

SACRED HEART SCHOOL

NEWSLETTER



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IMPORTANT DATES

If your child is absent or late please fill out our online [attendance hotline form](#)

NOVEMBER & DECEMBER

- November 2 – Christmas Market
- November 5, 6 & 7 Book Fair
- November 7 10:40 am–11:15 am Remembrance Day Assembly
- November 13 School Mass Hosted by Class 3A
- November 14 Photo Retakes
- November 23 Dinner Dance Auction
- November 27 Spirit Day/ Hot Lunch
- December 13 Learning Updates Sent Home
- December 18 1–2 pm Christmas Concert Matinee
- December 19 School Mass Hosted by Class 3
- December 19 7–8 pm Christmas Concert Evening Performance

NO SCHOOL DATES

- November 8 No School: Staff Retreat
- November 11 No School: Remembrance Day
- November 22 No School: Pro D Day
- December 20 Early Dismissal 12:30 – School Closes for Christmas Break

A Message from the Principal

Dear Sacred Heart School Families,

On this All Saints' Day, we reflect on the beauty of our faith and are reminded that we are all saints in the making, striving to grow closer to God and become the best versions of ourselves, as He intended.

At Sacred Heart, we are dedicated to fostering an environment where truth is heard and spoken with integrity, where unity is seen and promoted through understanding and compassion, and where love is experienced and lived daily. Our mission is to be a place where every child, family, and staff member feels supported on their spiritual and learning journey.

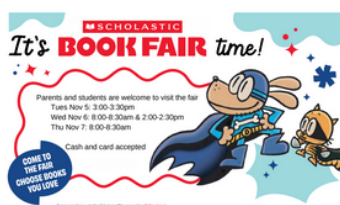
Together, we can guide our children in recognizing their unique gifts and instill in them faith and resilience. My prayer for our community is that our unity as a school family strengthens us, as we walk together in faith, truth, unity, and love.

K. Kozack

Remembrance Day assembly and Poppies

Poppies will be available to students next week. A minimum donation of \$1 is suggested. Donations go towards supporting local veterans.

On November 7th, Class 5A will proudly present this year's Remembrance Day assembly, honouring the brave men and women who have served our country. The students have worked diligently to create a meaningful tribute. The assembly will start at 10:40 and will end at approximately 11:15. We invite parents, guardians, our veterans, parishioners and community members to attend.



Book Fair

November 5-7



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YOU ARE INVITED TO OUR ANNUAL DINNER DANCE AUCTION



23 NOVEMBER 2024
6 PM - 12 AM
SACRED HEART SCHOOL

NEW YORK GALA

Step into the glitz and glam of New York City's most iconic event at our Dinner Dance Auction on Saturday, November 23, 2024. Dress to impress as we transform the venue into a New York Met Gala-inspired celebration. Enjoy a fabulous dinner, dance the night away, and bid on exclusive auction items—all in support of our school.

We are continuing to collect bottles of wine to be used in the auction. Please bring a bottle of wine valued at over \$25.00 to donate!

Highlights & Happenings



Saints News

The Grades 5 and 7 boys' soccer teams are headed to the CISVA Super Eight Tournament on Monday at Burnaby Lakes Athletic Complex! Let's cheer them on—go team!

LEGO CLUB

Grade 3 students took on the challenge of creating Halloween-themed projects. Their imaginative creations included a haunted house, a graveyard, and a unique pumpkin.



Got Extra Halloween Candy?

Spread Some Sweetness in the Downtown Eastside

If you have extra Halloween candy and would like to donate to the Downtown Eastside, please drop it off at the office. Thank you!

Spirit Day/Hot Lunch

The next Hot Lunch/Spirit Day is on November 27, featuring Dairy Queen. The theme will be "Crazy Hair Day".

Photo Retakes November 14

Any parent/family requiring a retake needs to send their student to the camera with their Proof Sheet. These are the sheets we sent after the first photo day with the student's image and unique QR code — please see the sample. Our photographer needs it to scan.



Christmas Market This Saturday!

Don't miss out on our annual Christmas Market, happening this Saturday, November 2nd, from 9:00 AM to 2:00 PM in the school gym! Join us for a day filled with holiday spirit, featuring:

- Local crafts and handmade goods
- Cakewalk and delicious homemade baking for sale
- A tea room to relax and enjoy treats
- Raffle baskets with fantastic prizes

Plus, our talented Grade 6 and Grade 7 students will be showcasing their piano skills and selling their handmade crafts at their very own table! All proceeds from their table will go to a charity of their choice. Bring your friends, family, and neighbours—there's something for everyone. We can't wait to see you there!



Sacred Heart Parish

News And Updates

Volunteers Needed

Migrant Workers Ministry is looking for parent volunteers from Sacred Heart School

The Migrant Workers' Ministry at

Sacred Heart Church, cooks and serves a warm meal to approximately 90-120 farm workers on the first Saturday of every month. The ministry is blessed to have several generous souls who willingly give off their time every month. The ministry, however, is still in need of volunteers who would be willing to be of service in the following ways: 9:00 pm-10:45 pm

- Dismantling and storage of tables/ chairs
- Clean up of Parish Center
- Washing and storage of cooking utensils, dishes, etc
- Kitchen clean up

If you can offer a couple of hours. Please contact Diana Villalba-leal

mwm@shsdelta.org

Thank you and God Bless in advance for your generous support of this important and vital ministry.

Take the Pastor Feedback Survey.

The Archdiocese of Vancouver is conducting a survey in our parish to help Father Francis grow as our spiritual leader.

The survey will ask for your feedback on his strengths, areas for improvement, and specific topics such as his homilies, community building, and overall leadership.

We encourage all parishioners to participate. The survey is anonymous and only takes about 7 minutes to complete.

To participate, simply scan the QR code below or visit rcav.org/pastorsurvey.

Your input is invaluable in helping Father Francis continue to grow in his ministry and leadership.

Thank you for your participation!



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