

SACRED HEART SCHOOL

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November 6, 2019

Dear Parents,

Father Rob Galea will perform at our school on Wednesday, November 13 from 1:00 - 3:00. This is an early dismissal day. I am hoping that you are able to make alternate arrangements to pick up your children at 3:00 on the 13th. Please see the <u>link</u> for more information about Father Rob. I welcome parents to attend this event as well.

Boys soccer is now finished. This year we had four teams take part in a number of CISVA leagues. Congratulations to our Grade 6 Boys Super Eight team for finishing second and our Grade 5 team for finishing sixth. I applaud all of our players for doing an outstanding job representing our school with both your sportsmanship and your level of play. Thank you to all of the staff and parents who supported our soccer program by coaching, reffing and driving.

God Bless, Kelly Kozack

Rite of Christian Initiation for Students RCIS (for Children Ages 8 and Older): This program is for children in grade 3 or older whose parents' desire is that they receive the Sacraments of First Reconciliation, First Eucharist this year. Please set up an appointment with the Parish Religious Education coordinator via email at eseddon@shsdelta.org, to work out a plan for instruction to receive these Sacraments.

Please note: At least one parent must be Confirmed in the Catholic Church. Parents must commit to supporting their children by regular Sunday Mass attendance, through RCIS home studies with their child and by attending all Parent Sacramental prep meetings. Children must attend weekly RCIS classes regularly, and our Parish retreat.

<u>Kindergarten Parking:</u> Please only park in the kindergarten parking area in front of the K doors if you have a Kindergarten parking pass. This area is reserved for K families at all times.

Photo Retake Day: Photo Retakes will happen Wednesday November 13th. If you would like your child to have their photo redone please send them to school on that day with their proof pictures. This way the teacher will know you would like new ones.

Poppy Donations: There are poppies available for students to buy through donation in each of the classrooms. There is no minimum donation required. Thank you for supporting our Veterans.

<u>DDA:</u> Students will receive a handout today requesting a grade specific donation for the Dinner Dance Auction, which takes place in our school gym on November 23.

Thank you in advance for your generous contributions.

If you have any questions please do not hesitate to contact me at kfoxis@telus.net

Please see the below posters for more information.

St. Monica's Guild: Ladies luncheon December 1, all ladies welcome. See the below poster for details.

<u>Wine Donations for DDA:</u> Please see the poster below requesting donated bottles of wine for the Dinner Dance Auction.

<u>Halloween Candy Collection:</u> If you have extra Halloween candy and would like to donate it to the Good Shepherd Ministry in Vancouver, please bring it to the office.

Potential Fundraising Event: Sacred Heart School is considering an additional annual fundraising event focused on engaging both parents and alumni of our community in a social setting. Although the framework for the event has been vetted, the PEC is looking for someone to undertake a leadership role in delivering the event. If this sounds like an opportunity for you, please contact Todd Stewardson at <u>t.d.s@telus.net</u>.

Hot Lunch: Hot lunch is now open for ordering. It will close on November 20th. Thank you.

St. John Paul II Academy Information Evenings: All those interested in our newest CISVA high school in the Archdiocese of Vancouver are invited to attend one of the following Information Evening - Nov. 20th at 6:30 pm at St. John Paul II Academy located at 15262 Pacific Ave In White Rock. This is a wonderful opportunity for parents, students, and other interested parties to see and hear what is happening at St. John Paul II Academy. Please rsvp: skelly @sjp2academy.com; T:604.560.8210 or visit our website: www.sjp2academy.com for more information."

<u>Crosswalk Volunteers Needed:</u> Although some parents volunteered for this important position, more parents are needed to help keep our students safe by directing traffic at the school entrance and Parish Centre. This is a convenient way to get parent hours because you can arrive at school

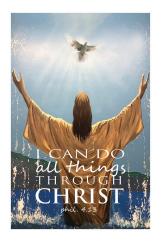
a little early or stay a little later after school to ensure the safety of families at Sacred Heart. The commitment would involve arriving at the school for 8:20 and direct traffic until 8:50. Alternatively, you can arrive at school for 2:50 and direct traffic until 3:20. Each time you volunteer, it will count for an hour toward your volunteer hours. Interested parents, please contact Brandy Grund at bgrund@shsdelta.org.

<u>Graphic Design Work Needed:</u> If you have some professional graphic design expertise and are able to put forward a couple of volunteer hours to help our fundraising efforts, please contact Todd Stewardson at <u>t.d.s@telus.net</u>.

Useful Contacts

School office: office@shsdelta.org
Used uniforms: getpats@gmail.com

Parent Volunteer Portal: jordan_kinghorn@hotmail.com







Parish News: Please below for details

Sacred Heart Parish News - Nov 6th

<u>Sunday, Nov 10th Family Potluck Dinner-</u> following the evening Mass in the Parish Hall. Bring your favourite dish to share with others. For more info please contact: timstephdumas@gmail.com

<u>Sunday, Nov 17th - Knights of Columbus Pancake Breakfast</u> will be after the 9 and 11am Masses. All are invited to the parish hall for a yummy breakfast of pancakes, sausages and scrambled eggs. By donation.

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<u>Sunday Missals</u> (Living with Christ) 2109/20 are available to purchase at the back of the Church - They go into use on Sunday, Dec 1^{st} – The first Sunday of Advent - Each book is \$5.00

<u>Baptismal Preparation Class</u> will be held on Wednesday, November 20th and the <u>Sacrament</u> <u>of Baptism</u> will be on Sunday, November 24th. Please contact the parish office to preregister for both of these. (946-4522)





The **Good Shepherd Ministry** is a non-profit Catholic outreach and prayer ministry. Every evening, a team of volunteers walk the streets of the Vancouver Downtown Eastside, sharing that "all are welcome to the banquet". Our mission statement "Let Us Be Witnesses" was conceived from the need to bring the good news to all those who are lost and weary, to let them know that if they walk in God's light, they will never be in darkness. This November and December our parish will be collecting ladies purses (new and like new). We are also collecting NEW ladies underwear, toiletries and feminine products. These will be delivered to several women's shelters at Christmas time. Please consider donating any of the above much needed items. They will be going to those who have absolutely nothing." A box is available at the back of the church to place your items in. Any questions please contact Bill Jones at 604-946-2918

Invitation to all ladies of the parish... Sacred Heart ladies Christmas luncheon, hosted by St Monica Guild, will be held at the Coast Tsawwassen Inn on Sunday 1st December, following 11am Mass. Tickets are \$30 each, and will be on sale after all Masses starting this weekend. Please contact Lynne Willox (604) 789-2912 or saintmonicaguild@shsdelta.org for information, or to purchase tickets.

A very big 'thank you!' to everyone who helped in the success of yet another successful Christmas Market! It is wonderful how we come together as a community in all parish events.

Save the date for our Advent retreat on Saturday 7th December, following 9am Mass - details to follow.



Your Class is being asked to bring a "THEMED" donation for our Silent Auction gift baskets at our

Dinner Dance Auction "Old Hollywood"

The Kindergarten Classes

Theme is anything: "Coffee & Chocolate!!"



Your Classroom will have a BIN next to the teacher's desk

for you to drop off your donation

DEADLINE is **NOVEMBER** 14th

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The Grade 1 Classes
Theme is anything: "DISNEY!"



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The Grade 2 Classes
Theme is anything: "LEGO!"



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Your Class is being asked to bring a "THEMED" donation for our Silent Auction gift baskets at our

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The Grade 3 Classes
Theme is any kind of: "GIFT CARDS!"



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Your Class is being asked to bring a "THEMED" donation for our Silent Auction gift baskets at our

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The Grade 4 Classes

Theme is items to: PAMPER MOM



Your Classroom will have a BIN next to the teacher's desk

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Your Class is being asked to bring a "THEMED" donation for our Silent Auction gift baskets at our

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The Grade 5

Theme is: "FAMILY GAMES NIGHT!"



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Your Class is being asked to bring a "THEMED" donation for our Silent Auction gift baskets at our

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The Grade 6

Theme is: ALL ARTS & CRAFTS for ages 10 +



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Your Class is being asked to bring a "THEMED" donation for our Silent Auction gift baskets at our

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The Grade 7

Theme is: "LOTTO Scratch tickets!"



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Merry Christmas



Invitation to all Moms...

To come and enjoy a delicious lunch and have your fun picture taken at our complimentary photo booth.

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