



# SACRED HEART

ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH | CALGARY

## PARISH BULLETIN



***Follow us!***

@sacredheartcalgary

**MARCH 2024**

*Third Sunday of Lent*

**Pastor: Fr. Arjay Abanto**  
**Administrative Assistant: Beata Banka**  
**Columbarium Manager,**  
**Sacraments Coordinator: Ingrid Trewin**  
**Volunteer Coordinator: Ingrid Trewin**  
**Technology & Communications: Tim Dahm**  
**Housekeeper: Janette Ramirez**  
**Hospitality Desk: Carlo Peregrina**

### MINISTRY LEADERS

Pastoral Council: Tom Cotter  
Finance Council: Mike Walsh  
Pastoral Health Care: Pat Balis  
Lectors: Kevin McCormack  
Weekday Liturgy: Addie Dedio  
Hospitality: Looking for Volunteer  
Extraordinary Ministers: Rita Shank  
Altar Servers: Karissa Factura  
RCIA: Karen Howells, Margarita Tapias  
and Landon Dolanz  
Hampers Program: Carlos Sousa  
Catholic Women's League: Anna  
Marinelli and Janet MacPhee  
Knights of Columbus: Timothy Dahm  
Building Committee: Terry Allen  
In-Residence: Rev. Mario Basque,  
Rev. Wilbert Chin Jon

### *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**  
**Tuesdays, Thursdays and**  
**Fridays at 11:15 AM**  
**And by appointment**

### *Adoration*

**Friday: 12:45 pm**  
**Incense is used.**

### *Parish Office*

**Mon to Fri: 9:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.**  
**1307 14 St SW Calgary AB T3C 1C6**  
**403-244-2741 ext. 101**  
**[secretaries@sacredheartcalgary.ca](mailto:secretaries@sacredheartcalgary.ca)**



# ***Jesus: The Everlasting Temple***

Today, we reflect on the Temple, a sacred space for worshipping God. While the Israelites built one in Jerusalem, their journey with God began long before, encountering Him in various places – temporary temples filled with His presence (Exodus 19:23).

These experiences foreshadowed the ultimate reality: Jesus Christ, the New Temple. He surpasses any physical structure, for He is Emmanuel, God-with-us (Matthew 1:23), forever present (John 1:1-3).

In this New Temple:

- We encounter God's full presence through faith in Jesus (Isaiah 6:3-4).
- We hear the authentic Word of God – Jesus, the Word made flesh (John 1:14), embodying salvation (Hebrews 1:2).
- We find the perfect sacrifice in Jesus' offering on the Cross (Hebrews 9:11-10:14). Our prayers and actions are offered through Him in gratitude.
- We connect with God through the singular High Priest, Jesus Christ (1 Timothy 2:5-6), the sole mediator (Romans 8:34).

The earthly Temple may be gone, but the New Temple, Jesus Christ, stands forever. His resurrection signifies the ultimate victory over death, offering us hope and joy (John 11:25-26). He invites us to enter His presence, embrace His word, and pray with unwavering confidence.

May we find solace and strength in this eternal Temple, Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Sacred Heart Communications

## **Pray the Stations of the Cross 7:00 PM Fridays during Lent**

### **Ministries Leading the Stations**

- 1st Friday of Lent (February 16th) Knight of Columbus (KC)
- 2nd Friday of Lent (February 23rd) Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA)
- 3rd Friday of Lent (March 1st) Missionaries Families of Christ (MFC)
- 4th Friday of Lent (March 8th) Lectors and Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion
- 5th Friday of Lent (March 15th) Catholic Women's League (CWL)
- 6th Friday of Lent (March 22nd) Parish Pastoral Council, Parish Finance Council Members



# SACRED HEART PASCHAL TRIDUUM AND EASTER SCHEDULE

HOLY THURSDAY, March 28, 2024 10:00 am - Church and Columbarium is open for private prayers

7:00 pm - Evening Mass of the Lord's Supper

8:30 pm - 11:00 pm – Adoration

11:30 pm – Church Closes

GOOD FRIDAY, March 29, 2024 10:00 am - Church and Columbarium is open for private prayers

3:00 pm - Celebration of the Lord's Passion

6:00 pm - Church Closes

HOLY SATURDAY, March 30, 2024 10:00 am - Church and Columbarium is open for private prayers

8:00 pm - Easter Vigil

11:30 pm – Church Closes

EASTER SUNDAY, March 31, 2024 9:00 am - Holy Mass

11:00 am - Holy Mass

5:00 pm - Holy Mass

6:00 pm - Church Closes

EASTER MONDAY, April 1, 2024 Church, Columbarium, and office closed.

We will reopen on Tuesday, April 2nd at 9:00 am



*faith*

*service*

**SOCIAL  
JUSTICE**



## CWL Meeting

Welcome to the CWL's next meeting on Sunday, March 17 at 12noon taking place downstairs in Housey Hall. All ladies over 16 years of age are welcome. A couple of items on the Agenda will be the Easter Vigil reception and CWL Diocesan Convention May 3 -5 . Remember you do not have to be a member to attend.

For more info, please contact Anna at 587-892-2713.



# Volunteers Needed

We are looking for volunteers to help with money counting each Monday at 9:00 AM. This vital role ensures the financial well-being of our church community.

To contribute your skills and commitment to our ongoing efforts

- Complete a volunteer application: Available at the entrance door of the church.
- Obtain a police check: This is a standard requirement for financial volunteer positions.

For further information: Contact the parish office.  
Thank you for your interest!



**TIA Target  
for 2024:  
\$42,268**



**Monsignor Doyle Council 1186  
Sacred Heart, Founded 1907**

## **Family of the Month**

**The Knights of Columbus  
recognize outstanding Christian  
families at our parish. Each  
month, we honor a family, and  
one is chosen yearly to represent  
us nationally.**

**Nominate a deserving family  
online :**

**[sacredheartknights.ca/family](https://sacredheartknights.ca/family).**