

# Our Lady Queen of Peace Church (1930)

## SHRINE TO INFANT JESUS of PRAGUE (2003)



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

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

		SUNDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
<b>M A S S</b>	<b>Weekday</b>	-	12.10	12.10	12.10	12.10	-
	<b>Weekend</b>	10.00	-	-	-	-	5.00
	<b>TRADITIONAL LATIN</b>	12.00	-	-	-	9.00	-
	<b>SPANISH 2<sup>nd</sup> &amp; last Sunday of the month</b>	2.00	-	-	-	-	-
	<b>HUNGARIAN 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday every month</b>	2.00	-	-	-	-	-
<b>SUNSET LODGE 1<sup>st</sup> &amp; 3<sup>rd</sup> Wed. 952 Arm Street</b>		-	-	9.30	-	-	-
<b>ADORATION OF BLESSED SACRAMENT</b> every Tuesday and 1 <sup>st</sup> Friday of the month		-	10.00	-	-	10.00	-
<b>ROSARY - 1<sup>st</sup> Friday of the month - 10:30 am</b>		-	11.00	11.30	11.30	11.30	-
<b>Devotion to MOTHER OF PERPETUAL HELP</b>		-	-	after Mass 12.10	-	-	-
<b>Devotion to INFANT JESUS OF PRAGUE</b>		-	-	-	after Mass 12.10	-	-
<b>CONFESSIONS: 1<sup>st</sup> Sat. of every month 3:00- 4:00pm.</b> <b>Ring the bell and enter when GREEN light is ON.</b>		9:15am- 9:30am	10:15 – 11:30am	11:00 – 11:45am	11:00- 11:45am	10:15 – 11:30am	4:00-4:30pm

**BAPTISMS:** To have your child baptized at Our Lady Queen of 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.

**KNIGHTS of COLUMBUS – meetings held at Our Lady Queen of Peace Community Centre**

**PRESIDENT:** ELSIE LAMBTON  
*No meetings in July & August*

3<sup>rd</sup> Degree (Council 1256) - 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

**IMPORTANT: IN THE HOSPITAL?**

*If you or family member is hospitalize or is going to the 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: ☎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: \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

☎ HOME ..... ☎ WORK .....

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).

## *'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.**

### **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.**

### **Please Note**

If you suffer from Celiac disease and are unable to receive the regular wheat Host, then we are able to offer a low-gluten Host. If you are interested, please come to the sacristy before Mass and discuss the necessary arrangements. **Under no circumstances, should anyone receive the regular host, break a piece off to consume and give the remainder to someone else. The host is to be consumed in front of the priest.**

### **Meals for Mamas St. Andrew's Cathedral**

'Meals for Mamas' is a great way to support growing families! We are looking for more volunteers to cook a meal for new mothers recovering after childbirth. Monetary donations also accepted to provide meals. For more info, **contact Mary-Anne Le Ross [mealsformamas@gmail.com](mailto:mealsformamas@gmail.com) or 250-474-6697**

### **Permanent Deaconate**

Please pray for the nine men who are in formation for the permanent deaconate in the diocese of Victoria. They have now concluded their first seven months of preparation and are about to embark on four years of studies.

<b>Sept. 2</b>	<b>TUESDAY</b>	<b>Oscar Edvardo Nunez Medina (RIP) Paz Nunez</b>
<b>Sept. 3</b>	<b>WEDNESDAY</b>	<b>NO MASS</b>
<b>Sept. 4</b>	<b>THURSDAY</b>	<b>Lucy Lavallee (RIP) Giselle Bates</b>
<b>Sept. 5</b>	<b>FRIDAY</b>	<b>NO MASS</b>
<b>Sept. 6</b>	<b>SATURDAY</b>	<b>Marie-Alix Rajabalee (RIP) Therese Wauthy</b>

<b>Sept. 9</b>	<b>TUESDAY</b>	<b>Anne Marie-Ange Wauthy Therese Wauthy</b>
<b>Sept. 10</b>	<b>WEDNESDAY</b>	<b>NO MASS</b>
<b>Sept. 11</b>	<b>THURSDAY</b>	<b>in thanksgiving Miguel Fernando Manguerra</b>
<b>Sept. 12</b>	<b>FRIDAY</b>	<b>NO MASS</b>
<b>Sept. 13</b>	<b>SATURDAY</b>	<b>Marian Bergeron Suzanne Bergeron</b>

<b>Sept. 15</b>	<b>MONDAY</b>	<b>MASS: 6:00pm Pro-Life(everyone welcome)</b>
<b>Sept. 16</b>	<b>TUESDAY</b>	<b>Ross Secord (RIP) Mary Teresa Earnshaw</b>
<b>Sept. 17</b>	<b>WEDNESDAY</b>	<b>NO MASS</b>
<b>Sept. 18</b>	<b>THURSDAY</b>	<b>Dora Gropp (RIP) Beatrice Gropp</b>
<b>Sept. 19</b>	<b>FRIDAY</b>	<b>NO MASS</b>
<b>Sept. 20</b>	<b>SATURDAY</b>	<b>Marie-Alix Rajabalee (RIP) Therese Wauthy</b>

**Note:** Please remember the following persons who are ill in your prayers: Lucy Praud, Dina McGregor, Marion Turner, Elaine Shannon, Barbara Dunahee, Eva Gerard, Lorna Cue, Christine Stornebrink, Carol Retallack, Flora Simonson, Alberta McIntyre, Ann VanNoordt, Lynn Wood, Marcia Brown

## **A Daily Meditation**

There is no better way to deepen our personal relationship with Jesus than daily meditation.

In meditation prayer we go deeper.

•In meditation prayer, we seek to know and understand God better, and then speak to Him in our own words, often in the silent depths of our hearts.

•All of us can practice meditation pray or contemplative prayer.

•The easiest method is to take a short passage from the Bible, and follow the three R's: read, reflect and respond.

•Read the passage slowly, remembering that the Bible is God's living Word, and God has always something to say to us.

•As you read the passage, imagine:

1. Who am I in the Gospel story?
2. What do I see?
3. What do I hear?
4. What do I smell?

•Then reflect on the passage: what does it tell you about Jesus? What does it mean for you and your own plans, hopes and struggles?

•As you reflect, you naturally find yourself wanting to respond to what you find, speaking to God from your heart, thanking Him, praising Him, or maybe asking for his guidance and strength. It's a simple form of meditation that all of us can use for ten or fifteen minutes each day to keep our personal friendship with Jesus fresh, real, and alive. Spending time with Jesus always changes us.

## **St. Patrick's CWL Fall Sale**

St. Patrick's CWL Fall Sale on **Fri./Sat. Oct 3/4 - 9:30am- 2:00pm** Wheelchair accessible. Will not be collecting items until Sept. but if you are moving or do not have storage space, please call Lorrie at 250-595-5981/Lorna at 250-477-6331 pick-up of items.

## **Christ the King Parish, Courtenay, BC**

Searching for a Pastoral Assistant. This individual will be a dynamic communicator with strong organizational skills who will work with children, youth and young adults and make a vital contribution to our Catholic mission in the communities we serve. Reporting to the pastor, the individual will be positive and energetic with an ability to work in hands-on situations as well as to coordinate and work with volunteers. Initial salary is negotiable depending on education and experience ranging from \$32,000 to \$42,000 annually. **Please respond with a résumé, references, and a cover letter. Individuals deemed suitable for the position will be contacted for an interview.**

## **How can we respond to the situation in the Middle East?**

All of us, together with Pope Francis, are following with deep concern the dramatic news reports coming from Iraq, Gaza and Syria. Defenseless populations, including our Christian brothers and sisters, flee from their homes, in urgent need for protection, food, shelter and medical assistance. In solidarity with their sufferings, and in communion with the whole church let us, in the words of the Holy Father, "raise up with one voice a ceaseless prayer, imploring the Holy Spirit to send the gift of peace" to the Middle East.

You are also encouraged to join with Christians and others in urging your Member of Parliament to encourage the Government of Canada to do even more for the Middle East -- by providing Canadian emergency and reconstruction assistance, by making it easier for our country to accept refugees, by participating in international efforts to foster justice and peace in the region, and by insisting on respect for freedom of conscience and religion, as well as respect for the rights of minorities.

Three Canadian Catholic agencies are fundraising for the suffering people of the Middle East. These are the Canadian Catholic Organization for Development and Peace, CNEWA Canada, and Aid to the Church in Need - Canada. Catholics are encouraged if possible to support all three agencies in their work. At some later date, if our new bishop so desires, there may be a focus upon one of these agencies.

Further information on the situation in the Middle East is regularly provided by Caritas Internationalis, which is the Church's international network of over 160 national Catholic charities, serving all poor people, of all faiths, all over the world. Up-to-date reports on the Middle East are provided on its website in English, at <http://www.caritas.org/where-we-are/middle-east-north-africa/>; **in French, at** <http://www.caritas.org/fr/ou-nous-trouver/mona/>

## **St. Joseph the Worker Parish**

'Could You Ever Come Back to the Catholic Church'

**Dates:** Tues. evenings - Oct. 7 to Nov. 18

**Time:** 7:00 to 9:00 pm

**Place:** St. Joseph the Worker Parish

**Register:** 250-479-7413 (parish office) or  
778-433-5772 Charlie Allen

**Email:** fatherwilliam@shaw.ca or  
charlieballen@gmail.com

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