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
M A S S	Weekday	-	12.10	12.10	12.10	12.10	-
	Weekend	10.00	-	-	-		5.00
	TRADITIONAL LATIN	12.00	-	-	-	9.00	-
	SPANISH 2 nd & last Sunday of the month	2.00	-	-	-		-
	HUNGARIAN 3 rd Sunday every month	2.00	-	-	-	•	-
	SUNSET LODGE 1 st & 3 rd Wed. 952 Arm Street	-	-	9.30	-	-	•
ADORATION OF BLESSED SACRAMENT every Tuesday and 1st Friday of the month		-	10.00	-	-	10.00	-
ROSARY - 1st Friday of the month - 10:30 am		-	11.00	11.30	11.30	11.30	-
Devotion to MOTHER OF PERPETUAL HELP		-	-	after Mass 12.10	-	-	-
Devotion to INFANT JESUS OF PRAGUE		-	-	-	after Mass 12.10	-	-
CONFESSIONS: 1 st Sat. of every month 3:00- 4:00pm. Ring the bell and enter when GREEN light is ON.		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 Oueen 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 2nd WEDNESDAY after Noon Mass.

3rd Degree (Council 1256) - 1st Monday & 2nd Thursday at 7.00 p.m.

PRESIDENT: ELSIE LAMBTON No meetings in July & August

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

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

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.

After office hours including weekends, holidays or during the night, you can call: the Hospital Chaplain: 250.889.3761

	in Christian fellowship to you here, celebrating with us, whether long time				
	hat 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 (add	ldress on top). THANK YOU. 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	THOME				
I am going to be in the hospital, please call on me	= NOME				
	e-mail:@				
SUNDAY DONATIONS can be done by using:					
boxed Sunday Envelopes or by automatic bank with	hdrawal. (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.

Hospital Chaplain

Parishioners who are hospitalized and wish to have the hospital chaplain visit must indicate clearly that they want the Catholic Chaplain. Otherwise, the nondenominational Chaplain on call is asked to visit the patient.

Fr. Vince Borre, Catholic Chaplain (250)889-3761

Please Note

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

Saint Joseph...Sunday Missal '2015'

Missals (blue – St. Joseph's) are available from the parish office at a cost of \$3.50.

Catholic Women's League

Meeting on **Wed. March 11 at 1:00pm**, please note ladies of the League the Mass intention of the day is offered for our deceased member "Eva Gerard"

Parish Council

Meeting on Wed. March 25th at 6:10pm in the Msgr. Wood Room

<u>Please Note</u>: 'Way of the Cross'

Every Friday during Lent starting Fri. Feb. 20 until Mar. 27 at 7:00pm at Our Lady Queen of Peace parish

	For:
INTENTIONS	Requested by:
TUESDAY	Carmel Harrison(RIP)
	Therese Wauthy
WEDNESDAY	Eva Gerard(RIP)
	Catholic Women's League
THURSDAY	Esther Oropeza Martinez(RIP)
	Esther Harvey
FRIDAY	Jean-Léon Wauthy(RIP)
	Therese Wauthy
SATURDAY	Eva Gerard(RIP)
	Brian & Rose Harlow
TUESDAY	Carmel Harrison(RIP)
	Therese Wauthy
WEDNESDAY	Choose Life Society
THURSDAY	Personal Intentions
	Augustina Manguerra
FRIDAY	Marie-Alix Rajabalee
	Therese Wauthy
SATURDAY	Choose Life Society
	TUESDAY WEDNESDAY THURSDAY FRIDAY SATURDAY TUESDAY WEDNESDAY THURSDAY FRIDAY

Please remember the following persons who are ill in your prayers: Barbara Dunahee, Lucy Praud, Lorna Cue, Anna Urban, Dina McGregor, Marion Turner, Ann VanNoordt, Carol Retallack, Alberta McIntyre, Christine Stornebrink, Eric Wauthy, Marcia Brown, Lynn Wood

Penitential Services

Sacred Heart Parish: March 10 - 7pm Holy Cross Parish: March 11 - 7pm St. Joseph the Worker: March 12 - 7 pm St. Patrick's Parish: March 18 - 7 pm Our Lady of the Rosary: March 24 - 7 pm

<u>Did You Know?</u> Significance of Bowing!

A bow signifies reverence and honour shown to the names or event being mentioned. We are to do the following:

1) A bow of the head is made when the three Divine Persons (the Trinity) are named together and at the names of Jesus, of the Blessed Virgin Mary, and of the Saint in whose honour Mass is being celebrated.
2) A bow of the body (a profound bow) is made during the Creed with the words (and by the Holy Spirit...and became ma...).

Lenten Trivia Contest

Test your knowledge of the Catholic faith and have a chance to win a tablet! For kids aged 9–18, any time throughout lent.

www.onlineexambuilder.com/lenten-knowledge-ofcatholic-faith-trivia-contest/exam-18019.

The winner of the tablet will be announced in the Easter Season. Contact: gpalahicky@cisdv.bc.ca

Our Lady of the Rosary Church

The Seven Last Words of Our Saviour on the Cross by J. Haydn for string quartet and orator **Our Lady of the Rosary Church, Mon. March 23 - 7:00 p.m.** The Seven Last Words of Our Saviour on the Cross (German: Die sieben letzten Worte unseres Erlösers am Kreuze) is a work by Joseph Haydn, commissioned in 1783 for the Good Friday service at Oratorio de la Santa Cueva (Holy Cave Oratory) in Cádiz, Spain. The seven main meditative sections are based on the last utterances of Christ on the cross. Each movement preceded by a reflection on the meaning of the utterance by an orator. This presentation is intended to further enhance one's Lenten devotion.

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40 Days for Life Prayer Vigil

Now and finishing on Palm Sun. Mar. 29th, Victoria will once again join with hundreds of thousands of the faithful worldwide to pray for an end to abortions. You can be the difference between Life and Death. Tens of thousands of abortions have been committed here. This internationally coordinated vigil event will be our 8th successful witness in the public square. Knowing that "with God" we can end abortions here in Victoria, join with us as we witness to the awesome saving power of God and his greater merciful grace. Call Alex at 250-590-5438 or visit: www.40daysforlife.com/victoria/ on information on how you can help save lives.

Vocations Road Trip!

Destination Campbell River: March 27 – 28, 2015

Your Mission: exploring God's holy call while visiting parishes and priests of the Diocese. Join Frs. Dean and David on a grand adventure! For more **information or to register**, **contact Fr.**

Dean Henderson by email to catholic@uvic.ca

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The National Catholic Mission 2015

The National Catholic Mission 2015, "Beware the Holy Spirit!" will be broadcast on VISIONTV on Monday, March 30 (Pt. 1) and Tuesday, March 31

(Pt 2) at 3:00pm and repeated at 7:00pm. It will be hosted by Fr. Pat Fitzpatrick and feature Spiritan Fr. Anthony Gittins.

Ethics at the End of Life

Fri., Apr. 17 (7-9pm) & Sat., Apr. 18, (9am-4 pm)

Fr. Mark Miller, C.Ss.R., clinical bioethicist, will speak to this topic at Holy Cross Parish, Victoria. Fr. Miller is the Provincial of the English-speaking Redemptorists of Canada and continues his clinical ethics work part-time at the Centre for Clinical Ethics at St. Joseph's and St. Michael's Hospitals in Toronto. Please bring a bag lunch. Mass on Sat. at 8:30am with Bishop Gary. All are welcome to attend. Contacting Valentina Boyd at Holy Cross Parish office at 250-477-5321 or by email at office@holycrossvictoria.org This presentation is sponsored by the Diocese of Victoria.

Our Lady of the Rosary Parish Hall

Book Sale, Sat. Apr 18-8am to 7pm &

Sun. Apr 19- 9:30am to 1pm at 'Our Lady of the Rosary Parish Hall', Langford We welcome and need your donations of "appropriate" hard/soft covered books, to include Children's Books, DVD'S & CD'S. No magazines please. For more information and donations, please contact Judy 250-474-2119



Development & Peace

Sowing Seeds for Justice and Responding to the Cry of the Poor "Doubly poor are those women who endure situations of exclusion, mistreatment and violence, since they are frequently less able to defend their rights. Even so, we constantly witness among them impressive examples of daily heroism in defencing and protecting their vulnerable familys." Pope Francis

Supporting women and girls is a priority for D & P When 276 girls were kidnapped by Boko Haram from Chibok in Nigeria, our local Nigerian partner began working for their freedom, and has managed to smuggle 3 girls (17, 18 and 19 years old) to safety.

"In all places and circumstances, Christians, with the help of their pastors, are called to hear the cry of the poor. This has been eloquently stated by the bishops of Brazil: Seeing their (the Brazilian poor) poverty, hearing their cries and knowing their sufferings, we are scandalized because we know that there is enough food for everyone and that hunger is the result of a poor distribution of goods and income." Pope Francis and the Brazilian Bishops

Development and Peace has been working with the Brazilian bishops for many years to respond to the cry of the poor. Your generosity helps fund our partnership with their Pastoral Land Commission, which works to support the rural poor through agricultural development and land reform.

Sacred Heart Church

Celebrating the 50th anniversary First of Mass at Nelthorpe Street on September 5, 1965 [the original built in 1936, was on Palmer As an anniversary legacy for the benefit of our youth and future generations, we have initiated a Sacred Heart Hymn Composition Competition and we are inviting parishioners from churches in the Victoria Diocese to join. Invitation: The Sacred Heart Church in Saanich, British Columbia, has initiated a Sacred Heart Hymn Composition Competition with a focus on contemporary hymns that would resonate with the youth. The competition is open to all. The first prize is \$1,000, second is \$500 and the third is \$250, thanks to a grant from the Catholic Foundation of Vancouver Island. Entry deadline is Fri. April 24, e-mail: sacredheartvictoriabc@gmail.ca

Chrism Mass

On Thursday, March 26th at 7:00 p.m. Bishop Gary Gordon will be the principal celebrant at a Mass that is celebrated annually. At this liturgy, we gather, around the bishop, for the blessing and consecration of the oils that will be used in all our parishes in the coming year. Here the Oil of the Sick, used to strengthen and console and heal those who are infirm, will be blessed. Here the Oil of Catechumens, used to strengthen and free those who are preparing for baptism, will be blessed. Here the Sacred Chrism, used to ordain bishops and priests, to confirm, and to dedicate churches and altars, will be consecrated. And here, too, we will witness the Rite of Recommitment to Ministry by our priests. May our presence at the Chrism Mass be a sign of our support and gratitude for their ministry—and a reminder that baptism calls all of us to lives of service. All are invited to attend. A reception will follow

ADVERTISE: We are in search of a **Volunteer**

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Camp Homewood 2015

Diocesan Youth Retreat for Youth in Grades 7-12 **Jan. 30th** – **Feb. 1**st with Ken Yasinski & the Face 2 Face Team as our Retreat Leaders! Contact Camp Coordinators: Terri-Ann Wynans (wynans@shaw.ca) 250-724-5465 or Bonni Roset (broset@telus.net) 250-923-4299 Sponsored by St. Patrick's Parish, Campbell River and Notre Dame Parish, Port Alberni, with financial support from the Catholic Foundation of Vancouver Island. Cost - \$150.00 per participant *this includes all food, accommodation & activities*

Cruise November 2-20, 2015

Mary Hof, parishioner of St. Edward's parish, is leading a 15 day cruise through the Panama Canal, with three extra days in Fort Lauderdale. We are visiting many ports. On a previous cruise, parishioners from various parishes came along, and it turned out to be a lot of fun. It's a good way to build community. A possibility of having 20 participants; presently 16 are registered. Cruise prices risen in the last month as the Canadian dollar sinks but cabins have been reserved, so the price is looking good. Contact Mary at mhof126@gmail.com or 250.743.4074

<u>Job Opportunity</u> Island Catholic Schools invites applications for a Special Education Assistant, Level 1 at St. Patrick's School, Information or forms visit http://www.cisdv.bc.ca/employmentopportunities.php

Island Catholic Schools -Applications

Temporary .8 Grade 4/5 Teacher at John Paul II School in Port Alberni, B.C. See – http://www.cisdv.bc.ca/employment-opportunities.php application forms and procedures. Mary Carmichael Executive Assistant Island Catholic Schools: mcarmichael@cisdv.bc.ca 250.727.6893 or 250.727.6879 (fax)