



SACRED HEART

ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH | CALGARY

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JUNE 2023

FEAST OF THE SACRED
HEART OF JESUS

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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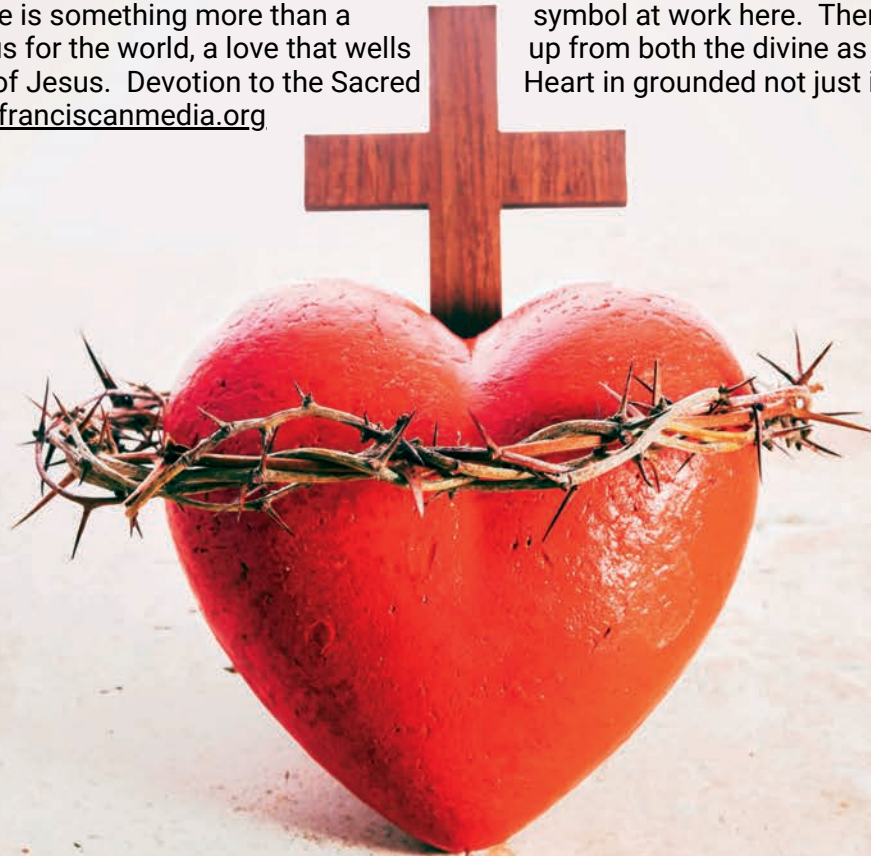
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Sacred Heart: A Symbol of Love & Mercy

We have significant events in the Liturgical life of the Church this month of June. This year, we celebrate the Solemnities of the Most Holy Trinity (Sunday, June 4th), and Corpus Christi/The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ (Sunday, June 11th). These are one of the tenets of our faith we profess everyday in Eucharistic celebrations. Most significantly, as community of believers, we celebrate this month the Solemnity of the Most Sacred Heart of Jesus (June 16th), the namesake of our parish, the Church of the Sacred Heart. Almost 113 years ago, this church was established and keep on growing on the devotion to the Sacred Heart through the sacraments.

The devotion to the Sacred Heart “began in the 1670s, when Jesus appeared multiple times to St. Margaret Mary Alacoque, a Visitation nun in France. Through these visions, He told her how He wished to be honored with the symbol of His heart, asking for the faithful to make amends for any wrongdoing they had done, frequently take Communion, and observe the Holy Hour. In 1856, the devotion was added to the church calendar by Pope Pius IX. He said: arises from the fact that His Heart, more than all the other members of His body, is the natural sign and symbol of His boundless love for the human race. ‘There is in the Sacred Heart,’ as Our predecessor of immortal memory, Leo XIII, pointed out, ‘the symbol and express image of the infinite love of Jesus Christ which moves us to love in return.’” www.nationalshrine.org

What is the purpose of this devotion? “Devotion to the Sacred Heart is devotion to Jesus and his love. It is a sign or a symbol of both the divine and human love that Jesus has for his Father and for us. It also symbolizes the interior life of Jesus which led to his willingness to lay down his life for us. It is a symbol based on our belief in the Incarnation—a firm belief that the second person of the Blessed Trinity became human with all the feelings, emotions, and desires we usually associate with the human heart. It is that human heart—directly united to the divine person—which expresses God’s love in a human way perfectly and purely since Jesus is free from sin. The heart is an apt symbol, but there is something more than a real love of Jesus for the world, a love that wells up from both the divine as well as the human natures of Jesus. Devotion to the Sacred Heart in grounded not just in symbol, but in real love.” www.franciscanmedia.org



My dear brothers and sisters, as we celebrate this Solemnity of the Most Sacred Heart of Jesus, let us take part in our parish events this month of June:

June 10, Saturday, 6:00pm-7:00pm, Holy Hour as we celebrate the Eve of the Solemnity of Corpus Christi, the Most Holy Body, and Blood of Christ

June 11, after 9:00am Sunday Mass, Procession of the Holy Eucharist

June 15, 6:00pm-7:00pm, Holy Hour as we celebrate the Vigil of the Solemnity of the Most Sacred Heart of Jesus and the World Day of Prayer for the Sanctification of Priests

June 16, 12:35pm to 3:00pm, Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament on the Solemnity of the Most Sacred Heart of Jesus and the World Day of Prayer for the Sanctification of Priests

Let us be one in our devotion to the Most Sacred Heart of Jesus by participating in any events this month. May the Most Sacred Heart of Jesus protect, sanctify, and have mercy on us. Amen.

Ad Maiorem Dei Gloriam! For the Greater Glory of God!

- Fr. Rowel Jose Abanto

Corpus Christi

Eucharistic Adoration
after Saturday, June
10th Mass (6pm to 7pm)



Procession around
the neighbourhood
after Sunday, June
11th 9 am Mass

Volunteer Information Session



Save the Date!
Saturday, June 17
After 5 pm Mass

Get involved in our
parish! We need you!

Please Welcome

PARISH COUNCIL

From left to right: Cynthia Acton, Kevin McCormack, Landon Dolanz, Father Rowel Jose Abanto, Tom Cotter, Ryan Factura



FINANCE COUNCIL

From left to right: Jim Grandan, Howard de Ga, John Maguss, Father Rowel Jose Abanto, Michael Walsh, Melissa Affonso-Jickling, Ren Vijayakumar



Thank you for answering the call to ministry!

MEET & GREET

WITH THE KATHAWA
FAMILY: SUNDAY, JUNE 11
AFTER THE 11 AM MASS



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sponsored family!*



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RAISED OVER
\$150K
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\$18,000

We've raised
\$4,835



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Feast of Sacred Heart

on the eve, June 15th
(also World Day of Prayer
for the Sanctification of
Priests), we will have
Eucharistic Adoration
from 6 to 7 pm.

We will also have our
scheduled Eucharistic
Adoration on June 16,
12:35 pm to 3 pm.



12th Annual CWL Spring Tea

Thank you to everyone who came! Your
presence is very much appreciated!



**Keep an eye
out for future
CWL Events!**

Special welcome to our
sponsored family
members who came out,
Rana and Maryam!

The **Art** of the Icon

**Pop-up Shop in the Narthex
on Father's Day, June 18th
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LITURGICAL BIBLE STUDY

SATURDAY, JUNE 3, 10, 17, 2023

10 AM TO 12 PM

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:
Chinelo Nwobi, 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

According to the Catechism of the Catholic Church paragraph 1324, "The Eucharist is "the source and summit of the Christian life." The graces received from the Body, Blood, Soul, and Divinity of Jesus provide sustenance over the course of our pilgrim journey here on Earth. Nothing is more beautiful than the Eucharist. Receiving the Body of Christ transforms you. The grace you receive in the sacrament is more powerful than any natural force on earth. Being in the light of the Son and receiving the true bread from heaven gives us a foretaste of the world to come!

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Annual Bishop's Appeal

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\$22,014 of 2023
Target \$42,268

Thank you to our parishioners for their generosity. You can read more about Together in Action on the diocesan website: <https://www.catholiccyc.ca/tia>

Financial Update

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

	As of May 31, 2023	Budget
Regular Collection	\$167,318	\$222,916
Outreach	\$11,963	\$11,667
Building Fund	\$28,047	\$29,167



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