

# Sacred Heart Catholic Church



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### Augustinian Friars in the Parish:

Fr. Francis Galvan, OSA – Pastor  
Fr. Ronnie B-Sy Custorio, OSA – Assistant Pastor  
Fr. Michael Martell, OSA

**Parish Office Hours: Tuesday to Friday**  
**8:30am to 4:30pm**

**Baptism:** 4<sup>th</sup> Sunday of the Month at 12:15pm  
**Baptismal Class:** 3<sup>rd</sup> Wednesday of the Month 7:00pm  
Call office to pre-register

### Holy Eucharist:

Sunday Masses: Saturday 5pm (Anticipated Mass)  
Sunday 9am, 11am & 5pm  
Weekday Mass: Monday to Saturday, 9am (Chapel)

**Confessions:** Saturday: 10am to 11am (Chapel)

**Spanish Confession and Mass First Saturday**  
7-7:20pm Confession - Mass 7:30pm

**Sacrament of Marriage** - Call office to set appointment  
with pastor - 6 months prior to desired date.

### PARISH COMMITTEE AND GROUP MEETINGS (SEPT to JUNE)

9:30am	Aug 27	St. Monica Guild	Council Room
7:30pm	3rd Monday	Knights of Columbus	Augustine House 3 <sup>rd</sup> floor media room
6:15pm	Sept 2019	PREP	School
7:00pm	June 18th	Parish Ed. Committee	Monastery
12:15pm	2 <sup>nd</sup> Sun of month	Hope for Life	Foyer of Church
6:00pm	Sept 2019	Family Potluck Dinner	Parish Hall
12:45pm	1 <sup>st</sup> & 3 <sup>rd</sup> Sundays	WITS	Foyer of Church

### WEEKLY GROUPS

9:30am	Mon to Sat	Holy Rosary/Chaplet of Divine Mercy	Chapel
7:00 p.m.	Tuesday	Spanish Holy Rosary	Chapel
5:00pm	Thursday	Legion of Mary	Church

### PARISH CONTACTS

Doug Lynes	Parish Financial Manager	940-0583
Barry Marshall	Maintenance/Rentals	319-4740
John Barker	Choir Director/Music	943-7558
Erin Seddon	Religious Ed. (PREP)	946-2618
Kelly Kozack	School Principal	946-2611
Brandy Grund	Vice-Principal	
Mylene Lock	Lil Saints Preschool	946-4525
Martin Grund	Youth Ministry (Gr 8+)	magsh@axionet.com
Joan Canil	Hope for Life	jrcanil@telus.net



**All that the Father has is mine, and the Spirit will take what is mine and declare it to you.**

**Trinity Sunday**

**Sunday, June 16, 2019**  
**Year C**

**Reflection:** God is a God for us. God created us in his image, dwelt among us and remains with us in truth and as our strength and guidance. Everything God does, he does for us. May we strive to live in relationship with one another as our Triune God does with us. **LITURGY OF THE WORD** Our first reading is a poetic reflection on the wisdom of God being present in all that God does. Saint Paul tells the Romans that they have peace with God through our Lord Jesus Christ. In the Gospel, Jesus tells his disciples that they will come to understand his teachings more fully when they are filled with the Holy Spirit.

### A Happy and Blessed Father's Day

Heavenly Father, you entrusted your Son Jesus, the child of Mary, to the care of Joseph, an earthly father. Bless all fathers as they care for their families. Give them strength and wisdom, tenderness and patience; support them in the work they have to do, protecting those who look to them, as we look to you for love and salvation, through Jesus Christ our rock and defender. Amen.



**Junior Youth Group** - As we celebrate Father's Day today, you are encouraged to plan some special time with your Dad and other family members. Therefore, we will take a break from our regular meetings this week. **Next Sunday, June 23rd** (6 to 8 PM), we will meet at Centennial Beach Park enjoy a potluck bbq, beach volleyball and all the other blessings we enjoy at the beginning of the summer. For more information, please contact Martin at [magsh@axionet.com](mailto:magsh@axionet.com).

**Our next Baptismal Preparation** course will be this coming Wednesday, June 19<sup>th</sup>. This course is for parents of infants and young children who wish to baptize their child into the Catholic Church. The Sacrament of Baptism is on Sunday, June 23<sup>rd</sup>. Please call the office to register for both of these.

**Pro-Life Year End Gathering:** On behalf of Sacred Heart Hope For Life, we would like to thank all of our parishioners for your support and prayers for Pro-Life this year. Indeed, much good has been done. We would like to extend an invitation to join us for our year end social on **Sunday, June 23rd from 1 to 3 pm in our Parish Hall**. Coming together and building a Pro-Life Community makes us stronger and allows us to stand up for what we believe in. More importantly, you can be with friends, enjoy each others company and meet new people from other parishes filled with hope and the Holy Spirit doing God's work for the most vulnerable in our society. ALL ARE WELCOMED! Also, feel free to bring a special favourite potluck dish of yours if you wish. Please contact Jim Canil to RSVP or for further details, [jrcanil@telus.net](mailto:jrcanil@telus.net)

**Feast of the Most Sacred Heart of Jesus** (Friday, June 28<sup>th</sup>) There will be morning chapel Mass at 9:00am and an evening Mass at 7:00pm in the Church.

**Feast of St. Monica August 27th** - Following the morning chapel Mass Our St. Monica Guild will hold a social in the council room for all ladies of the parish.

Save the date: **Sacred Heart Parish FAMILY DAY** will be on **Sunday, Sept 15<sup>th</sup>**.

**Thank you to all** who generously donated to our recent second collection for Canadian Catholic Missions. Our parish raised \$2,944, which will help missionaries in the far northern parts of Canada.

**Our Knights of Columbus wish to thank all** the Sacred Heart parishioners for their support of our monthly Pancake Breakfasts. Over the years it has been a reliable source of funds for many of the local charities that we support. At the same, time it has grown into a parish social event which is well received and offers a time and place for many of us to just get together, and visit over a meal. Our Knight volunteers will be taking the summer off, but we will be back with breakfasts in September. Once again, thanks for your attendance.

**SUNDAY COLLECTION REPORT - June 9, 2019**

	<u>Actual</u>	<u>Target</u>	<u>Variance</u>
Sunday Collection	\$9,750	\$11,500	-\$1,750
Year to Date	\$256,230	\$261,000	-\$4,770

***Thank you for your ongoing financial help to the parish***

**Project Advance 2019 Corner:** After 4 weeks of the campaign, we now have a total of about \$ 35,000 in donations and pledges. Thanks to all for your generosity. Also, thanks to all our parish volunteers who helped before and after all masses in the foyer of the Church. Blank forms will continue to be available at the back throughout the year. Just complete the form, put it in the envelope, write "Project Advance" on the outside, and place in the regular collection. You may also contribute online as well at [www.projectadvance.ca](http://www.projectadvance.ca) – just be sure to identify Sacred Heart (Delta) as your home parish - For more information contact our parish Chair of Project Advance, Patrick Kennedy at 946-6711 or [patlawkennedy@hotmail.com](mailto:patlawkennedy@hotmail.com) **Thank you for supporting this important annual fundraising effort.**

**Luke 15 House** Many of our families have been touched by addictions and substance abuse. Luke 15 House is a Catholic based recovery home for men and they are looking for our support to help build a new home in Langley. Moving to this new property will double the number of men they can help, increase the programs they can offer, and provide a secure foundation for the future for these men. All are invited to a Dinner Theatre on Friday, July 5th, at St. Matthews Parish in Surrey where the spectacular Vancouver Improv Theatre will perform. Thank you for your support. Call Sunita 604-948-1690 for tickets. More info at [www.luke15house.org](http://www.luke15house.org)

**Pope at Audience:** 'communion overcomes divisions Speaking to the pilgrims gathered in St. Peter's Square for the Wednesday General Audience, Pope Francis explained that communion and 'freedom from oneself' are part of the Christian DNA. In his catechesis, which continues a new cycle dedicated to the Acts of the Apostles, the Pope warned against the temptation of being self-referential and invited the faithful never to fear diversity. He reflected on the fact that Christ's choice of twelve Apostles shows the continuity between the Church and the people of Israel. After the defection of Judas, the Apostles, he said, were conscious that his place in the Twelve had to be taken by another. So, he explained, guided by Peter, the community as a whole joined in prayer to discern the Lord's choice of Matthias.

**Visible communion** The Pope said that Jesus had told his disciples that they would be known "by their love for one another", and explained that this visible communion of the Apostles was their first form of witness to the Risen Lord and his saving love. He noted that the disciples knew perfectly well that the Resurrection of Christ was not "one event among others," but the source of new life. He said that while "Judas preferred death to life" the eleven, instead, chose life and salvation, and took on the responsibility of passing it down through history, from generation to generation, from the people of Israel to the Church. Pope Francis continued pointing out that the abandonment of one of the twelve created a wound in that community body, and said it became necessary to pass the task on to another and to reconstitute the group of twelve.

**Community discernment** This, he explained, inaugurated the practice of community discernment, which consists in "seeing reality through the eyes of God, in the perspective of unity and communion," highlighting the fact that "communion overcomes divisions, isolation, a mentality that prioritizes private space". "In the Acts of the Apostles, the twelve manifest the style of the Lord," he said, explaining that the visible communion of the Apostles was their first form of witness to the Risen Lord and his saving love. "We too," Pope Francis said, "need to rediscover the beauty of witnessing to the Risen One, going beyond self-referential attitudes, resisting the temptation to keep God's gifts to ourselves, and never yielding to mediocrity." The Pope concluded his catechesis urging the faithful to ask the Lord to help

them bear witness to the reconciling power of that love by our unity, which – he said - triumphs over pride and divisiveness, and creates one People of God out of diversity.

**Safeguard life in every moment** During his greetings to a group of Polish pilgrims who participated in a 'Procession for Life' on Sunday, the Pope issued an appeal to always respect and safeguard the sanctity of life. "Life is sacred because it is a gift from God," he said, urging Christians "to defend and serve life" from the moment of conception until "old age, when it is marked by infirmity and suffering". "It is not lawful to destroy life, to make it the object of experiments or false conceptions," he said.

By Linda Bordoni – Vatican website

*If you can't keep me, Mamma,  
it's all right, I'll understand,  
But please let someone else reach out  
to take my tiny hand.  
So many childless couples would be  
happy as can be,  
If they could but adopt and love  
a little one like me.*

*Remember that when you were just  
as small  
and frail as I,  
Your mother didn't make the choice  
to have her baby die.  
You had your chance to live,  
so, please let me have my chance, too.  
I can't escape, I can't cry out...  
My life depends on you!  
Your preborn child*

