Our Lady Queen of Peace Church (since 1930)

SHRINE TO INFANT JESUS of PRAGUE (since 2003)



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TRADITIONAL LATIN Mass: Rev. John Domotor HUNGARIAN Mass: Rev. John Domotor ORDINARIATE Mass: Rev. Lee Kenyon

IMPORTANT: IN THE HOSPITAL?

If you or family member is hospitalize or is going to hospital and would like to be visited by your PARISH PRIEST, Please call the PARISH OFFICE to make this request.

HOSPITAL EMERGENCY ONLY!

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250.889.3761

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SUNDAY	10:00am	12:00		2:00 except 1st Sunday of the month 3:00 only 1st Sunday of the month			2:00 on 1 st Sunday of the month			
	HOLY MASS	TRADITIONAL LATIN MASS		ORDINARIATE OF THE CHAIR OF SAINT PETER			HUNGARIAN MASS			
			MONDAY		TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	TH	IURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
ORDINARIATE OF THE CHAIR OF SAINT PETER			9:30 am		No Mass	9:30 am		9:30 am	9:30 am	9:30 am & Rosary-10am Adoration- 10:30-11:30am
TRADITIONAL LATIN MASS			-		8:30 am	8:30 am	1	8:30 am	8:30 am	-
Rosary			-		11:30	11:30		11:30	11:30	-
WEEKDAY MASS *1 ST SATURDAY of the month HOLY MASS		-		12:10	12:10		12:10	12:10	12:10* 5:00pm	
CONFESSION: Please ring the bell, enter when green light is on * 1 ST SATURDAY of the month		-		11:30	11:30		11:30	11:30	4:00 – 4:45 3:00 -4:00*	
Devotion to Mother of Perpetual Help			-		-	12:45		-	-	-

The CWL: meets every month on the 2nd Wednesday after the Noon Mass President: Elsie Lambton

No meetings in July & August

Devotion to INFANT JESUS OF PRAGUE

KNIGHTS of COLUMBUS:

Contact: Don Lambton 250.995.1531 e-mail - lambton@shaw.ca

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KEEPING IN CONTACT: We extend our hands and hearts in Christian fellowship to you here, celebrating with us, whether long time							
residents or newly arrived in the Parish. We thank God that you are with us. If we may assist you, please fill out the form below and place							
in the collection basket or mail to the PARISH OFFICE (address on top). Please mark the proper BOX (below on the left side).							
New Parishioner	Name:						
Have moved here is new address	Address:						
I am home-bound and would like someone to visit me	≅ Home ≊ Work						
I am going to be in the hospital, please call on me	o moil:						

'Legacies'

Our Lady Queen of Peace acknowledges with gratitude past legacies which we use to maintain the integrity of our Church.

Please include us in your 'LAST WILL', how will we survive without it?

Legacies are a way of providing assurance that the parish has income or savings in the event of unforeseen emergencies.

The monthly 'Building Fund and Collection' pays for maintenance/replacement items.

Sacramental Information

Baptism: at Our Lady Queen of Peace you must call the office at least 3 months in advance to arrange an appointment with the Pastor. It is assumed that the family has Our Lady Queen of Peace parish connection and practices the faith by attending Sunday Mass on a weekly basis. You may meet with the Pastor and take the course even if your child has not yet been born. Parents are expected to participate in the Baptismal preparation. At least one Godparent or both must be baptized and confirmed and are practicing Catholics. Non-parishioners are required to have a Letter of Recommendation from your Pastor to have your child Baptized in our parish.

Marriage: at Our Lady Queen of Peace because the Church is deeply concerned about each marriage, couples are asked to give a minimum of six months' notice prior to the intended date of their wedding. Church policy requires that marriages be performed in your home parish – unless you are registered and attend elsewhere.

<u>Funeral:</u> at Our Lady Queen of Peace individual arrangements with a priest. Begin by calling the parish office.

To Report Sexual Abuse to an Independent Agency

Click the button below

Report Sexual Abuse

Vancouver Island Crisis-Line

The Vancouver Island Crisis Society is contracted by **Island Health**. We are a registered non-profit agency whose services include:

24-hour crisis lines: **1-888-494-3888 Crisis Text Services**: **250-800-3806**(from your mobile) 6pm - 10pm - 7 days a week

Crisis Chat Services: 6pm - 10pm - 7 days a week

We work in partnership with Island Health to provide public access to Mental Health & Substance Use services in the communities administered by Island Health.

A National Indian Residential School Crisis Line

A national Indian Residential School Crisis Line has been set up by the Indian Residential School Survivors Society (IRSSS) to provide support for former students and those affected. People can access emotional and crisis referral services by calling the 24-hour line at 1-866-925-4419

'Mass Intentions'

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Nov 2	TUESDAY	
Nov 3	WEDNESDAY	special intentions Agustina Manguerra
Nov 4	THURSDAY	
Nov 5	FRIDAY	
Nov 6	SATURDAY	
Nov 9	TUESDAY	
Nov 10	WEDNESDAY	
Nov 11	THURSDAY	12:10pm Mass
Nov 12	FRIDAY	
Nov 13	SATURDAY	
Nov 16	TUESDAY	
Nov 17	WEDNESDAY	
Nov 18	THURSDAY	
Nov 19	FRIDAY	
Nov 20	SATURDAY	

Please remember the following persons who are ill in your prayers: Ann VanNoordt, Marge Haake, Christine Stornebrink, Charles Lennaghan,

Please Note:

If you suffer from Celiac disease, we are able to offer a low-gluten Host. Please come to the sacristy before Mass and inform the priest.

Respect Life Ministry

If you are expecting a child and are feeling confused; if you are thinking that there is no way out of this situation for you; if you want to talk to someone, call, text 250.812.0087 email: respectlifem@gmail.com

Online Marriage Preparation Course

Marriage Preparation Course online, and couples can work through the program at their own pace. Cost is \$125 per couple, and the price also includes an online individualized couple assessment as well as a liturgy planning guide. More information https://bit.ly/3hzgRGW also on the Diocese website or contact the Diocese of Victoria at: 250-479-1331

Collection Envelopes

If you are new to the parish and would like to have a box of pre-numbered collection envelopes, please contact the parish office at 250-384-3884 or email: office@qop.ca

St. Andrew's Cathedral - Masses livestreamed

Monday to Friday: 7:00 pm Bishop Gary Sunday: 10:00 am Bishop Gary

To access the Bishop's Masses:

http://www.youtube.com/c/RCDVictoriaLiveOne

Saturday Masses can be accessed at:

https://www.youtube.com/c/standrewscathedral

Ministry Appointments

Bishop Gary has, in consultation with the Priest Personnel Committee, made the following pastoral ministry appointments:

Effective September 1, 2021

Fr. Robert Ryu, on loan from the Diocese of Wonju, Korea, appointed Pastor of the Korean Community, for a period of three years.

Joseph Yuson, seminarian in formation for the Diocese of Victoria, will complete his year of pastoral internship at Holy Family/Notre Dame Parish in Port Alberni.

Effective October 12, 2021

Fr. John Laszczyk and Fr. Dino Villadiego, in conformity with Canon 517§1, appointed to St. Andrew's Cathedral "in solidum" [pastoral leadership and team ministry]. Fr. John Laszczyk will serve as moderator and have responsibility for reporting to the Bishop.



Daylight savings time, don't forget to turn your clocks back one hour tonight before going to bed.

<u>Invitation to participate in National Liturgy</u> <u>Webinar on Eucharistic Transformation</u>

The National Liturgy Office of the CCCB is offering a free three-part webinar on **Nov.8**, **9**, and **10** from **11** am – **1** pm each day. The aim of this webinar is to reflect more deeply on the meaning of the Eucharist in order to invigorate how we celebrate, live out, and give witness to what the Eucharist means. Registration is open to clergy, religious, liturgy committee members, pastoral council members, chaplains, and any interested parishioners. For more information and to register, please visit: https://www.cccb.ca/liturgy-sacraments/resources-in-english/national-liturgy-webinar/

KC 1256 60th Annual Appeal

Due to COVID-19, the Charity Appeal Program for this year continues to be online. Funds raised under this program are donated to a variety of Knights of Columbus charitable causes at the provincial and local Victoria leavels. Win \$135,000 in prizes including a \$60,000 Grand Prize! Sales run to Jan. 29th, 2022, main draw that evening at 7:15pm. To purchase your ticket online, click here: https://kofcdraw.net/c1256



Remembrance Day, Thurs., Nov. 11th

This is a special day to remember the many who gave their lives in service of country and by that I mean their fellow citizens and also for us. We have our many freedoms today only because of

the sacrifice of brave men and women who were willing to forsake their own comforts for the good of others. We pray also for the many at home (civilians) who lost their lives at the hands of oppressors. And we also pray for peace in our world – that those who have influence and power may enact policies to make peace a reality and that ordinary men and women may lay aside hate and anger and engage in true dialogue to bring about the same reality of peace.

Birthright Fudge

Birthright will be selling home-made Fudge after the Latin Mass and the Ordinariate Mass on Nov 14th. (The packets make great stocking stuffers or gifts for the holiday table and freeze well!)

Birthright assists women in difficult or crisis pregnancies, offering hope and encouraging Mothers to give the precious gift of Life to their babies - how fitting as we prepare for Christmas! Please consider supporting this worthwhile cause.

Birthright will be taking orders for the other Mass times at Queen of Peace. Please order by Dec 7 at <u>info@birthrightvictoria</u> or call Peggy at 250.478.5372 for mid-December pick-up from the parish office.

Please see our poster for more information.

CCO Victoria's Fall Retreat 2021

Students and young adults: take the weekend away from the city to head out to beautiful Thetis Island at a camp right on the ocean and dive deeper into discovering your idententity and relationship with God. We will spend time hearing from a powerful and dynamic speaker, Mark Moreau, as he unpacks for us the meaning of our lives as created by God - who we are and who we belong to.

Experience moments of prayer, beautiful soulful worship, sharing and lots of love. There will also be plenty of time to hang out, play sports, kayak on the ocean, make s'mores at the bonfire, or even try archery. Taking at Pioneer Pacific Camp on Thetis Island, BC, on Nov. 12th to 14th Wherever you may be in your spiritual life right now, this retreat will meet you there.

Register: https://ccovictoriafallretreat21.eventbrite.com

Registration deadline is Thurs., Nov. 4th at 11:59pm. Note: A bus will be leaving UVic by the Multifaith Centre at 3:30pm sharp on Fri., Nov. 12th, and come back for 4pm Mass on Sun. Nov. 14.

For any further questions please feel free to email: victoria@cco.ca or call Nic @ 613-281-2307

Seeds of Reconciliation Workshop

Seeds of Reconciliation introduces participants to the reconciliation conversation. We invite anyone who is interested in exploring their own assumptions, judgements and behaviours to attend. This free, one day workshop is being offered Sat., Nov. 27th from 8:30 am to 4:30 pm at Queen of Angels School, 2085 Maple Bay Road, Duncan, BC. This is a great introduction (or refresher) to the Returning to Spirit intensive programs which will be offered in the Spring/Summer of 2022. There is no obligation to enroll in the intensive programs after this event nor is it a prerequisite to the intensive programs. Participants are asked to bring a bagged lunch and must be committed to the whole day. Limited number of spaces available so please register early. If you require assistance with registration or would like more information, please contact:

Gwen Jahelka at gjahelka@rcdvictoria.org

Bishop's Appeal 2021

Spirit of Hope – Healing & Reconciliation

Your support of the Bishop's Appeal has provided for the needs of many of our parishes and ministries over the last 11 years. As in past years, 20% of donations will be retained by the parish. The remaining 80% is being dedicated to support healing and reconciliation in Indigenous communities.

Specifically, the Bishop will dedicate Appeals funds to:

- ♥ Supporting the development of an Ahousaht Community Wellness program
- Providing a grant for the Ahousaht Cultural Centre Building
- ♦ Offering "Returning to Spirit" Healing and

Reconciliation programs for both Indigenous and Non-Indigenous people.

Funding to help raise the Big House on the Tsawout First Nation. The original longhouse was destroyed in a fire in 2009 and the rebuilding of their cultural home is underway Continuing to support ongoing outreach efforts to Indigenous communities to build and strengthen our relationships with each other.

Assigned Queen of Peace Goal this year is: \$20,000 Raised to date: \$670.00

Participants: 4

The Appeal funds and associated local projects are in addition to the \$30 million financial commitment announced by the Catholic Bishops across Canada on Sept.27, 2021 Please consider pledging to this worthwhile endeavour. Access to the Bishop's letter and video:

https://www.rcdvictoria.org/spirit-of-hope-2021

The Arrival of Rachel's Vineyard

Please note that Rachel's Vineyard will be coming to our Diocese in the near future. This ministry is a safe place for people to renew, rebuild and redeem hearts broken by abortion. Weekend retreats offer a supportive, confidential and non-judgmental environment where women and men can express, release and reconcile painful post-abortive emotions to begin the process of restoration, renewal and healing. For information please **contact Nicola at:** nicolamgallagher0123@gmail.com

Development and Peace

People and Planet First Together, let's act for the planet and its defenders! Development and Peace's annual People and Planet First campaign is inspired by the words of Pope Francis, who says that "a true ecological approach always becomes a social approach; it must integrate questions of justice in debates on the environment, so as to hear both the cry of the earth and the cry of the poor" (Laudato Si', 49). These cries are too often silenced by powerful companies that plunder resources in countries of the Global South, without regard for people's fundamental human and environmental rights. Many such companies are Canadian. Act to end their impunity now! Sign the petition asking the federal government to enact laws that will compel Canadian companies to conduct due diligence across their overseas operations and that will give the victims of their abuses iustice Canadian courts. Visit: to in https://devp.org/en

Diocese of Victoria

New lower age for BC Public Health Order mask mandate, and Music Ministry Covid-19 Prevention Plan The B.C. government has released a new verbal Public Health Order on face coverings:

(https://www2.gov.bc.ca/gov/content/covid-19/info/restrictions#masks)

In accordance with this order, we will now require face coverings for all people born in 2016 or earlier (ages 5 and up) for all activities in church buildings in the Diocese of Victoria, including worship services. The Public Health Order lists a number of conditions under which a person is not required to wear a face covering. These exceptions must be respected, and compassion, good judgement, and pastoral sensitivity are encouraged.

Further, in consultation with the Diocesan Liturgical Commission and music ministers from parishes throughout our Diocese, a Music Ministry Covid-19 Prevention Plan has been developed. **The Diocese of Victoria requires singers and musicians to adhere to its policies for rehearsing and leading singing at church services.** The Prevention Plan may be found attached, or online at:

https://www.rcdvictoria.org/news/responsetocovid19-0

What Is The Catholic Women's League



Hello and Welcome to all women of the parish!

This is an invitation to all of our women parishioners. (16 years and older) A little info

about the CWL of our parish and across Canada, we pray you will consider being a member? You can be an active member in our parish and attend meetings on the **second Wed. of the month** @ **1pm** or help us at our bake sales, other activities we may do during the year, participate at our CWL monthly Mass as an Usher, Carrying of the Gifts, Extra-Ordinary Minister, Collection Minister, visiting the sick of our parish, or be a spiritual member and offer your prayers daily for the League.

Our membership fee is \$30.00 yearly. We start collecting in Sept. and aim to complete by December.

You can contact:

CWL Organization Convenor: Carol Molloy

(and the admin. assistant of the parish) 250.384.3884 or

President: Elsie Lambton – 250.995.1531 or **Past President:** Bertha Landrie – 250.389.1307

Mission Statement:

The Catholic Women's League of Canada is a national organization rooted in gospel values calling its members to holiness through service to the people of God.

League Objectives:

The Objectives of the League shall be to unite Catholic women of Canada:

- to achieve individual and collective spiritual development.
- to promote the teachings of the Catholic Church.
- to exemplify the Christian ideal in home and family life.
- to protect the sanctity of human life.
- to enhance the role of women in church and society.
- to recognize the human dignity of all people everywhere
- to uphold and defend Christian education and values in the modern world.
- to contribute to the understanding and growth of religious freedom, social justice, peace and harmony

League Prayer: We humbly pray You, O God our Father, to bless The Catholic Women's League of Canada. Bless our beloved country, our homes and families. Send Your Holy Spirit upon us to give light to our minds and strength to our wills that we may know and fulfil Your great law of charity. Teach us to share with others at home and abroad, the good things You have given us. This we ask through our Lord Jesus Christ and the intercession of our patroness, Our Lady of Good Counsel. Amen

Through our parish communities we are involved in deepening our spiritual church life and spreading the GOOD NEWS. Members of the national executive meet annually with federal government ministers on issues raised by resolutions, which come from the parish level, and have included such issues as religious freedom, renewable energy, farmers' rights, suicide prevention, child poverty, protection of human life and building partnerships and relationships with Canada's indigenous peoples.

Once a month at our CWL Sat/Sun Mass we collect for our three Missions:

Esk-Omi: to help the Inuit in Northern Canada **Moricetown:** Mission near New Hazelton, B.C.

North Island Catholic Communities: Vancouver Island

We collect for flowers in memory of your loved ones or special Intention of family members or friends, for the Easter Lillies or Poinsettia's that decorate our beautiful Sanctuary yearly.

We are active at our League member's funeral making tea/coffee etc.

We are active in the children's Liturgy on Sundays and bring in a cake for the children receiving their sacraments.

Active when invited by other councils, for example workshops, Mass held at a local parish for our patron:

"Our Lady of Good Council"

This is only a brief description on the CWL, also the more members we have then we could consider booking speakers to discuss matters of concern.

Looking forward to another successful year and meeting new members, and we thank all of you in advance for your love and support of our League in the parish. Next meeting is Wed. Nov. 10th at 1:00pm Consider becoming a C.W.L. member!

Remembering the faithful departed during November



We begin November with the celebration of the Solemnity of All Saints, a holy day honoring all those faithful souls in heaven. The following day we observe the Commemoration of All Souls. The celebration of Mass is the highest charitable act the church can perform for

the dead. In addition, we can help the souls in purgatory through our prayers, sufferings and penances. All are done with the hope that these deeds will aid the poor souls in purgatory and help them to be united with the saints in heaven.

Plenary Indulgence:

Visit a Cemetery and Pray for the Dead

The Bible tells us that, "it is therefore a holy and wholesome thought to pray for the dead, that they may be loosed from sins," (2 Maccabees 12:46) and especially in the month of November, the Catholic Church urges us to spend time in prayer for those who have gone before us. Prayer for the souls in Purgatory is a requirement of Christian charity, and it helps us to call to mind our own mortality.

The Church offers a special plenary indulgence, applicable only to the souls in Purgatory, on All Souls Day (Nov.2), but She also encourages us in a special way to continue to keep the Holy Souls in our prayers throughout the first week of November.

Why Should We Visit a Cemetery

to Pray for the Dead?



The Church offers an Indulgence for a Cemetery Visit that is available as a partial indulgence all year round, but from Nov. 1st through Nov. 8th, this indulgence is plenary. Like the All Souls Day indulgence, it is applicable only to the souls in Purgatory. As a plenary indulgence, it remits

punishment due to sin, which means that simply by performing the requirements of the indulgence, you can obtain the entrance into Heaven of a soul who is currently suffering in Purgatory.

This indulgence for a visit to a cemetery encourages us to spend even the briefest of moments in prayer for the dead in a location that reminds us that we, too, will someday need the prayers of the other members of the Communion of Saints—both those still living and those who have entered into eternal glory. For most of us, the indulgence for a cemetery visit takes only a few minutes, and yet it reaps immense spiritual benefit for the Holy Souls in Purgatory and for us as well, since those souls whose suffering we ease will pray for us when they enter into Heaven.

What Must One Do to Obtain the Indulgence?

To obtain the plenary indulgence on Nov. 1- Nov. 8, we must receive Communion and sacramental Confession (and have no attachment to sin, even venial). Communion must be received each day we wish to gain the indulgence, but we only need to go to Confession once during the period. A good prayer to recite to earn the indulgence is Eternal Rest, though any formal or informal prayer for the dead will suffice. And, as with all plenary indulgences, we must pray for the intentions of the Holy Father (one Our Father and one Hail Mary) each day we perform the work of the indulgence.

The Work of the Indulgence

An indulgence, applicable only to the Souls in Purgatory, is granted to the faithful, who devoutly visit a cemetery and pray, even if only mentally, for the departed. The indulgence is plenary each day from the 1st to the 8th of Nov.; on other days of the year it is partial.



A Special Indulgence for the **Holy Souls**

November is the time in the Liturgical year when the Church calls us to pray for the Holy Souls in Purgatory.

With the feasts of All Saints and Holy

Souls on the 1st and 2nd of Nov. respectively we are drawn to think about that eternal link that exists between us here on earth, the saints in heaven and those holy souls who are expiating their sins in purgatory.

The Church has always taught us, and the saints have reminded us, of the great relief that the souls in purgatory receive from our prayers. In the encyclical letter Spe Salvi, Pope Benedict XVI offered these encouraging words about praying for our departed loved ones, "....my prayer for another is not something extraneous to that person, something external, not even after death. In the interconnectedness of Being, my gratitude to the other-my

prayer for him—can play a small part in his purification. And for that there is no need to convert earthly time into God's time: in the communion of souls simple terrestrial time is superseded. It is never too late to touch the heart of another, nor is it ever in vain."

(Pope Benedict XVI, Spe Salvi, no 48)

It can be a very comforting practice for bereaved families to visit the cemetery to pray for their loved ones. However, it is even more comforting, as our faith teaches us, to believe that our loved ones are still with us and can be helped by our prayers to enter into the Eternal beatitude with the Lord. Therefore, in order to encourage the practice of praying for the dead, the Church has granted a plenary indulgence that can be applied to the souls in purgatory if the faithful make a visit to a cemetery to pray for the dead from the 1st Nov. until the 8th day of Nov. It can be applied to our loved ones or to a soul with no-one to pray for them. The indulgence can be gained on each day. To obtain the indulgence the usual conditions apply: the visitation to a cemetery or a Church where souls are buried, sacramental confession (within 7 days), Eucharistic communion, prayer for the Holy Father's intentions (Creed, Our Father, Hail Mary and a Glory be) and a detachment from all sins. (cfr. Apostolic Constitution on Indulgences nos 7&8) The receipt of a plenary indulgence means that the Holy Soul is freed from all the temporal punishment due to sin and as such can enter fully into heaven with the Lord. Therefore, it is a great grace to apply this indulgence to a

departed loved one or even to someone who has no one to

pray for them as you can already think of them enjoying the

eternal beatitude with the Lord.