



# THE CHURCH OF THE GOOD SHEPHERD

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## **Celebration of The Eucharist**

Saturday: 4:30 pm  
Sunday: 9:00 am, 11:00 am  
Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday: 8:30 am  
Thursday: 12:00 noon

**Eucharistic Adoration** (First Friday - following the 8:30 am Mass and closing with Solemn Benediction at 12:00 noon)

## **Sacrament of Reconciliation**

Saturday: 3:30 p.m. - 4:15 p.m.  
Or by appointment.

## **Sacrament of Baptism**

Second Sunday of the Month  
By appointment only.

## **Sacrament of Marriage**

By appointment only - Contact the pastor at least one year in advance.  
An approved preparation course is mandatory.

## **Parish School**

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# THE SOLEMNITY OF THE MOST HOLY TRINITY - JUNE 15, 2025



**June 17<sup>th</sup> – June 21<sup>st</sup>**

Tues. 8:30 a.m. – Kevin D'Mello †

Wed. 8:30 a.m. – Gerry Ringuette †

Thurs. Noon – Don Giroux †

Fri. 8:30 a.m. – Grazyna Bugaj †

Sat. 4:30 p.m. – Barbara Ross †

**READINGS FOR – June 22<sup>nd</sup>**

1<sup>st</sup> Reading: Genesis 14.18-20

2<sup>nd</sup> Reading: 2 Corin. 11.23-26

Gospel: Luke 9.11b-17



## **CORPUS CHRISTI PROCESSION** **Sunday June 22<sup>nd</sup>**

**"Processions teach the heart to follow  
unswervingly."**

**This is our witness to Christ  
Jesus our King.**

Please bring your family and friends for a small procession immediately after the 11:00 a.m. Mass to celebrate The Feast of Corpus Christi. This tradition is ardently followed around the world, as well as in many Canadian parishes, and we are pleased to celebrate it in the Good Shepherd Parish.



## **Congratulations to our First Communion Students**

Our students celebrated the Sacrament of First Communion today with their families and friends.

Thank you to all who supported our students throughout their journey. Special thanks to Nisha Fernandes and Charlotte Coutinho for your dedication and guidance.

***May you feel the warmth and comfort of  
the Lord's love with your everyday.***

## **The Word This Week**

***"Glory to the Father, the Son and  
the Holy Spirit."***

This Sunday is all about the "Divine Community" - in other words, the way in which our God is in himself a communion of love: Father, Son and Spirit, distinct yet perfectly united - three persons, one God. We hear of the perfect union between Father and Son, revealed in the mysterious poem of the First Reading, where the Son is "Wisdom" joining the Father in the act of creation. This union bears fruit in the Spirit, who pours this perfect love into our hearts, so that we may imitate the "Communion of Love" by living together and hoping for our place within the Divine Community.

We Christians, however, have no difficulty in admitting the existence of the Blessed Trinity, and today as we honor the three divine Persons, our central thought should concentrate on gratitude to each of the three: the loving Father who planned not only our creation but our elevation to adopted sonship; the all-obedient loving Son, who carried out the Father's plan, sharing with us our humanity so that we could share in the divinity; the Holy Spirit, fruit of the love of Father and Son, who has come to dwell in the Church and in each individual member, in order to fill our hearts with a true love of God. This possibility is open to all. The Blessed Trinity will exclude nobody from heaven. What we know of their plans for man's sanctification makes such a thought impossible. If some fail the fault will lie completely and entirely with themselves; they did not do the little that was asked of them. May God the Father, Son, and Holy Spirit grant us the strength to overcome our human weaknesses and live and die in their love so that we may share their eternal kingdom with them.

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Thus far we have raised \$69,000.00 toward our goal of \$148,000.00. Please give at the parish using a ShareLife envelope, online through our parish website, or at [sharelife.org/donate](http://sharelife.org/donate).

**Thank you for supporting ShareLife!**

## **SUMMER OFFERINGS PRE-AUTHORIZED GIVING**

This summer please remember that we count on your support of the parish all year round. To those who go away for the summer months and leave their offerings with the church, we are very grateful. For those who are departing, please consider donating before you leave or register for Pre-Authorized Giving. Registration forms are available at the back of the church. Please contact the office for information. May God keep you safe during the summer months and on your travels!



*Thank  
you*

## **ST. PHILIP NERI'S TABLE**

The CWL extends a big thank you to all the parishioners for their support and contributions to St. Philip Neri's Table. Two car loads of food and \$600.00 was collected and delivered. This will help provide individuals and families with nutritious food to meet their basic needs in a welcoming, caring and compassionate environment. We are grateful and blessed for such an amazing Parish!



## **FATHER'S DAY PRAYER**

Heavenly Father, bless all the dads with Your wisdom, patience, and love. Guide them to be a source of strength and support for their families as they lean on You. May they feel appreciated, valued, and loved. Fill their hearts with Your peace and joy. We pray for the fathers who live on in our memories. Thank you for the blessing they were in our lives and guide their families with compassion and grace. Grant all dads the courage to lead by example, the wisdom to teach with kindness, and the love to nurture unconditionally. Bless every father and father figure today. May their lives be filled with joy, their hearts with love, and their days with Your divine guidance. Amen.



## **SECOND COLLECTION JUNE 15 MARYGROVE CAMP**

The Marygrove Camp Special Collection will be taken up on **June 14/15** after Communion at all Masses. With the generous contributions collected, many girls from less-fortunate families will be attending camp this summer. Thank you for supporting this important work of the Society of St. Vincent de Paul.

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