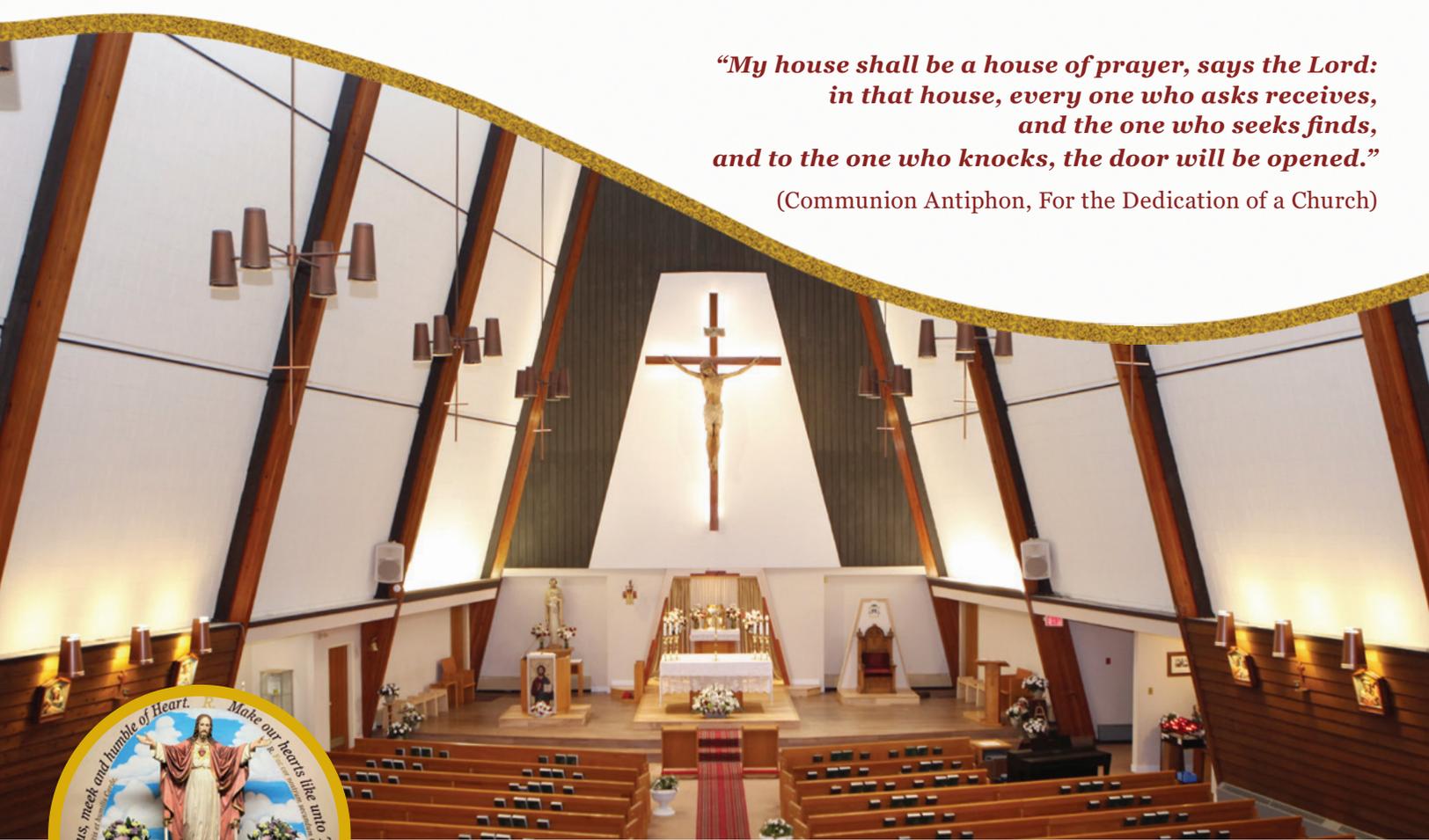


*“My house shall be a house of prayer, says the Lord:  
in that house, every one who asks receives,  
and the one who seeks finds,  
and to the one who knocks, the door will be opened.”*

(Communion Antiphon, For the Dedication of a Church)



# Sacred Heart Cathedral

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## SUNDAY

9:00 AM | Mass  
 11:00 AM | Mass  
 \*5:30 PM | 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday  
 Filipino Mass

## MONDAY

**Office Closed**  
 12:10 PM | Mass

## TUESDAY - FRIDAY

**10:00 AM – 2:00 PM | Office Hours**  
 12:10 PM | Mass

## SATURDAY

9:00 AM | Mass  
 5:30 PM | Vigil Mass

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 11:00 AM 11:30 AM

## LITURGY OF THE HOURS

**SATURDAY SUNDAY**  
 Evening Prayer I | Morning Prayer  
 5:10 PM 8:40 AM  
 Evening Prayer II  
 (3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday)  
 5:15 PM

## CONFESSIONS

**TUE - FRI SAT SUN**  
 11:45 AM 8:45 AM 8:30 AM  
 4:45 PM 10:30 AM

## CLERGY AND STAFF

**Bishop :** Most Reverend Stephen Jensen  
**Rector:** Very Reverend Rectorino M. Tolentino, Jr.  
**Pastoral/Administrative Assistant:** Mr. Juan Miguel Reyes  
**Bookkeeper:** Ms. Rachelle Delorey  
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**Sacred Heart Cathedral** is both a parish and the seat of the Diocese of Prince George. It was built in 1960 and was solemnly consecrated on April 5, 1961. The latest sanctuary renovation was originally initiated in 2018 and has reached its completion early in the year 2021.

# Fifth Sunday of Lent, Year A

March 22, 2026

*I am the resurrection and the life.*

*John 11.3-7, 17, 20-27, 33b-45*

## Mass Schedule / Intentions

Mon.	Mar 23	12:10 PM	Donald Josefchuk, conversion & salvation
Tue.	Mar 24	12:10 PM	Donald Josefchuk, conversion & salvation
Wed.	Mar 25	12:10 PM	Souls in purgatory
Thu.	Mar 26	5:30 PM	Private
Fri.	Mar 27	12:10 PM	Donald Josefchuk, conversion & salvation
Sat	Mar 28	9:00 AM	Donald Josefchuk, conversion & salvation
		5:30 PM	
Sun.	Mar 29	9:00 AM	Justin Loby, RIP
		11:00 AM	Josef Lipoczky & Maria Livar, RIP

## COLLECTION

March 7-8, 2026

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 SACRED HEART CATHEDRAL  
 Thursday, March 26, 2026, 7:00PM  
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### CHRISM MASS 2026

Clergy, religious and lay faithful from across the diocese will gather with Bishop Stephen Jensen for the annual Chrism Mass at 7:00 P.M. Thursday, March 26, 2026, at Sacred Heart Cathedral. The Chrism Mass will be followed by a reception. Those attending are invited to bring a plate of snacks to share and are asked to put the snack on the designated table in the lower hall before Mass.

Everyone is welcome to join our diocesan community for this important celebration. During the Chrism Mass, the priests of the diocese renew their commitment to priestly ministry. The Oil of the Sick, Oil of the Catechumens, and Sacred Chrism for use in the celebration of sacraments throughout the year are also blessed and consecrated by Bishop Stephen Jensen during the annual Chrism Mass.

### SECOND COLLECTION: SHARE LENT

*“By giving generously to Development and Peace – Caritas Canada’s Solidarity Sunday Collection on 22*

*March 2026 Canadians can support communities, organizations, farmers, humanitarian workers and so many others who are making such a decisive and radical choice in some of the world’s most challenging situations...Development and Peace – Caritas Canada has titled its campaign On Track for Justice to emphasize that by giving to Share Lent, we are all able to join these courageous efforts, along with many others around the world.”*

**WHEN DEATH  
 HEARS HIS VOICE**  
 5<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Lent, Year A  
 March 22, 2026

[WHEN DEATH HEARS HIS VOICE | The Word of the Lord with Fr. Rector | Fifth Sunday of Lent, Year A](#)

This YouTube channel: [THE WORD OF THE LORD WITH FR. RECTOR](#)—reflection on the Sunday Gospel reading aims to assist parishioners and viewers to prepare for Sunday Mass.

*On track for*  
**JUSTICE**  
 Share Lent 2026 Development and Peace  
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# HOLY WEEK AND EASTER 2026

## PALM SUNDAY

(with distribution and blessing of palm branches)

**March 28** 5:30 PM Vigil Mass  
**29** 9:00 AM Mass  
 11:00 AM Mass  
 Assembly in front of the cathedral

## HOLY MONDAY TO WEDNESDAY

**March 30 - April 1** 12:10 PM Mass  
 6:00 PM - 7:00 PM Hours of Mercy  
 (Evening Prayer, Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament, Adoration, Confessions—several priests will be available)

## HOLY THURSDAY

**April 2** 7:00 PM Mass of the Lord's Supper  
 (washing of feet, gifts for the poor, adoration of the Blessed Sacrament before the altar of repose until midnight)

## GOOD FRIDAY

**April 3** 1:00 PM Stations of the Cross (outside/around the block)  
 3:00 PM The Celebration of the Passion of the Lord

## HOLY SATURDAY

**April 4** 8:30 PM Easter Vigil

## EASTER SUNDAY

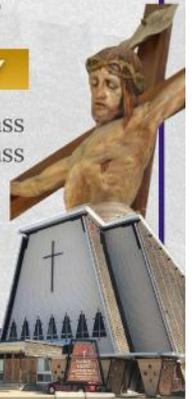
**April 5** 9:00 AM Mass  
 11:00 AM Mass  
 12:30 PM Blessing of Easter food



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The Annunciation of the Lord

**MARCH 25:**  
**The Solemnity of the Annunciation (Principal Patron of the diocese, Our Lady of the Annunciation)**

On Wednesday, March 25<sup>th</sup>, there are two opportunities for parishioners to attend

Mass at Sacred Heart Cathedral - the usual 12:10 PM Mass and additional 5:30 PM Mass.

The 5:30 PM Mass will incorporate a celebration of the two RVM (Religious of the Virgin Mary) who are present in our parish community. They are S. Rosviminda Ochoa, RVM and S. Doris De Guzman, RVM. Traditionally, the Solemnity of the Annunciation is a day of celebration for the RVM celebrating their final profession of vows. This year S. Vinda is celebrating her 25<sup>th</sup> Anniversary.

Bishop Stephen Jensen will be the main celebrant for the 5:30 PM Mass. It is a concelebrated Mass. Reception will follow the Mass in the lower church hall.

## LITURGICAL NOTE ON THIS FIFTH SUNDAY OF LENT

In the Dioceses of Canada, the practice of covering crosses and images throughout the church from this Sunday onward may be observed. Crosses remain uncovered until the end of the celebration of the Lord's Passion on Good Friday. They are uncovered at the beginning of the Easter Vigil.

**March 26 is the anniversary of the Dedication of Sacred Heart Cathedral (1990). Transferred from March 25.** "The importance of the cathedral church in the liturgical life of the diocese flows from the role of the Bishop as high Priest of the Lord's flock. Every parish community is related to the Bishop, therefore the anniversary of the cathedral church's dedication as a place of worship is celebrated throughout the diocese...The anniversary of the cathedral dedication is celebrated as a Feast throughout the diocese and as a proper Solemnity in the cathedral parish." (ORDO, Pastoral Notes, Note 25b, p.51).

*Liturgical Notes:*

DAILY READINGS	Mon., Mar 23	Tue., Mar 24	Wed., Mar 25	Thu., Mar 26	Fri., Mar 27	Sat., Mar 28	Sun., Mar 29
1 <sup>st</sup> Reading	Daniel 13.1-9,15-17,19-30,33-64++	Numbers 21.4-9	Isaiah 7.10-14;8.10d	Genesis 17.3-9	Jeremiah 20.7,10-13++	Ezekiel 37.21-28	Isaiah 50.4-7
R. Psalm	Ps. 23	Ps. 102	Ps. 40	Ps. 105	Ps. 18	Jeremiah 21	Ps. 22
2 <sup>nd</sup> Reading			Hebrews 1-0.4-10				Philippians 2.6-11
Gospel	John 8.1-11	John 8.21-30	Luke 1.26-38	John 8.51-59	John 10.31-42	John 11.45-56	Matthew 26.14-27.66

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