daoust, Kathleen G, Barb D, Richard G, Marie G, Theresa H, Pedrito K, Cecilia O, Derek L, and Bruno R

OUR MINISTRY VOLUNTEERS

Saturday, 1 April, 4 pm : Fr. Frank Franz

Altar Servers : Daisy L, Mariah C, Gabby C,

Michael N, Thomas

Proclaimers: Sigrune F, Belle, Catherine M, Stan D

EMCs : Marilyn T

Ushers : Stella L, Daniel L

Sunday, 2 April, 9 am: Fr. Marc Parent

Altar Servers : Daisy L, Mariah C, Gabby C,

Pio T, Elias T

Proclaimers : Connie H, Kathy W, Stan D

EMCs : Cong N, Aubert G Ushers : Rheza A, Teresa E

Video Streamer: Jeff K

Thank you for your service to the Lord, and our Parish Community.

CWL Diocesan Meeting Hosted by SH CWL

8am-3pm, Saturday, April 22 in the Parish Hall Banquet from 6pm to 8 pm For more Information, please contact Miriam: 250-888-8797

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!

March 25 & 26, 2023

Envelopes \$1,843.15 Cash \$ 488.00 Total \$2,331.15

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

Holy Week Schedule 2023

Palm Sunday

Sat, Apr 1, 4:00 pm Fr. Frank Franz (English) 5:30 pm (Syro-Malabar)

Sun, Apr 2, 9:00 am Fr. Marc Parent (English) 3:00 pm Fr. Robert Ryu (Korean)

Holy Thursday

Thu, Apr 6, 7:30 pm Fr. Frank Franz (English) 8:30 pm Fr. Robert Ryu (Korean) Adoration at the Altar of Repose in the Parish Hall until midnight. Please sign up in the foyer.

Good Friday

Fri, Apr 7, 10:00 am Way of the Cross

2:00 pm Fr. Frank Franz (English) 6:30 pm Fr. Robert Ryu (Korean)

Easter Vigil

Sat, Apr 8, 7:30 pm Fr. Frank Franz (English) 10:00 pm Fr. Robert Ryu (Korean)

Easter Sunday

Sun, Apr 9, 9:00 am Fr. Eduardo Santos (Eng) 12:00 pm Fr. Robert Ryu (Korean)

Easter Food Blessings

Holy Saturday April 8, noon, at Our Lady of Fatima Church

(4635 Elk Lake Drive) by Fr. Eduardo Santos.



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St. Vincent de Paul Society

Help us feed, clothe, house, and heal those less fortunate in our community. We are seeking volunteers to help with grocery sorting, our tax preparation program, and education fund support.

We also welcome new members to join us.

If you are interested in volunteering or becoming a Vincentian, please call Georgina Short at (250) 888-7262 or email: mgvshort@telus.net.

Sacred Heart Franciscan Youth Group

Franciscan Youth helping our global brothers & sisters

The youth are raising funds for the people of Ukraine through Development & Peace to help those suffering from the war, especially the children.

Glanford Bottle Depot. Deposit to the Sacred Heart Franciscan Youth Group or the collection basket marked

"Franciscan Youth Fundraiser"

or email: religioused@sacredheartvictoria.com



Report Sexual Abuse

For all Responsible Ministry and Safe Environment information and forms

https://www.rcdvictoria.org/responsible-ministry or phone: 1-800-968-3146



Upcoming Election Notice from the Sacred Heart Parish Pastoral Council (PPC)

SOME CONSIDERATIONS FOR NOMINATIONS OF PERSONS TO SERVE ON SACRED HEART PPC

- 1. Persons with care and concern for the different dimensions of parish activity, reflecting the various elements of the parish population: e.g. age, cultural background ...
- 2. An enthusiasm about the future of Sacred Heart Parish
- 3. An eagerness to facilitate parish decisions about its direction
- 4. The courage to work toward consensus
- 5. To listen as well as to speak
- 6. To inspire, to empower, to delegate
- 7. Flexibility and openness with people and ideas

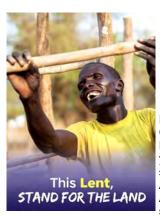
APRIL 15/16 (the weekend after Easter): A Nomination Box with nomination forms will be placed and be available at the entrance of the church. Please be prepared to submit the names of your choice that weekend.

This parish community historically thrives on generosity of spirit.

On behalf of the Sacred Heart Parish Pastoral Council, most sincerely, *Marilyn Bojko* (email: 123sigmar@gmail.com); PPC Chair



From the Diocese



SHARE LENT CAMPAIGN Thank you for giving from the heart to Share

Development and Peace — Caritas Canada thanks you for supporting the People and Planet First campaign with your Share Lent donation. It will help support our sisters and brothers in Africa, Asia, Eastern Europe, Latin America and the Middle East. There is still time to place your Share Lent

Lent 2022!

envelope in the offertory or to donate online at devp.org/give.

Thank you for continuing to pray for all those who are working to build a world of peace and justice.

Earthquake aid in Turkey and Syria.

Please donate here: https://www.devp.org/en

Job postings RMSE Assistant (part-time, temporary)

The Diocese of Victoria is searching for a part-time Administrative Assistant to assist with the implementation of our Responsible Ministry & Safe Environment volunteer screening process. The job posting may be viewed at:

https://www.rcdvictoria.org/employment

St. Andrew's Cathedral Office Assistant

St. Andrew's Cathedral is seeking a full-time, customer-service oriented Office Assistant to assist with the clerical duties of a busy parish office. We're looking for someone with a friendly attitude and strong work ethic, with an eye for detail, who can comfortably prioritize duties and work diligently under pressure.

A full job description is available on the cathedral website or by email: saintandrewsoffice@gmail.com.

Candidates who most closely match our requirements will be contacted. Please kindly send your resume and cover letter to Rita Fichtner, Office Manager, no later than April 22nd.

Doctrine of DiscoveryNot a teaching of the Catholic Church

Vatican, 30 Mar 2023: A joint statement by the Dicastery for Culture and Education, and the Dicastery for Promoting Integral Human Development was issued, addressing the "Doctrine of Discovery".

https://press.vatican.va/content/salastampa/it/bollettino/pubblico/2023/03/30/0238/00515.html#en

https://www.cccb.ca/letter/statement-by-the-permanent-council-of-the-canadian-conference-of-catholic-bishops-on-the-joint-statement -of-the-dicastery-for-culture-and-education-and-the-dicastery-for-promoting-integral-human-deve/

GARAGE SALE

Hello, Friends: the CWL at St. Joseph the Worker is holding a garage sale on Saturday, April 29 from 9 am to 2 pm. There will be food and coffee.

Please come to and browse, or sell the stuff you've been trying to get rid of. A few tables are still available.

We look forward to seeing you and your friends. For more information, contact Gerry: stjoegaragesale@outlook.com.



Need Marriage Help? Retrouvaille, pronounced "retroo-vye," means "rediscovery." It is a marriage program endorsed by Pope Francis that has helped hundreds of BC couples.

Repair and rekindle your relationship! The program consists of one weekend retreat, and six weekly follow-up sessions which can be attended remotely.

For confidential information or to register for the spring Retrouvaille Vancouver program commencing April 14 to 16.

Email: vancouverbc@helpourmarriage.org,

Ph: 604-783-2864 or visit www.helpmymarriage.ca.

Spring Gently Used Clothing Sale St. Patrick's Church



9:30 am to 2 pm, April Fri. April 28 and Sat. April 29 now including the **Treasured Books & Jigsaw Puzzles Sale**.



PARISH MINISTRIES & GROUPS

Please contact the Parish Office: sacredheart@rcdvictoria.org

PARISH LITURGICAL MINISTRIES

Altar Servers Karla Montano

Extraordinary Ministers Gilbert & Chav Santos

Floral Ministry (Environment) Ruby Rivera Music Director Rafael Oei Rafael Oei Parish Liturgy Coordinator Pastoral Care Ministry Lynda Tan **Proclaimers** Stan Dzbik

Ushers Marisa Tinsay / Isme Liem

Video Streamers Peter Liem

PARISH GROUPS

Christian Meditation Margie Noonan C.W.L. / Prayer Line Miriam Podmoroff Knights of Columbus Rick Perez de Tagle Led By The Spirit Group David MacIntyre Moms & Tots **Chantal Cote** Phone-tree Elizabeth Olcen **Funeral Receptions** Elizabeth Olcen Social Justice/D & P Stan Dzbik St. Vincent de Paul Georgina Short





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Sacred Heart Executive Committee

(Responsible for Sacred Heart Parish)

Marilyn Bojko, Marilyn Turner, & Stan Dzbik email: sacredheartexec@gmail.com

PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL

2020 / 2023

Marilyn Bojko (Chairperson)

Stan Dzbik

Jeff Kucharski

Catherine Minvielle

Oscar Perez de Tagle

Vincenza Cameron

Michele Ricard

Cyrille Santos

Ethnic Communities at Sacred Heart

Korean Pastor: Fr. Robert Ryu youngjinryu0758@gmail.com

Syro-Malabar Pastor: Fr. Sajy Chakkittamuriyil

frsajy@gmail.com

Vietnamese Pastor: Fr. Michael Tran

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



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