



SACRED HEART

ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH | CALGARY

THE BULLETIN



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APRIL 2022
HOLY WEEK

Mass Times

Saturday: 9:00 am, 5:00 pm

Sunday: 7:30 am, 9:00 am,
11:00 am, 5:00 pm

Mon to Fri: 12:05 pm

Reconciliation

Saturday: 4:00 pm

Tuesday: 11:15 am

Thurs to Fri: 11:15 am

Also available upon request.

Adoration

Friday: 12:45 pm

Incense is used.

Parish Office

Mon to Fri: 9:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.

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Jesus' Last Days

According to the Ordo, "Holy Week is the week which precedes the great Feast of the Resurrection on Easter Sunday: it includes the last days of Lent and the beginning of the Easter Triduum. During Holy Week, the Church celebrates the mysteries of salvation accomplished by Christ in the last days of his life on earth, beginning with his messianic entrance into Jerusalem." Ordo 2023 CCCB Ottawa

We start with Palm Sunday which is loaded with impact in the life of Jesus, a life-changing moment, and a defining act of submission to the will of the Father. As he entered Jerusalem, riding a donkey and people shouting, 'Hosanna to the Son of David', made a conscious and sorrowful decision to pass through to his death. The Jews used palm branches to welcome Jesus, the Messiah as symbol of victory and peace. By this celebration, let us get rid of ourselves the disorder of life, ride the donkey of humility, and enter our own Jerusalem, our own suffering with the Messiah.

The Sacred Paschal Triduum is the feast of all feasts. "Through his Paschal Mystery, the Lord Jesus redeemed the human race and gave perfect glory to the Father. By dying, Christ destroyed our death; by rising, he restored our life. For this reason, the Easter Triduum, when we celebrate the Suffering, Death, and Resurrection of our Lord, is the high point of the Liturgical Year. The Easter Solemnity is to the year what Sunday is to the week." Ordo 2023, CCCB Ottawa

On Holy Thursday, we celebrate the Mass of the Lord's Supper commemorating the institution of the Eucharist by his words 'Do this in remembrance of me.' We also do the Washing of the Feet of the Apostles, symbolizes service and humility, the command Christ given to all of us. The transfer of the Most Blessed Sacrament to the narthex starts our vigil until midnight. As the Lord said to Peter, James and John: 'Could you not stay awake with me one hour?', let us spend an hour with the Lord in the altar of repose. On Good Friday, "the death of Jesus is at the same time his glorification. It is also God's glorification. Jesus does not die as a helpless victim of human machinations; he gives up his life freely as proof of his love for the Father and the Father's love for humanity." 365 Days with Lord, St. Paul Publications

On Easter Vigil, the night vigil signifies Christ's passage from the dead to the living which begins in darkness (sin, death) and is enlightened by the first and the candle representing Lumen Christi - the Light of Christ - just as the Church, the mystical Body of Christ, the community of believers, is led from spiritual darkness to the light of his truth. Christ's baptism, which our own baptism imitates, is represented during the liturgy by the blessing of the water of baptism by immersing (burying) the candle representing his Body into the font. This evening's service has 4 parts: 1) The service of the Light symbolizes darkness to light, death to life; 2) The Liturgy of the Word, readings and psalms help us meditate on the wonderful works of God for his people since the beginning of time; 3) Renewal of Baptismal Promises which includes the Litany of the Saints, the Easter water is blessed, new members are brought into the Church through baptism and Confirmation, and we the faithful are blessed with water and renew our own baptismal promises; 4) The Liturgy of the Eucharist, we have been fed by the Word and given new life in the waters of baptism, here we eat his Body and drink his Blood and receive the life in him that he promises.

So, this Holy Week let us join, participate, and joyfully celebrate this great event of our Christian faith. Be with Jesus, the Messiah, our Lord throughout this week!

From our staff, Beata, Kathryn, Ingrid, Janette, and our priests, Fr. Wilbert, and Fr. Mario, I would like to greet you Happy Easter and may the Risen Lord be with us today and always!
Ad Maiorem Dei Gloriam! For the Greater Glory of God

Fr. Rowel Jose Abanto



2023 Holy Week Schedule

www.sacredheartcalgary.ca/mass/

PALM SUNDAY

Saturday, April 1st at 5 pm
Sunday, April 2nd at 7:30 am, 9 am, 11 am, and 5 pm

*Church & Columbarium Hours:
9 am to 6:30 pm
Office is closed.*

HOLY MONDAY

Chrism Mass @ St. Mary's Cathedral April 3rd 7 pm
(NO Noon Mass @ Sacred Heart Church)

*Church & Columbarium Hours:
9 am to 6:30 pm
Office Hours: 9 am to 3 pm*

HOLY TUESDAY

Tuesday, April 4th at Noon

*Church & Columbarium Hours:
9 am to 6:30 pm
Office Hours: 9 am to 3 pm*

HOLY WEDNESDAY

Wednesday, April 5th at Noon

*Church & Columbarium Hours:
9 am to 6:30 pm
Office Hours: 9 am to 3 pm*

HOLY THURSDAY

Thursday, April 6th at 7 pm
Altar of Repose Vigil at 8 pm
(NO Noon Mass)

*Church Hours: 9 am to Midnight
Columbarium: 9 am to 6:30 pm
Office Hours: 9 am to Noon*

GOOD FRIDAY

Passion of the Lord
Friday, April 7th at 3 pm
(NO Noon Mass)

*Church & Columbarium Hours:
8 am to 6:30 pm
Office is closed.*

EASTER VIGIL

Saturday, April 8th at 8 pm

*Church Hours: 8 am to 10:30 pm
Columbarium: 8 am to 6:30 pm
Office is closed.*

EASTER SUNDAY

Sunday, April 9th at 9 am, 11 am, 5 pm
(NO 7:30 am Mass)

*Church & Columbarium Hours:
8 am to 6:30 pm
Office is closed.*

EASTER MONDAY

Monday, April 10th
*Church, Columbarium, and Parish Office will be closed.
We will reopen on Tuesday, April 11th at 9 am.*

CONFESSIONS

There will only be confession on Holy Tuesday 11:15 am to 11:45 am and Good Friday 10 am to Noon.



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FLOWER *fundraiser*

MARCH 25-26 APRIL 15-16

**ALL PROFITS WILL GO TOWARDS
SUPPORTING RCIA OUTREACH!**

11" Hanging Basket Deluxe	\$25
13" Planter Deluxe	\$35
14" Hanging Basket Deluxe	\$40
15" Planter Deluxe	\$45
18" Planter Deluxe	\$55

GST is already included.

**Pick up date and location:
Wednesday, May 17th 3:30pm - 6:30pm
Sacred Heart Parish Parking Lot**

**Orders & Payment are required upon
purchase. Cash or Cheque Only: Please
make cheque payable to: Sacred Heart
Parish (note: Flower Fundraiser)**

***No line ups, guaranteed product, excellent
quality flower arrangements, and you will
be supporting our RCIA Ministry!***



28 children from our
Parish will be receiving
their First Holy
Communion on Divine
Mercy Sunday, April 16th!
Please keep them in your
prayers!



MOTHER'S DAY ROSES

The Knights of Columbus will be selling roses after all Masses on May 13th and 14th. The suggested price is \$5 per rose. All proceeds will go directly to Calgary Pro-Life to support its 'Respect Life' education programs.

CWL *Spring* BAKE SALE

*in support of Sacred
Heart School*

The 16th Annual CWL Spring Bake Sale in support of SACRED HEART SCHOOL will take place after all masses on the weekend of **April 29 and 30**. We ask parishioners donating baking to please take it to the Narthex Kitchen before mass and then return after mass and purchase fresh baking for dinner!

All proceeds will go towards technology for the classrooms. For more info, please contact Anna Marinelli @ 587-892-2713.





HOLY WEEK MISSION

CALLING ALL FAMILIES



\$30

- Join us from April 7th to 9th to celebrate Holy Week with your Parish! Family activities for parents and children up to Grade 7. There are other tracks available as well.
- Watch the bulletin for more information
- Registration is open now! <https://tinyurl.com/wcm62wwx>

Register
Now!



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Journeying Together- Hope & Healing

FOR THOSE MOURNING THE
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MISCARRIAGE OR STILLBIRTH

Main Speakers:

- Keynote Address: Eunice Peterson, MA, RPsych
- Fr. Adrian Martens
- Dr. Ivan D'Souza
- Rikka Borrás
- Mike Franco

Registration Deadline: Please Register by May 1st

TO ATTEND, PLEASE REGISTER AT

tinyurl.com/3wcavkf6

For More Information please call : 403-218-5548



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Feed the Hungry is an initiative from the diocese that hosts 48 dinners each year for those in need. We serve guests warm and nutritious food in a welcoming environment. Sacred Heart is proud to be sponsoring a Sunday dinner this year!

**PLEASE CONSIDER
DONATING AND/OR
VOLUNTEERING!**

MAY 7, 2023

LITURGICAL BIBLE STUDY

SATURDAY, APRIL 22, 2023

9 AM TO 11 AM

HOUSEY HALL - SACRED HEART PARISH

EVERYONE IS INVITED



Ministry Leaders

Pastoral Council: Tom Cotter
Finance Council: Mike Walsh
Pastoral Health Care: Tom Shannon
Lectors: Kevin McCormack
Weekday Liturgy: Addie Dedio
Hospitality: Looking for Volunteer
Extraordinary Ministers: Looking for Volunteers
Altar Servers: Karissa Factura
RCIA: Karen Howells/Kent Wang
Hampers Program: Jennifer Y., Mike Walsh
Catholic Women's League: Anna Marinelli/Janet MacPhee
Knights of Columbus: Tim Cornish
Building Committee: Terry Allen
In-Residence: Rev. Mario Basque, Rev. Wilbert Chin Jon

Dear brothers and sisters, let us have a good journey together! May we be pilgrims in love with the Gospel and open to the surprises of the Holy Spirit. Let us not miss out on the grace-filled opportunities born of encounter, listening and discernment. In the joyful conviction that, even as we seek the Lord, he always comes with his love to meet us first

Pope Francis' Opening of the Synodal Path

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Formed.org, which some describe as the Catholic Netflix, is available for your use. The parish provides this service for you for free so you can stream Catholic content anytime, anywhere! Sign up by going to www.formed.org and entering our parish, Sacred Heart, Calgary, AB to get access!

2023 Target
\$ 42,268

We were so fortunately able to complete our goal last year. Please consider contributing to Together in Action as requested from the diocese. Thank you for your generosity!

Financial Update

Thank you for your generosity and support for our parish during these times. Please email busmgr@sacredheartcalgary.ca for any questions.

	Budget	As of Feb. 28, 2023
Regular Collection	\$100,833	\$82,135
Outreach	\$4,667	\$3,598
Building Fund	\$11,667	\$8,156



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