

SACRED HEART CATHEDRAL

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Rev. Slawomir Szwagrzyk, Rector

Schedule of Masses: Monday- Friday 12:10 PM

Saturday: 5:00 PM (*First Saturday of the month: 9:00 AM & 5:00 PM*)

Sunday Mass: 9:00 AM, 10:30 AM, 12 PM (French), 7:00PM

Reconciliation: Monday – Friday 11:30 AM to 12 noon

Saturday: 4:00 PM - 4:45PM

Or email the office or call for appointment

Adoration of Blessed Sacrament: Thursday 1:00PM- 8:00PM



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2ND SUNDAY OF LENT March 5, 2023



Dear parishioners,

I wish to share with you the news of the passing of our parish secretary Christine's beloved mother **+Cristina De Vera**.

She passed away in the early morning hours of February 28 2023 in San Diego, California.

A mass was celebrated for the repose of her soul on February 28 in our parish.

Please keep Christine and her family in your prayers.

God bless,
Fr. Slawek



PARISH MINISTRY

Mass Intentions FOR THE WEEK



MASS INTENTION:

March 5 9:00 am

10:30 am

12:00 pm

7:00 pm

March 6 12:10 pm

March 7 12:10 pm

March 8 12:10 pm

March 9 12:10 pm

March 10 12:10 pm

March 11 05:00 pm

All Parishioners

Aiza Gomez

+ Trodes, Emmie, & Aracelli

+ Milagrosa & Vecinte

+ Jhenelle Cunanan

+ Paaninao Cruz

+ Boleslaw Alasiewia

Gus & Vivian Pasowisty

+ Deceased family members of Jean Nikon



Father Slawek will be in Haines Junction this weekend.

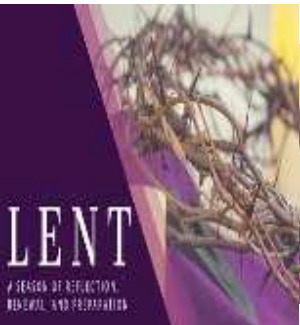
LENT

Lent is a time to answer the call to conversion. Catholics practice self discipline by abstaining from meat on Fridays and making other small sacrifices. Giving alms and spending increased time in prayer are also traditional practices during this holy season. Catholics also are encouraged to go to reconciliation during Lent.

Lent, which begins on Ash Wednesday, is a time of penance. It is a time when we reflect on the 40 days Jesus spent in the desert.

Catholics have three main practices during **Lent**:

prayer, fasting, and almsgiving.



Pope's Prayer
Intention
For March

FOR VICTIMS OF ABUSE

We pray for those who have suffered harm from members of the Church; may they find within the Church herself a concrete response to their pain and suffering.



DIOCESAN LENT WEBPAGE

The Diocese has created a new [Lent 2023 webpage](#) on the diocesan website. The webpage has a variety of information, links to resources, and downloadable documents to guide the Faithful during this Lenten season. Ash Wednesday celebrations and the Diocesan Easter Triduum Mass schedule are also published on this page.

The Diocese will also hold the Staff Lenten retreat on March 20-23. Bishop Camilleri will be celebrating the 12:10 masses at SHC.



THE COLOR PURPLE. Paraments, banners, stoles, slide backgrounds and other items in the church are purple during Lent. Purple is connected to sorrowing and suffering over sin. The Bible tells us that Jesus wore a purple robe when he was mocked by the soldiers and crowned with thorns just hours before his death on the cross (John 19:2)



CHARITY CASH RAFFLE

Knights of Columbus Annual Charity Cash Raffle. Tickets \$10.each. Please contact Dominic Pelayo 689-0394 or Michael Lauer 332-5973



THANK YOU

The Knights of Columbus would like to thank all of the Sacred Heart parishioners who joined us for our Rendezvous Sourdough Pancake Breakfast on Feb 25-26. A special shout-out to the Knights and volunteers who helped to make this breakfast such a success. See you in February 2024!



SUNDAY COLLECTION

THANK YOU for your donations. The total Sunday collection for February is \$11,090. Sunday offertory envelopes are available at the office. Please email office@sacredheartcathedral.ca if you need one. If you were assigned a set of envelopes from previous years, please check the vestibule, it may still be there waiting to be claimed



BRAEBURN LAKE CAMP REGISTRATION

The days are getting longer, and we are starting to think about camp! The Braeburn Lake Christian Camp Association Board has set the dates for our 2023 season, and we are hoping to have our website up and operational to open registration on February 1. There will be four weeks of camp this year from June 25 to July 20th. Please check Braeburn website for more details.

The spirituality of childhood



BECOME A CATECHIST ...HELPING CHILDREN DRAW NEARER TO GOD

Adult formation in the method of the Catechesis of the Good Shepherd immerses you in scripture and liturgy, as well as the religious needs and developmental capacities of the child, through discussion and use of Montessori-style catechetical materials. A course is planned for adults who are interested in, or already involved in caring for the spiritual needs of children in a home, parish or school setting.

Catechesis of the Good Shepherd Formation Course, Level 1 Part A

Where: Sacred Heart Cathedral, Whitehorse YT.

When: Part A - June 29-July 5, 2023. Registration deadline is May 1st.

For Details and to Register: Please visit www.cgsac.ca/courses-1 or see the flyer on the bulletin board.



Our hiring process for the **CAMP DIRECTOR AND ASSISTANT CAMP**

DIRECTOR has started - The Director receives an honorarium of \$4400 and the Assistant Director \$3300 for about a month of work. You can call Stella at 335-4629 for more info - applications are open and you can apply through YuWIN or by email to stellamartin1981@hotmail.com or braeburncamp@gmail.com We will be advertising the counsellor and volunteer positions in early March. Councillors receive an honorarium of \$1500 and must be 16 years old.



CNEWA Canada
a papal agency for humanitarian
and pastoral support



SYRIA-TURKEY EARTHQUAKE DISASTER

In the aftermath of the devastating earthquake of Feb. 6, millions of people in Syria and Turkey are now seeking emergency shelter in convents, parish halls and schools.

Your generous & prayerful support is essential in this critical moment – it could be a lifeline for those women, children and elderly people who have nowhere else to turn. Please consider lending a helping hand during this difficult time

1. Donate through Development & Peace- Caritas Canada. The national Catholic organization dedicated to addressing the crying needs of our world, has partners in the Caritas family who are already mobilized on the frontlines of the earthquake disaster in Turkey and Syria.
Call Toll-free: 1-888-234-8533 or email: info@devp.org
2. Donate through CNEWA
<https://cnewa.org/ca/work/emergency-syria/>

Let us pray for the people of Turkey & Syria suffering from the devastating earthquakes, may they experience the Lord in their midst through the support of the global community during the time of great loss, let us pray to the Lord.



PARISH OFFICE

The parish office is not always open. We may not always answer your phone calls. For inquiries, sacramental info & requests registration, CYO bookings, please email the parish secretary at office@sacredheartcathedral.ca. We will try to get back to you as soon as we can.



A local Christian Children's Theatre group, *The Shepherd's Players*, is performing Shakespeare's play **The Winter's Tale** on the afternoons of Saturday March 25 and Monday March 27 in CYO Hall. Anyone is welcome to attend! Admission by donation; suggested \$2/person. If you would like more information about the content of the play, please contact the parish office.



THE WAY OF THE CROSS

The Way of the Cross is a devotion in which we meditate on Christ's Passion and Death in order to put their meaning into our lives. This Passion and Death are "revelations" of the love of God the Father for all people and of Christ's love for the Father and all people. The devotion of the Way of the Cross should lead us to do in our lives what Jesus did – we must give our lives in the service of others.

We invite everyone to join us for the station of the cross every Friday at 7:00 pm. Volunteers and different parish ministries are welcome to lead the station of the cross.