

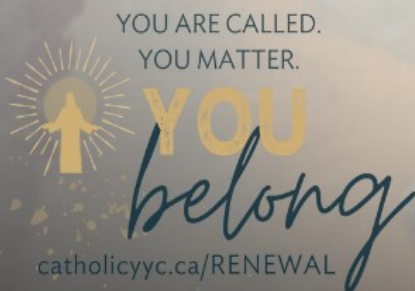
# ST CECILIA'S PARISH

SEPTEMBER 13-14

FOR GOD SO LOVED THE WORLD  
THAT HE GAVE HIS ONLY-  
BEGOTTEN SON, SO THAT  
EVERYONE WHO BELIEVES IN HIM  
MAY NOT PERISH BUT MAY  
HAVE ETERNAL LIFE.



JOHN 3:16



THE EXALTATION OF  
THE HOLY CROSS

# MASS TIMES & PARISH INFO

**Parish priest:**

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**Weekend Masses | Weekday Masses**

**Saturday 5pm**

**Sun 9am & 11am**

**Tues to Saturday**

**9am**

**First Friday Mass**

**7pm (no 9am Mass)**

**Confessions**

**Mon to Sat 8:15 - 8:45 am**

**Saturday 3 - 4pm Sunday 8 - 8:30 am**

**or by appointment**



**Adoration**

**Fridays 9:30am—6pm**

**First Friday: 9am—6pm**

*There must be at least 2 people at all times sitting with our Lord.*

## PARISH OFFICE

Office is closed on Mondays

Tues to Fri 9am – 4pm

Lunch break 12:00 – 1pm

## Are you NEW or recent to our parish?

Welcome! If you have been coming consistently for 6 months or more, please pick up a registration form from our Information

Desk in the foyer.

### ***Mass for the Memorial of Our Lady of Sorrows***

*On Monday, Sept. 15, Mass will be celebrated at 7 pm for the Memorial of Our Lady of Sorrows.*

### ***Additional Confession Times***

*Confessions will now be heard Monday to Saturday from 8:15 - 8:45 am and Sunday from 8 - 8:30 am. They will continue to be heard on Saturday from 3 - 4 pm as well.*

## Mass Intentions

*Saturday, September 13th*

9:00am: †Daniel Irudaya Raj

5:00pm: †Frances Alcorn

*Sunday, September 14th*

9:00am: †Nicola Pagliano

11:00am: All parishioners, living & deceased

*Monday, September 15th*

7:00 pm

*Tuesday, September 16th*

9:00am: †Esmeraldo Dayrit

*Wednesday, September 17th*

9:00am: Elizabeth Egu Ojonoko Birthday

*Thursday, September 18th*

9:00am: †Alex & Jeanette Sereda

*Friday, September 19th*

9:00am: †Pertronila Alfonso

*Saturday, September 20th*

9:00am: Joseph & Elizabeth Esu Wedding Anniversary

5:00pm: †Barry Kilb Death Anniversary

*Sunday, September 21st*

9:00am: †Teodara Reyes

11:00am: All parishioners, living & deceased



## Mass Readings

Saturday, Sept 13

1 Timothy 1. 15-17  
Luke 6.43-49

Sunday, Sept 14 Exaltation

Holy Cross

Numbers 21. 4-9  
Philippeans 2. 6-11  
John 3. 13-17

Mon, Sept 15

1 Timothy 2. 1-8  
John 19. 25-27

Tuesday, Sept 16

1 Timothy 3. 1-13  
Luke 7. 11-17

Wednesday, Sept 17

1 Timothy 3. 14-16  
Luke 7. 31-35

Thursday, Sept 18

1 Timothy 4. 12-16  
Luke 7. 36-50

Friday, Sept 19

1 Timothy 6. 2-12  
Luke 8. 1-3

Saturday, Sept 20

1 Timothy 6. 13-16  
Luke 8. 4-15

Sunday, September 21 25th Sunday

Amos 8.4-7  
1 Timothy 2. 1-7  
Luke 16. 1-13

@bulletin

Email the parish office or scan the QR code to be added to the list. By signing up you can expect the following: **Help reduce our printing cost, Diocese News, Parish Alerts** (emergencies, last minute notices). Your email address is kept private and is not visible to anyone.



# PARISH NEWS UPDATE



## **St. Vincent de Paul Society**

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*Some days we may feel anything but peace in our hearts. That is the time to pause and open our hands and our hearts to the Lord asking him for peace, courage and guidance. "Lord, help me to feel how much you love me. Help me to accept that love and carry it to all those you send into my life today."*

**PANTRY NEEDS:** Apple Juice and Canned Vegetables

### **BAPTISM CLASSES**

Email: [sacraments@stceciliacalgary.com](mailto:sacraments@stceciliacalgary.com) to register or any inquiries

*We expect to have the application form submitted before the class Forms are available in the foyer, from the office or from the website*

- Saturday October-04-25 at 9:30 AM
- November-01-25 at 9:30 AM
- December-06-25 at 9:30 AM



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### **Got bottles for refunding?**

*We have a large, marked wooden box in the hall where the double doors are for those who wish to donate their bottles. All the refunds collected from these donations support our Youth Group. Please rinse bottles before donating.*

## SACRAMENT CLASSES

Registration for 2025-26 Reconciliation and Communion classes Close Friday September 19th. Forms are available in the foyer.

Registration for 2025-26 Confirmation classes Close Friday September 26th. Forms are available in the foyer. .

## RCIA

**RCIA classes will start on Tuesday September 30<sup>th</sup> and are every Tuesday to mid May 2026. These classes are for anyone interested in Joining the Catholic Faith or anyone interested in learning more about the Faith. Email [sacraments@stceciliacalgary.com](mailto:sacraments@stceciliacalgary.com) for more information**



St. Cecilia's Parish is fortunate to have three choirs which lead the congregation in singing God's praises at Mass each weekend: the Saturday 5 p.m. Folk Choir, an ensemble on Sunday morning at 9 a.m., and the thirty-five voice Adult Choir at 11:00 a.m. In addition, we have a group of dedicated individuals who comprise the Requiem Choir who help provide comfort to family members of deceased parishioners by providing music at funeral Masses. We are presently inviting prospective members to join our music ministry. If you enjoy singing and are interested in committing to becoming a member in one of our choirs, please see the directors after each Mass, or contact **Marie Hill**, leader of the Saturday choir, at

## Our schools:

*Fr. Derek visits all 3 of our schools monthly, offering class visits, Confession, Adoration, and liturgies, all as requested.*



### St. Matthew School

**Monthly Newsletter**

<https://stmatthew.cssd.ab.ca/>



### St. Cecilia School

**Weekly Newsletter**

<https://secure.smores.com/n/84rf1>



**Playground Donation Link:**

<https://app.etapestry.com/onlineforms/>



### St. William School

**Monthly Newsletter**

<https://stwilliam.cssd.ab.ca/newsletters>



# Diocesan News

[NEWS.CalgaryDiocese.ca](https://NEWS.CalgaryDiocese.ca) | FIND OUT WHAT'S HAPPENING in the DIOCESE.

2025 Worship Conference

## THE CHURCH AT WORSHIP

Renewing the Heart of Liturgical Ministry

- Keynote talks will explore the liturgy as a living encounter with the Paschal Mystery, principles of liturgical renewal, and leadership in service of the Body of Christ.
- Participants can choose workshops tailored to their current liturgical ministry.
- Workshops will cover theological and historical foundations, diocesan guidelines, and best practices.
- Emphasis on deepening a spirituality of holiness through active ministry.

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THE  
DATE

OCTOBER  
3-4, 2025

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Pilgrims  
of Hope  
Jubilee 2025



## Alberta Life Issues Educational Society (ALIES) Fundraising

Alberta Life Issues Educational Society (ALIES) invites you to a fundraising evening to help purchase a house near Calgary's abortion clinic, offering women the chance to choose life in their 11th hour. When: **Thu, Oct 2 at 6:30 pm | First Evangelical Free Church (732 – 55 Ave SW, Calgary).** Enjoy a silent auction, inspiring stories, live music, and carnival games. Proceeds will go toward the \$500,000 goal, with \$270,000 left to raise.

## Diocesan AI Symposium: AI is transforming society: Are Catholics ready?

Join us for a two-day diocesan AI Symposium, where faith and technology come together in conversation. Scholars and practitioners, including Bishop McGrattan, Steven Umbrello, Matthew Harvey Sanders, Louise Lodevole, and Dr. Ed Tse, will explore Artificial Intelligence through the lenses of Catholic doctrine, human dignity, family life, and its impact on society. When: **Fri & Sat, Oct 17–18, at McGivney Hall, St. Mary's University (14500 Bannister Road SE, Calgary).** With keynote addresses, discussions, and guided reflection, this symposium will help us grapple with one of today's most urgent questions: What are the promises and perils of AI, and how can the Church guide us in this new era? More information & registration: [catholiccyyc.ca/aisymposium](https://catholiccyyc.ca/aisymposium)

| ROOM BOOKINGS |         |                                                                                                    |
|---------------|---------|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Mon           | Sept 15 | 7 PM St Vincent de Paul (Boardroom)                                                                |
| Tues          | Sept 16 |                                                                                                    |
| Wed           | Sept 17 |                                                                                                    |
| Thur          | Sept 18 |                                                                                                    |
| Fri           | Sept 19 | 3:00pm— <b>Divine Mercy</b><br>5:30pm—Legion of Mary—(Boardroom)                                   |
| Sat           | Sept 20 | 3:00pm-4:00pm—CONFESSION<br>5:00pm— <b>MASS</b><br><br>9:30 AM— 3PM 4th Degree K of C (Auditorium) |
| Sun           | Sept 21 | 9:00am— <b>MASS</b><br>11:00am— <b>MASS</b>                                                        |



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