



St. Joseph the Worker Parish

Diocese of Victoria

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Second Sunday In Ordinary Time

From the Pastor's Desk

*Wedding
at Cana*

"Do Whatever
He Tells You"



First Ever Bishop's Gala Dinner
Message from Fr. Ayre Harrison

We are in the process of putting together a committee for our first ever Bishop's Gala Dinner and are looking for people outside the Cathedral parish, to make this as much of a diocesan event as possible. The committee members we are searching for are as follows:

- Auction: In charge of both the live and silent auction, and helping gather items from different parishes.
- Bar and Catering: Liaison with caterer, a drink menu, etc.
- Promotions: Getting the word out to all parishes, getting people in each parish to help promote and sell tickets.

We would like to have our first meeting as soon as possible. If you feel that you are able to help out in one of these three areas and are not a member of the Cathedral, please contact Fr. Harrison at harrisonayre@gmail.com

Thank you for your consideration and I look forward to hearing from prospective committee members.

In Christ
Father Harrison

Ministry Liturgical Schedule...January 23rd & 24th, 2016

	Saturday 5:00 pm	Sunday 10:00 am	Sunday 6:00pm
Altar Servers Coordinator-Pam Corpus	MC C. Santos B. Newton	MC A. Corpus N. Corpus, J. Grohovac	MC E. Pryma N. Pryma, N. Sabado
Hospitality Ministers Coordinator-Karen Douglas	U. Betts J. Betts	J. Percy	M. Hardy
Lectors Coordinator-Linda Chatton	W. Kyle I. Mihalicz	M. King J. Vukovic	M. Hardy C. Blais
Ushers Coordinator-Maryellen Trudeau	M. Trudeau, T. Butler J. Green, W. Burgess	G. Rossato, S. Leckie R. Strong	tbd
Presenters of the Gifts Coordinator-Ursule Betts	S. Heaps B. Heaps	K. Wysiecki R. Wysiecki	tbd
Children's Liturgy Coordinator-Martin Poulin	Seeds 10:00 Mass C. Whiteley	Promise 10:00am Mass Linda Leone	Good News 10:00am Mass Tom Aerts
Vacuums Coordinator-Ralph Scheurle	S. Nolan E. Oliveira		
Hospital Ministers Coordinator-Claude Mury		S. Sequeira A. Sequeira	

Sacrament of Reconciliation: Saturday at 4:15-4:45 pm or by appointment.
 Sacrament of Marriage: Inquiries must be made 6 months in advance. Register at the office. Marriage preparation class is compulsory.
 Sacrament of Baptism: Call the Parish Office at 250-479-7413 to register for the next Baptism Preparation Class to be held on (date to be determined). Next Baptisms will take place on the weekend of January 30th/31st. All Baptisms are held during all masses of the last weekend of each month.
 Catechism and Children's Liturgy, Sacraments of Reconciliation, Confirmation and First Communion: Contact the Parish Office at 250-479-7413 for more information.
 Pastoral Care Visits While in Hospital: We remind the faithful that privacy legislation in BC prevents the release of information regarding hospital admissions. If you or someone you love are admitted to a hospital and would like a visit from your pastor or Eucharistic Minister, please call your parish office or VGH/RJ hospital emergency pager 250-889-3761 and ask for Fr. Ian Stuart to make this request.

From today's Gospel: When the wine gave out, the mother of Jesus said to him, "They have no wine." (John 2:3)
 Question for Adults: When have you stepped in, as Mary did at Cana, to try and make a difficult situation easier for someone?
 Question for Children: What can you do this week to help make someone's job a little easier?

Week of Prayer for Christian Unity - You are invited to attend the second service to mark the conclusion of the week of prayer, at St. Andrew's Cathedral on Sunday, January 24th at 3:00pm. Reception included. Speaker will be Bishop Logan.

Mass at St. Andrew's Cathedral Victoria: A closing celebration for the Year of Consecrated Life on Monday February 1st, 2016 at: 3:00pm. Please join us for this celebration of Religious Life on Vancouver Island. All are welcome!

Save The Dates - Year of Mercy - "The Theme of Mercy in Scripture" presented by Les McKeown is being held at Holy Cross Parish 4049 Gordon Head Rd, on Thursdays, February 18th to March 17th 2016 from 7:00pm to 9:00pm. Register: office@holycrossvictoria.org or 250-477-5321. (Co-Sponsored by St. Joseph the Worker and Holy Cross Parish)

The Diocese of Victoria invites all Catechists to attend one of two Catechist Workshops being offered on the Island. Workshops are being offered January 30th 9:00am - 1:00pm at St. Peter's Parish in Nanaimo and March 5th 9:00 am - 1:00 pm at St. Joseph the Worker Parish in Victoria. Please register online www.rcdvictoria.org/ or contact Jim O'Reilly jeoreilly@rcdvictoria.org

St. Joseph's Elementary School Kindergarten Registration is open for 2016-2017. We are accepting applications to put on a wait list. Please call 250-479-1232 for more information or visit our website stjosephschool.ca for an application form.

February 15th - 19th is Catholic Schools Week. Please join us at St. Joseph's Elementary School for our Open House on Monday, February 15th from 4:00pm to 6:00pm. Come and see what Catholic education is all about!

Mass Schedule

Weekday Masses

Monday ~9:00am

School Mass

Tuesday ~9:30am

Wednesday ~9:30am

Thursday ~ 9:30am

Friday ~9:30am

Saturday ~ 5:00pm

Sunday ~ 10:00am

& 6:00pm

St. Joseph the Worker Ministry Fair will be held on February 6th and 7th after each Mass - Each Ministry will have their own booth in the church hall to share information regarding their ministry. We encourage all parishioners to participate and find out more about the needs in our faith community and where you can get involved. We are the CHURCH.



Keeping in Contact

We extend our hands and hearts in Christian companionship to you here, celebrating with us, whether long-time residents or newly arrived in the parish. We thank God that you are with us. If you wish to register in the parish please fill out the pink registration form located outside the church office or back of church.

Newsworthy and Noteworthy

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Senior's Lunch Bunch - Come join us on Wednesday, January 20th at 12:00 noon. Everyone welcome. A great occasion to come and socialize with your fellow parishioners. To sign up, please contact Ursule Betts at 250-479-8804.

Women's Breakfast - Women of Faith and Fellowship is an organization of Catholic women in Victoria and surrounding area that comes together for breakfast and fellowship approximately every other month. Come and join us on Saturday, January 23rd, 2016 at 8:00am at the Horseshoe Club (620 Kenneth St). Cost \$10. Guest Speaker: Dr. Nancy Reeves. Deadline for January event is Tuesday, January 19th. To sign up go to <http://goo.gl/forms/YZBsVBBYrz>. If you have a problem signing up, please contact the office 250-479-7413.

Palms - Please bring in your old palms to make ashes for Ash Wednesday. They will be burned on January 31st.

Do you attend mass on Sunday mornings with your family? Do you like to sing contemporary Catholic music? All youth Grades 4 to 12 are invited to join Jen and Shawn on the second Sunday of every month at the 10:00am Mass to sing our praise. Practice is at 9:00am prior to Mass. Our next Youth Choir Mass is Sunday, March 13th. Please email sjchoir@shaw.ca to let us know you will be there. See you soon.

The Knights of Columbus would like to thank Mark Logtenberg and the staff from Davey Tree Expert Co. for donating their time and services for our Annual Tree Chipping fund raiser. We chipped and recycled 100 trees for \$1000 in donations for our many charities. Thanks Mark and Davey Tree Chipping.

Criminal Record Check (CRC) Update - If you had a CRC completed in 2011, it is time to update and renew. As a volunteer at St. Joseph the Worker Parish, your Criminal Record Check is valid for 5 years. You can apply on-line through the Ministry of Justice link: <https://justice.gov.bc.ca/eCRC/>. The parish office will provide an Access Code. Any questions? Please contact office 250-479-7413.

Up Coming Events & Start Dates

Jan 30	9:00am Catechist Workshop - St. Peter's Parish Nanaimo
Feb 1	3:00pm Mass at St. Andrew's Cathedral - closing celebration for the Year of Consecrated Life
Feb 5-7	Camp Homewood Annual Diocesan Retreat for Youth Grades 7-12
Feb 8	7:30pm K of C General Meeting
Feb 9	1:00pm CWL General Meeting
Feb 15-19	Catholic Schools Week
Feb 16	7:00am ACL Breakfast - Cedar Hill Golf Course
Feb 18	7:00pm The Theme of Mercy In Scripture presented by Les McKeown - Holy Cross Parish
Mar 5	9:00am Catechist Workshop - St. Joseph the Worker Parish

This Week in our Community

Monday January 18

Parish Office Closed

9:00am School Mass

6:30pm St. Vincent de Paul Meeting - Rectory

7:00pm Marriage Enrichment Program (2nd part 6 sessions) - Church and Community Room

Tuesday January 19

9:30am Mass + John Mendes

7:00pm Couples for Christ Choir Practice - Church

Wednesday January 20

9:30am Mass + Marvin Arbour

12:00 noon Seniors Lunch Bunch - Church Hall

7:00pm RCIA - Community Room

7:00pm Wing and Prayer Choir Practice - Church

Thursday January 21 Memorial St. Agnes, Virgin, Martyr

9:30am Mass

7:00pm Christian Rocks Choir Practice - check your email

Friday January 22

9:30am Mass

10:00am Adoration followed by Benediction - Come and adore and listen

Saturday January 23

8:00am Women's Breakfast - Horseshoe Club

10:00am Centering Prayer - Rectory

5:00pm Mass + Lalen Boncajes

6:00pm Jesus Youth Ministry - School Gym

Sunday January 24 Third Sunday In Ordinary Time

10:00am Mass

11:15am Catechism Classes

11:15am K of C Pancake Breakfast

6:00pm Mass + Reid Kyfiuk

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The Gettin Higher Choir Benefit Concerts for The Power of Hope, with youth fiddle band Coastline (Musical Director Ivonne Hernandez) Friday, January 29th and Saturday, January 30th, 2016 at 7:30pm at Alix Goolden Hall, 907 Pandora Ave. Tickets: online (gettinhigherchoir.ca/concerts) Munro's Books, Ivy's Books, James Bay Coffee & Book and Dig This - Broadmead. \$25 & \$20 students/seniors

Attention CWL Members

Your 2016 membership fee of \$30.00 is now due. You can pay at a General Meeting or by simply putting a cheque or cash in the Sunday collection plate in an envelope marked "CWL". Please DO NOT use abbreviations on your cheques (the bank will not accept them). Make your cheques payable to "St. Joseph's Catholic Women's League". If you pay by cash, please make sure your name is included in the envelope. Thank you.

Contacts in the Parish

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 Altar Server Training/Coordinator
 Baptism
 Could You Ever Come Back
 to the Catholic Church?
 Centering Prayer
 Children's Liturgy of the Word
 Children's Religious Education
 Development and Peace
 Rite of Christian Initiation(RCIA)
 Jesus Youth - Grades 8 to 12
 St. Joseph's School
 Catholic Women's League(CWL)
 Knights of Columbus
 St. Vincent de Paul
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 Coffee/Hospitality Committee
 Finance Committee
 Lector Schedule Coordinator
 Lector Training Coordinator
 Liturgy Committee
 Masithuthukisane Project
 Social and Ecological Justice Committee
 Parish Pastoral Council

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