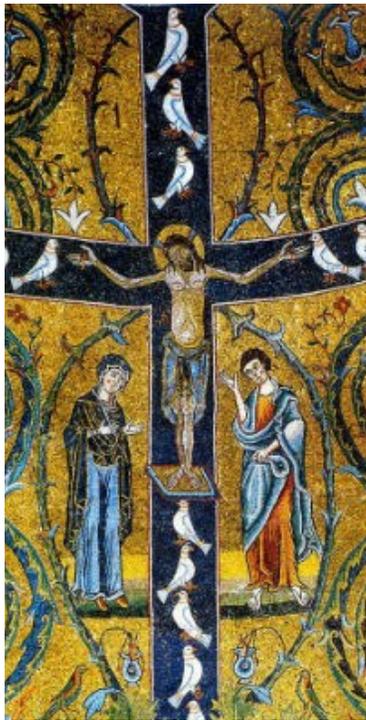




Sept 14, 2025

24th
Sunday



Exaltation
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SACRED HEART PARISH

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Sunday Bulletin

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Annual Diocesan Appeal



Today, along with all the other parishes and missions throughout the diocese, we kick-off the Annual Diocesan Appeal: "Called Together – Giving, Sharing, Serving."

As we begin our Appeal Year, we continue to celebrate the Jubilee Year of 2025–Pilgrims of Hope–during which we are called to reflect on our pilgrimage of faith together.

Our appeal is one of the ways in which we journey together. Your support helps those smaller parishes, missions and ministries throughout the whole diocese that need assistance along the way and it is an important way in which you can practice stewardship and participate in the mission of the Church. Each parish is encouraged to support the appeal because it raises funds for much-needed projects within your own parish. Every dollar raised above the parish's share of the diocesan goal is returned to the parish for important projects and unmet needs.

The diocesan goal continues to be \$300,000 this year, still far short of the usual \$400,000 we need to provide full support to help those smaller parishes and missions and various ministries in every part of the diocese which continue to face ongoing challenges for which our support is greatly needed.

Our Parish Goal is: \$__45,450__ and the money goes to support ministries throughout the diocese and goes to important projects within our parish. We thank you for your continued generous support.

Congratulations and Welcome to



Austin Abad

The Christian community joyfully welcomes Austin Abad, son of Joshua and Aleth Abad, who was baptized on Wednesday September 10th. May God bless, guide and protect him all the days of his life.



Funeral Mass for George Kofoed

The funeral Mass for George Kofoed will be Thursday, October 2nd at 11:00am. The rosary will be prayed at 10:30am. There will be a reception to follow. *Eternal rest grant unto him, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon him. May his soul and the souls of all the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace. Amen.*



Our Lady of Fatima Celebration Planning Meeting

All are welcome to a planning meeting for Our Lady of Fatima Celebration, on Tuesday, Sept 16 at 7:30 pm. If you are interested in helping out or just want to learn more about this prayerful event, please come out and join us! People from all nationalities and cultures are welcome to attend!



Free Webinars from the Franciscan's Catechetical Institute

Franciscan's Catechetical Institute is continuing our FREE and fantastic webinar series in 2025 to support catechists, teachers, and leaders! Please follow this link to view <https://franciscanathome.com/guild-webinar-series> ***We invite you to register today! Feel free to share these free webinars around with others!***



Knights of Columbus Bursary

The bursary is open to members of the Knights of Columbus and to their family members. To be eligible recipients must be enrolled in full time post-secondary courses. For further information and for a form, please, contact Barry Dobbin via at 250-922-5654. Applications will be accepted until October 31, 2025.

PARISH ACTIVITIES

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Finance Council: Barry Dobbin: 250-922-5654

Parish Council: Manuela Krisinger: 250-638-7885

Ecumenical Retreat

"Living the Covenant"

Saturday, Sept 27, The Terrace Reform Church is hosting a one day retreat from 9:00am—4:30pm, led by Bruce Adema, Executive Director of the Henri Nouwen Society. The retreat is by donation. Please RSVP to sharon@terracecrc.org



Flowers for the Church

Please sign up on the bulletin board to donate flowers to the church. Thank you!

Pancake Breakfast September 21, 2025



All are welcome to the pancake breakfast taking place on Sunday, September 21st after both of the Sunday Masses. Proceeds from the breakfast will go to support the Terrace Pro Life Education Society. Bring the whole family!



Rachel's Vineyard Healing Retreat Prince George, BC

Find calm for your mind and peace for your soul

If you have been impacted by an abortion experience, please come to our Weekend Retreat from November 14-16 in Prince George. CONFIDENTIALITY ASSURED Now accepting applications. Contact Adele at: rachelsvineyardpg@proton.me Call/Text 778-675-0152

School Mass Sept 17, 2025



All are welcome to the Veritas School Mass on Wednesday, September 17th at 9:00am. This will be the first Mass of the school year and an excellent opportunity to pray with the students as they begin a new academic year.

Veritas Parent Support Group is Raising Some Dough!



We're excited to announce that Veritas School is partnering with Krispy Kreme Doughnuts for a "sweet" fundraiser towards Veritas School!

❖ \$20 per dozen Original Glazed



Orders due Monday, Sept. 15th by 10:00 AM – no late orders!



Pick-up Thursday, Sept. 25th between 1:00-6:00pm at Veritas School

Known for their "sweet, heavenly puff and crunch," Krispy Kreme's iconic Original Glazed doughnuts are soft, warm, and melt right in your mouth.

Thank you so much for your support! ❤️

Silvia Barg, on behalf of Veritas Parent Support Group

☎ 250-615-3687

MASS TIMES Sept 15– Sept 21

Monday 9:00am ☩ Maria & Doreen Sousa

Tuesday 7:00pm ☩ John McDonagh

Wednesday 9:00am ☩ Theo & Helene Cam
School Mass

Thursday 9:00am First Communicants

Friday 9:00am ☩ Josue & Conceicao Borges

Saturday 9:00am ☩ Souls in Purgatory

Weekend Mass Times

Saturday 7:00pm ☩ Justin da Silva

Sunday 9:00am ☩ Jacinto & Zulmira Botelho

Sunday 11:00am Intentions for the Parish

Confession

Saturday & Tuesday 6:30pm
or by appointment.

Daily Readings

Monday, Sept 15
Our Lady of Sorrows
Hebrews 5:7-9
Psalm 31
Luke 2:33-35

Tuesday, Sept 16
1 Timothy 1:1-2, 12-14
Psalm 16
Luke 6:39-42

Wednesday, Sept 17
1 Timothy 3:14-16
Psalm 111
Luke 7:31-35

Thursday, Sept 18
1 Timothy 4:12-16
Psalm 111
Luke 7:36-50

Friday, Sept 19
1 Timothy 6:2c-12
Psalm 49
Luke 8:1-3

Saturday, Sept 20
St. John Chrysostom
1 Timothy 6:13-16
Psalm 100
Luke 8:4-15

Sunday, September 21
25th Sunday in Ordinary Time
Amos 8:4-7, Psalm 113, 1 Timothy 2:1-7
Luke 16:1-13

Prayer List



Phil Bialobzyski
Grethe Brorup
Maria DeMelo
Laura B. duBois

Charlene Henry
Joao Mendes
Dalton Stanvik

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!



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Daily Rosary Times

Sun, Mon, Wed., Thurs., Fri., Sat., 8:30am
Tues. 6:30pm

Quote of the Week

If I am in need of light and prudence in order to discharge my burdensome duties, I draw to my Saviour and seek counsel and light from him.

- St. Thomas More

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: \$ 7,425.60

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

