

The Victoria Filipino-Canadian SDA Church

May 24, 2025

9:15 AM **Circle of Prayer**.....Jerry Johnson, Lead
Theme Song....."Turn Your Eyes Upon Jesus".....290

THE CHURCH AT STUDY

9:30 AM – 10:50 AM

Singspiration....."Joy By and By".....430
Elder Cristian Pion, Lead Chorister
Opening Hymn....."Holy, Holy, Holy".....73
Opening Prayer.....Donna Howell
Adult Study....."In the Psalms: Part 1".....Donna Howell
Youth....."Willing and Able".....@VICM | *no class*
Children "Listening to God".....@VICM / *no class*
Closing Hymn....." I Need Thee Every Hour ".....483
Closing PrayerDonna Howell

Welcome/Announcements:

May 23 – 25, Vancouver Island Camp Meeting
June 7, Graduation Blessing Service | *register now!*
Promotions – Upcoming Camp Meetings
Fundraising for Camp Meetings, Livestream Equipment, Benevolent Fund

Praise TimeElder Cris Pion & Friends

THE CHURCH AT WORSHIP

11:00 AM – 12:30 PM

Introit....."Near to the Heart of God".....495
Invocation.....Elder Cristian Pion
Opening Hymn....."Give of Your Best to the Master".....572
Offertory Service....."Conference Advance".....Donna Howell
Doxology "Praise God, From Whom All Blessings Flow".....694
Scripture Reading....."**1 Corinthians 15:58**".....Elder Jerry Johnson
Garden of Prayer.....TBA
"As We Come to You in Prayer" 671
"Hear Our Prayer, O Lord" 684

Message in Music.....Elder Cristian Pion
Sermon....."**We Don't Serve the Lord in Vain**".....Elder Cristian Pion
Closing Song....."I'll Go Where You Want Me to Go ".....573
Benediction.....Elder Cristian Pion
Recessional....."We Have This Hope | Jesus Is Coming Again ".....



Prayer of Grace
Dismiss Us, Lord, With Blessing

Pianist – Jerry Johnson | Chorister – Elder Cris Pion
SS Coordinator – Jerry Johnson | DS Coordinator – Jerry Johnson
Deacons – TBA
Greeters – Elder Jerry Johnson | Elder on Duty – Jerry Johnson

Move, Fuel, Rest, Repeat / *Adventist Review*



God created us to be stewards of many things, which includes the body He has given us (see 1 Cor. 6:19, 20). The question is: Do we treat our body with the same kindness and respect that He would? When we take care of ourselves, we are not only willing but able to follow His leading.

Your health doesn't have to be complicated. By making small, consistent choices, you can build a healthier life. Caring for your body is a way to honor the Life-giver. Start where you are, use what you have, and trust that every step forward is a step toward lasting wellness.

WELCOME to the Victoria Filipino-Canadian Seventh-day Adventist Church! We wish everyone a special Sabbath with abundant blessings! Turn your eyes upon Jesus, open your heart and you will be lifted heavenward toward love and peace and unity with all! The Lord's mercies are new every morning, his grace is sufficient, and his compassion never fails! God is love! He loves endlessly and unconditionally! **You are welcome here!**

Drop Box for the Response Form is at the door.
Prayer Book for prayer requests is available by the door.



We'd like to remember you.
Kindly sign the guest book.

Sunset today – 8:58 PM
Sunset May 30 – 9:06 PM

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Fellowship Lunch, all are invited. HEALTH SAFETY practices are everyone's responsibility.

Prayer Ministry. Every Sabbath at 9:15 AM - Circle of Prayer at the Sanctuary. At 1:23 PM, "prayer warriors" will be gathering at the Prayer Room. Approach the prayer team for your petitions or if you want to join the prayer ministry. **SPECIAL PRAYER FOR LCS.**

"If life gets too hard to stand, KNEEL"

Prayer Blanket – if you wish to have one, please connect with Jane Garzon or Pr. Benjie.

Bible Study & Prayer Meetings – Church Prayer Meeting is every Thursday at 7 PM | every 1st & 3rd Thursday of the month at Church, 2nd Thursday at a member's house, last Thursday via Zoom. If you like to join or be a host, please see Pr. Benjie or Elders.

Health Ministry - Join us for a healthy breakfast at church, served from 9:00 to 9:30 AM on the last Sabbath of every month.

Lakeview Christian School

- ❖ LCS is accepting resumes for the office **secretarial position**
- ❖ LCS is accepting resumes for a full-time **ECE or ECEA position**
- ❖ **Reserve your child's seat now!** 2025-2026 registration is open. Please call 250-658-5082, or email admin@lcsvictoria.ca to arrange a tour.
- ❖ **On-call EA, ECE, ECEA & teacher positions** are available.
- ❖ Please email all resumes to principal, **Scott Bastien:** sbastien@lcsvictoria.ca
- ❖ **LCS Constituency Meeting**, Wednesday, May 21, 7:00 PM, via Zoom
- ❖ **Save the Date!** Enjoy the annual LCS Spring Concert on Thursday, May 29, 6:30 PM

West Coast Adventist School Registration is OPEN!

- ✦ **No Monthly Tuition for BC Residents** – just a one-time annual registration fee, \$225. West Coast Adventist School offers faith-based, accredited online education, allowing students across BC to learn from anywhere with flexibility and support.
- 🔗 **Register today:** wcasdl.ca 📧 **Questions? Contact us at** office@wcasdl.ca

More announcements about Youth Club Ministries & Young Adult Calendar;
Subscribe to "Together in Mission" Newsletter @ www.bcadventist.ca

Important Dates:

- May 23-25, Island Camp Meeting
- June 7, VicFilCan Graduation Blessing
- June 14, Mabuhay Celebration at the Centennial Square
- June 21, Communion
- June 27 – 29, FAABBC Camp Meeting & Sports Festival (children athletes \$15 to register)
- July 25-Aug 3, BC Camp Meeting
- August 8-10, Family Camping at Camp Barnard, Sooke BC | Open to family and friends
 - **A poll/pre camping survey ends on May 31, 2025**, scan the QR code at the back
 - **Final registration will end on July 12, 2025**

Contact **Sis Fred Ruiz** for more details and/or if you wish to extend stay at Camp Barnard
fredruiz@hotmail.com

Bulletin Information is due on **Sunday**. Please submit it to mariel.vilda@hotmail.com



Thanks to the First Baptist Church

**Victoria Filipino Canadian Seventh-day
Adventist Church**

Meets every Sabbath at

877 North Park Street, Victoria, BC

Seventh-day Adventists accept the Bible as the only source of our beliefs. We consider our movement to be the result of the Protestant conviction Sola Scriptura—the Bible as the only standard of faith and practice for Christians. Jesus left His followers with an epic mission: tell the world of His love and His promise to return. We love people the way He loves them.

Victoria FilCan SDA Church
Prayer Request & Response Form
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- ☐ I request to be visited ☐ online ☐ by phone ☐ in-person
- ☐ I am interested in a bible study
 - ☐ English ☐ Pilipino ☐ Other Language/Dialect
- ☐ I request membership transfer from _____
- ☐ I request membership transfer to _____
- ☐ I want to be ☐ baptized ☐ re-baptized ☐ POF
 - ☐ I want to Volunteer* as _____
- ☐ I want to join the ☐ Ukulele Ensemble ☐ Choir ☐ Prayer Meeting (☐ virtual ☐ in-Person) My email address/messenger name is provided below.
- ☐ I want to receive a bulletin in advance. My email address is provided below.
- ☐ I would like to join the ☐ Family Camping ☐ Mission Trip to the Philippines ☐ Camp Meeting
- ☐ I have a question eg. child dedication, wedding/renewal of vows, memorial service, POF.....

☐ **PRAYER REQUEST**

Name:

Email Address:

Date Submitted:



Pastor Benjie Arias Contact:
(250) 896-9001
barias@bcadventist.ca

*Do you want to receive a bulletin in advance? ← Please scan the QR code.
Any great suggestions for church?
Talk to Elders Grego, Jerry or Cris*

Follow us at <https://www.facebook.com/victoriafilcan>

Free parking at the First Baptist Church's parking lot is by first come, first served on designated spaces only. **Please DO NOT USE THE CHURCH STAFF SPACE/S.** Pay parking is available at the Coastline's Church lot, Caledonia St. Thank you.

Free Last Will & Planned Giving at the BC Conference. Call Sheila Macaraig at 604-853-5451 Ext 106. Consultation available at the BC Camp Meeting.



If you are unable to attend church but would like to donate and/or submit your tithe and offerings, scan the ← **Adventist Giving** QR code to start.

May 31, 2025

Divine Service Speaker – Dr. Harley Wong
SS Facilitator – Spence Villado | DS Coordinator – Silver Flores
Chorister – Shanley Reyes | Pianist – John Donasco
Praise Time – Music Ministry | Greeters – Bayano Family
Elder on Duty – Gregorio Herrera | Prayer 123 – Jerry Johnson



Victoria FilCan Church is growing in ministry, thank you for answering God's call and being part of it. To spread our reach, we're going livestream and more interactive in social media. We need volunteers, contents and funds to acquire the technology. ASK how you can help.

