

The Ascension of the Lord, May 13th, 2018

MASS SCHEDULE



Saturday, May 12th, Easter Weekday:

- 9:00 am Mass — Soul of Dan Pavelick †
Requested by Rita Sedar
- 4:00 pm Choir Practice ♪~ Parish Hall
- 4:00 pm Reconciliation (Confession)
- 5:00 pm Mass - Soul of Lawrence Lalonde †
Requested by Mary Connelly
- 6:15 pm Youth Ministry — Faith Formation

Sunday, May 13th: The Ascension of the Lord:

- 8:30 am Mass — Souls of Agnes & Michael Fitzpatrick †
Requested by Dave & Elizabeth Fitzpatrick
- 10:30 am Family Mass — Intentions of the Parishioners

Monday, May 14th, St. Matthias, Apostle:

- 6:15 pm Children's Religious Education
- 6:00 pm Youth Ministry

Tuesday, May 15th, Easter Weekday:

- 10:00 am to 7:00 pm — Adoration
- 6:30 pm Cenacle Rosary
- 7:00 pm Mass—Soul of Dr. George Lefebvre †
Requested by Marc Lefebvre
- 7:30 pm Parish Pastoral Council Meeting ~ Parish Hall
- 7:30 pm Refugee Committee Meeting ~ St. Luke's Room

Wednesday, May 16th, Easter Weekday:

- 9:00 am Mass — Soul of Elenor †
Requested by Bob & Gloria Miller
- 6:30 pm Catechist Meeting ~ St. Luke's Room

Thursday, May 17th, Easter Weekday:

- 9:00 am Mass — Intentions of Carol Low †
Requested by Nancy & Peter Horsfield
- 11:30 am CWL Fashion Show (Doors Open / Lunch Noon / Fashion Show 1:00)
- 7:00 pm Knights of Columbus Executive Meeting ~ St. Luke's Room

Friday, May 18th, Easter Weekday:

- 9:00 am Mass — Intentions of Doreen Peacock
Requested by Teri & Gord Johnston
- 9:30 am Benediction, Exposition & Divine Mercy Devotion
- 10:00 am CWL Sandwich Prep Day

Saturday, May 19th, Vigil of Pentecost:

- 9:00 am Mass — **Cancelled**
- 11:00 am Funeral Mass — Nick Koelewyn †
- 4:00 pm Choir Practice ♪~ Parish Hall
- 4:00 pm Reconciliation (Confession)
- 5:00 pm Mass — Intentions of George Blank
Requested by Les & Rosemary Blank

...Baptism: Azilynn Marie Basara

Sunday, May 20th, Pentecost Sunday:

- 8:30 am Mass — Intentions of the Parishioners
- 10:30 am Mass — Soul of Nellie Kulchiski †
Requested by Ollie Martyniuk
- 3:00 pm Hearts Afire — Pentecost Celebration

...Raise The Roof: Sunday, June 3rd, following the 10:30am Mass — (A fundraising to fix the church roof) **Filipino Brunch & Entertainment** Tickets: \$15 per person or \$40 per family / Available for sale after the weekend Masses, or in the parish office, or please call Dita at 250 468-1884. Come and join in the celebration and fellowship!



Greetings to All:

Happy Mother's Day

To begin, I do wish all our mothers of the parish, your daughters and daughter in laws who are mothers a Happy Mothers' Day and blessings to you this Sunday. This Sunday we celebrate our parish feast as it is Ascension Sunday and we celebrate our mothers too so do stay for some cake after the two Sunday masses.

Pastor's NOTES

This coming week there is a parish council meeting on Tuesday night at 7:30 pm after mass. The CWL fashion show is on Thursday starting at 11:30. Last Thursday Janet Dunnett gave an excellent presentation on a caregiving journey as a daughter to her aging parents. She published a book on this experience called *The Dwindling* that would be recommended for all who may be caregivers. On Saturday May 19th is the funeral mass for Nick Koelewyn at 11:00 am and a reception to follow with no morning mass at 9:00 am.

If you see a motor home up at the rectory I did sell the truck and camper recently and purchased it last week. It is large enough to have my parents, siblings and their families to go with me camping. Regarding the Parksville - Oceanside Region Supportive Housing the public meeting is now scheduled for June 19th. For this much needed housing in our community to be a reality your support is needed in letter writing and attending that meeting on June 19th.

...Fr. Mike

...**Clergy Appointments: June & July 2018** — For those who don't receive the bulletin through the email, you'll find copies of the clergy appointments at the back of the church. ...Diocese of Victoria

...Youth Ministry: 14th Annual Family Grad Mass

— **Sunday, June 10th, at 10:30am.** The following young Catholics are graduating, Ethan Bridger, Emma Canil, Matthew Giroux, Megan McDermand, Colbie Pascoe, Sydney Raduy, Jack Telford, Erin Wadge, Isaac Waite, and Jordon Wort. Congratulations to each of them. Soon letters of invitations will be sent to each of our graduating students and their families. If you know of someone who may have been missed, please contact the parish office. Thank you.

...Matthew Morrison, Coordinator of Youth Faith Formation

...**Diocese of Victoria:** "Experience one of the largest assemblies of Indigenous Catholics at the 79th Annual Tekakwith Conference", July 18th to 21st, 2018, which will be held in Tacoma, Washington this year. Bishop Gary Gordon will deliver the keynote address at the conference, Thursday, July 19th. For the program and more information about the conference, please visit <http://tekcon.org/>

...Rafael Oei, Executive Assistant

Office of the Bishop & Chancellor, Diocese of Victoria

...Island Catholic Schools Annual Choral Concert: LORD

OF ALL POWER — **Tuesday, May 22, 6:30pm**, at St. Andrew's Cathedral, Victoria, BC. Featuring choirs from all six Catholic schools on the island. Free admission. For all those that would like to watch (like family and friends from afar), this concert will be livestreamed from www.rcdvictoria.org.



Graduation

Knights of Columbus



Next Executive Meeting : Thursday, May 17th, 7:00pm in Luke's Room.

Next General Meeting: Thursday, June 7th, 7:00pm, in the Parish Hall.

The **Knights' Choir:** is scheduled to sing on the first Sunday, 8:30AM Mass of each month.



Annual Knights of Columbus Garage Sale: May 26, 2018 We are looking for your donations of gently used furniture, appliances, electronics, sporting goods, books, games and anything else that would be able to sell. All proceeds go towards the many K of C projects in the parish and community. For pick-up of any items, please contact Dennis Belliveau, 250-927-1200 or dennis.belliveau@shaw.ca. Thank you, as always, for your continued support.

New improved 2018 Lifestyle Books available now. Price is \$21.00 taxes included. Contact Tony Antoniuk 250-752-9152 or Ray Misanchuk 250-607-8950.

Find Out How You Can Serve: in the spirit of fellowship and charity. For those interested in joining the Knights of Columbus, please contact **Wayne Sapieha** (250-586-7480) or **Al Walsh** (250-738-0319).

"The Eucharist is the bread that gives strength...It is at once the most eloquent proof of His love and the most powerful means of fostering His love in us. He gives Himself every day so that our hearts as burning coals may set afire the hearts of the faithful."

...St. Damien of Molokai

...Jack Chambers



...**Hearts Afire: Feast of Pentecost — Sunday, May 20th, 3:00pm;** Come celebrate the Holy Spirit on Pentecost Sunday! The Hearts Afire group is preparing a celebration; Fr. Mike will preside, and will

bless all those who wish to receive a laying on of hands for the gifts of the Holy Spirit. Beginning May 11th through the 19th, we will also pray a daily novena to the Holy Spirit in our homes. Try to make your novena about 7:00pm each day, but if this is inconvenient, you can make it at a time more suitable for you...if you wish to join us in this prayer, you can do so by going online to: novena to the holy spirit e-catholic2000

...Dianne Sisonenko & Maureen Murray

...**Ordination to the Diaconate:** On Saturday, July 28th, 10:30am, at the Cathedral we will celebrate the Ordination to the Permanent Diaconate of four candidates. With their wives, these four candidates Phillip Youson (Marie), Michael Watson (Cynthia), John Dawson (Heather) and Dion Pomponio (Kerry) have spent 4 ½ years in prayerful discernment, study and ministerial apprenticeship preparing for this moment when they will offer their lives in service to the diocesan Church of Victoria. All are welcome to attend and a reception will follow at St. Patrick's Church Hall in Oak Bay.

...Fr. John Laszczyk, Vicar General

...**Diocesan Youth Conference: DYC 2018 Thrive -May 25th to 27th.** The conference is a fun and faith-inspiring experience for youth **Grade 8 to 12** — plan to join. For information and registration forms contact Matthew Morrison, ascensionyouthministry@shaw.ca



...**Butterflies & Memories: Hospice Butterfly Release, Saturday, June 23rd, 2:00pm @ The Gardens, Qualicum Beach** — Tickets \$25; available at Oceanside Hospice. For information, please call 250-951-3109.

...Victor Shayer

PRAYER REFLECTION:

"His compassions never fail. They are new every morning" (Lamentations 3: 22-23)

...Carol Low-Hykaway, CWL



CWL Spring Fashion Lunch: Thursday, May 17th — Doors Open 11:30am / Lunch @ Noon / Fashion show at 1:00pm — Show by "Close to You Fashions" coordinated by Sandy Herle. Door prizes & Silent Auction. Tickets: \$25/person or book a table of 6 . For tickets contact: Sandi Digras at 250 954-1991.

...Gail Olyniuk, CWL President

...**Easter Lilies & Flowers:** On behalf of the parish, we express our appreciation and gratitude to all parishioners who have helped to provide the beautiful Easter Sunday and year-round altar flowers through their donations. We remember the repose of the souls of their loved ones...

Easter Memorial Intentions

John & Kathleen Goodman

Brooks & Bernie Lamb

Ed Watts & Sid & Ellen Reeder

William Pearce & Bruno Pasqualotto

Keith Quinn & Mrs. Quinn

Erwin Sisonenko & Roy & Lena Wist

Paul & Ross Sisonenko

Marjorie Wist & Bill Wist

Wist & Bieschoff Relatives

Aunts, Uncles, Cousins

Friends: Erik, Aleane, Jean

Engelbert, Adelle Real & Norman Brien

Armande (Coupal), Fleurette & Martin Smith

Roy & Jean Moyen

Lloyd Kirkpatrick

Quinn & Murray Families

Agnes & Vincent Ackerman & Lil & Joe DesLaurier

Margaret & Gerhardt Sokolowski

Srs. Teresa & Catherine DesLaurier

Christopher Peat & Doug Johnston

Ruby, George & Howard Blank

Fr. Pyshbulek



Prayer List:

...Please pray for Francis Barnum, Benita, Geoff Benetto, Lou Biggeman, Denyse Bilodeau, John & Lisa Boag, Kay Boag, Calle Badenhorst, Anna Bryan, Beverley Carpenter, Al Deamer, Eileen Dobson, Florence Doyle, Menanteau Dullisear, Gloria Enright-Arnouse, Jim Enright, Terry Evans, Frances Fernando, Rebecca Finlay, Rosemary Fontenla, Brenda Fougere, Denise Gervais, Bonnie Grad, Tanya Greene, Donovan Hanlon, Ron Hawley, Tina Holzwarth, Jackie Hrebicek, Ingrid Kamp, Jens Kamp, George Kelly, Kate Kelly, Gert Klopper, Veronica Klopper, Kelly Low, Raymond Lortie, Caleb McIntyre, Evelyn Meyers, Bonita Moeller, Kevin Moreland, Shirley Newman, Terry Nishimura, Naomi Oververde, Marlene Pineda, Eileen Plumb, Iris Richardson, Joan Shackley, Avon Shields, Shiela Rigby, Rosina, Crystal Smyth, Scott Tanner, Carlos Triay, Jean Turner, Georgjan Vojtech, Paula Zilkie, and a **Special Prayer Intention for the Reverence for Life with dignity. May we defend it and promote it from conception to its natural end.**

