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on **MONDAYS** CHURCH & PARISH OFFICE ARE CLOSED

PARISH OFFICE is OPEN TUESDAY – FRIDAY 9.00 – 12.00 & 1.00 – 4.15 ☎ 250.384.3884 Fax: 250.384.3664

	SUNDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
TRADITIONAL LATIN MASS	-	-	-	-	9.00	-
SUNSET LODGE* 1 <sup>st</sup> & 3 <sup>rd</sup> Wednesday	-	-	9.30*	-	-	-
ADORATION OF BLESSED SACRAMENT**	-	10.00	-	-	10.00 **	-
ROSARY	-	11.45	11.45	11.45	11.45	-
<b>M</b> Weekday	-	12.10	12.10	12.10	12.10	-
<b>A</b> Weekend	10.00	-	-	-	-	5.00
<b>S</b> TRADITIONAL LATIN	12.00	-	-	-	9.00	-
<b>S</b> SPANISH 2 <sup>nd</sup> & last Sunday of the month	2.00	-	-	-	-	-
HUNGARIAN 3 <sup>rd</sup> Sunday every month	2.00	-	-	-	-	-
Devotion to MOTHER OF PERPETUAL HELP			after Mass 12.10			
Devotion to INFANT JESUS OF PRAGUE				after Mass 12.10		

\* MASS celebrated at 952 Arm Street, Victoria, BC, V9A 4G7

\*\* Adoration of Blessed Sacrament is taking a place on 1<sup>st</sup> Friday of the month and every Tuesday from 10.00 – 11.45

**CONFESSIONS** ½ hour before and after all Masses. PLEASE ring the bell and enter when GREEN light is ON.

**BAPTISMS:** To have your child baptized at Our Lady Queen of Peace Parish, please call the Parish Office at least 3 months in advance to arrange an appointment with the Pastor. Parents are expected to participate in the Baptismal preparation course TBA.

**MARRIAGES:** If you wish to have your marriage solemnized at Our Lady Queen of Peace Church, please call the office at least 6 months prior to the intended date as the preparation for this life commitment takes time, thought and considerable paper work. If you are not registered at Our Lady Queen of Peace parish have the documents prepared in your own Parish.

The **CWL:** meets every month on 2<sup>nd</sup> WEDNESDAY after Noon Mass.  
PRESIDENT Bertha Landrie.  
*No meetings in July & August*

**KNIGHTS of COLUMBUS**

3<sup>rd</sup> Degree (Council 1256) meet 1<sup>st</sup> Monday & 2<sup>nd</sup> Thursday at 7.00 p.m.

4<sup>th</sup> Degree 3<sup>rd</sup> Thursday of the month at 7.00 p.m. **Contact:** FAITHFUL NAVIGATOR Shawn Leckie 250.360.2620

Meetings 3<sup>rd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> Degree KofC are in Queen of Peace Parish Community Centre.

**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!**

*After office hours including weekends, holidays or during the night, you can call: the Hospital Chaplain Fr. Vicente Borre ☎ 250.889.3761*

**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) . THANK YOU. Please mark the proper BOX (below on the left side).

- New Parishioner
- Have moved here is new address
- I am home-bound and would like someone to visit me
- I am going to be in the hospital, please call on me

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

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e-mail: \_\_\_\_\_ @ \_\_\_\_\_

SUNDAY DONATIONS can be done by using:

boxed Sunday Envelopes or by automatic bank withdrawal. (The PARISH OFFICE can supply you with necessary documents).

## Our Lady Queen of Peace

### *'Legacies'*

#### **WILL POWER!**

**Our Lady Queen of Peace acknowledges with gratitude the legacies it has received over the years.**

**\*Legacies enable the church property to be kept in good repair and provide improvements.**

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

**\*A Will is the most important document you will ever sign.**

**Please remember 'Our Lady Queen of Peace' in your Will!**

### Baptism at Our Lady Queen of Peace

To have your child Baptized at Our Lady Queen of Peace Church, 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.**

### Diocesan Messenger Survey

The Diocesan Messenger Board believes it is appropriate at this stage in the life of our Diocesan paper to get some feedback from our readers, and to that end we have created *The 2013 Readership Survey*. Go to <http://www.rcdvictoria.org/2013-reader-survey.php> and complete the survey on line. If you do not have a computer you can find a survey form at both entrances of the church. Complete it and submit it by mail. The survey is anonymous unless people wish to provide their email address for further communication. Information will be tabulated and shared in the Nov. edition of the paper. The survey will be available for completion from now until Sept. 30. We estimate it will take between 10 and 20 minutes to complete, depending on the level of detail people wish to provide. As we move forward with our communications plans in the Diocese, it's important that we understand the preferences and needs of our community of faith.

## Our Lady Queen of Peace Parish

**Our parish** will be offering our children class's for the preparation of the sacrament of **'First Communion'** starting: **Sun. Oct. 6 from 11:15am - 12:00noon.**

**Fr. John Domotor & Jennifer Murphy**, contact the office to register 250-384-3884 or email: [office@qop.ca](mailto:office@qop.ca)  
Tues.- Fri. from 9:00am - 4:00pm

### St. Patrick`s Good Used Clothing Sale

**Fri., Oct. 4 & Sat. Oct. 5 – 9:30am-2:00pm**

Collecting clothing and other Bazaar Items on Sept. 1<sup>st</sup> However, if you are moving and have items, pick-up is available by phoning Pauline-250-592-9434 or Lorna-250-477-6331. Bringing items to the church, please let people know in the office of St. Patrick`s church.

### National - LIFE-CHAIN!

**Sunday, October 6 – 2:00pm-3:30pm** Please mark your calenders and resolve to attend this annual event, joining thousands of Canadians and Americans in protesting the millions of unborn babies killed yearly by abortion. In Victoria, The **LIFE-CHAIN** will take place **on Blanshard St. beside the Mayfair Mall** and to the south of it. Park in the parking lot and proceed quickly to our vigil. Signs will be provided.

### Your presence could save a life!

**40 Days for Life – Sept. 25 – Nov. 3**

Join 40 Days volunteers and street counsellors outside Victoria's abortion clinic, sign up for an hour or two a week and help save lives. We pray together for the women using the clinic, the staff and especially that the unborn babies be born. 40 Days is positive, prayerful and peaceful.

More info and sign-up: [www.40daysforlife.com/victoria/](http://www.40daysforlife.com/victoria/)

### Development and Peace

The **D&P Fall Diocesan meeting** will take place on **Sat. Sep. 21<sup>st</sup> at St. Edward's Parish Hall, 2085 Maple Bay Rd., Duncan, from 10:00 am – 4:00 pm.** Gather for coffee and refreshments at 9:30 am. Our D&P animator, John Gabor, will be giving the Fall Action workshop. All interested people are invited to attend. Lunch will be provided and travel expenses can be claimed. If you require child care, please contact Nancy Stuart at 250-477-6952 or [nancy-stuart@shaw.ca](mailto:nancy-stuart@shaw.ca)

More info on D&P at [www.devpo.org](http://www.devpo.org)

## **Diocese of Victoria Regional Pastoral Care Outreach Program Orientation Meetings**

Would you like to gain more knowledge about the training sessions and attend them once dates are promoted in the Diocesan parishes? Do you want to learn more about this Diocesan program including ideas on how parishes can plan the four required training sessions by using the tool kit materials? Clergy and religious, hospital and homebound parish visitors, parishioners interested in learning more about volunteer pastoral care outreach visiting, or those who want to become more effective in their outreach ministries are invited. Please join us on Sat., Oct. 5<sup>th</sup> 10:00 am - Noon at: St. Joseph the Worker Parish (Victoria); St. Edward's Parish (Duncan); and Church of the Ascension (Parksville); Courtenay/Comox and Campbell River will host an orientation meeting later in October. More details to follow. Contact the October 5<sup>th</sup> host parishes for more information.

## **Bulletin Announcement for Victoria Parishes**

**CHRISTIAN MEDITATION:** *Are you interested in Christian meditation?* If so, please join our meditation group which meets every Friday, except first Friday, in the Parish Hall at Sacred Heart Church. We begin at 9:00am following morning mass at 8:30. On Sept.27, we will start our meditation sessions by listening to John Main's Talks from Meditators to help us prepare for the silence of meditation. John Main (1926-1982), a Benedictine monk of Ealing Abbey, London, recovered the Christian tradition of meditation as practiced by the early Desert monks and taught it as a spiritual discipline for people from all walks of life. You can learn more at the World Community for Christian Meditation at [www.wccm.org](http://www.wccm.org). Information, contact Margie Noonan at [margienoonan@acn.net](mailto:margienoonan@acn.net) or 250-388-3173

## **A Lifeline for Marriage**

Retrouvaille helps couples through difficult times in their marriages. It provides the tools you need to get your marriage back on track. You will rediscover each other and examine your lives together in a new and positive way. This program has helped thousands of couples experiencing all kinds of marital problems, even infidelity or separation. For confidential information or to register for the program in the Lower Mainland commencing the weekend of Oct 4- 6, 2013, call 604-530-6710, email [vancouverbc@retrouvaille.org](mailto:vancouverbc@retrouvaille.org) or visit [www.retrouvaillevancouver.com](http://www.retrouvaillevancouver.com).

## **The Feast of St. Vincent de Paul**

Please join us **Thurs., Sept. 26<sup>th</sup> @ 2:00 p.m.** and begin your afternoon with a drive to Sooke and join members from local, First Nations, the Catholic clergy and local, provincial & federal government representatives who will join together to bless and celebrate the beginning of construction of the Hope Centre. **Then immediately following, join us for coffee and tea at the St. Rose of Lima Parish in Sooke. For supper, drive out to Royal Oak and join the Ozanam Program for a friend's and family BBQ at 5:30pm, then journey over to St. Joseph the Worker Parish on Burnside Rd. to attend Mass on at 7:00pm at St. Joseph the Worker Parish on Burnside Rd.** Tea & Coffee to follow each conference please bring something to be shared.

## **Contemplative Sung Rosary**

**Praying the Mysteries with Scripture, Song and Icons  
Thursday, October 10<sup>th</sup> from 7 pm to 8 pm  
at St. Andrew's Cathedral**

In His apostolic letter on the Rosary, Pope John Paul II called on the people of God to rediscover the depth and richness of the Rosary as a form of contemplative prayer. The Rosary is meant to be a contemplative prayer that both venerates the Blessed Virgin Mary and offers a devotional way to worship God. As a contemplative form of prayer, the hope is that those who pray it will desire to grow closer to God. It is expected that those who truly contemplate the mysteries will be led to grow spiritually and to respond more deeply to the call of God in their lives." (*Excerpts from "A contemplative Rosary-praying the Mysteries with scripture, Song and Icons", People's Book, edition 12726-Oregon Catholic Press, 2004*)

**Week of September 23 to September 29**

**Monday September 23**

**NO MASS**

**Tuesday September 24**

**12:10: Daily Mass**

**Intentions:** Elizabeth Fernandez(RIP)

**Req.:** Bea Gropp

**Wednesday September 25**

**12:10: Daily Mass**

**Intentions:** Elizabeth Fernandez(RIP)

**Req.:** Yvonne Hayward

**Thursday September 26**

**12:10: Daily Mass**

**Intentions:** Mila DeVera

**Req.:** Lydia DeVera

**Friday September 27**

**9:00: Latin Mass**

**12:10: Daily Mass**

**Intentions:** Lavry(rip)

**Req.:** Shirley Deidrick

**Saturday September 28**

**5:00 pm: Anticipated Sunday Mass**

**Intentions:** Mary Deausy(RIP)

**Req.:** Jeannette Colquhoun

**Sunday September 29**

**10:00 am: '26<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time'**

**12:00noon: Traditional Latin Mass**

**Note:**

**Please remember the following persons**

**who are ill in your prayers:** Marcelina Baldauf,  
George Fyvie, Anita Loiselle, Eva Gerard, Anna Urban,  
Marion Turner, Max Moran, Flora Simonson,  
Lucy Praud, Nova Wauthy, Lorna Cue, Lynn Wood,  
Darlene Humphries, Louis Berard, Elaine Shannon,  
Barbara Dunahee, Christine Stornebrink,

**Note:**

**Confessions: ½ hr. Before all Masses**

**&**

**First Saturday of every month: 3 - 4pm**

**Week of September 30 to October 6**

**Monday September 30**

**NO MASS**

**Tuesday October 1**

**10:00: Adoration**

**12:10: Daily Mass**

**Intentions:**

**Req.:**

**Wednesday October 2**

**12:10: Daily Mass**

**Intentions:** Morley & Merna Mickelson(RIP)

**Req.:** Carol Ball

**Thursday October 3**

**12:10: Daily Mass**

**Intentions:** Joseph Anastacia(RIP)

**Req.:** Doris Wolter

**Friday October 4 'First Friday'**

**9:00: Latin Mass**

**12:10: Daily Mass**

**Intentions:**

**Req.:**

**Saturday October 5**

**5:00 pm: Anticipated Sunday Mass**

**Intentions:** Mary-Ann Deausy (RIP)

**Req.:** Eileen Caley

**Sunday October 6**

**10:00 am: '27<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time'**

**12:00noon: Traditional Latin Mass**

**ADVERTISE:** We are in search of a **Volunteer Coordinator** to canvass business groups from the general public or from our own parishioners to advertise in our Bulletins. Interested please call **384-3884**, or email: [office@gop.ca](mailto:office@gop.ca) We appreciate the support of these sponsors. Please support them:

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