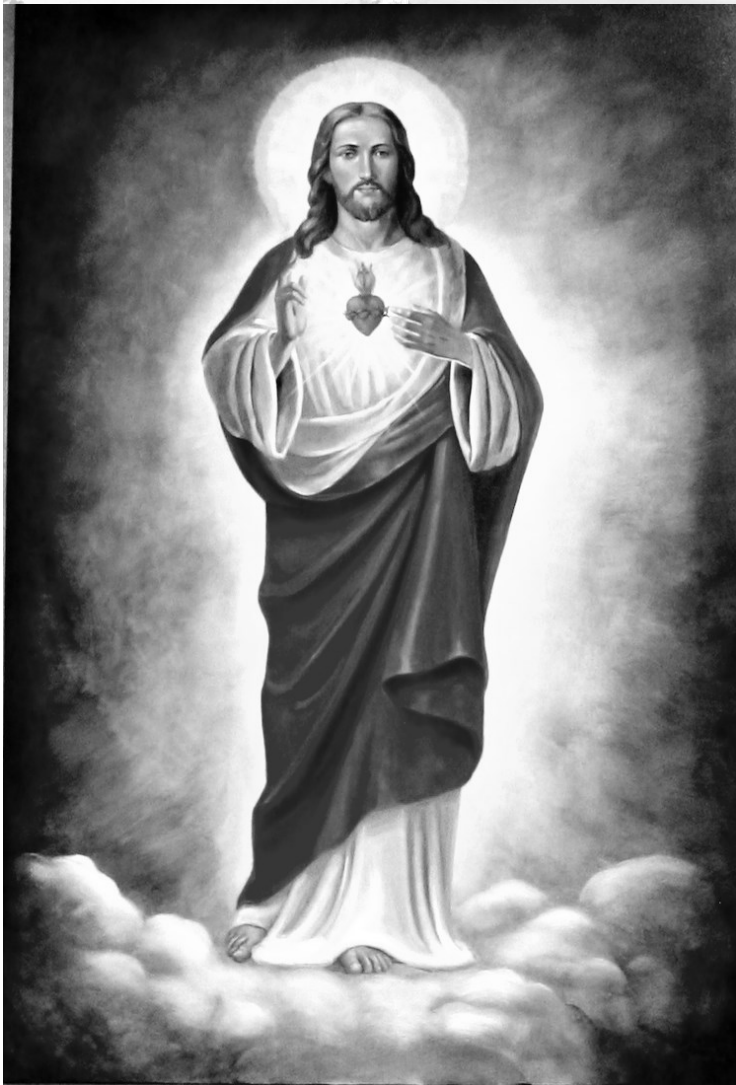


Sacred Heart Faith Community



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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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Office Hours Monday Closed
Tuesday - Friday 9:30am—3:00pm
Lunch 12:00nn-12:30pm

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THIS WEEK IN THE PARISH

A few words from our Pastor:-

'Tis the season for Reconciliation. This coming Tuesday evening at 7pm, we will be having our Parish Reconciliation service to help prepare us for the upcoming Easter celebrations. Without a doubt in my mind, the Sacrament of Reconciliation is one of the most terrifying elements about being a Catholic. However, something that is terrifying is not necessarily bad. Asking someone out on a date is also terrifying, but the rewards are invaluable. Reconciliation is terrifying for the same reasons as asking someone out on a date, but the payoff is significantly better. Reconciliation helps us heal for eternal life! Also, when we ask someone out, they may say no for any number of reasons. However, if we go to Reconciliation with the desire to amend our lives, we will never be turned away. We may not even succeed to change on the first try or the 77th try, but God never tires of forgiving. He enjoys it. God bless

Those who are ill.

Dorothy Bailey, Arnie Cavanagh, Wayne Carlson, Edmee Kearney, Ursula Lowe, Ben Perri and Tilly Wilson.

For the deceased

Josin Remedios

CALENDAR	Monday	3rd April	Exercise with Beryl Led By The Spirit	Parish Hall Pope John Hall	1:00pm 7:15pm
	Tuesday	4th April	SH's Christian Charity Sorting & Pricing Lenten Reconciliation Society of St Vincent de Paul meeting	Parish Hall Church Pope John Hall	9:30am—11:30am 7:00pm 7:30pm
	Wednesday	5th April	SH's Christian Charity Sorting & Pricing	Parish Hall	9:30am—11:30am
	Thursday	6th April	Exercise with Beryl	Parish Hall	9:45am
	Friday	7th April	Stations of the Cross Couples for Christ—CLP	Church Pope John Hall	6:00pm 7:00pm
	Saturday	8th April	Spring Cleaning		9:00am

LITURGY, THE SACRAMENTS, PRAYER AND THE WORD OF GOD

1st Friday of the Month April 7th 2017

There will be Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament immediately after the 9:00am Mass.

Please note: Benediction is at 12:30pm.

Stations of the Cross

During Lent, Stations of the Cross is held on Friday evenings at 6:00pm.

Penitential Services

There will be a Penitential Service on Tuesday, April 4th at 7:00pm here in Sacred Heart Parish, a few priests will be present for confessions, all are invited.

Chrism Mass

Bishop Gary will be the principal celebrant at the Chrism Mass on Thurs, April 6 at 7:00pm. At this liturgy, there will be the blessing and consecration of the oils that will be used in all our parishes in the coming year. All are invited to attend. A collection will be taken during Mass and a reception will follow.

Holy Cross Parish Lenten Conversations

Joy of Love: Medicine for Wounded Families Facilitated by Glen Palahicky, this two evening course will take place on Mon & Tue, April 3 & 4, 7:00pm to 8:30pm.

Diocesan Award Nominations

On the occasion of the Cathedral's 125th Anniversary year, the Diocese would like to honour various individuals from throughout the diocese for service to the local and / or diocesan church, the community and the world.

Therefore, parishioners are invited to submit suggestions of award recipients.

Award recipients must be 19 years of age or older, practicing Catholics who have rendered long standing service to the Catholic Church in the Diocese of Victoria, lay members of the faithful, and not on salary or having a contract position with a local parish or the diocese.

To nominate an individual, please fill out the slip available on the table in the church foyer and deposit in the Sunday collection or submit it to the parish office by Fri, Apr 21st.

Development and Peace / Caritas Canada

Today is Solidarity Sunday and our opportunity to show our solidarity with our sisters and brothers all over the world. Your donations help us on our journey to seek a world free from poverty, violence and oppression.

This is a special year, the 50th anniversary of Development and Peace. Please enjoy the timeline of the past 50 years which is in your bulletin. And do consider becoming a member of D&P – pick up a “Become a Member” card from the table in the foyer. It is a free gift for our 50th anniversary up until October 20th.

Did you know? The government of Canada has just announced \$28.5 million over three years to support its humanitarian aid in Syria, Jordan and Lebanon. This will bring relief to nearly 200,000 people. D&P works directly with its partners Caritas Jordan and Caritas Lebanon, as well as partners in Syria and has been involved in assistance since 2011.

Contest

Poster with contest entry and contact information is on the Outreach board in our parish.

The contest is open to all children and youth in Catholic schools and parishes in the Diocese of Victoria, from elementary school age up to youth age 19 to 35.

Entries must be received by April 22, 2017. Prizes will be awarded for the best entry in each category, in each age group, in each region.

Email: rcdvdevelopmentandpeace@gmail.com to enter or for more information. www.dev.org

Yom HaShoah (Holocaust Remembrance Day)

Max Garcia, a survivor of the Holocaust and concentration camps, will be visiting and speaking to students of St Andrew's High School on Thurs, April 20th, after 10:15am.

We would like to extend an invitation to the parish members of Sacred Heart, which is kindly hosting this event, to please join us for this talk.

Many thanks to Fr David for his support in welcoming Mr Garcia, and to Mrs Wendy Tyler, teacher at St Andrew's, for organizing this event.

Sacred Heart's Christian Charity Sat, April 29 Spring Used Clothing and Attic Treasures Sale

Collection of appropriate items in the Parish Hall will be from 9:30am to 11:30am and continue each Tuesday and Wednesday until April 19.

If you are not able to drop items off during these designated times, please call Rita 250-598 9558 to make alternate arrangements.

We request for all items to be clean and in good repair. Disposing of unsuitable items impacts both our cost and workload. Please note that we are not collecting books at this time, books will be sold only at the bazaar in the Fall.

Society of St Vincent de Paul Blitz for Blankets

Cleaning your closets and have some gently-used blankets to donate? The Sacred Heart SSVP Ministry is in need of clean blankets for families serviced by the downtown Social Concern Office. Donations are gratefully received from now till April 9.

Please leave in the big box with the sign "SSVP Blitz for Blankets" in the church foyer.

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

Doors open at 6pm with a champagne reception, followed by a sit-down dinner. There will be Silent and Live Auctions, and an abundance of fun and fellowship!

Tickets are \$100 per person; tax receipts will be issued in the amount of \$25 per person. Tickets are available now, through EventBrite (<https://www.eventbrite.com/e/2017-bishops-gala-tickets-32330852450>) or please call our Parish Office at 250 - 479 1611, we have a table reserved for parishioners to sit together.

YOUTH AND YOUNG ADULTS

Youth 14th Annual Youth Conference

More than a Feeling, May 26-28 at St Andrew's High Sch

Open to students Gr 8 through 12 & recent graduates.

Please call, email or pick up registration form from our Parish Office during office hours. Thank you.

STEWARDSHIP, ADMINISTRATION AND FINANCE

Donation envelopes

There are new Donation envelopes in the pews for visitors and new parishioners, please write your name and address on the envelopes, if you require a tax receipt.

Spring Cleaning Saturday, April 8th

Our Parish Spring Cleaning event will be taking place next Saturday, April 8th at 9:00am. We are looking for volunteers to help clean the inside of the church, the Parish Hall and grounds.

Please bring with you, rags, pails & gloves.

If you are unable to assist with the cleaning, we welcome your prayers for the success of this day. You are invited to contribute desserts / goodies for the volunteers, there will be sandwiches and wraps served.

For info, please call the Parish Office at 250-479 1611.

DONATIONS

25th & 26th March 2017

Envelopes/Loose	\$3,004.60
PAD	\$ 971.75
Other Revenue	\$ 350.00
Total	\$4,326.35

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Altar Servers	Andrew Cripps	778-440-3403
Attic Treasures	Jim Haffey	389 0440
	Pat Tonkin	721-0293
Bazaar	Rita Kelly	598 9558
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	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
	Walt Ryan	658-5044
Responsible Ministry Coord	Isme Liem	479-1611
Social Justice/Dev & Peace	Margie Noonan	388-3173
St. Vincent de Paul	Georgina Short	727-2615
Ushers	Lisa Stearns	479-7145

PARISH PASTORAL
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