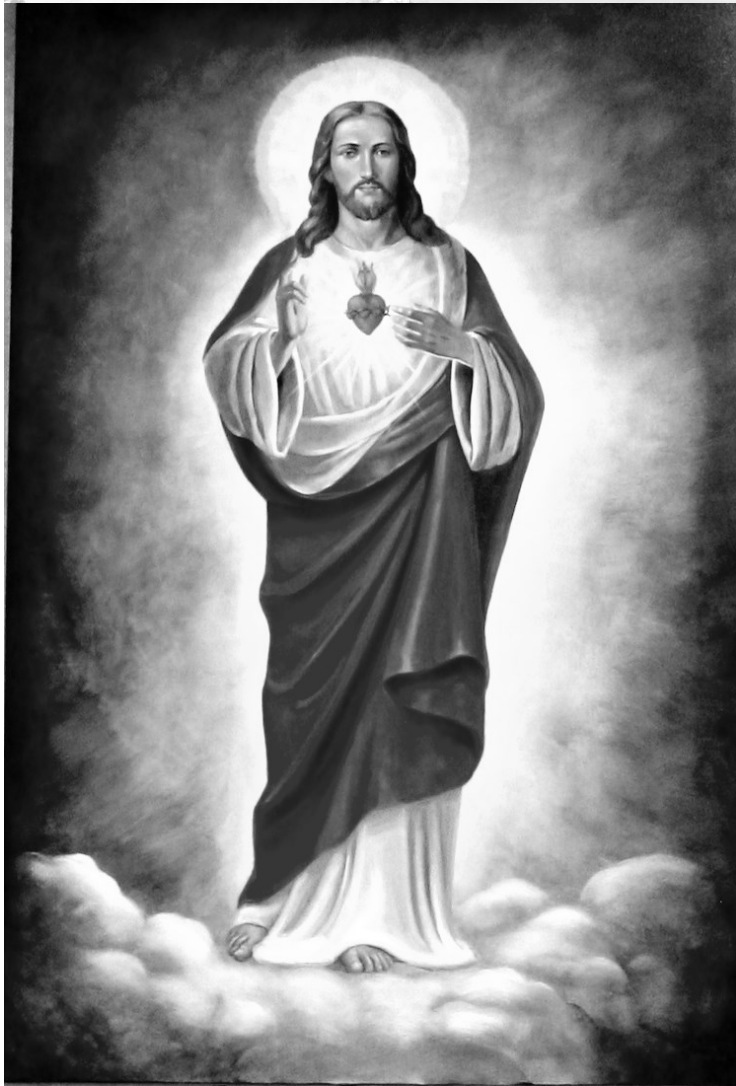


# Sacred Heart Faith Community



## EUCCHARISTIC CELEBRATIONS

### WEEKDAY MASS

**Adoration before Mass** 8:00am till 8:55am  
**Tuesday—Friday** 9:00 am

**1st Saturday of the month** 9:00am

### WEEKEND MASS

**Saturday** 5:00 pm  
**Sunday** 8:30 & 10:00 am  
**Sunday - Polish** 12:30 pm  
**Sunday - Korean** 3:00 pm

### OTHER KOREAN MASS TIMES:

**Wednesday** 7:30pm  
**Thursday** 10:30am  
**Friday** 10:30am  
**1st Saturday of the month** 10:30am

## RECONCILIATION

**Saturdays** 4:00pm - 4:45 pm  
**Or by appointment with Fr David**

*For Sacraments of Baptism, Anointing and Visiting the Sick and Marriage, contact Fr. David.*

*A minimum of six months notice prior to the marriage date is required.*

**Pastor** Fr David Hogman  
(frdhogman@gmail.com)

**Polish Pastor** Fr Paul Szczur, SDS

**Korean Pastor** Fr Philip Bae

**Parish Administrative Assistant/Secretary**  
Katherine Newton

**Coordinator of Religious Education for Children** - Miriam Podmoroff  
(mirpod@yahoo.com)

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Tuesday - Friday 9:30am—3:00pm  
Lunch 12:00nn-12:30pm

**Emergency Hospital Chaplain :** 250-889 3761

## THIS WEEK IN THE PARISH

*"The child in my womb leapt for joy."*Today's Readings**First Reading:** Micah 5.2-5a

"From you, O Bethlehem, will come the ruler of Israel."

**Responsorial Psalm:**

Restore us, O God; let your face shine, that we may be saved.

**Second Reading:** Hebrews 10.5-10

"I come to do your will."

**Gospel:** Luke 1.39-45

"Why has this happened to me, that the mother of my Lord comes to me?"

**Prayers for those who are ill.***Daphne Dalsin, Vicky Dziekan, Bettee Giles; Edmee Kearney, Helen MacDonald, Ben Perri and Wayne Rowley.***Prayers for the deceased. Walter Halusiak**

If there are members of your family or friends who are ill or have recently died, and for whom you wish prayers, please contact the Parish office to provide their names.

CALENDAR	Thursday	24th December	Children's Christmas Mass with pageant	Church	6:00pm
			Christmas Eve Mass in English <i>with incense</i>	Church	8:00pm
			Christmas Eve Mass in Korean <i>with incense</i>	Church	10:00pm
			Christmas Eve Mass in Polish <i>with incense</i>	Church	Midnight
	Friday	25th December	Christmas Mass in English	Church	10:00am
			Christmas Mass in Korean	Church	3:00pm

LITURGY, THE SACRAMENTS, PRAYER AND THE WORD OF GOD

**Mark your calendars****Christmas Eve Masses:**

Thurs, 24 Dec at 6:00pm : Children's Christmas Mass  
 8:00pm : Mass in English  
 10:00pm : Mass in Korean  
 Midnight : Mass in Polish

**Christmas Day Masses:**

Friday, 25 Dec at 10:00am: Mass in English  
 3:00pm: Mass in Korean

**New Year's Eve Masses :**

Thurs, 31 Dec at 5:00pm : Mass in English  
 10:00pm : Mass in Korean

**New Year's Day Masses :****Solemnity of Mary, Mother of God-Holy Day of Obligation**

Friday, 1 Jan at 10:00am : Mass in English  
 12:30pm : Mass in Polish  
 3:00pm : Mass in Korean

*(Please note: There is no All Day Adoration / Benediction)***1st Saturday of the Month:** 2nd January 2015

Mass at 9:00am.

**Incense**

Incense will be used on:

Thursday, Dec 24: 8:00pm Christmas Eve Mass.

**Children's Christmas pageant**

All children are invited to be Angels and shepherds in the Christmas Eve pageant. Come choose your costume at the rehearsal on Dec 20th at 11:00am in the Parish Hall or at 5:30pm on Thurs, Dec 24th in the Parish Hall.

**Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion**

Please call Helen or Bob Payne at 250-370 0241, if you are able to serve as EMs for the New Year Masses. Please do not reply to them by email. Thank you

**Oblate Fundraiser Lunch***For Seminarians in Peru project*

St. Patrick's Parish is hosting an Oblate fundraiser lunch for their Seminarians in Peru project on Sun, Jan 24 at St. Patrick's at 11:30am, following the 10:30am mass.

Fr Bill MacDonald, OMI will be con-celebrating mass with a few of the Oblate Associates from Saltspring Island. Please mark your calendars, there will be more details in the New Year. For more info, please call 250-477-6952.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION AND VOCATIONS

**Led by the Spirit Charismatic Prayer Group**

There will be no Led by the Spirit Charismatic prayer meeting until Mon, January 18 2016.

## St Vincent de Paul Tour

There is a tour at 828 View St. All are invited on Monday, Dec 21 at 11:00am. For more information, please contact Miriam at mirpod@yahoo.com.

## Raising Consciousness with 'Laudato Si'

with Bill Wilson SJ, PhD

4 Tuesdays, starting January 12 2016.

**Location:** Friends Meeting House, 1831 Fern St.

**Cost:** \$75 or \$20 drop in. Register: earthlitteracies.org

## St Andrew's Cathedral Faith Studies

Do You Want to Know Jesus?

### Discovery

This course introduces the person of Jesus Christ and guides participants to a deeper personal relationship with him. If you are searching for Jesus or for meaning in life or if you wish to deepen your relationship with Jesus, this course meets you where you are on your faith journey.

### The Source

This course is for those who have taken the **Discovery** Course and would like to explore how to live a life in the Holy Spirit. It introduces the Person of the Holy Spirit, the barriers to living a life in the Spirit, the gifts and fruits of the Holy Spirit.

Both courses begin from Thursday, Feb 4 through Mar 10 at 7pm at the Cathedral Parish Office.

Donations to cover the cost of materials for both studies are welcome but not necessary to attend.

To register, please email philip.yuson@gmail.com or call 250-381-2425.

### YOUTH AND YOUNG ADULTS

## Youth Retreat Franciscans & Friends Youth Group Christmas is a season not a day

Join us on Tues, Dec 22 at St Joseph's Friary, 1076 Joan Cres from 10:00am to 4:00pm, bring a lunch dish to share, as it will be potluck style.

You are invited to bring a donation for Anawim House.

Contact: franciscansandfriends@gmail.com

## Youth Group Bottle Drive

Please save your bottles this season for our Youth Group Bottle Drive happening on Sat, Jan 9th from 9:00am to 2:00pm at St Andrew's High School.

Please donate to enable youth to attend the annual Catholic Youth Retreat on Feb 5-7 at Camp Homewood.

### MARRIAGE, FAMILY LIFE, AND THE SANCITY OF HUMAN LIFE

## Diocesan Family Conference

Fr Clair Watrin announced as Keynote speaker for Island Family Conference Aug 12-14 2016

Filled with the Holy Spirit, Fr Clair radiates God's love and mercy. He is excited to speak to families on the mission given to them, and will inspire parents, grandparents, youth and children to "like the Holy One who called you, be holy yourselves also in all your behavior" 1 Peter 1:16

Save the date on your calendars now for an unforgettable weekend at Nanoose Bay.

Registrations will be open early in the new year.

## CWL

**What:** Children's Epiphany Party

**Where:** Sacred Heart Parish Hall

**When:** Saturday January 2nd 1:00pm to 3:00pm

**Who:** All children and their families

\*\*Snacks, cake & refreshments will be provided\*\*

## Our Refugee Family

Our refugee committee, entrusted with the task of assisting refugees, has chosen a family to sponsor. It is a family of eight with children ages 18, 16, 13, 11, 9 & 3.

They are an Iraqi Christian family but presently in a camp in Jordan. Contact has been made via phone. We have our Sponsorship Agreement Holder number from the Anglican Diocese in Victoria but are assisting this family via the Archdiocese of Toronto.

*To date, donations to the refugee fund from Sacred Heart Parish (ioners) is \$6,680.60. Thank you.*

### STEWARDSHIP, ADMINISTRATION AND FINANCE

## 2016 Donation envelopes

Envelope boxes are all arranged in alphabetical order, according to family names in the church foyer.

If you are a registered parishioner and unable to locate your box, please complete your information on the sheet provided.

Please write your name & address on your January & February envelopes and not to use previous year's envelopes as the envelope number may be different. Thank you.

## Office Closed

Our Parish Office will be closed from Friday, Dec 25 2015 to Tues, Jan 5 2016 and will reopen on Wed, Jan 6 2016.

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*We wish you and your family a  
Blessed Christmas.*

### DONATION TOTALS

12th & 13th December 2015

Envelopes/Loose	\$3,557.55
PAD	\$ 681.75
Other Revenue	\$ 350.00
Total	\$4,589.30

# PARISH MINISTRIES

## PARISH MINISTRIES/GROUPS

Altar Servers	Mary-Ellen Ross	658-4112
Attic Treasures	Jim Haffey	389 0440
	Pat Tonkin	721-0293
Bazaar	Rita Kelly	598 9558
Bereavement Support	David MacIntyre	383 9955
Christian Meditation	Margie Noonan	388-3173
Clothing Sale	Mary Bennett	477-5145
Craft Group	Elizabeth Olcen	477-8115
C.W.L.	Lidia Moodie	479-6495
Eucharistic Ministers	Robert / Helen Payne	370-0241
Finance Chairperson	Robert Payne	370 0241
Knights of Columbus	Greg Churchill	812-4248
Led By The Spirit Group	David MacIntyre	383-9955
Music Coordinator	Rafael Oei	383-1523
Pastoral Care Ministry	Hilda Rosales	778 432-0709
Prayer Line	Pamela Blakeslee	477-0579
Pro-Life Ministry	Rocio King	744-2802
Proclaimers	Catherine Minvielle	294-4923
Raffle Coordinators	Walt Ryan	658-5044

RCIA	Vincenza Cameron	479-6488
Responsible Ministry Coord	Isme Liem	479-1611
Social Justice/Dev & Peace	Margie Noonan	388-3173
St. Vincent de Paul	Georgina Short	727-2615
Ushers	Zeudy Villar-Vega	920-0220
Youth Ministry	Sandy Bourbeau	881-0140
	(email at san.beau@gmail.com)	

## PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL 2015 / 2016

Stan Dzbik	Chairperson
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250.388-5155 or nadam@arbormemorial.com

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