* 19th Sunday in Ordinary Time | August 7, 2022 *



This Gospel passage can cause a bit of a gulp in our hearts when Jesus talks about the Master coming when least expected and finding his slave eating and getting drunk and beating up on other slaves. Getting cut into pieces, a beating and banishment are the upshot of that scenario.

But note how Jesus begins this lesson. He says, "Do not be afraid, little flock. It is the Father's good pleasure to give you the Kingdom.'

Then he speaks of Kingdom qualities: being detached from your possessions, living in charity and love, building up treasure in heaven where your heart is. It is the Father's good pleasure to give all of this to us; these Kingdom qualities are gifts of grace and gifts for life.

Yes, Jesus goes on to speak about the misery of living outside of the Kingdom, should we choose to; by refusing God's graces and gifts, and not living in his presence. It's like being cut into pieces, not by God but by the cruelties of a fractured world. We are susceptible to being beaten by the slave masters of this world if we don't find our treasure and our refuge in the arms of the Father. It's a choice we're free to make.

As usual, when we hear a passage of scripture like the one for this week, if there is anything fearful in it, we latch onto that and forget the words of love and grace. We allow the fear to define who we think God is. But if it is God's good pleasure to give you the Kingdom, you can bet that he will do everything in his power to make that happen. Everything in his power! We don't stand a chance of being cut into pieces and forever lost.

Do not be afraid, little flock.



Congratulations Ania and Benjamin

on your Sacred Union in Holy Matrimony on Thurs, Aug. 4

LITURGICAL CELEBRATIONS

WEEKENDS

Saturday (live-streamed) Sunday 9 am Korean 3 pm

Syro-Malabar Sat. 12:30 pm (Please call the Parish Office)

Vietnamese

Sun. 5:30 pm

Fr. Michael Tran invites everyone to the Vietnamese Mass, every 1st and 3rd Sunday of the Month at 5:30pm. He will preach in English and Vietnamese.

Sacred Heart YouTube Channel

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

August Schedule (* Confessions: half an hour before Mass)

4 pm, Sat Aug 6: Liturgy of Word/Comm 9 am, Sun Aug 7: Liturgy of Word/Comm

4 pm, Sat Aug 13: Liturgy of Word/Comm

* 9 am, Mass, Sun Aug 14: Fr. Eduardo S.

4 pm, Sat Aug 20: Liturgy of Word/Comm * 9 am, Mass, Sun Aug 21: Fr. Eduardo S.

* 4 pm, Mass, Sat Aug 27: Fr. Frank Franz

* 9 am, Mass, Sun Aug 28: Fr. Eduardo S.

Mass Intentions are being accepted again. Please contact the Parish Office. ~ 250-479-1611 ~

Congratulations! **Summer Matrimonial Unions**

Hien Thi & Kien Van Tran Taylor & Sean Cringle Karla & Allan Cabida

Baptisms in Summer We welcome the newest members to our Catholic Family

> Clyden Reves Silas Osuna Theodore McCarthy-Hoffman Hien Thi Nguyen Robin Anthony Baek

PASTORS

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The Sacrament of Marriage

Prepare to commit in a Sacred Covenant.

Online Marriage Preparation Course

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

Outline of the Sunday Celebration of the Word with Communion

Procession: Opening Hymn

Greeting: Respond: Blessed be God for ever.

Penitential Rite: I Confess & Lord Have Mercy

Gloria: Gloria

Procession of the Enthronement of the Word

Liturgy of the Word

1st Reading

Responsorial Psalm

2nd Reading

Gospel Acclamation

Gospel Reflection

Profession of Faith: Apostles' Creed Prayer of the Faithful

Prayer of Praise: Refrain is "Alleluia"

Sign of Peace: Sign of Peace

Distribution of Communion

The Lord's Prayer including "For the kingdom, the power..."

Concluding Rite

Blessing: Final Blessing

Dismissal: "Thanks be to God."

Recessional: Final Hymn

Regular 9 a.m. Sunday Mass

resumes from next Sunday, August 14!
Thank you, Fr. Eduardo Da Silva Santos for celebrating the Eucharist with us.





Please pray for:

Those who have died Kok Mui Fong.

Those who are ill

Jaime A, Cora C, Aubert G., Kathleen G, Richard G, Marie K, Daniel and Hope L, Ken L, Barbara and Shannon M,

Evelyne P, Bruno R, Patricia R, and Marguerite T.

BAPTISM PREP CLASS

Baptism Preparation Classes with Fr. Alfie are held at 10 am on the first Saturday of each month at St. Joseph the Worker Parish.



To register, please contact the Parish Office: sacredheart@rcdvictoria.org / 250-479-1611.

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

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!

July 30 and 31, 2022

Envelopes \$1,096.00 Cash \$ 60.00

Total \$1,156.00

From the Month of July

PAD: \$5,835.00 Canada Helps: \$886.80 E-Transfer: \$2,230.00

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

Sacred Heart Franciscan Youth Fundraiser

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

/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 locations.

Please credit your recycling to the "Sacred Heart Franciscan Youth" account.

Summer Food Trip fundraiser August 14, 2022

Parish Hall between 10am to 2pm.

Enjoy a whole range of Filipino food delicacies. Funds will go to seminarians, the needs of Sacred Heart Church, and the education of children of impoverished families. Thank you and hope to see you all!



ANCOP is an acronym for "Answering the Cry Of the Poor".

ANCOP International Canada, Inc. is a registered Canadian non-profit organization dedicated to restoring dignity and uplifting the lives of poor children and families around the world.



From the Diocese

Online Pastoral Care Outreach Training

Starting in September



The valuable and free Pastoral Care Outreach Training series will be offered online again this fall.

Nine sessions will be held via Zoom, Saturday mornings from 9:30 – noon, beginning Sep. 24, 2022, and running until Nov. 26 (no session on Oct. 8 for Thanksgiving).

Until pastoral access to homes, hospitals, nursing homes, and health care facilities is fully available, Bp. Gary Gordon feels "it is important to have parishioners trained at the ready to provide a caring and compassionate experience to those who are most in need."

Participants who attend all sessions will receive a Certificate of Completion. Participants will require a phone number an email address, a computer, tablet, or smartphone with speakers, a microphone, a webcam, and a reliable Internet connection.

Previous graduates have commented:

- ~ "Loved every minute of it! I would mark all nine session evaluations as EXTREMELY WELL!!!
- ~ "Each session was rich in the information presented and methods of delivery and discussion."
- ~ "I have appreciated these classes and the beautiful warm-hearted people I have met here."
- ~ "It was very motivating and the presentations were excellent. I have learned so much on this journey."

Please register through your local parish by September 20. For further information, please email moiraking@shaw.ca

Report Sexual Abuse

For all Responsible Ministry and Safe Environment information and forms

https://www.rcdvictoria.org/responsible-ministry

Pastoral Centre Summer Hours

This August, the Pastoral Centre will be closed to the public on Fridays.

Pastoral Centre employees will continue to have the capacity to receive phone messages and access files remotely. We remain grateful for the support and understanding of our parish and school communities. We pray that summer will provide opportunities for additional rest and relaxation for all.



The Canadian Conference of Catholic Bishops has issued a press release about Pope Francis' historic visit to Canada.

The text of the press release can be read online at: https://www.rcdvictoria.org/indigenous/canadas-catholic-bishops-welcome-historic-visit-from-pope-francis.

JOB OPPORTUNITIES

Island Catholic Schools is Hiring!

We are in search for enthusiastic people who are educationally certified, talented, and love what they do, and wish to work in vibrant school environments!

Grade 9 Classroom Teacher - One-year Temporary Contract

Start Date: September 1, 2022

Questions regarding this job posting may be directed to Kathy Korman, Principal, at kkorman@cisdv.bc.ca
If YOU are interested in this position, please visit: https://cisdv.bc.ca/employment-opportunities/

Casual Bus Drivers!

Island Catholic Schools is currently seeking casual bus drivers.

Great opportunity for retired bus drivers

who want to drive for field trips!

If you are interested in any position in Island Catholic Schools, please click on this link:

https://cisdv.bc.ca/employment-opportunities/

Contact us today at cisdv.bc.ca

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