

ST CECILIA'S PARISH

SEPTEMBER 6-7



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23rd
SUNDAY IN
ORDINARY TIME

MASS TIMES & PARISH INFO

Parish priest:

Fr. Derek Remus

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Administrative Assistant:

TBD

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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 Feast of the Nativity of Mary

On Monday, Sept. 8, Mass will be celebrated at 9 am for the Feast of the Nativity of the Blessed Virgin Mary.

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 6th

9:00am: †Antony Viagappan

5:00pm: †Doris Sheilan

Sunday, September 7th

9:00am: †Jeanne Bulger

11:00am: All parishioners, living & deceased

Monday, September 8th

9:00am

Tuesday, September 9th

9:00am: †David Allen

Wednesday, September 10th

9:00am: Fr Paul Raj

Thursday, September 11th

9:00am: Ofelia Diaz Birthday Blessings

Friday, September 12th

9:00am: †Auroroa Jiminez

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



Mass Readings

Saturday, Sept 6

Colossians 1. 21-23
Luke 6.1-5

Sunday, Sept 7 23rd Sunday

Wisdom 9. 13-18
Philemon 9b-10, 12-17
Luke 14.25-33

Mon, Sept 8

Romans 8.28-30
Matthew 1.1-16, 18-23

Tuesday, Sept 9

Colossians 2.6-15
Luke 6.12-19

Wednesday, Sept 10

Colossians 3.1-11
Luke 6.20-26

Thursday, Sept 11

Colossians 3.12-17
Luke 6.27-38

Friday, Sept 12

1 Timothy 1.1-2, 12-14
Luke 6.39-42

Saturday, Sept 13

1 Timothy 1.15-17
Luke 6.43-49

Sunday, September 14 24th Sunday

Numbers 21.4-9
Philippians 2.6-11
John 3.13-17

@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

403-252-2790 ext. 223



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: Mayonaise and Jam

BAPTISM CLASSES

Email: 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, form 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.

Pilgrim Virgin Statue

Next weekend, after all the Masses, the Legion of Mary will have a sign-up drive so that you can have a statue of the Pilgrim Virgin brought to your home. The Pilgrim Virgin is Our Lady of Fatima, Our Lady of the Rosary. She greatly desires to come to your home.

SACRAMENT CLASSES

Registration forms for the 2025-2026 school year are **now available** in the foyer. We have also sent the forms to the schools.

RCIA

RCIA classes will start on Tuesday September 30th 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 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 403-252-3456, or **Ross Ferby**, director / organist of the Sunday and Requiem choirs, at 403-253-6757. No experience is necessary. Everyone is welcome.

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>



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Playground Donation Link:

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



St. William School

Monthly Newsletter

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



Diocesan News

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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OCTOBER
3-4, 2025

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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

ROOM BOOKINGS

Mon	Sept 8	
Tues	Sept 9	
Wed	Sept 10	
Thur	Sept 11	
Fri	Sept 12	3:00pm—Divine Mercy 5:30pm—Legion of Mary—(Boardroom)
Sat	Sept 13	3:00pm-4:00pm—CONFESSION 5:00pm—MASS
Sun	Sept 14	9:00am—MASS 11:00am—MASS



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