#### C A T H E D R A L NE W S

#### **GREECE & TURKEY PILGRIMAGE**

Ioin Father Pablo Santa Maria & Dr. 🖬 🖓 Peter Kwasniewski on a 12-day pilgrimage in the footsteps of Saint Paul to Greece & Turkey. To register and for more info. please visit:

stcharlespilgrimages.com/kwasniewski or follow the OR code.

#### THE ANNUNCIATION. APRIL 8

This year the Feast of the Annunciation, which usually falls on March 25, happened during Holy Week. As the days of Holy Week are very important the Annunciation was moved to April 8, the first day after the Easter Octave. On that day we will follow the regular Mass schedule, plus a Sung Latin Mass at 6:30 PM.

### **IOB OPPORTUNITY AT THE TRIBUNAL**

The Archdiocese of Vancouver seeks a mature administrative professional to serve as the Tribunal Assistant. For more information please visit: rcav.org/about/employment

## HRC HOLY HOUR HAPPY HOUR, APRIL 19, 8 PM Young adults in their **20's and 30's** are invited to join us for a peaceful time of Adoration before the Blessed Sacrament at the Cathedral followed by a social event at a local pub. Come and join us for prayer and fellowship. For more information please contact hrc.youngadults@gmail.com

## **MARCH FOR LIFE VICTORIA, MAY 9**

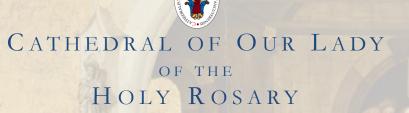
The March for Life in Victoria. BC is a Culture of Life event. The event includes a march from Centennial Square down Government St. to the BC Legislature. Once at the Legislature a number of guest speakers will educate the attendees on the current challenges facing the Culture of Life. Thursday, May 9 at 1:30 PM. To learn more visit: m4lvictoria.ca/



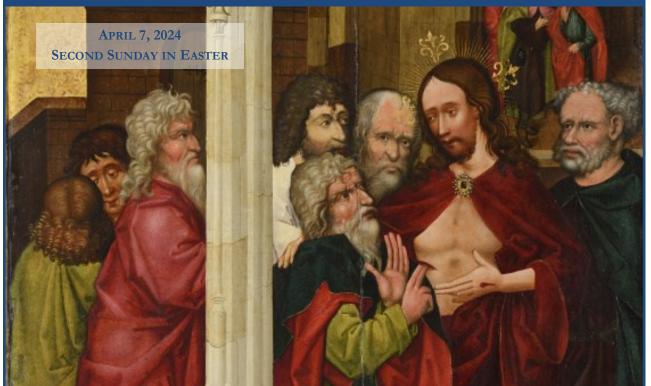
DIVINE MERCY HOLY HOUR Second Sunday in Easter April 7, 2024, from 2:30 рм to 3:30 рм Jesus, I trust in You.

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Most Rev. J. Michael Miller, CSB

**SUNDAY MASS SCHEDULE** Saturday 5:10 PM anticipated Mass Sunday 8 AM, 11 AM, 1 PM, 4 PM in Latin 6:30 PM in Spanish, 8 PM

> WEEKDAY MASSES 7:15 AM, 12:10 PM and 5:10 PM Latin Mass: Fridays at 6:30 PM

CONFESSIONS Mon - Sat. 11 to 11:45 AM & 4 to 4:45 PM Spanish Confessions: Sundays from 6 to 6:25 PM

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## DEVOTIONS & SPIRITUAL LIFE

Sunday Vespers and Benediction: 5:30 PM First Friday devotions to the Sacred Heart: After 6:30 PM Latin Mass Rosary: Monday to Saturday at 11:40 AM & 4:40 PM Adoration: Fridays from 12:45 PM to 3:30 PM



#### C A Т Η E D R A F E

#### BAPTISMS

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Baptism are for Cathedral parishioners or those who live in the boundaries of the Cathedral. Please call the Cathedral office to find out more.

#### MARRIAGES

Bookings should be made at least six months in The Cathedral has a team of dedicated men who advance. Couples please contact the Cathedral office for information.

#### **MUSIC & CHOIRS AT THE CATHEDRAL**

Please contact music director, Catherine Walsh at catherine.organist@gmail.com for more info.

#### **KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS**

For more info, please contact: Father Stanley **HISPANIC COMMUNITY** Galvon.

#### HRC YOUNG ADULTS

Contact: hrcyoungadults@gmail.com; http://facebook.com/hrcyoungadults

#### LATIN MASS AT THE CATHEDRAL

At the Cathedral we have a Traditional Mass community. Masses on Friday (6:30 PM) and Sundays (4 PM). Coordinator: Daniel Chan.

### **CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE**

Baptisms are held on most Sundays at 2:30 PM. Contact Jane Rosenthal at janemrose@telus.net.

#### LEGION OF MARY

If you would like to get involved please contact Ave, (778)896 0649.

#### ALTAR MINISTRY

serve at specific Masses. To become an Altar Server or a reader please contact the Master of Ceremonies, Fr. Santa Maria: psantamaria@rcav.org

#### HANDMAIDS OF THE LORD

This is an all-women ministry of the Couples for Christ Info. Grace Inonog: grace.inonog@yahoo.com

The weekly Spanish Mass now caters to the Spanish -speaking community in our parish: comunidadhispanahrc@gmail.com

#### **CATHEDRAL BELL RINGERS**

Our eight bells are rung by hand by a dedicated band of bell ringers. Visit www.vscr.ca for more info.

Picture on Cover: Doubting Thomas - Royal Canonry of Premonstratensians at Strahov

#### DIVINE MERCY

he Second Sunday in Easter goes by many different names, but ever since the Holy Year of 2000, Saint John Paul II decreed that this Sunday would be known as Divine Mercy Sunday. The devotion to Divine Mercy began in the 1930s, when Our Lord privately revealed to the Polish nun, Saint Faustina Kowalska, the message concerning His Divine Mercy. She wrote these revelations in her diary. At the heart of these revelations was the decreasing sense of sin and the diminishing need many had for God. Saint John Paul II said "when those ideologies of evil nazism and communism, were taking shape. Sister Faustina became the herald of the one message capable of off-setting the evil of those ideologies, that fact that God is mercy-the truth of the merciful Christ."1

At the Cathedral we have always had a very strong devotion to the Sacred Heart. It follows then that we would also have a very strong devotion to Divine Mercy—especially during the Pontificate of Pope Francis, where God's Mercy is centre stage. Because of this we decided to commission a new painting of the Divine Mercy. This painting will be stylistically similar to the antique painting of Our Lady of Guadalupe which hangs by the baptistery, but it will also be faithful to the image that is so beloved by all of us. Once it is finished it will replace the print that currently hangs by the confessionals. We are keeping the painting there because it is close to the place where we encounter God's Mercy sacramentally.

For this project we found a partner in the other Cathedral in the Lower mainland, Holy Eucharist Cathedral, of the Ukrainian Greek Catholic Community. Collaborating with Fr. Mykhailo Ozorovych, the Rector of the Cathedral, the talented artist Serhii Koloda has been tirelessly working to finish this painting in time for Divine Mercy Sunday. Serhii had a very successful art

career in Ukraine, but ever since the Russian invasion of his country he has moved his family to the Lower Mainland and works here.

This Sunday after the 11 AM Mass His Grace the Archbishop will bless the new painting. This image is going to hang in the Cathedral also to remember the ministry of Archbishop Miller. His Coat of Arms will be placed in the painting. It is a small way to show gratitude to the very fruitful ministry of Archbishop Miller.

The painting's total cost is going to be around twenty-five thousand dollars. This cost also includes a custom frame being built in Ukraine to match the frame of Our Lady of Guadalupe. If you wish to donate towards this project please contact the Cathedral office. An income tax receipt is available for the full amount donated to this special project.

Saint Faustina, pray for us.



1. Pope Saint John Paul II. Memory and Identity (2005)