



# Sacred Heart Catholic Church

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**\* 6th Sunday of Easter | May 22th, 2022 \***

## Happy Victoria Day!



**“But the Advocate, the Holy Spirit,  
whom the Father will send in my name,  
will teach you everything,  
and remind you of all that I have said to you..”**  
(John 14.26)

### MESSAGE FROM THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE OF SACRED HEART PARISH

Dear Parishioners,

In these uncertain and challenging times, let us support and encourage one another. As you know, in the absence of a full-time priest for our parish, the Bishop has appointed an Executive Committee to function in the capacity of the parish priest; acting as the governing body for parish priorities, agendas, and direction. This committee comprises the Chairs of the Parish Pastoral Council, Marilyn Bojko; the Parish Finance Committee, Marilyn Turner; and the Maintenance Committee, Stan Dzbik. We will strive to do our best to serve your spiritual, sacramental, and pastoral needs and well-being in the absence of a pastor.

Our parish has always been very dedicated and involved in the various ministries that make us such a strong, faithful, and vibrant multi-ethnic church community. In this time of transition, it is important that we continue to gather as one Body of Christ, to pray, to worship, to give thanks, and to share in the liturgies, sacraments, and Word of God.

In the coming weeks and months, with the few available priests, the Executive Committee will make every effort to arrange and schedule as many weekend Masses for our parish as possible. For days when a priest is unavailable, we will gather for the Sunday Celebration of the Word with Communion. These celebrations will allow us to encourage the development of parishioners to be co-responsible lay-leaders, while we continue to build and nourish our community liturgically. Training leaders for the Sunday Celebration of the Word will begin very soon. Those presently serving as Ushers, Proclaimers, and Eucharistic Ministers will be needed in these celebrations. You are invited to be a lay-leader as well. The deadline to sign-up for the coming session is Friday, 20 May 2022.

One of the recent homilies encouraged us to “... keep going...we don't know God's plan, but we do know He will fill our hopes and needs...we must look ahead!”

While we continue to pray for a pastor for our parish, let us look ahead together, to weather the storm. Through the intercession of our blessed Mother, His Divine Mercy, the Holy Spirit, and the Sacred Heart of Jesus, we will emerge stronger as a parish community.

With Blessings to all,  
The Executive Committee  
Sacred Heart Parish, 19 May 2022

**Thank you, Fr. Marc Parent  
for celebrating the Eucharist with us on Saturday,  
and Trish Westwood & Marcia Thompson  
for leading us in the Sunday Celebration of the Word with Communion!**



### LITURGICAL CELEBRATIONS

#### WEEKDAYS

No Masses for the time being

#### WEEKENDS

Saturday (live-streamed) 4 pm  
Sunday 9 am  
Korean 3 pm  
Syro-Malabar Sat. 12:30 pm  
(Please call the Parish Office)  
Vietnamese Sun. 6 pm  
(Please call the Parish Office)

#### RECONCILIATION

Saturday 3:30 pm  
Sunday 8:30 am

#### Sacred Heart YouTube Channel

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

**We thank the Chairs of the  
PPC, PFC, & Maintenance Committee for  
taking on the role of Executive Committee  
during this transition,  
until a pastor is found for the parish.**

#### Korean Pastor

Fr. Robert Ryu

[youngjinryu0758@gmail.com](mailto:youngjinryu0758@gmail.com)

#### Polish Pastor

TBD

#### Syro-Malabar Pastor

Fr. Sajj Chakkittamuriyil

[frsajj@gmail.com](mailto:frsajj@gmail.com)

#### Vietnamese Pastor

Fr. Michael Tran

[michaeltran@rcdvictoria.org](mailto:michaeltran@rcdvictoria.org)

#### Hospital Chaplain

Fr. Sean Flynn 250-889 3761

#### OFFICE HOURS (Tue-Fri)

9:30 am to 3:00 pm

#### Parish Administrative Assistant

Katherine Newton

[sacredheart@rcdvictoria.org](mailto:sacredheart@rcdvictoria.org)

#### Children's Religious Ed.

Coordinator: Lidia Moodie

[religioused@sacredheartvictoria.com](mailto:religioused@sacredheartvictoria.com)

## Sanctioned Collection this weekend

The Pope's Pastoral Works (Peter's Pence)  
22 May 2022



### Please pray for:

#### *Those who have died*

*Dinorah Alcalá, Kok Mui Fong,  
Francisco & Florida Carvajal, Joan Kenmare,  
and Fr. Anthony Sebastian, OFM.*

#### *Those who are ill*

*Hope L, Cora Constantino, Richard Grohovac,  
Marie Kalnciems, Ken Louie, Barbara Mulrooney,  
Evelyne Pearse, Bruno Rinaldo, and Patricia Ryan.*

## BAPTISM PREP CLASS

Starting in July 2022, Baptism Preparation Class will be held on the first Saturday of each month at 10:00am at St. Joseph the Worker Parish. Fr. Alfie will facilitate.

Please call/email the parish office to register for the class.

## Come pray with us

The church will be opened  
for personal prayer

12 pm to 1 pm : Tuesdays to Fridays

7 pm to 8 pm : Tuesdays, Thursdays, & Fridays

(volunteers for evenings to lead the Rosary & Divine Mercy are welcome. Please sign up in the foyer.)



## The Catholic Women's League!



### CWL June Friendship Luncheon

Saturday, June 4, 12:00 to 2:00 pm  
Pope John Hall.

**Come and bring a friend. All are welcome.**

Contact Miriam: 250-888-8797

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### CWL 102nd Annual Convention

Aug. 14-17, 2022, Delta Grand Hotel, Kelowna

For more information, please go to [www.cwl.ca](http://www.cwl.ca), or contact Nancy Simms at [simmstogether@gmail.com](mailto:simmstogether@gmail.com).

For more information, please contact Miriam: 250-652-6252.

### Audio Version of

## "Divine Mercy in my Soul"

(Diary of Divine Mercy) by St. Faustyna Kowalska

A parishioner, Vaclav Trumpeš, is offering to provide, FREE, the audio version of the entire transcript of the Divine Mercy Diary by St. Faustyna Kowalska.

If you are interested in obtaining an audio copy of the Diary, please bring a 2GB (or larger) Thumb/Flash Drive and label it with your name. As Vaclav is doing it in his spare time, please be patient with regard to receiving the drive back.

You may leave the Drive with Rafael Oei, the Music Director, at the musician's corner after Mass. He will pass it to Vaclav.



## If you are new to the parish,

and would like to register,  
or volunteer for a Parish Ministry,  
please kindly send an email to  
[sacredheart@rcdvictoria.org](mailto:sacredheart@rcdvictoria.org)

## Next Weekend's Schedule

Saturday, May 28 at 4 pm: Fr. Mike Favero  
Sunday, May 29 at 9 am: Fr. Mike Favero

## CELEBRATE THE HOLY EUCHARIST WEEKDAY MASS TIMES

### St. Joseph the Worker Parish

6:30 am - Mon, Wed, Thu, Fri

6:00 pm - Tue and Wed

9:00 am - Thu and Fri

### Holy Cross Parish

9:00 am - Tue to Fri

### St. Patrick's Parish

12:10 pm - Tue to Fri

### St. Andrew's Cathedral

8:00 am - Wed to Fri

12:10 pm - Mon to Fri

## The Sacrament of Marriage

Prepare to commit in a Sacred Covenant.

### Online Marriage Preparation Course

<https://www.rcdvictoria.org/marriage-prep>

## Contributions

### Donation Boxes

are at the Entrance to the church

The Holy Water Fonts at the entrance of the church are now used as Donation Boxes to receive your donations and cheques.

### 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](mailto: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!

### May 14 and 15, 2022

Envelopes \$ 1,371.00

Cash \$ 55.00

Total \$ 1,426.00

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

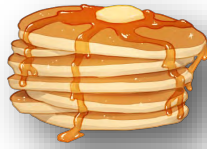


## KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS PANCAKE BREAKFAST

The Knights of Columbus will serve a Pancake Breakfast in the Parish Hall, Sunday, May 29th, after the 9am Mass.

Admission is by donation. This is to raise funds for the KofC Scholarship for St. Andrew's Regional High School. Please show your support and enjoy a hearty breakfast.

See you there!



## Link for the Sacred Heart Franciscan Youth Fundraiser video.

This is an ongoing bottle-drive fundraiser to raise money for those in need, as well as to help alleviate our impact on God's beautiful creation.

[drive.google.com/file/d/1Qe51ruWc1dWT-4VJMD9mn6w7B4oSD353/view?usp=sharing](https://drive.google.com/file/d/1Qe51ruWc1dWT-4VJMD9mn6w7B4oSD353/view?usp=sharing) Sacred Heart Franciscan Youth 2022 Fundraiser

Bottles can be dropped off at the Glanford Road, Quadra Street, and Queens Avenue location. **Remember to please let Bottle Depot know to credit your recycling to the "Sacred Heart Franciscan Youth" account.**



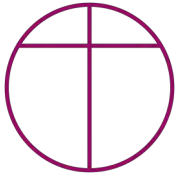
## From the Diocese

### Garden Babies for Birthright Plant Sale

St. Patrick's Church, Saturday, May 28, 10 am to 2 pm. For more information, call Peggy, 250-478-5372, or check the website:

<https://birthrightvictoria.org/garden-babies-for-birthright-plant-sales/>

### Recollections for men and women



Opus Dei's main activity consists in "offering people the spiritual means to live as good Christians in the midst of the world," explains St Josemaría Escrivá, the founder of Opus Dei. One of these activities is a recollection, which provides an opportunity to assess and refocus our life, renew resolutions, and make new ones.

**Recollection for men:** 6:45 pm-8:45 pm, begins with Mass at 6 pm. Thursday, 26 May, Our Lady of Fatima Parish. It offers periods of directed prayer, silent prayer and a talk. A priest of Opus Dei will be available for spiritual direction and/or confession.

**Recollection for women:** 10 am-12 pm, begins with Mass at 9 am. Friday, 27 May, Our Lady of Fatima Parish.

For more information on the men's recollection:  
Contact Brent Boyd, 250 216-1915 or od-men@boydfam.ca.

For the women's recollection:  
Contact M. Elizabeth Boyd, 250-508-8021 or melizboyd@gmail.com.

### DIOCESAN BURSARIES & AWARDS

**Deadline: July 15, 2022**

**The Jawl Bundon LLP Bursary (\$2500):** for a grade 12 Catholic student, accepted to a post-secondary institution. Preference will be given to Indigenous students, and students living outside Greater Victoria and Nanaimo.

**The Blessed Marie Anne Blondin Bursary (\$1000):** for a lay woman, accepted or enrolled in a program or course for ministry in the Church, such as religious education, social justice, liturgy, social action, care of the sick, etc.

**The Char Deslippe Memorial Award (\$500):** for a teacher working in Island Catholic Schools or a parish catechist serving in children, youth or adult ministry.

### Pope's Visit to Canada

The Canadian Conference of Catholic Bishops has issued a press release regarding the Popes' visit. Please read it online at:

<https://www.rcdvictoria.org/indigenous/popes-healing-and-reconciliation-visit-to-canada-scheduled-for-july>

### Happy Jubilee, SSA!

The Sisters of St Ann will honour their Jubilarians at a Eucharistic celebration at 11 am on Thursday, June 2, at Holy Cross Church, Victoria. This will be their first "in person" celebration in three years, to celebrate 75, 70 and 60 years of vowed commitment to God in their Religious Congregation.

Masks are required at the Mass, due to the vulnerable population.

### Synod 2021-2023

Our journey together so far



A new article has just been posted on the Diocesan website:

<https://www.rcdvictoria.org/news/synod-2021-2023-our-journey-together-so-far>

## JOB OPPORTUNITIES

### Island Catholic Schools is Hiring!

We are in search for enthusiastic people who are educationally certified, talented, and love what they do:

#### St. Andrew's Regional High School

- Principal
- Science Teacher
- Computer Sciences/CLE Teacher
- French Teachers (St. Andrew's & St. Patrick's School)

#### St. Joseph's School

- Vice Principal
- French & Learning Support Teacher
- Kindergarten or Grade 1 Teacher
- Library Technician & Educational Assistant
- Intermediate Teachers (St. Patrick's & St. Joseph's School)

#### St. John Paul II School

- Kindergarten Teacher
- Grade 6-7 Teacher
- PE Teacher
- Music/Band Teacher

Casual Bus Drivers: Our schools in Victoria

If you are interested, please click on this link:  
<https://cisdv.bc.ca/employment-opportunities/>

Contact us today at [cisdv.bc.ca](https://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	Parish Office
Christian Meditation	Margie Noonan
C.W.L.	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

## EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

Marilyn Bojko • Marilyn Turner • Stan Dzbik

### PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL 2020 / 2022

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