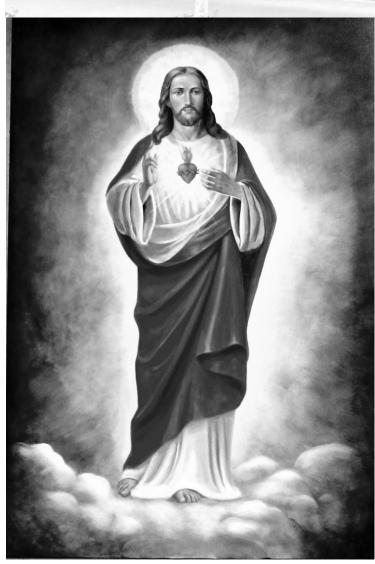
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EUCHARISTIC CELEBRATIONS

WEEKDAY MASS

Tuesday and Thursday 9:00am

Please read the next page for changes. Thank you.

WEEKEND MASS

Saturday 4:00pm
Sunday 9:00am
Korean—Sunday 3:00pm
Polish—Last Sunday of the month 12:30pm

OTHER KOREAN MASS TIMES:

Wednesday 7:30pm Thursday 7:30pm

RECONCILIATION

Saturday 3:00pm *Or by appointment with Fr Alfredo.*

For Sacraments of Baptism, Anointing, Visiting the Sick or Marriage, please contact the Parish Office.

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

ADDRESS & CONTACT INFO

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Office HoursMondayClosedTuesday - Friday9:30am—3:00pmLunch12:00nn-12:30pm

Please read the next page for changes. Thank you.

Hospital Chaplain: 250.889.3761

THIS WEEK IN THE PARISH

Reflection for the week

There's nobody like Jesus

"Reform your lives! The kingdom of heaven is at hand." —Matthew 4:17

Jesus was walking along a part of the shore of the Sea of Galilee used by commercial fishing businesses. He commanded two brothers to follow Him and leave behind their business, livelihood, families, and the only way of life they had ever known. They obeyed Jesus' command immediately (Mt 4:20). That this was not a fluke is attested by the fact that Jesus did the same thing at another commercial fishing business and two other brothers also left everything to follow Jesus (Mt 4:22).

There is something special about Jesus. His words are "spirit and life" (Jn 6:63), and His actions are the most powerful. For example, He didn't simply cure some diseases, He "cured the people of every disease and illness" (Mt 4:23). Jesus spoke, did, and was the Good News, that is, the Gospel. Jesus inaugurated a whole, new way of governing life. He called it the kingdom of God (see Mt 4:23).

When Jesus was crucified and murdered, "the gospel of the kingdom" seemed to have been defeated. Yet Jesus rose on the third day and showed that His Good News was stronger than death and that His kingdom would last forever (1 Cor 15:4; Lk 1:33). What are you waiting for? Follow Jesus and leave all else behind now.

from "One Bread, One Body" courtesy of Presentation Ministries

Please pray for:

Those who have died.

Marjorie Boucher, Edmee Kearney and Manuel Larrauri.

Those who are ill.

Ted Adamowski, Ryan Chester, Vicky & Thomas Dziekan, Marnie Essery, Maria Kissinger, Sheila McGettigan, Barbara Mulrooney, Marlen Pineda, Lino Rama, Bruno Rinaldo, Bea Sheard, and Annette Switalska.

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Monday	Jan 27	Exercise with Beryl Led by the Spirit	Parish Hall St John 23rd Hall	1:00pm 7:15pm
Tuesday	Jan 28	Christian Meditation	Parish Hall	9:30am
Wednesday	Jan 29	Adult Bible Study—ACTS	Parish Hall	6:30pm / 7:00pm
Thursday	Jan 30	Exercise with Beryl	Parish Hall	9:45am
Saturday	Feb 1	CWL Rosary	St John 23rd Hall	9:30am

LITURGY, THE SACRAMENTS, PRAYER AND THE WORD OF GOD

Ash Wednesday Wednesday, Feb 26

School Mass: 11:00am Mass in English: 6:00pm Mass in Korean: 7:30pm.

Palms for ashes

You are invited to bring your old palms to the church. Please leave them in the box provided in the church foyer. They will be burned on Sun, Feb 23rd after the 9am Mass and the ashes used on Ash Wednesday.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION AND VOCATIONS

2020 Diocesan Conference

Saturday, February 8th ~ 8:30am - 3:00pm "Do Not Let Your Hearts Be Troubled"

accompanying others in the times in which we live
 St. Edward's Parish ~ 2085 Maple Bay Road, Duncan.
 David Wells is an author and speaker who will inspire and delight! He will address how we, the people of God, can best accompany the people in our lives to fulfill our mission as God's disciples. This conference is

suitable for all regardless where you are on your journey of faith. Please bring a bagged lunch. Childcare is available. 8:30am: Registration 8:45am Opening Mass with Bishop Gary Gordon. Register: Eventbrite https://2020rcdconference.eventbrite.com or call Glen or Gwen at 250 479 1331 or email gjahelka@rcdvictoria.org or gpalahicky@rcdvictoria.org

<u>Apostleship of the Sea/Stella Maris</u> Ministry to Seafarers

As we gear up for this year's cruise season, we are looking for on-call volunteers who can shuttle seafarers from Ogden Point to Downtown Victoria on Fridays from 7pm to 10pm, from March to October when needed. To give the seafarers a warm welcome, Bahasa and Filipino speakers would be highly appreciated.

According to Diocesan policy, all volunteers will need a criminal record check and should take the Responsible Ministry course of the Diocese. They must also have the appropriate vehicle, driver's license and insurance coverage to carry passengers in their own vehicle.

Please contact: deacon.philip.yuson@gmail.com or call 250-381-2425.

Foundations of the Catholic Faith

This is a FREE opportunity open to people who wish to deepen their understanding and appreciation of the Catholic faith. Sessions include the following topics: Person of the Catechist, Living your Vocation, Scripture, Sacraments, Christian Morality, Prayer, the Creed and more.

These informative and interactive sessions are reflective and thus meet the needs of the group.

Sign up on Eventbrite or email Gwen at gjahelka@rcdvictoria.org or Glen at gpalahicky@rcdvictoria.org or call 250 479 1331.

Held at Holy Cross Parish from 8:30am to 4:30pm.

Part I: March 19 & 20 / Part I: June 29 & 30

Part II: July 2 & 3

PARISH OUTREACH, SOCIAL JUSTICE AND ECUMENISM

Development & Peace (D&P)

D&P will hold a workshop "For Our Common Home" on Sat, Feb 8th, 9:30am-12:30pm at St. Patrick's Parish Hall. Jeremy Laurie will lead the session which will focus on how important the Amazon rainforest is for our planet. Everyone is welcome for this workshop.

A D&P meeting will be held in the afternoon.

Please bring a bagged lunch if you plan to stay for the afternoon session 1:15pm-2:45pm.

For more info: 250-477-6952

YOUTH AND YOUNG ADULTS

Annual Youth Camp "Great Things"

All youth from Gr 7 to 12 are invited to Camp Homewood from Jan 31st to Feb 2nd at Quadra Island. Registration package is available at the parish office.

St. Andrew's Regional High School (SARHS)

"Screenagers Next Chapter"

SARHS Parent Support Group is sponsoring an educational movie night for parents concerning how screens are affecting children's mental health.

This new film by award-winning film-maker Dr. Delaney Ruston explores how families and communities can support improved well-being in a digital age. As an added bonus, representatives from FamilySmart and BC Gambling will be onsite to answer questions and provide information about community services.

When: Mon, Feb 10, 6:30-8:30pm (Movie runtime: 70 min) Where: St. Andrew's Regional High School Gym Tickets are FREE but limited. Please get your free

tickets: https://nextchapterbysarhs.eventcombo.com

Popcorn and refreshments will be available for purchase!

Please note: Families are welcome and encouraged to bring children ages 11 years+ (grades 6 and up). The film deals with significant subject matter including stress, anxiety, depression and suicide.

Questions? Contact St Andrew's Parent Auxiliary at sarhs.pa@gmail.com

SARHS Open House

SARHS is the only Catholic high school on the Island. If you are considering having your child attend our school, please call to arrange for an application and a visit (250-479-1414).

You may also find information on our website at www.standrewshigh.ca.

Open House: Thurs, Feb 6 6:30-8:30pm.

(MARRIAGE, FAMILY LIFE, AND THE SANCITY OF HUMAN LIFE)

Catholic Women's League (CWL)

Rosary- Sat, Feb 1st at 9:30am in St John the 23rd Hall. All are welcome.

Friendship luncheon- Sat, Feb 15th at 11:00am in our parish hall. All ladies are welcome. Come with a friend. For more information, contact Miriam 250-652-6252.

<u>Medical Assistance in Dying (MAID)</u> Consultation

Please be reminded that the deadline for your comments on the issue of "Medical Assistance in Dying" is due on January 27th at 11.59pm. (See insert of last week's bulletin.)

Your feedback will help curb the abuse of vulnerable persons and bring the inadequacies of so-called safeguards of the current practice into light. It will also open doors to more viable options, funding and support for palliative care, home care, and hospices. *Thank you.*

STEWARDSHIP, ADMINISTRATION AND FINANCE

SACRED HEART 2020 PHOTO DIRECTORY

If you have not yet booked for an appointment, please contact MARILYN BOJKO @ 250-361-4393 or email: 123sigmar@gmail.com.

Monday Feb 3 - Friday Feb 7 is the first week of photo appointments. Please call for more information.

Parish Office Closed

The parish office will be closed on Friday, Feb 7th for our Annual Diocesan Staff Retreat in Duncan. Regular hours will resume on Tuesday, Feb 11th. Thank you.

January 18th & 19th 2020					
Envelopes/Loose	\$2,501.35				
PAD	\$ 987.00				
Other Revenue	\$ 450.00				
Total	\$3,938.35				

PARISH MINISTRIES

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