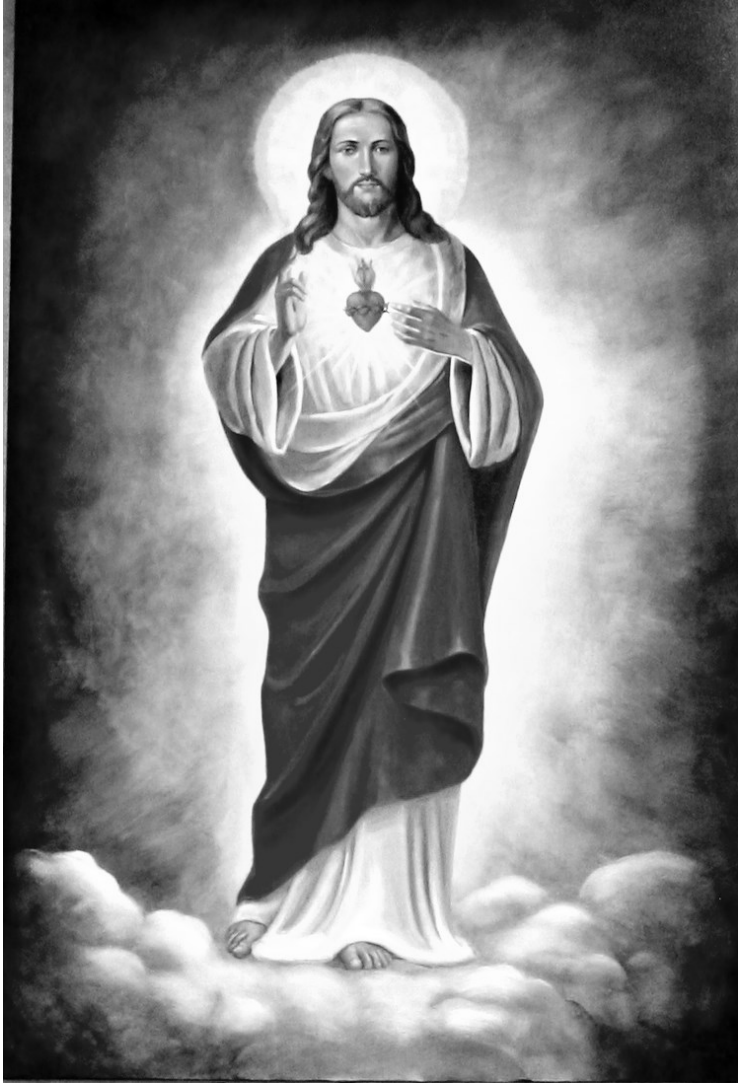


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EUCCHARISTIC CELEBRATIONS

WEEKDAY MASS

Adoration before Mass 8:00am till 8:55am
Tuesday—Friday 9:00 am
1st Saturday of the month 9:00 am

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 6:30pm
Friday 10:30am
1st Saturday of the month 10:30am

RECONCILIATION

Saturday 4:00pm
Or by appointment with Fr David

For Sacraments of Baptism, Anointing and Visiting the Sick and Marriage, contact Fr David Hogman. A minimum of six months notice prior to the marriage date is required.

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THIS WEEK IN THE PARISH

A few words from our Pastor:-

Lent is here and it is a time for renewal. It is a time to deepen our lives of prayer, grow in works of service, and do those things that make the world just a little brighter.

I would like to begin this Lent by thanking those in our Parish who work so hard in our community to make it what it is: cleaners, servers, decorators, catechists, eucharistic ministers, readers, Pastor Council, Finance Coucil, maintenance, music, ushers and greeters, homevisitors, Christian Charity, outreach...and all those who do not wish to be named.

I would also like to thank Katherene, our administrative assistant, and Miriam, our religious education coordinator for children. There is a lot that goes into the planning and administration of a Parish and it is a blessing to be surrounded by so many good and capable people.

Happy Lent!
God bless.

Those who are ill.

Dorothy Bailey, Arnie Cavanagh, Wayne Carlson, Edmee Kearney, Ursula Lowe, Edvige Peluso, Ben Perri, Mike Short and Matilda “Tilly” Wilson.

For the deceased

Paul Antosz, Rosa Buffone, Joan Larkin, Manuel de Lima, Giovanni & Francesco Pagnotta, Dolce Paran, Maria Ruoi and Rosalina Viveiro.

CALENDAR	Monday	6 March	Exercise with Beryl Led By The Spirit	Parish Hall Pope John Hall	1:00pm 7:15pm
	Tuesday	7 March	SH's Christian Charity meeting Funeral Mass—Joan Larkin Society of St Vincent de Paul meeting	Pope John Hall Church Pope John Hall	10:00am 1:00pm 7:00pm
	Wednesday	8 March	Knights of Columbus Executive meeting	Pope John Hall	7:00pm
	Thursday	9 March	Exercise with Beryl One, Holy, Catholic, and Apostolic	Parish Hall Parish Hall	9:45am 6:30pm 7:00pm
	Friday	10 March	Christian Meditation Stations of the Cross	Parish Hall Church	9:30am 6:00pm
	Saturday	11th March	Children’s Reconciliation Service	Church	1:00pm

LITURGY, THE SACRAMENTS, PRAYER AND THE WORD OF GOD

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION AND VOCATIONS

Funeral Mass

There will be a funeral Mass for Joan Larkin on Tuesday, March 7 at 1:00pm. Reception will follow after.

Stations of the Cross

Stations of the Cross will be held on Friday evenings, till April 7th at 6:00pm during Lent.

No final hymn during Lent

In keeping with the mood of solemn preparation that characterizes the Lenten season, there will be no recessional hymn at all Masses during Lent— weekdays and weekends.

We ask that you please remain standing quietly in your pews until the celebrant has left the church at the end of Mass. Thank you.

Sacramental Preparation

Please pray for those children preparing to receive the Sacrament of Reconciliation for the first time, that they will know of a kind, loving, and forgiving God.

Please sign the cards, by their photos on the display board, to show your support. Thank you.

Children's Reconciliation Service: Sat, Mar 11, 1:00pm - Come join the children and families at this celebration and receive the Sacrament of Reconciliation.

Holy Cross Parish Lenten Conversations

Joy of Love: Medicine for Wounded Families

God comes to us disguised in all our family situations wanting to bring under-standing, healing , grace and mercy. Pope Francis wants to lead us deeper into this joyful reality. Dare we let him?

You are invited to come out for reflection and dialogue on the Joy of Love: Monday April 3rd & Tuesday April 4th, 7:00-8:00pm at Holy Cross Parish.
Facilitated by Glen Palahicky, Diocesan Dir of Rel Ed.

St Joseph the Worker Parish Sat, March 18

A Centering Prayer Retreat of Sacred Silence
Only this I want to know Christ Jesus my Lord.
This all-day Retreat is an inward journey to encounter the Risen Lord hidden in our inmost self, organized by the Contemplative Community of St Joseph the Worker.
Registration: 9:00am (with coffee/tea & treats).
Retreat: 10:00am to 4:30pm and Mass at 5:00pm.
Lunch is provided, please state any dietary needs.
To register, email: Patti O'Brien at pattiob@shaw.ca / Charlie Allen at charlieballen@gmail.com or contact St Joseph the Worker Parish Office at 250-479 7413
Tuesday- Friday 8:30am to 3:30pm. Space is limited.

PARISH OUTREACH, SOCIAL JUSTICE AND ECUMENISM

Sacred Heart's Christian Charity

A meeting to plan Sacred Heart's Christian Charity 2017 fund raising activities will be held on Tuesday, March 7 at 10:00am in the Pope John Hall. Everyone is encouraged to help with these very worthwhile events to help the less fortunate. Please come to show your support, give some input or offer fresh ideas. If you are unable to attend and would like share your ideas or find out how you could help, please contact Rita: 250-598 9558 ritak@telus.net.

2017 Bishop's Gala Imagine the Possibilities Saturday, May 6 at Our Lady of Fatima Parish Hall

The Bishop's Gala Team is seeking donations of goods and services for the Silent Auction such as gift certificates for restaurants, travel, accommodation, spas, golf courses, themed gift baskets, or the like.
Volunteers to assist with the Silent Auction on the night of the Gala (Saturday, May 6) are also needed.
If you are able to help, or would like to make a donation to the Silent Auction, please contact Char Deslippe at 250-381 5839 or email bcdeslippe@shaw.ca.

Development and Peace

Supporting women is a priority for D&P – Caritas Canada. For this year's Share Lent campaign, we invite you to listen to the voices of women who are working to build the world of tomorrow — *Women at the Heart of Change*. You will find testimonials from the four corners of the globe inside our Mini-magazine, which you will find in your bulletin today.
Our first testimonial is from Marta and Silvia, two women from Paraguay who are members of an Indigenous women's small farming association supported by D&P.
"I wish that there was land for everyone, that women were free [and] that they had the freedom to organize and

defend their rights," Silvia tells us.
Did you know that in 1979, Development and Peace led a campaign to support the Grandmothers of Plaza de Mayo, in Argentina, whose children and grand-children disappeared under the military dictatorship?
Remember to check out the D&P / Share Lent table in the church foyer!
This year, our Share Lent collection will be held on Solidarity Sunday, April 1st & 2nd.
If you would like to help or find out more, contact Margie at 250-388-3173 or margielnoonan@gmail.com

YOUTH AND YOUNG ADULTS

St Andrew's High School

Congratulations to the cast and crew of *Robin Hood*! Sherwood Forest was alive with action at the Ridge Theatre last week. A production like *Robin Hood* happens with dedication and hard work from all of our students involved so thank you to all of them. To Laura Angrove, whose leadership and mastery of her craft is evident— Thank you also to Philip O'Reilly, Annie Ingraham, and a number of others who helped the show run smoothly.
The season of Lent began this week with our Ash Wednesday Mass on Wednesday at 11:00am.
Lent is a time to focus on prayer, fasting, almsgiving, and penance. Open your heart to God's presence during this time. "Whenever we make the effort to return to the source and to recover the original freshness of the Gospel, new avenues arise, new paths of creativity open up, with different forms of expression, more eloquent signs and words with new meaning for today's world" (Pope Francis, *The Joy of the Gospel*).
I wish you all a very meaningful Lent.
Congratulations to Madame Corinne Ballam! Mme Ballam has been named the recipient of a 2016-17 *Teacher Exchange and Mobility Award* of \$5,000. Mme Ballam will be using this opportunity to travel to France during the March Break and to monitor our French exchange program happening there at that time.
Thank you—Andrew J. Keleher (*Principal*)

STEWARDSHIP, ADMINISTRATION AND FINANCE

2016 Tax Receipts

Please remember to pick up your 2016 tax receipts from the table in the foyer, this will help us save on postage.

Thank you!

DONATIONS

25th & 26th February 2017

Envelopes/Loose	\$3504.25
PAD	\$ 971.75
Other Revenue	\$ 350.00
Total	\$4,826.00

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Finance Chairperson	Robert Payne	370 0241
Knights of Columbus	Oscar Perez de Tagle	778 265 0013
Led By The Spirit Group	David MacIntyre	383-9955
Music Coordinator	Rafael Oei	383-1523
Pastoral Care Ministry	Parish Office	479-1611
Prayer Line	Pamela Blakeslee	477-0579
Pro-Life Ministry	Rocio King	744-2802
Proclaimers	Catherine Minvielle	294-4923
Raffle Coordinators	Georgina Short	727-2615
	Susan Nawrocki	778 433-0199
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Responsible Ministry Coord	Isme Liem	479-1611
Social Justice/Dev & Peace	Margie Noonan	388-3173
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