CWL

We want you to become part of the Sacred Heart Catholic Women's League Parish Council. The Catholic's Women's League of Canada means many things to people. Our core values of faith, service and social justice guide us as we follow Catholic teaching, provide service locally, nationally and internationally, and work to advocate for social justice.

Contact us at sacredheartcwlreddeer@gmail.com

We have a Facebook page!

"The Catholic Women's League Red Deer Sacred Heart Parish" Please "Like" and "Follow" us. The link is:

https://www.facebook.com/

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OUTREACH "For it is in giving that we receive."

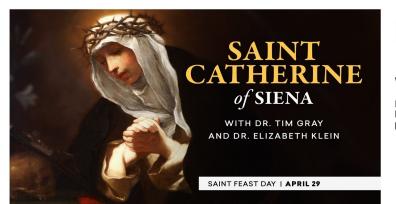
Members of the Catholic Women's League strive to reach out to those in need. Won't you help us reach further? Come and join us.

The Sacred Heart CWL would like to thank our parish members for the continued support with our Welcoming Bags! We are in need of the following items: Dish soap (large and small), Combs, Shampoo (large and small) Donations can be left in the CWL drawer across from the Chapel. The CWL also accept e-transfers and will gladly shop on your behalf for supplies.

Email: treasurersacredheartcwl@gmail.com If you would like to donate by e-transfer, please indicate welcoming bag supplies in the note section. Your contributions are greatly appreciated!

1974 Camille J.Lerouge Class 50th Reunion!

June 1st, 2024 at 4:00 p.m. The Hideout, Red Deer



Society of Saint Vincent de Paul accepts ONLINE DONATIONS

- 1. Go to the website: canadahelps.org
- 2. In the website search bar type the SSVP business number: 132410671RR0548
- 3. Click on the SSVP Red Deer icon to donate Society of St. Vincent de Paul is in need of the following items: chest of drawers, shelving, coffee tables, end tables, small kitchen table and chairs, Living Room chairs, double and queen beds. Also continue to need cutlery, pot & pans, kettles, toasters, coffee makers, slow cookers, bedding, and towels. Sincere thanks to those who have donated items. Please contact Carol at 403-588-2416.

POOR BOX weekends are on the 2nd full weekend.

May 11 & 12, June 8 & 9



Gospel Country Concert

Our Lady of the Assumption Church, Sylvan Lake invites you to a Gospel Country Concert at the church, 5033-47 A Ave. on May 12, 2024.

Don Bouvetter and the True North Country Band will be performing. Chili dinner at 5:30 p.m. followed by the concert at 6:00 p.m. Drinks and Desserts will be served following the concert. Tickets are \$30 and are available by calling 403-872-0608.

Red Deer Live-In welcomes everyone to a prayer breakfast on May 11, 2024 at St. Mary's Church (6 McMillan Avenue)

9:30am - 12:00pm Breakfast, Praise and Worship

Guest Speaker: Brad Huebert

Speaking on: Growing Intimacy with God

Pay what you can

Register online or call Bonnie at 403-304-0903

https://forms.gle/8GJGJZJHU8zw3JFt8

FORMED THE CATHOLIC FAITH.

Who is St. Catherine of Siena?

In light of St. Catherine of Siena's feast day, join Dr. Tim Gray and Dr. Elizabeth Klein, as they celebrate this holy woman: a nurse and mystic with papal influence who became a doctor of the Church.

Our parish has a FORMED subscription. Visit formed.org/signup and select our parish can the QR code to download the FORMED app to your phone







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FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER - APRIL 28, 2024

MASS INTENTIONS - April 27- May 3

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Sat.	April 27	7:00 pm	(+) Jorge Lopez (Birthday)
Sun.	April 28	9:00 am	(+) Peter Minh
		11:00 am	Elisa Arens (Birthday)
		3:00 pm	Parishioners of the
			Sacred Heart
Mon.	April 29		No Mass
Tues.	April 30	9:00 am	(+) Theyyamma Jose
Wed.	May 1	9:00 am	(+) Zygmunt Rymszewicz (Birthday)
Thurs	May 2	9:00 am	Fr. Jozef Wroblewski (24 yrs a Priest)
Fri.	May 3	9:00 am	Fr. Mirek Kostarzewski
Sat.	May 4	9:00 am *	Gerard Renaud

PLEASE NOTE: *Incense will be use at Mass on Saturday, May 4th at 9:00am

"Lord, from you comes my praise in the great congregation." -Responsorial Psalm



Weekend Mass Times

Office Assistant: Cassandra Dietrich

Saturday - 7:00 pm Sunday - 9:00 am 11:00 am and 3:00 pm

OFFICE HOURS

Monday: closed

Tues: 9:30 am - noon; 1:00 - 4:00 pm Wed: 9:30 am - noon; 1:00 - 4:00 pm

Thurs: 9:30 am - noon; 1:00 - 4:00 pm

Fri: 9:30 am - 12:30 pm

The Sacrament of Reconciliation is available after every Mass, and Saturday from 6:15 - 6:50 pm; as well as by appointment.



"If today you hear his voice, harden not your hearts..."

May is the month dedicated to Blessed Virgin Mary

May is traditionally dedicated in a special way to honoring and seeking the intercession of Mary as the Mother of God and Mother of the Church.

"She is that woman who rejoiced in the presence of God, who treasured everything in her heart, and who let herself be pierced by

the sword.

Mary is the saint among the saints, blessed above all others. She teaches us the way of holiness and she walks ever at our side. She does not let us remain fallen and at times she takes us into her arms without judging us."

A Marian procession will take place after the 9:00am Mass on Saturday, May 4th.



Bible Study: Companion to the SUNDAY READINGS

discussion based on the Sunday readings. **Tuesday April 30**

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10:00am -12pm

Led by the Spirit

Charismatic prayer group Join us for prayer and praise

> **Tuesday April 30** 7pm - 9pm

Enjoy the riches of PRAYER MEETING God's Word through Every Tuesday at 8:00 pm **FORMED**

Daily Reflections from Dr. Tim Gray.

PENTECOST VIGIL CELEBRATION

starting at 9pm Saturday, May 18th

All families are invited to take part!

Adoration Prayers for Healing Praise and Worship Concluding with Midnight Mass

Note: there will be no 7:00pm Mass on this day.

SACRED HEART BOOK SALE is BACK!

Friday, April 26 (10am -7pm) & Sat. April 27 (9am - 4pm)

Fiction & non-fiction, children's books, DVD's, puzzles & more!

Everything \$1 or less (cash only please)

Proceeds will go to the Parish Library

Selections found in our Parish Library

The Season of Easter

"When we pray we speak to God; but when we read, God speaks to us."



Jesus Lives! : the Easter story / a Happy Day series book written by Laura Ring Derico; illustrated by Ronda Krum. Retells the biblical Easter story in a simple, easy-to-understand way. (EF DER)



God Gave Us Easter / by Lisa Tawn Bergren; art by Laura J. Bryant. Little Cub talks with her father and learns about God's design for the Easter season and what it really means to Little Cub and her polar bear family. Ages 3-8 (EF BER)



Messy Easter: three complete sessions and a treasure trove of ideas for Lent, Holy Week, and Easter / Jane Leadbetter. Includes ideas for activities, games, crafts, food, etc. to help us learn about the Easter season (745.5941 LEA)

www.wikilibrary.com/library/sacred-heart-library

Marian Retreat

in the chapel.

Text Gerard at 587-693-2116

on arrival, to be let in.

May 25, 2024 9am-4pm in parish hall. \$20 per person: Lunch included For more information and to RSVP please visit



https://pretix.caedm.ca/SacredHeartRD/marianretreat23/

To pay for retreat bring cash to the parish office or after 9am & 11 am Masses on

> May 12 & 19. You can also e-transfer to sacredheart.reddeer@caedm.ca

First Holy Communion Masses will be

May 5th and May 12 at the 11am Masses Please attend an alternate Mass to allow room for those receiving First Communion and their families



Parish Grounds Spring Clean- Up

All parishioners are invited to join us for a Parish grounds spring clean-up on Friday, May 10, 2024 following the morning Mass. The CWL of Sacred Heart will be providing goodies and refreshments in the hall. Help involves planting, raking, and general clean up of the grounds.



Bring your gloves and ideas and help celebrate spring with us.

Come join us to PRAY the ROSARY and enjoy a cup of coffee Wednesday mornings at 10 AM in the room behind the kitchen.



Baptism Preparation is held once a month, and is required for parents to attend before scheduling your child's Baptism.

> Next preparation by Zoom is on Monday, April 29 at 5:30 pm.

Please call the parish office to pre-register.



PARKING UPDATE

Please respect the 24 Hour Reserved Parking spaces as well as keeping clear the Fire Lane, on the west side of the Church. Please refrain from parking on the ramp from 48A Avenue all the way to 49 Avenue. Allowing for traffic and emergency vehicles to pass through.

When parking in our parking lot, please fill up the side parking spaces before using the middle lanes.

This will allow more space for parishioners to park.

Overflow parking on Sundays:

You can use the parking lots at A-Associates Health Group Anthony Henday Professional Center or on 55th Street

Attention Men of Sacred Heart Parish. The Knights of Columbus invited you to our COR meeting This month's meeting is postponed until

Tuesday May 28th.

6:30pm for free chicken wings. 7:00pm for Bible Study in the Hall. /e will be discussing: Our Prayer Life. Please RSVP for numbers to

steveberube13@gmail.com

Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion

There will be a training evening on Monday May 13 at 8pm (after the Living Rosary). This will be a hands on training for all who serve as Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion. Your attendance is appreciated.

The Beauty of Our Parish

We are a beautiful blend of people from many places coming together to share the love of Christ through our gifts and our Catholic faith. To celebrate our faith and our love of Our Lady we wish to gather for a Living Rosary

Monday May 13 at 7pm. Rehearsal at 6 pm

This year we request different nationalities to host a decade each. We are asking people from the Philippines, Polish, Italian, Spanish and French speaking. We ask the group to lead the prayers in their own language and the rest of us will respond in our own language. If you would like to lead or have any questions please text Lina at 403-358-9499

Sacred Heart Parish is starting a girl's choir!

This is a great opportunity for the girls of the parish to learn to support the liturgy of the mass through music. Rehearsals are on Thursday nights from 7 until 8. Girls aged 10-18 who are interested in learning about sacred music and develop skills in singing in an ensemble are encouraged to attend. For more information, please contact the church office.

> Ladies Spring Tea: Celebrate and Honour Jesus's Mother Mary this May!

> > Saturday May 4, 2024 11am-2pm For all Ladies ages 6 & Older. \$5.00/person or \$10.00/family You're welcome to invite your sister, friends, neighbor, and family to join.

There will be give-away bags and door prizes!

Tickets will be sold after Mass at the back of the church or vou can e-transfer to

treasurersacredheartcwl@gmail.com

Please note: Spring Tea & # of tickets

Red Deer Columbus Club Annual Meeting

Tuesday, April 30 at 7:30 pm at Columbus Club Hall All Knights of Columbus members are invited to attend.



El Shaddai Red Deer Chapter fellowship

service as follows:

Friday @ 6-8pm Intercessory prayers; Saturday 1-4 pm regular service in Sacred Heart Parish. For more information contact Cora Vicente 403-307-0920

OLVC Work Bees Saturday, May 11th and June 1st



Help us clean, repair, and build Camp in preparation for the summer!

Do you have the skills to make a difference? **OF VICTORY** Contact Cody.Parr@caedm.ca or 587-447-2837

March For Life

May 9, 2024, 12-2:00pm at the AB Legislature Building.

Alvita King, Niece of Human rights leader Martin Luther King Jr.

is speaking at the March for Life in Edmonton. Please join us in person or in prayer