



Sacred Heart Catholic Church

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*** Third Sunday of Easter | 23 April 2023 ***

Weekday Masses



There will be **NO 7 pm Mass** on April 28, May 1st to 5th, May 10, 23, & 26.

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Mondays to Fridays at 7 pm
Bp. Gary Gordon

Wednesdays at 8 pm
Korean Mass (Fr. Robert Ryu)

Thursdays at 10:30 am
Korean Mass (Fr. Robert Ryu)

VOCATIONS MASS

12 p.m.
Thursday, 27 April

with Fr. Frank Franz.
Confessions from 11 a.m.



LITURGICAL YEAR A

WEEKENDS

Saturday	4:00 pm
Sunday (live streamed)	9:00 am
Korean	3:00 pm
Syro-Malabar	April 29 12:00 pm
(Please call the Parish Office)	
Polish	5:30 pm
(Please call the Parish Office)	
Vietnamese	April 23 5:30 pm
(Please call the Parish Office)	

RECONCILIATION

Saturday (only before a Mass) 3:00 pm

Sacred Heart YouTube Channel

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



"Oh how foolish you are..." When Jesus said this to the men on the road to Emmaus, it sounds like he was full of derision for their pain and disappointment; it sounds like he was calling them idiots. If we stopped to think about it, if he was really calling them idiots, he would be a hypocrite, considering that he preached that to call someone a fool was equivalent to murder.

There are various Greek words translated as 'fool' or 'foolish'. When Jesus cautioned us against calling someone a fool, the Greek word used is 'raca', which is absolutely an insult. The Greek word used on the road to Emmaus is 'anoētoi', which simply means acting without considering the full picture. The two disciples he was speaking to should have had a broader understanding if they had been paying attention to Jesus before he died. Jesus didn't hide the fact that all the law and the prophets were pointing to his life and death. He had told them point blank that he had to die

but that he would be raised from the dead. They must have thought it was all a metaphor for something far less drastic.

But we're not 'anoētoi' foolish. Or are we? How often are we acting or reacting without having a full picture? Most of the time, I would say. We all see the little part of the picture that is impacting us and causing us hurt, disappointment, resentment or fear of the future and we forget what Christ has said to us time and time again through his Word, "Do not be afraid. Trust me. I am in control. You are loved."

All of the disciples were 'anoētoi' foolish. They simply reacted strongly to devastating circumstances in fear and dismay, which inhibited their ability to consider the whole picture. Did this make Jesus angry and impatient? Absolutely not! To the two on the Emmaus road, he simply said, "You're not seeing the whole picture. Let me show you."

We are all limited beings and we all miss the whole picture. We need to remember to pray,

"Lord, show me what I'm missing."

Share your talents and time to serve the Lord, and be part of the joyful Sacramental and Liturgical celebrations in our parish.

Volunteer with a Parish Ministry

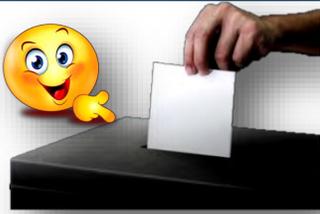
Please contact the Parish Office!
We look forward to hearing from you.



3rd Sunday of Easter

Do you recognize Christ in your life? Does your heart burn in his presence? How are you being called - as a priest, deacon, sister or brother?

*Please contact: Fr. David Hogman: dhogman@rcdvictoria.org
Fr. Harrison Ayre: hayre@rcdvictoria.org
Directors of Vocations in the Diocese of Victoria.*



HAVE YOU NOMINATED SOMEONE FOR PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL?

THIS IS YOUR LAST OPPORTUNITY, THIS YEAR, TO SUBMIT YOUR CHOICE FOR NEW MEMBERSHIP IN OUR PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL.

WE NEED SIX NEW NAMES.

If you have someone in mind to nominate and only know them by sight and not by name, please approach an usher, or anyone you know; they may be able to help you with the person's name.

If you would like to be a council member yourself, do ask someone to nominate you... or you may also nominate yourself.

REPEAT! WE NEED 6 NEW MEMBERS TO HELP STEER THE SHIP!

Elections will follow next weekend with balloting held after each Mass.

Nomination forms are available at the entrance of the church, along with the nomination box.

On behalf of the Sacred Heart Parish Pastoral Council, most sincerely,
Marilyn Bojko (email: 123sigmar@gmail.com), PPC Chair



Audio Version of "Divine Mercy in my Soul" by St. Faustyna Kowalska

A parishioner, Vaclav Trumpes, is offering to provide, FREE, the audio version of the Divine Mercy Diary.

If you are interested, please bring a 2GB (or larger) Thumb Drive and label it with your name. You may leave the Drive with Rafael, the Music Director, at musician's corner after Mass. He will pass it to Vaclav.



Please pray for:

Those who have died
*Irene Remedios,
Fritz and Adelheid Ketzmerick*

Those who are ill
*Jaime A, Jon A, MaryLee A, Cora C,
Greg C, Pierre D, Kathleen G, Barb D,
Richard G, Marie G, Theresa H, Pedrito K,
Derek L, Bruno R, and Dave Savage.*

Contributions

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!

April 15 & 16, 2023

Envelopes \$ 1,598.00

Cash \$ 868.45

Total \$ 2,466.45

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

PARISH MINISTRIES & GROUPS

Please contact the Parish Office:
sacredheart@rcdvictoria.org



PARISH LITURGICAL MINISTRIES

Altar Servers	Karla Montano
Extraordinary Ministers	Gilbert & Chay Santos
Floral Ministry (Environment)	Ruby Rivera
Music Director	Rafael Oei
Parish Liturgy Coordinator	Rafael Oei
Pastoral Care Ministry	Lynda Tan
Proclaimers	Stan Dzbik
Ushers	Marisa Tinsay / Isme Liem
Video Streamers	Peter Liem

PARISH GROUPS

Christian Meditation	Margie Noonan
C.W.L. / Prayer Line	Miriam Podmoroff
Knights of Columbus	Rick Perez de Tagle
Led By The Spirit Group	David MacIntyre
Moms & Tots	Chantal Cote
Phone-tree	Elizabeth Olcen
Funeral Receptions	Elizabeth Olcen
Social Justice/D & P	Stan Dzbik
St. Vincent de Paul	Georgina Short

OUR MINISTRY VOLUNTEERS

Saturday, 22 April, 4 pm : Bp. Gary Gordon & Fr. Michael Favero

Altar Servers : Daisy L, Mariah C, Michael N, Mara T
Proclaimers : Kathy W, Connie H
EMCs : Angela S
Ushers : Denise O, Miriam P
Music : Arlene S, Hideko K, Rafael O

Sunday, 23 April, 9 am : Fr. Eduardo Santos

Altar Servers : Mariah C, Gabby C, Pio T, Matthew M
Proclaimers : Sue L, Mark L
EMCs : Jeff K, Angela S
Ushers : Pierre P, Klincy DS
Video Streamer : Stan D
Music : Sacred Heart Choir, Rafael O

*Thank you for your service to the Lord,
and our Parish Community.*



From the Diocese



National
Family & Life Week
May 7-14, 2023 *Love one another*

**National
Family &
Life Week,
May 7-14,**

celebrates the joy and beauty of family and life.

To support, promote, and celebrate this week, the CCCB has prepared a Pastoral Toolkit that includes daily prayer intentions and activities for families, parishes, pastoral suggestions for a family and life Mass, a catechesis, a daily social media campaign. For more information and the toolkit, please visit:

<https://www.cccb.ca/faith-moral-issues/family-and-life/national-family-and-life-week/>

MEMO From Bishop Gary Gordon

Effective April 16, 2023, Elizabeth (Liz) Summers is appointed Pastoral Administrator for St. Francis Xavier Parish, Mill Bay.

A Pastoral Administrator is responsible to collaboratively lead and participate in the pastoral care of their parish community. Liz will soon graduate with a Bachelor of Divinity (Ecclesiastical) from Maryvale College, UK, to be conferred by the University of Notre Dame, Paris, and overseen by the Holy See.

Congratulations Elizabeth!

Job postings

Administrative Assistant Position

St. Joseph the Worker Parish, Victoria
3 to 4 days a week (7 hrs/day)
Start Date: July 4, 2023

Primary Function: provide administrative and secretarial services to the Pastor, team members, and various parish committees. To assist the Pastor in the administration of the parish office, and the business and facility operations of the parish. Please send a Resume and Cover Letter to Fr. A. Monacelli, 753 Burnside Road West, Victoria, BC, V8Z 1M9, or via email at sjtwp@rcdvictoria.org.

UVic / Camosun College Chaplain

Applications for the position of UVic / Camosun College Chaplain are being accepted. We seek someone committed to help students grow and flourish within the Catholic faith while living and learning in a secular campus environment. Please see: <https://www.rcdvictoria.org/employment>

All applications must be received by May 19, 2023.

Diocesan Bursaries & Awards

The Jawl Bundon LLP Bursary (\$2500):

<https://www.rcdvictoria.org/jawl-bundon-bursary> : for a grade 12 Catholic student accepted to a post-secondary institution.

The Blessed Marie Anne Blondin Bursary (\$1000):

<https://www.rcdvictoria.org/blondin-bursary> : for a lay woman enrolled in a program for ministry in the Church, e.g. religious education, social justice, liturgy, care of the sick, etc.

The Char Deslippe Memorial Award (\$500):

<https://www.rcdvictoria.org/char-deslippe-award> : for a teacher in Catholic Island Schools or a parish catechist serving in children, youth or adult ministry.

LIFE is WORTH Living



The annual **March for Life** in Victoria will be on Thursday, May 11. The event will begin with a Mass celebrated by Bp Gary Gordon, noon, at St. Andrew's Cathedral.

The Bishop hopes that many will be able to participate in this opportunity to make a difference. For more information, please visit <http://www.m4lvictoria.ca/>

Diocesan Family Camp & Conference

August 17-20, 2023

Registration opens for families of the Diocese of Victoria on April 8. Early Bird Registration Price until May 15! After May 15, registration will open to families beyond our Diocese.

<https://www.eventbrite.com/e/9th-diocesan-family-conference-august-2023-tickets-593430365197>

GARAGE SALE

St. Joseph the Worker,
Saturday, April 29 from 9am to 2pm.

Spring Gently Used Clothing Sale

St. Patrick's Church
9:30 am to 2 pm, April Fri. April 28 and Sat. April 29

TO REPORT SEXUAL ABUSE TO AN INDEPENDENT AGENCY

To report sexual abuse by a clergy member, religious, employee, or volunteer, visit RCDVictoria.org/Responsible-Ministry or call

1-800-968-3146

To report sexual abuse or cover-up by a Catholic Bishop, visit BishopReportingSystem.ca or call

1-866-892-3737

Sacred Heart Executive Committee (Responsible for Sacred Heart Parish)

**Marilyn Bojko, Marilyn Turner,
& Stan Dzbik**

email: sacredheartexec@gmail.com

PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL 2020 / 2023

Marilyn Bojko (Chairperson)	Vincenza Cameron
Stan Dzbik	Jeff Kucharski
Catherine Minvielle	Oscar Perez de Tagle
Michele Ricard	Cyrille Santos

Ethnic Communities at Sacred Heart

Korean Pastor: Fr. Robert Ryu
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Polish Pastor: Fr. Jan Grotkowski SDS
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Syro-Malabar Pastor: Fr. Sajy Chakkittamuriyil
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Vietnamese Pastor: Fr. Michael Tran
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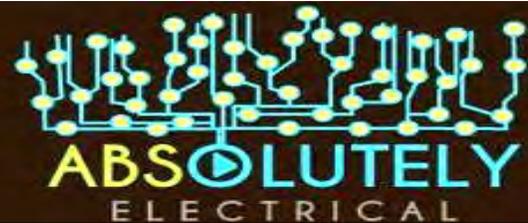
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