

Sacred Heart Faith Community

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EUCCHARISTIC CELEBRATIONS

WEEKDAY MASS

Adoration before Mass 8:00am till 8:55am
Tuesday—Friday 9:00am

Please read the next page for temporary changes.

WEEKEND MASS

Saturday 5:00pm
Sunday 8:30 & 10:00am
Sunday - Polish 12:30pm
Sunday - Korean 3:00pm

OTHER KOREAN MASS TIMES:

Wednesday 7:30pm
Thursday 7:30pm
Friday 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.

ADDRESS & CONTACT INFO

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

Please read the next page for temporary changes.

Emergency Hospital Chaplain : 250-889 3761

A few words from our Pastor:-

So this week we begin our new year for religious education and Sacramental preparation classes. Ruby, Lidia, the team and I have been spending a good amount of time preparing for this important ministry. I cannot over-stress the significance of offering quality Catholic education in our Parishes and in our Catholic schools. Learning about Christ and how to live a life as a disciple in the Church is more significant than anything in this life. In fact, it is significantly more important than one's professional education. When we meet God face to face, he will ask for our professional achievements or a copy of our CV.

However, learning about Jesus is more than mere "religion". It is a multi-dimensional discipline that helps us grow in spirit, soul, and body. It is more than accomplishing learning goals and curricula. St Bernadette of Lourdes famously struggled in her own Sacramental preparation classes. Although she struggled to remember some of her prayers and lessons, her faith shone in her life and deeds. On the opposite end, great theological minds are not exempt from error. Nonetheless, there have been many great minds in Church history who brought their gifts to bear in the human and the divine sciences. Just as our children must learn, so must we. A faith that is not growing withers and eventually dies. A living faith, on the other hand, grows and feeds others.

Those who are ill.
Clovis Amando, Daphne Bowles, Arnie Cavanagh, Ryan Chester, Marnie Essery, Susie Konrath, Ursula Lowe, Lawrence Peterson, Marguerite Pigeau and Evelyn Vincent.

Those who are deceased.
Sieg Bojko, Irene Chojnacki, Joseph Chong, Winnifred Doyle, Susie Dublin, Peggy Nuttall, Michael Short & Laura White.

CALENDAR	Mon	24 Sept	Led By The Spirit	St John 23rd Hall	7:15pm
	Tues	25 Sept	CWL—Games afternoon	Parish Hall	2:00pm
	Wed	26 Sept	Funeral Mass—Irene Chojnacki	Church / Parish Hall	1:00pm
	Thurs	27 Sept	Bible Study—A Biblical Walk through the Mass	Parish Hall	6:30pm / 7:00pm
	Fri	28 Sept	Funeral Mass—Siegmund Bojko	Church / Parish Hall	11:00am
	Sat	29 Sept	Youth for Christ	Pope John Hall	7:00pm

LITURGY, THE SACRAMENTS, PRAYER AND THE WORD OF GOD

PARISH OUTREACH, SOCIAL JUSTICE AND ECUMENISM

Funerals

Irene Chojnacki—Wednesday, Sept 26 at 1:00pm

Siegmund Bojko—Friday, Sept 28 at 11:00am.

Both followed by a reception at the Parish Hall.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION AND VOCATIONS

Society of St Vincent de Paul

SSVP Social Concern Office Needs Volunteers

The SSVP Social Concern Office at its new location of 833 Yates St. is looking for volunteers.

If you have a few hours a week to serve, please contact Donna, SCO Coordinator, at 250-382-0712 or email: dingram@svdpvictoria.com

Couples for Christ Men’s Retreat

To "Rise Above" like an eagle — this is the call, as we invite men this year to gather at the 2018 CFC Men's Conference. Held at St Andrew’s High School on Sat, Oct 6 from 9:30am to 5pm. Fellowship & Dinner after 5pm Mass.

In line with the CFC Community's theme this year which is "Rekindle the Gift...Fulfill Your Ministry", this year's Men's Conference theme invites us to become True Men of God and Rise Above circumstances in life, cherish and rekindle the gift and be the light to other people.

Isaiah 40:31— “But those who wait for the Lord shall renew their strength, they shall mount up with wings like eagles, they shall run and not be weary, they shall walk and not faint”.

This is open to all men, details are in the church foyer.

Men’s Breakfast Sat, Sept 29 at 8am

Come, join us for breakfast (\$12) and a presentation by Greg Beattie, Dir of Responsible Ministry and Safe Environments in the Diocese. Greg will share on his work in the Diocese at the Victoria Horseshoe Club.

To register: email us at info@mcaff.org

CWL Games Afternoon

We invite all women and men to come to the Parish Hall on Tues, Sept, 25 from 2pm - 4pm to meet fellow parishioners, enjoy a treat, and play a game of your choice.

Bring your own game or play one which we will provide. Looking forward to seeing you there.

St Joseph the Worker

The charismatic prayer group is holding a prayer breakfast at St Joseph the Worker Church Hall on Sat, Oct 27 from 9am to 12pm—Prayer, food, fellowship and an inspiring speaker, Fr Karam Alraban, a refugee from Iraq, and currently ministers at Holy Cross Parish. He has a powerful personal testimony. Tickets: \$12/adults & \$10/students, available from prayer group members or call 250-477-4700 (the Dunstons) for a reservation. All are welcome.

St Patrick’s Parish Fall Bazaar & Silent Auction

Sat, Sept 29, 9:30am to 2:00pm
Many Stalls, Many Treasures, Quality Silent Auction, Tombola - Grand Prize \$300; Bazaar Conveners. Info? Call: Pauline 250- 592-9434, Lorna 250-477-6331 or Lorrie 250-595-5981.

Holy Cross Parish Annual “Shop for Christmas”

Sat, Oct 13th 9:30am – 2:30pm. Sale includes fine jewellery (pearls & semi-precious stones) costume jewellery, scarves, handbags, and silver jewelry from Nepal. Items for children, babies and much more. Fantastic prices! Proceeds benefit children in Canadian Families Orphanages in India & Bangladesh. Cash/Cheques only. Free coffee, tea and goodies. Info? Tiffany 250-881 8121 / www.familiesforchildren.ca

MARRIAGE, FAMILY LIFE, AND THE SANCITY OF HUMAN LIFE

Life Chain 2018

Though Life Chain is usually on the first Sunday of Oct, due to Thanksgiving, this year it will be held on Sunday, Sept 30 from 2pm - 3 pm at the corner of Blanshard St at Finlayson St. This simple, peaceful witness provides an opportunity for young and old to remind their fellow community members of the inherent dignity of every human being, and our duty to defend the vulnerable.

YOUTH AND YOUNG ADULTS

Diocesan Youth Fall Retreat October 26 – 28

Christ the King Parish, Courtenay.
Most of us find ourselves desiring and asking questions about love, happiness, and purpose. But, in a culture that gives us conflicting answers, we may find ourselves lost. It is the Gospel message, which personally guides our search for truth. All youth grades 8-12 are invited to join the search at this retreat! For details and registration forms, email Roger: rogercollin@shaw.ca.

St. Andrew's Regional High School

SARHS will once again be participating with an inter-generational choir. "Voices in Motion, a choir formed as a research project at the University of Victoria, is already showing that living with dementia does not

mean a life without song. Formed as part of a scientific and medical investigation and led by researchers at UVic, the 60-member choir bills itself as multi-generational. Voices in Motion boasts as members 20 people living with dementia, 20 of their care-givers and 20 teens from St. Andrew's Regional High School." This choir has been featured on tv, through social media and in the newspapers.
St. Andrew's Regional High School is the Islands only Catholic High School. Please keep us in your prayers as we move forward with our building development.

STEWARDSHIP, ADMINISTRATION AND FINANCE

Volunteer Information update

Attention, all volunteers
If you are a volunteer and have never filled out a Volunteer Application form and Covenant of Care form and in some cases, a Criminal Record Check, depending on the work involved, we are requesting for you to ensure that you do. These forms can be obtained from the website, parish office or the head of your ministry.
Criminal Record Checks (for work with the vulnerable) can be completed on-line and the paperwork will be kept at the Diocesan Office. If you have any questions, please contact our RMSE coordinator, Neil Lundin, or call the parish office at 250-479 1611.

Change of information / 2019 donations

We are preparing our 2019 donation envelopes soon!
Please call the parish office at 250-479 1611, if
1. you are new in this parish
2. you have moved
3. you want to update any information / status
4. you plan to change your mode of donation
5. you plan to change the amount of your donation
6. you require a box of donation envelopes

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Job vacancies

Accounting clerk
Candidates should have an accounting diploma or equivalent and have at least two years practical experience. Knowledge of the Catholic Church would be an asset. Interested applicants are invited to submit a résumé and cover letter by Sept 28 to:
Roman Catholic Diocese of Victoria
Attention: Leah MacKenzie, CFO
Email: chancery@rcdvictoria.org

15th & 16th September 2018

Envelopes/Loose	\$ 4,354.25
PAD	\$ 1,397.50
Other Revenue	\$ 350.00
Total	\$6,101.75

PARISH MINISTRIES

Parish Ministries / Groups

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Knights of Columbus	S Kearsey	370-0083
Led By The Spirit Group	D MacIntyre	383-9955
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Proclaimers	C Minvielle	proclaimers@sacredheartvictoria.com
Receptions	E Olcen	477-8115
Responsible Ministry	N Lundin	rmse@sacredheartvictoria.com
Social Justice/D & P	M Noonan	388-3173
St. Vincent de Paul	G Short	727-2615
Ushers (5pm)	L LeBoeuf	ushers5@sacredheartvictoria.com
Ushers (8:30am)	T Dubauskas	ushers830@sacredheartvictoria.com
Ushers (10am)	L Stearns	ushers10@sacredheartvictoria.com



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