

Sept 17, 2023

SACRED HEART PARISH

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Diocesan Annual Appeal



A successful Appeal furthers the mission of our local Church and of our parish and helps others in our diocese with the resources they truly need. Please consider your support in the coming week. Not everyone can make the same pledge, but if we all offer our sacrifice, we will truly be successful.

Our Combined Parish Goal: \$48,090

Pledged to date: \$500.00

In addition to our diocesan appeal, the bishops of B.C. have asked us to help support efforts to promote healing and reconciliation between indigenous and non-indigenous peoples through a separate appeal. The diocese has been asked to pledge \$147,000 toward this important work. Over the past two years, we raised \$110,000 of that total. We do not set parish goals for this appeal, but look to the generosity of everyone to make a meaningful contribution to support these efforts.

The Healing and Reconciliation Committee has been formed and has begun meeting. Four indigenous members will review and consider how best to use the funds raised in our diocese to support projects that promote healing and reconciliation.

Veritas Employment Opportunity

Veritas School is accepting applications for an Early Childhood Educator to fill the role of Preschool Teacher in our Sprout Up Preschool program. Individuals must have their ECE certification or be working towards certification. Please contact Tamara Berg at tberg@cispg.ca or 250-635-3035 to apply.

Diocesan Men's Conference

What does it mean to be a man of strong faith in the Church and society today? Band together with other Catholic men to deepen your spiritual, personal, and family life.

The conference will be held at the Diocesan Pastoral Centre in Prince George Oct 27th and Oct 28th and facilitated by Fr. Troy Nguyen, Diocese of Calgary.

Registration will open on September 20th.

Cost: \$85per person; additional \$40 for overnight accommodation at Domano Renewal Centre (space is limited)

Contact Freddy Padilla for additional information. (250) 961-0273



"Lord, how often should I forgive my brother or sister if they sin against me? "

- Matt. 18:21

MASS TIMES September 18—September 23

Monday 9:00am Bobbie Lynn Sheardown

Thursday 9:00am ♣ Souls in Purgatory

Saturday 9:00am P Roldofo Bernardo Jr.

Weekend Mass Times

Saturday 7:00pm [♣] Maria Sousa

Sunday 9:00am & Zulmira & Jacinto Botelho

Sunday 11:00am Intentions of the parish

Confession

Tuesday & Saturday at 6:30pm, or by appointment any day.

Daily Readings

Monday, September 18 1 Timothy 2:1-7 Psalm 28 Luke 7:1-10 Tuesday, September 19

1 Timothy 3:1-13 Psalm 101

Luke 7:11-17

Wednesday, September 20 1Timothy 3:14-16

Psalm 111 Luke 7:31-35 Thursday, September 21 St. Matthew

Ephesians 4:1-7,11-13

Psalm 19 Matthew 9:9-13

Friday, September 22 1 Timothy 6:2c-12

Psalm 49 Luke 8:1-3

Saturday, September 23 St. Pius Pietrelcina 1 Timothy 6:13-16

Psalm 100 Luke 8:4-15

Sunday, September 17
25th Sunday in Ordinary Time
Isaiah 55:6-9, Psalm 145, Philippians 1:20-24,27
Matthew 20:1-16

Pancake Breakfast September 17th

Join us for breakfast September 17th after both Masses. Proceeds go to a local family in need!

Our Lady of Fatima—October 8, 2023

Our first choir practice is Sunday, Sept 17th at 3:00pm!

Mark Your Calendars—Life Chain October 1

The Annual Life Chain is Oct 1st at 2:00pm at Ferry Island

Prayer List Fern Amyotte Grethe Brorup Laura D. duBois

Charlene Henyu Adele Johnson Charles Kofoed Pat Zaporzan



To put a name on the Prayer List please phone the parish office. Please remember to phone us as well if a name needs to be removed from the list. Thank you!

Quote of the Week

Prayer is the best weapon we have; it is the key to God's heart.

- St. Pius of Pietrelcina

Rosary

Sun, Mon, Wed, Thurs, Fri & Sat at 8:30am Tues 7:30pm

E-Transfers to Sacred Heart Parish

When setting up the transfer option please add and save the parish as a recipient using:

- 1. Parish Name: Sacred Heart Parish Terrace
- 2. Email address: shpaccounting@sacredheartnews.ca
- 3. In the message section of the e-transfer please include your envelope number, if applicable and the designation of the your donation, i.e. "General" or a special collection
- ** Please note that you do not need a security question because the donation is automatically deposited into the designated parish account. Thank you!

Last Sunday's Collection

General \$ 5,101.50 World Mission 20.00

Sunday

Thank you to all who have donated to the parish; your generosity is deeply appreciated.