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April 20th and 21st 2019

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## *The Resurrection Of The Lord*

### Easter 2019

The people who followed Him, the disciples who followed Him, were poor wretches like you and me. All the newness of hope, the absolutely new certainty and new reality that they were, was **t h a t P r e s e n c e**. The contemporaneousness of that Presence with me, with my children with those who will come after us in a hundred million years: this is the victory that conquers the world. This is the absoluteness. This is the divine in history! I remain the same poor beggar, but with Christ I am certain, I am rich. The attractiveness of my person, that is, what makes it possible to love my person, is the existence of this Presence. Indeed, it is only in a companionship with Him that a person loves himself. Only a person who carries this message can claim an affection for himself, can love himself and therefore love others.

Fr. Luigi Giussani +



*Christ and the Apostles. Detail from the Frescoes with Episodes from the Life of Christ. Church of Santa Margherita (c. 13th century), Laggio di Cadore (Belluno, Italy). ©Alinari Archives, Florence.*

## Happy and Joyful Easter to Everyone

*I wish all of you and your families a sincere and authentic experience of Joy in looking at the Lord, who has Risen from Death. Like Mary Magdalene, let us rejoice at the empty tombs of our sinfulness, and run to our friends, brothers and sisters to announce that life has the final victory over death, and hatred is conquered by love.*

Fr Alfie

# Ministry Liturgical Schedule April 27th and 28th, 2019

	Saturday 5:00 pm	Sunday 10:00 am	Sunday 6:00 pm
<b>Altar Servers</b> Coordinator-Jeanine Woodman	MC J. Price M. Zidek	MC tbd C. Mykyte	MC J. Westhaver J. Palahicky
<b>Hospitality Ministers</b> Coordinator-Karen Douglas	U. Betts J. Betts	J. Percy	D. Walker
<b>Proclaimer Schedule Coordinator</b> Linda Chatton	W. Kyle E. O'Donnell	T. Phillips A. Grohovac	M. Hardy J. Zwicker
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<b>Children's Liturgy</b> Coordinator-Martin Poulin	<b>Seeds 10:00am Mass</b> Martin	<b>Promise 10:00am Mass</b> Wendy and Rae	<b>Good News 10:00am Mass</b> Lucia
<b>Vacuomers</b> Coordinator-Ralph Scheurle	R. Neuman		
<b>Music Ministry</b>	Jen and Shawn	Christian Rocks	Angela Faber Wing and A Prayer
<b>Hospital Ministers</b> Coordinator-Denise Kyfiuk		P. Chang-Kue C. MacDonald	

**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 Saturday, **May 18th 2019**. Typically, 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 and Youth Group:** Contact Parish Office for 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. For **emergency calls only** call 250-889-3761.

**From today's Gospel:** Clean out the old yeast so that you may be a new batch, as you really are unleavened. For our paschal lamb, Christ, has been sacrificed. (1 Corinthians 5:7)  
**Adults:** What change could the hope of the resurrection of Christ inspire you to make?  
**Children:** What bad habit would you like to "clear out" during the hopeful time of this Easter season?

**Garden Babies for Birthright Plant Sale** - on Saturday, **May 4th** from 9:00 am to 1:00pm at Our Lady of the Rosary Church Hall (798 Goldstream). Invite a friend and shop for some wonderful plants at great prices. All proceeds benefit Birthright. More details? Phone Peggy at 250-478-5372 or [info@birthrightvictoria.org](mailto:info@birthrightvictoria.org)

**Universal Kinship and the Common Good: May 4th**, from 9:00 am to 3:30 pm at St. Joseph's Friary (1076 Joan Crescent Victoria). *How to put our faith into practice from the Franciscan perspective of Justice, Peace and Caring for Creation to address present world problems.* Hosted by Little Portion Fraternity of the Secular Franciscan Order. Registration: \$20.00 beforehand, or \$25.00 at the door. Refreshments available; **please bring your own lunch**. Registration info: Linda MacGowan, ofs, 250-655-0713, [sidxsea@gmail.com](mailto:sidxsea@gmail.com); Program Info: Andrew Conradi, ofs, 778-350-2134 [apconradi@telus.net](mailto:apconradi@telus.net). Registration forms are at back of the Church or from your Social Justice Action Committee member.

**ARBUTUS SINGERS COMING BACK TO SIDNEY** A fundraising concert will be performed at St. Elizabeth's Church, in Sidney, on Wednesday, **May 15th** at 7:30 pm. Tickets, only \$12 per person or \$25 for a family, are available at the door. For advance tickets, contact Stephanie Schroeder (250-655-3635 or [densteph@shaw.ca](mailto:densteph@shaw.ca)). All proceeds used by the concert organizers, Hanti Sidra One Global Family, a Sidney-based charity, to expand a very successful program helping village women and their families in South Sudan to grow their own food.

**St. Andrew's Regional High School - The Sports Parents' Committee, The Car Wash, Bake Sale & Shred It** event is coming up on Saturday, **May 11th**, from 10:00am to 2:00pm. Don't forget to save all your confidential material for shredding on the spot.

**Diocesan Youth Conference - The Pursuit** - Young people from the Diocese of Victoria, Grades 8-12! When: **May 24th - 26th** 2019 - Where: St. Andrew's Regional High School. Cost: \$80/per person **until April 19th** - \$100/per person after April 19th. Register now [www.rcdvictoria.org/dycgpalahicky@rcdvictoria.org](http://www.rcdvictoria.org/dycgpalahicky@rcdvictoria.org) and [teamdyc@gmail.com](mailto:teamdyc@gmail.com)

## Mass Schedule

**Weekday Masses**  
**Monday ~ No Mass**  
 Tuesday ~ 9:30am  
 Wednesday ~ 9:30am  
**School Mass**  
 Thursday ~ 9:30am  
 Friday ~ 9:30am  
 Saturday ~ 5:00pm  
 Sunday ~ 10:00am  
 Sunday ~ 6:00pm

Next scrumptious  
**Knights of Columbus**  
**Pancake Breakfast** on  
 Sunday,  
**April 28th**  
 after the  
 10:00am Mass



*"He Counts The Stars  
 And Calls Them All By  
 Name"*

**31st Island Catholic  
 Schools  
 Showcase Concert**

**Monday, April 29th  
 6:30pm**

Farquhar Auditorium,  
 University of Victoria.

Featuring choirs and bands from St. Patrick's Elementary, St. Joseph's Elementary, and St. Andrew's Regional High School. A FREE CONCERT for the whole community!

# Newsorthy and Noteworthy

## HAPPY AND BLESSED EASTER!

Please Note: Parish Office will be closed on Monday, April 22nd and Tuesday, April 23rd.

**12th Annual March for Life** will be held on Thursday, **May 9th**. Mass will be celebrated at 12 noon with Archbishop Miller presiding at St. Pat's and Bishop Gary presiding at St. Andrew's Cathedral. The March begins at 1:45pm from Victoria City Hall (Centennial Square) to the BC Legislature for a Rally for Life at 2:15pm. Following the March, Youth Protecting Youth, the pro-life club at Uvic will be hosting the annual Victoria Pro-Life Gala at St. Leopold's Church. Tickets \$40 /\$25 students. Doors open at 5:30pm. To register please email [youthprotectingyouth@gmail.com](mailto:youthprotectingyouth@gmail.com) or visit <http://bit.ly/yvpygala2019>

**Evangelization Summit** on **May 4th** - Why does the church exist? "She exists in order to evangelize." (Pope St. Paul VI). All are invited to an **Evangelization Summit** at St. Joseph the Worker Parish in Victoria from 8:30 am - 4:00 pm. This is a day of faith, fellowship and formation by respected leaders in the church. Presenters are streamed from a gathering in Ottawa, Ont. Please register at [www.newevangelization.ca](http://www.newevangelization.ca). Contact Glen at [gpalahicky@rcdvictoria.org](mailto:gpalahicky@rcdvictoria.org) for more information.

**VERITAS - An Opportunity to Learn!** - Young Adults (18 - 40), within the Victoria region, are invited to explore the message of Jesus Christ who is Truth. A 6 week series, beginning **May 14th**, under the vibrant, thoughtful and often humorous guidance of Father Dean Henderson, VERITAS is for persons seeking to renew their understanding of the catholic faith. To register call Cathedral office 250-388-5571 or email: [standrewscathedral@gmail.com](mailto:standrewscathedral@gmail.com)

**YESSSS!!! Your CWL friends are holding their annual GARAGE SALE on June 8th** and would like you to buy a table for \$25 so you can get rid of, or rather, sell your unique treasures for others to enjoy. You can get a table by seeing Patti at the office or emailing: [stjoecraftfair2@gmail.com](mailto:stjoecraftfair2@gmail.com). Tables are going fast - really.

**Bishop Thomas J. Lobsinger, OMI Memorial Bursary 2019 Program** is offering **thirty bursaries of \$500 each to Catholic students across the Province of British Columbia. Applications are accepted until June 30, 2019** with the bursaries being awarded in the fall. The Terms of Reference can be found on our web site at: <https://kofcbc.org/files/2018/12/Terms-of-Reference-2019.pdf>. Please see bulletin board for more details.

### Up Coming Events & Start Dates

Apr 27	9:00am Our Lady of Good Counsel - CWL
Apr 27	Golf Tournament and Silent Auction - Highland Pacific Golf Course
Apr 29	6:30pm Island Catholic Schools Concert - UVic
May 1	9:30am Feast of St. Joseph Mass
May 4	8:30am Evangelization Summit - St. Joseph the Worker Parish
May 4	6:00pm Bishop's Gala - Our Lady of Fatima Hall
May 9	1:45pm March for Life (Mass at noon)
May 11	10:00am St. Andrew's Regional High - Car Wash Bake Sale & Shred It
May 10-12	Youth Retreat - Camp Imadene
May 24-26	Victoria Diocesan Youth Conference - St. Andrew's Regional High School
Jun 8	9:00am Garage Sale - St. Joseph the Worker

# This Week in our Community

**Monday April 22 Solemnity Easter Octave**  
Parish Office Closed

No Mass

7:30pm K of C Executive Meeting - Church Hall

**Tuesday April 23 Solemnity Easter Octave**

Parish Office Closed

9:30am Mass

10:00am CWL Executive Meeting - Community Room

7:00pm Couples for Christ Choir Practice - Church

**Wednesday April 24 Solemnity Easter Octave**

9:30am Mass

**Thursday April 25 Solemnity Easter Octave**

9:30am Mass + John Mendes

7:00pm Manna Gathering - Community Room

**Friday April 26 Solemnity Easter Octave**

9:30am Mass

Adoration from 10:00am to noon - Come and adore and listen - Church

7:00pm Rosary for Family and Friends - Church

**Saturday April 27 Solemnity Easter Octave**

9:00am CWL Our Lady of Good Counsel Mass followed by reception in church hall

10:00am Contemplative Community - Community Room

5:00pm Mass + Joseph Varghese

6:00pm Youth Group - School Gym

**Sunday April 28 Second Sunday Of Easter (Divine Mercy)**

8:45am Catechism Classes

10:00am Mass

11:15am K of C Pancake Breakfast

6:00pm Mass Special Int. Kathleen Elizabeth McClintock



### Our 6th Annual St. Joseph's School and Parish Golf Tournament and Silent Auction -

Join us on Saturday, **April 27th**

at Highland Pacific Golf Course

Please email us with questions

**Silent Auction Coordinator:**

Angela Grohovac [sjs1auction@gmail.com](mailto:sjs1auction@gmail.com)

**Golf Coordinators:**

Lisa Dedeluk, Flordeliza and Florian Laudi

and Carlo Silverio [sjs1golf@gmail.com](mailto:sjs1golf@gmail.com)

**Catholic Schools Plan - Update** - We are pleased to announce that construction of the new wing at St. Andrew's Regional High School is on schedule and will be open to students in September 2019. Please visit the Island Catholic Schools website for details (update on Catholic Schools Plan) [www.cisdv.bc.ca/catholic-schools-plan.php](http://www.cisdv.bc.ca/catholic-schools-plan.php). Stay tuned for an Alumni Engagement event coming up in June.

### WE'RE BUILDING A CHURCH!!!!

In partnership with the Ahousaht 1st Nation, we have been invited to build a new church this summer. Funds raised at the Gala will be used to support the building of the new church. If you are unable to attend this fabulous event, donations are also gratefully accepted. Tickets are available and donations can be made online at: <https://www.rcdvictoria.org/diocesan-blog/2019-bishops-gala>

If you have items or services that would be suitable for the auction, please contact the Gala organizers at 250-479-1331.

# Contacts in the Parish

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Baptism

Contemplative Community

Children's Liturgy of the Word

Children's Religious Education

Development and Peace

Eucharistic Ministry Contact

SJTW Pastoral Care Outreach Ministry

Rite of Christian Initiation(RCIA)

Youth Group - Grades 6 to 12

St. Joseph's School

Catholic Women's League(CWL)

Knights of Columbus

St. Vincent de Paul

Building and Maintenance Committee

Coffee/Hospitality Committee

Finance Committee Chair

Proclaimer Schedule Coordinator

Proclaimer Training Coordinator

Liturgy Committee

Masithuthukisane/SJTW (2015-2020) Project

Social and Ecological Justice Committee

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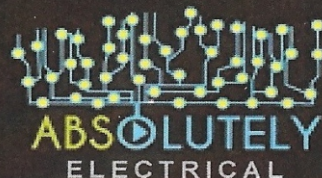
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