



ST. ANDREW'S CATHEDRAL

740 View Street, Victoria, BC V8W 1J8

Office Hours: Monday to Friday, 8:30 am - 4:00 pm

Phone: 250-388-5571

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Website: www.standrewscathedral.com

Sacramental Information

Baptism: If you are seeking the Baptism of an infant, please contact the parish office at 250-388-5571. As Baptism is the first Sacrament of initiation into the Christian faith, we expect that the parents (or guardians) desire to raise the child in the Christian faith and will attend Mass regularly.

Upcoming dates available for baptisms will be the weekends of:

— 2025 —		— 2026 —	
Prep Class	Baptism	Prep Class	Baptism
Sep 13	Sep 27/28	Jan 10	Jan 24/25
Nov 8	Nov 22/23	Mar 7	Mar 21/22
		May 9	May 30/31
		July 4	July 25/26
		Sep 12	Sep 26/27

Marriage: Because the Church is deeply concerned about each marriage, couples are asked to give a minimum of six months' notice prior to the intended date of their wedding. Church policy requires that marriages be performed in your home parish – unless you are registered and attend elsewhere.

Funeral: Individual arrangements with a priest. Begin by calling the parish office.

Ministry to the Homebound

If you know of anyone who cannot make it to Mass each week due to sickness or infirmity, and who would like to receive Communion in their home, care homes, or hospital, please contact the parish office by phone (250-388-5571) or by email (standrewscathedral@gmail.com).

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Weekday Eucharistic Liturgies

Monday - Friday: 12:10 pm

Weekend Eucharistic Liturgies

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

Saturday: 5:00 pm

Eucharistic Adoration

Sat. at 9:00 am

Reconciliation

Monday* – Thursday: 11:30 am – 12:00 pm

Friday: 10:30 am – 11:30 am

Saturday: 3:45 pm – 4:45 pm

*No confessions on the 4th Monday of the month.

Welcome! You enter this Church not as a stranger, but as a guest of God. As a baptized person, you enter it as a son or daughter of the Father in Christ. Come in then with humility of mind, joy of heart and thanks on your lips. Acknowledge the Lord's presence in the Tabernacle and adore him. Come in and pause in prayer in the midst of your busy life and its many worries. Be grateful to those who, for the glory of God and in honour of St. Andrew, built this place of worship with faith and sacrifice, and sanctified it with their songs and prayers.

Anyone who wishes to practice the Catholic faith by attending this Cathedral church may consider St. Andrew's as his/her own parish, no matter where one lives on the lower island. You simply need to register:

- ☐ New parishioner
- ☐ Current parishioner (change of address)

Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone (H): _____ (Cell): _____

Email: _____

If you find yourself pregnant and in need of accompaniment during your pregnancy, Respect Life Ministry is here for you. We have a broad means of support during and after the pregnancy. Call Annette at Respect Life Ministry to learn more: 250-812-0087

THIS WEEK IN THE PARISH

Rosary: Mon - Fri at 11:40 am; Sun at 4:30 pm

Perpetual Help Devotions: Wed following 12:10 pm Mass

Cathedral Hours: Mon – Fri 10 am – 4 pm; Sat/Sun 8 am – 6 pm

Mon Sep 1 *Labour Day – Office Closed Today*
Cathedral will be closed after the 12:10 Mass

11:30 am Sacrament of Reconciliation

12:10 pm **MASS** for Maryanne Hume +

Tue Sep 2

11:30 am Sacrament of Reconciliation

12:10 pm **MASS** for Rene Morrell +

6:00 pm Legion of Mary (DCR)

7:00 pm Prayer Group (Zoom)

Wed Sep 3 **ST. GREGORY THE GREAT**

Parish Office will open at 9:30 am today

11:30 am Sacrament of Reconciliation

12:10 pm **MASS** for Ruben Co +

2:00 pm Bible Study (CDR)

6:30 pm Bible Study (Zoom)

Thu Sep 4

11:30 am Sacrament of Reconciliation

12:10 pm **MASS** for Meg Rector +

Fri Sep 5

10:30 am Sacrament of Reconciliation

12:00 pm **FUNERAL:** Violeta Magnaye +

Sat Sep 6

9:00 am Eucharistic Adoration

9:00 am MFC – Christian Life Seminar (Seghers Hall)

1:00 pm **WEDDING:** Alderlesten / Pumfrey

2:00 pm Handmaids of the Lord (DCR)

3:45 pm Sacrament of Reconciliation

5:00 pm **MASS** for those Interred in the Columbarium +

Sun Sep 7 **23RD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

9:00 am **MASS** for Rudolf Kurevija +

11:00 am **MASS** for St. Andrew's Cathedral Parishioners

1:00 pm El Shaddai (Seghers Hall)

5:00 pm **MASS** for Macario & Librada Pangan +

Mon Sep 8 **NATIVITY OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY**

10:30 am Sacrament of Reconciliation

12:10 pm **MASS** for Ryan Osberg +

Tue Sep 9

11:30 am Sacrament of Reconciliation

12:10 pm **MASS** for Cristita Dolores +

6:00 pm Legion of Mary (DCR)

7:00 pm Prayer Group (Zoom)

Wed Sep 10

11:30 am Sacrament of Reconciliation

12:10 pm **MASS** for Pierre, Marie, J Pierre & Reginald Holley +

2:00 pm Bible Study (CDR)

6:30 pm Bible Study (Zoom)

Thu Sep 11

11:30 am Sacrament of Reconciliation

12:10 pm **MASS** for Trevor Rector +

7:00 pm K of C #1256 General Meeting (Seghers Hall)

Fri Sep 12

10:30 am Sacrament of Reconciliation

12:10 pm **MASS** for Elias Cargando Jacobo +

6:30 pm C4C Prayer Assembly (Seghers Hall)

Sat Sep 13 **ST. JOHN CHRYSOSTOM**

9:00 am Eucharistic Adoration

9:00 am MFC – Christian Life Seminar (Seghers Hall)

1:00 pm **WEDDING:** Rowbottom

3:45 pm Sacrament of Reconciliation

5:00 pm **MASS** for Leticia Bunag +

Sun Sep 14 **24TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

9:00 am **MASS** for Joji Fortin +

11:00 am **MASS** for St. Andrew's Cathedral Parishioners

12:30 pm Sacramental Preparation – Parent Info Session (Seghers Hall)

1:00 pm El Shaddai (Cathedral)

5:00 pm **MASS** for Int. of Encar Nicolas

Who Is Your Model?

Marilynn Quigley
meyenkev@yahoo.com

If there is one principle that is fundamental to our Catholic faith, it is care for the poor. The psalm for August 31, Psalm 68 says: "God, in your goodness, you have made a home for the poor." But the majority of us do not strive to be poor; in fact, quite the opposite. We dream of wealth and power.

We strive for better jobs, bigger houses, new cars. We follow on social media models who seem happy, and yes, rich: pop stars, corporate giants, Tik Tok influencers.

And yet who among us has not felt the utter poverty of loneliness and yes, encounters with death?

It is only after repeated disappointment with the dazzling toys of the world and yes, the loss of who and what we love, that we consider a quiet hour at church in prayer. And there we behold the man on the Cross.

Look at Him: a picture of utter poverty, helplessness and defeat. And yet, He is my model. Precisely because He is not of this world. Who is yours?

From the Rector's Desk
22nd & 23rd Sundays in Ordinary Time
August 31 & September 7, 2025

Some years ago, I watched a Canadian comedy film that was both inspiring and hilarious called “Seducing Dr. Lewis” (a French language original set in Quebec was titled “La Grande Séduction”). The basic plot is that a small fishing-dependant village in rural Canada has lost its livelihood with the cod closure, become totally dependant on welfare and desperate to get some honest work. None can be found with the exception of a plastic manufacturing plant willing to settle in the village “If” they have a resident doctor. Through a nefarious intervention, a Montreal police officer and former villager pulls over a guilty big city plastic surgeon and persuades him to avoid a criminal charge if he spends a month in the coastal village. The whole community then gets behind a deceptive plot to ‘seduce Dr. Lewis’ into staying. It was so funny! How is any of this relevant to St. Andrew’s? Well, behind the full and beautiful sacramental celebrations on the weekend, with obvious differences, some of us were attempting to ‘seduce’ a potential Director of Musical Worship to come and help lead our liturgical future. I ought not to mention much detail, but this ‘out of country’ young, faithful, accomplished applicant wowed our music committee with his proficiency on organ and piano, while competently and graciously leading a choir practice ‘audition’. I spent the weekend hosting our “Dr. Lewis”, ensuring he was well fed and entertained. It was an excellent weekend, but ultimately, we leave the selection in the hands of the Lord. In good fishing analogy, I would like to think he’s a ‘keeper’ and we’ve got him on the line; but we have a long way to go before reeling him in and getting him in the boat. Please join us in prayer for the Lord’s will to be done.’

While most of the anecdotal feedback I’m hearing from newcomers and visitors to the Cathedral Masses (as well as long timers) is so very positive about our sense of community and inspiring worship, it’s not for all. Recently, I blessed someone who informed me they needed to find another Catholic parish home due to a sense of ‘crowding’, and other issues. In part we’re trying to address this with a ‘system’ of seating those arriving late for Mass in order to preserve decorum during the reading of the Word of God. It’s actually been working the last two weeks (particularly at the 11:00 on Sunday) with folks waiting to be seated, if arriving after the Gloria is sung, until the children are called forward for their homily. What a great challenge to have, one that many parishes would envy! Another challenge, is the now weekly interactions with erratically behaved people in and on Church property that the staff and volunteers are

facing. It’s a real concern for the well-being and safety of our people and requires some strategic planning as a downtown parish.

As we head into the new school season after Labour Day, Rita returns to the office from holiday and Matthew transitions to his new Pastoral Assistant role. Elsewhere Matthew will be introducing himself and I welcome him to his new role with gratitude and excitement for the expansion of our pastoral mission. We’re going to be needing a new staff replacement in the parish office and with Rita back in the saddle we’ll work toward hiring in earnest. As we move into the fall, with parish council, I’d like to see us maintain great sacramental ministry, and yet, with Matthew’s help, focus a little more on the Sunday basics of 1) Hospitality and Evangelization, 2) Discipleship Education, 3) Healing Prayer of the wounded, and 4) Christian Service Outreach. In terms of healing, we certainly have many grieving the loss of loved ones in our community. With staff and volunteer assistance, I’m caring for about seven families as I prepare to celebrate funeral/memorial liturgies. May the Holy Spirit comfort those who mourn and may the Resurrected Lord raise up those who have fallen ‘asleep’ in him.

God bless Labourers,

Fr. Dean

Pastoral Assistant

I’ve had the pleasure of meeting a great many of you in the parish office over the past 2¼ years. Throughout this time at the front desk, besides administrative duties I’ve also had many opportunities to accompany those who were searching for God’s love. I previously spent two years in seminary formation before becoming certain that God wasn’t calling me to serve him as a priest, but rather to serve him as a layperson and to the holy vocation of marriage, which I entered into just three months ago when I married my beloved bride before the altar.

As of September I’m excited to continue to serve our Cathedral parish in a new capacity, assisting Fr. Dean to expand our varied ministries and meet the pastoral needs of our growing parish community—both seasoned Catholics and those who may be stepping their toes into “church” for the first time. Thanks be to God for a vibrant faith community!

As Fr. Dean outlined above, there are lots of ideas to keep a pastoral assistant busy! A couple of first priorities will be putting energy into how we welcome and invite new people into the church, and the development of a bereavement ministry for those suffering the pain of losing a loved one, among many other things. I humbly ask your prayers for all who serve the Lord in this parish—priests, support staff, and our many, many volunteers.

Matthew Orlowski

Office Assistant Posting

St. Andrew's Cathedral is seeking a full-time Office Assistant to provide comprehensive administrative and clerical support to the parish in a professional, courteous and efficient manner. This will be for a 1-year contract, with the possibility of moving into a permanent position at the end of the contract. We're looking for someone with a welcoming attitude and eye for detail, who can comfortably prioritize duties and work diligently under pressure. A detailed position description is available on our website or by email: saintandrewsoffice@gmail.com.

Only those candidates who most closely match our requirements will be contacted. Please send your resume and covering letter to Rita Fichtner, Office Manager, at the parish office by August 31, 2025.

Pastoral Care Training – Fall 2025

The Diocesan Health Care Committee is offering its next series of free online Pastoral Care Outreach Training sessions via Zoom on Saturday mornings, 9:30–noon, from **September 27 to November 29** (no session October 11). Participants will learn about deep listening and visiting the lonely, sick, elderly, and dying—in care facilities or at home—and for those who wish to learn how to accompany and care for their family and friends. Missed session can be made-up, and a Certificate of Completion is provided to those who complete all nine sessions. Participants will require a phone number and email address, a computer, tablet or smart phone with speakers, microphone and webcam, a reliable Internet connection, and access to Zoom. **Please register through your parish by September 16, 2025.** For further information, please email moiraking@shaw.ca

Knights of Columbus Food Drive: “Cram the Van!”

The Knights of Columbus are again hosting a food drive for the St. Vincent of Paul Food Bank at all Masses on the weekend of **September 27 & 28**. A van will be parked on the plaza awaiting your generous donations. Cash and cheques also gratefully accepted. As in years past, cloth bags courtesy of Country Grocer will be distributed for your convenience on the prior weekend, September 20 & 21. Please contact Joe Cavin at joseph.cavin@gmail.com or 778-533-0405 for more information. Thank you!



From the Desk of Respect Life Ministry

St. Andrew's Cathedral will be hosting the **"Not in My City!"** seminar, sponsored by Respect Life Ministry, on Saturday, September 27th in our Seghers Hall. What does "Not in My City" refer to? The fact that Canada is a child sex trafficking destination; and most Canadians and members of Churches cannot believe it. We have courageous speakers including **John MacCormack** and **Robert Deacon** of St. Andrew's Cathedral's Break Free Ministry; **Cathy Peters**, our featured speaker and author of **"Child Sex Trafficking in Canada and How to Stop it"**; managing director **Kathryn Lacerte** of **Moose Hide Campaign (Highway of Tears)**; and **Brian Rae** of **Wilber**. We want to create awareness and provide hopeful education. This seminar is for everyone—to increase protection and safety amongst vulnerable children.

To attend, please register via the parish office. Registration is \$25 per person and will include a light lunch.

NOT IN MY CITY

PROTECTING CHILDREN IN AN AGE OF INFLUENCERS AND EXPLOITATION

Hosted by St. Andrew's Cathedral and Sponsored by Respect Life Ministry

KEYNOTE SPEAKER CATHY PETERS

Presented to four Federal Committees, two Global Summits, and presented at the first RCMP Human Trafficking webinar. Author of sought after book: *Child Sex Trafficking in Canada*. See more at beamazingcampaign.org

Featured Guests

- Kathryn Lacerte:**
Moose Hide Campaign
- Brian Rae:**
Wilber - Eradicating the Demand with Technology
One Buyer at a Time
- Robert Deacon:**
Relationship Between Pornography and Sex Trafficking
- John MacCormack:**
Healing Journeys – A Reflection of Hope

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Register at St. Andrew's Cathedral 250-388-5571

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Building Community... Among “Venerables”



Okay, maybe not this high-steppin’!

The St. Andrew’s Cathedral community of seniors is looking to build up a supportive and social group by hosting some lunchtime gatherings of seniors for learning, exchange and fun.

At this time, attendance at these sessions is limited, as we calculate needs for space and other resources. Please contact the Parish Office to get ‘on the list’: 250-388-5571

First Session: Thursday, September 25

Agenda: Mass @ 12:10 pm in Cathedral, LIGHT LUNCH in the Parish Centre, and PRESENTATION: *Beating Winter Bugs and Blahs* – Basic health information to keep on hand, and inform family and providers, should the ‘bugs’ catch up to you!

Second Session: Thursday, November 20

A rip-roarin’ game of *Catholic Jeopardy!* Bring your own noise-maker, and let’s see how good you really are! More details TBA.

Filipino Mass

Quarterly Filipino Masses organized by Katesismong Pilipino (KP) under the direction of Bishop Gary will now be held at various parishes in the Diocese. The third quarterly Filipino Mass will be held at **St. Joseph the Worker Parish** on **September 27, 2025 at 7:00 pm**.

Gone to Dwell in Our Father’s Home

Please remember in your prayers:



Pauline Bourdon who died on August 22, 2025.
Her funeral will be held on **Thurs, Aug 28 @ 12:10 pm**.

Claudette Kelly who died on August 5, 2025.
Her funeral will be held on **Fri, Aug 29 @ 10 am**.

Lowela Recelestino who died on August 21, 2025.
Her funeral will be held on **Fri, Aug 29 @ 1:30 pm**.

*Eternal Rest Grant to Them, O Lord
And Let Perpetual Light Shine upon Them*

St. Vincent de Paul Society



Our new touchless donation machine payment option implementation is going well, with parishioners donating over \$1,300 via this method. If you no longer carry cash, please consider using this handy alternative means of donation or alternatively, start an automatic monthly contribution via our website at www.ssvpvancoverisland.ca. Your donations help those in need.

We are still in need of volunteers to operate the touchless donation machines after Sunday’s 11:00 am and 5:00 pm Masses on the third Sunday of every month. If you can help us, please contact me at brian.mann7@gmail.com. We depend on the support of our generous donors and volunteers.

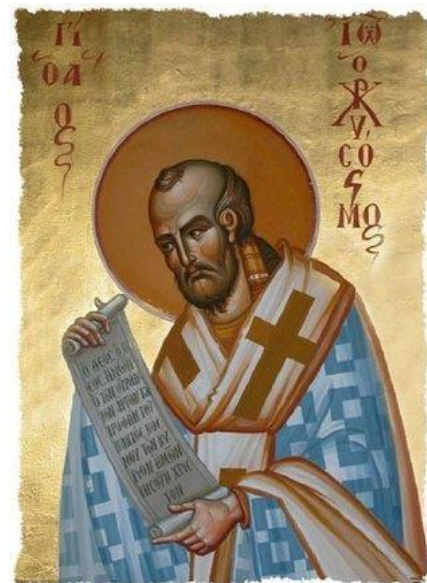
Serving in hope,

Brian Mann

President, St. Andrew’s Conference

THANK YOU

Our thanks to the BC Public Service employees who designated St. Andrew’s Cathedral as their charity of choice for their recent fundraising campaign and donated \$602.92 to the Cathedral.



St. John Chrysostom, Doctor of the Church Feast Day September 13

A great preacher in the 4th century and one of the most prominent Church Fathers. He was given the nickname “Chrysostom”, meaning “golden-mouth”, for his eloquence in expounding the meaning of scripture and speaking God’s truth even when uncomfortable.

Groups to Join at St. Andrew's

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SMALL-GROUP FAITH STUDY

Small-group faith study that focuses on the person of Jesus

Contact: **Maria Arsenault** mariabarseno@gmail.com

EL SHADDAI

Charismatic prayer, formation, and fellowship

Contact: **Florita Cadiz**
florleopardas@yahoo.com.hk 250-415-7720

FAMILY MINISTRY

1st Sunday monthly potluck gathering for families with children

Contact: **Andrea & Stephen Collins**
awalkercollins@gmail.com 778-966-4623

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

Catholic men's organization for fellowship, service, and charity

Contact: **Joe Cavin**
joseph.cavin@gmail.com 778-533-0405

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Fellowship and discipleship, as well as organizing church events rooted in Filipino Catholic traditions.

katesismongpilipino@yahoo.com

LEGION OF MARY

Devotional prayer and works of ministry and mercy

Contact: **Faye Baligod**
faye_baligod@hotmail.com 250-885-8773

MISSIONARY FAMILIES OF CHRIST

Evangelistic community of families empowered by the Holy Spirit

Contact: **Alvin & Michelle Almonte**
mfcvictoriabc@gmail.com 778-350-5922

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Charismatic prayer group that meets weekly online (Zoom)

Contact: **Lynn Weedmark**
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Pastoral Ministries

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EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION

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GARDENING

Contact: **Parish Office**
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HOMEBOUND MINISTRY

Contact: **Deacon Philip Yuson**
pyuson@rcdvictoria.org 250-881-0049

HOSPITALITY USHERS/GREETERS

Contact: **Parish Office**
standrewscathedral@gmail.com 250-388-5571

LECTORS

Contact: **Bernadette O'Connor** 778-350-5922

REFUGEE COMMITTEE

Contact: **Annette Turgeon** 250-812-0087

RESPECT LIFE MINISTRY

Contact: **Annette Turgeon** 250-812-0087

Ways to Give

1. Pre-Authorized Debit or Credit

Please contact the parish office to request a form to sign up for automatic giving on a regular basis either by pre-authorized debit or by credit card.

2. Online Giving

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3. e-Transfer

Please direct to saintandrewsoffice@gmail.com and be sure to include your full name in the "Message" box.

4. Church Envelopes

Envelopes may be found in the pews as well as when you enter the cathedral, and can be dropped in the collection basket at any of the weekend Masses or placed in the secure box labelled "Donations" in the narthex. If you plan to give regularly using envelopes, please contact the parish office to arrange to pick up a pre-numbered box of envelopes!

News from the Diocese

- St. Andrew's Roman Catholic Cathedral is still seeking a dedicated Director of Musical Worship to uphold and enhance its legacy of musical excellence, inspiring and engaging the worship community through a vibrant and dynamic music ministry. A detailed job description can be viewed here:

<https://www.standrewscathedral.com/post/job-opportunity-director-of-musical-worship>

- The Canadian Conference of Catholic Bishops has released a statement regarding the urgent humanitarian crisis in Gaza, addressed to the faithful. The statement invites prayer and fasting for an end to the war, echoing the call of Pope Leo XIV. Read the statement here: <https://www.cccb.ca/wp-content/uploads/2025/08/2025-08-25-Statement-by-the-Permanent-Council-Humanitarian-Crisis-in-Gaza.pdf>

- September 1st marks the World Day of Prayer for the Care of Creation and the beginning of the Season of Creation (Sept 1–Oct 4). In this Jubilee Year, the theme is Seeds of Peace and Hope—a reflection taken up by Pope Leo XIV in his message for the occasion, which you can read in full here:

<https://www.vatican.va/content/leo-xiv/en/messages/creation/documents/20250630-messaggio-giornata-curacreato.html>

Find more resources for World Day of Prayer for the Care of Creation and the Season of Creation here:

<https://www.rcdvictoria.org/events/sept-1-oct-4-season-of-creation-2025>

- Please join us in congratulating Sacred Heart Parish in Victoria as they celebrate their 60th anniversary the weekend of September 5–7. Parishioners, friends, and visitors are warmly invited to share their memories of the parish from the past 60 years by emailing communications@rcdvictoria.org

REPORT SEXUAL ABUSE TO AN INDEPENDENT AGENCY


To report sexual abuse by a clergy member, religious, employee, or volunteer, visit RCDVictoria.org/Responsible-Ministry or call: **1-800-968-3146**

To report sexual abuse or cover-up by a Catholic Bishop, visit BishopReportingSystem.ca or call: **1-866-892-3737**

Labour Day Prayer

O God, through human labours you continually perfect the immense work of your creation. Listen to the prayers of your people, and grant to everyone employment that calls us to our best and unite us with each other, so that we can serve our brothers and sisters, and your world, through our work. This we ask through your Son, Jesus Christ, who lives in unity with you and the Holy Spirit, one God forever and ever. Amen.


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