

# 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	-
Devotion to <b>MOTHER OF PERPETUAL HELP</b>		-	-	after Mass 12.10	-	-	-
Devotion to <b>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 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.

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

### **Book of Remembrance**

The month of November is time to remember our beloved dead. The Book of Remembrance will be located in front of the ambo. Please **PRINT** the names of your deceased loved ones on paper and give it to: Carol Molloy – Parish Office

### **Our Lady Queen of Peace – HELP!!!**

**Volunteers needed to rake up the leaves and bag them from the Church grounds and the parking lot, at your own leisure this is ongoing until near Dec. Contact the office: Carol Molloy**

### **Catholic Women's League**

Next meeting is **Wed. Nov. 12, membership fees \$30.00**, please give your monies to Carol Molloy, or Susanne Bergeron. Mark your calendars, **CWL Bake Sale after the Masses on Dec. 6/7.** Anyone who wishes to donate bake goods please bring them in around 3:00pm on Sat. & 9:00am on Sun. Thank you! **A Mass will be offered for our deceased members on Thurs. Nov. 20<sup>th</sup>.**

MASS	INTENTIONS	For: Requested by:
<b>Nov. 11</b>	<b>TUESDAY</b> 'Remembrance Day'	<b>NO MASS</b>
<b>Nov. 12</b>	<b>WEDNESDAY</b>	Choose <b>Life Society</b>
<b>Nov. 13</b>	<b>THURSDAY</b>	<b>Mike &amp; Carol Donahue</b> <b>Mary Teresa Earnshaw</b>
<b>Nov. 14</b>	<b>FRIDAY</b>	<b>Erdulfo Ceguerra(RIP)</b> <b>Yolunda Abuan</b>
<b>Nov. 15</b>	<b>SATURDAY</b>	<b>Gary Fitzpatrick(RIP)</b> <b>Mary Teresa Earnshaw</b>

<b>Nov. 18</b>	<b>TUESDAY</b>	<b>Beatriz &amp; Wilfredo Cagape(RIP)</b> <b>Yolunda Abuan</b>
<b>Nov. 19</b>	<b>WEDNESDAY</b>	Choose <b>Life Society</b>
<b>Nov. 20</b>	<b>THURSDAY</b>	<b>Deceased Members of CWL</b> <b>Queen of Peace CWL</b>
<b>Nov. 21</b>	<b>FRIDAY</b>	<b>Holy Souls in Purgatory</b> <b>Agnes Beread</b>
<b>Nov. 22</b>	<b>SATURDAY</b>	<b>Bill VanNoordt(RIP)</b> <b>Ann VanNoordt</b>

<b>Nov. 25</b>	<b>TUESDAY</b>	<b>Holy Souls in Purgatory</b> <b>Agnes Beread</b>
<b>Nov. 26</b>	<b>WEDNESDAY</b>	Choose <b>Life Society</b>
<b>Nov. 27</b>	<b>THURSDAY</b>	<b>Louis Beread</b> <b>Agnes Beread</b>
<b>Nov. 28</b>	<b>FRIDAY</b>	
<b>Nov. 29</b>	<b>SATURDAY</b>	

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

### **Saint Joseph...Sunday Missal '2015'**

Missals (blue) are now available from the parish office at a cost of \$3.50.

### **Birthright**

Birthright will be selling **home-made Fudge after Mass on Sun. Nov 16th.** (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.

## **The Bishop invites you ....**

The grace of praying together is a joyful fruit of the Holy Spirit, and in that Spirit I would like to invite you to join me at **St. Andrew's Cathedral**, on **Friday, November 21<sup>st</sup>, at 6:00 pm**, for Prayer and Music in the style of Taizé, to celebrate the fiftieth anniversary of the Promulgation of the Decree on Ecumenism "Unitatis Redintegratio".

## **Diocesan Appeal**

The Diocesan Annual Appeal is more than just another collection. It is the way by which every Catholic shares in the work of our parish, our Diocese and the mission of the Church. Our parish goal is to attain participation from all households; a goal that can only be reached with your help. Please consider your support in this Diocesan Annual Appeal. **Not everyone can make the same pledge, but if we all give as a family, as a church, we will truly be successful.** Please remember that Our parish project this year is **\$14,000**

Of the amount raised up to the goal –

**20%** is for the parish project

Every dollar raised above the goal –

**80%** is for the parish project

Every dollar raised beyond **200% of the goal**

**100%** is for the parish project

## **Campaign Life - `Coins for Life`**

Would you, your family, your friends put aside your twonies, loonies, quarters, nickels, dimes during the next 4-6 weeks, and contribute these savings to help in the struggle to end abortion and to create a Culture of Life in Canada? If you will join us in working for the sanctity of life and one day getting a law for God's preborn babies in the womb - **Coins for Life boxes are in the vestibule. You are asked to return the box and contents on the weekend of Nov. 15/16 and Nov. 22/23.** Remember that every coin helps. Remember that your small change can lead to a BIG change in our land!! Your contribution will help save countless innocent lives now and in the future. Be sure that we count on your efforts for those who have voice but ours – God's preborn children in the womb. You may wish to also make this a family or school, office project? Spread the good news of the sanctity of every life which God created - from conception to natural death!

## **Ordination to the Priesthood**

The Diocese of Victoria is pleased to announce that the **Ordination to the Priesthood of Deacon Harrison Ayre** will be held on **Sat., Feb. 7, 2015 at 10am at St. Andrew's Cathedral**. Kindly please remember the intentions of Deacon Harrison in your prayers, as he prepares to celebrate this joyous occasion.

## **Development & Peace - "Sow Much Love"**

Well, I hope you all enjoyed your Thanksgiving celebrations. I know mine consisted of a bountiful turkey dinner with a lot of my family. Local produce was cooked to perfection and leftovers were shared out to be taken home.

You may have seen on the news that some states in the US are voting to label genetically modified (GM) foods in the stores. This makes it easier for shoppers to decide what foods to buy from the differing production methods. Another recent news item is that fruits and vegetables from California will soon become even more expensive because of their drought conditions. Maybe this will encourage us to buy local produce as the prices even out.

World Food Day was Oct. 16, and we are asked to think of ways we can make sure that all people in the world have access to food and work towards eliminating hunger. Development and Peace has a petition to the federal government to ensure that the right of family farmers around the world to use and save their own seeds is respected. An online petition calling on the Canadian government to ensure that the right of family farmers to use seeds is respected at <http://www.devp.org/en/education/fall2014/action> Please look over the Development & Peace Poster Board for further information and don't hesitate to speak to Margaret Varga about this campaign.

## **Camp Homewood 2015**

Diocesan Youth Retreat for Youth in Grades 7-12 **January 30th - February 1<sup>st</sup>** 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\*

## **St. Nicholas Ukrainian Catholic**

**First annual Borscht Fest**, at St. Nicholas Ukrainian Catholic Hall, 1110 Caledonia Ave, Victoria. **On Sat., Nov. 22 – 12:00noon - 2:30 pm.** Enter to win the "Best Borscht in Victoria" competition. To register to compete and book a table **call Maria at 250-812-3487 by Nov. 15.** Registration fee to enter your homemade (pre-made) borscht is \$20.00. Public admission at the door to sample and vote on the various competitors' borscht is \$10.00. Prizes awarded for best borscht as judged by two well known local professional chefs, and also by tasting public. Door prizes also. The Borscht Fest is a fundraiser to provide medical and humanitarian aide to the people of Ukraine. (Note: St. Nicholas church will also have frozen perogies , cabbage rolls, and it's own borscht available for sale, with proceeds from these sales directed to St. Nicholas parish.)

## **Volunteers for Our Place**

A community centre serving Greater Victoria's most vulnerable citizens: the working poor, impoverished elderly, the mentally and physically challenged, the addicted and the homeless. They are reaching out to church congregations who would be interested in volunteering at Our Place by running a movie night once a month on a Saturday night from 6 pm to 8 pm. The first and 4th are already taken. Are there volunteers? Contact the parish office.

## **Poland/Prague Pilgrimage**

We have a few vacancies for our exciting pilgrimage on **June 1-15, 2015**, which includes return air from Comox, accommodation, breakfast & dinner each day, all site entrance fees, and gratuities. We will spend time following the footsteps of Saints John Paul II, Faustina Kowalska (Divine Mercy), Maxmillian Kolbe & many more plus spend our 3 days in Prague, Czech Republic! \$4590 per person based on double occupancy. Please call **Denise at 250-339-1807 or email two-bucks@shaw.ca** as soon as possible.

## **Mount St. Mary Hospital**

### **Annual Bazaar Thurs. , Nov. 20 - 10am- 3 pm**

Welcome to our juried, traditional Christmas Bazaar featuring unique gifts for all, handmade quilts & knitting, Christmas decor, baking, jams and jellies, greeting cards, jewellery & collectables, quality chocolates, raffle, **Free admission** Hot Turkey Lunch and Refreshments available. You Are Invited to Help MSMH - To make the Bazaar a success **we are in need of baking for the Bake Sale. Baked items can be dropped off at MSMH on Wed., Nov. 19 or early on Thurs., Nov. 20<sup>th</sup>** We also host a Jewellery Table, if you have jewellery you would like to donate please drop it off the week of Nov. 10-14. All monies from the Bake Sale and Jewellery Table go to support the quality of life for the residents who live at Mount St. Mary.

## **St. Joseph the Worker Parish(Victoria)**

**Men's Breakfast**, continuing conversations in faith **Sat., Dec.13, 8:00 to10:00am** at the Horseshoe Club 620 Kenneth St, Victoria, BC with fellowship **Guest Speaker: Glen Palahicky**, Director Religious Education - Diocese of Victoria **To register call 250-479-7413 or sjtwoffice@shaw.ca**

## **Island Catholic Schools**

Invites applications for:

- an educational assistant
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- teacher substitutes

**for John Paul II School in Port Alberni.**

- an educational assistant and
- educational assistant substitutes

**for St. Patrick's School in Victoria.**

Please see:

<http://www.cisdv.bc.ca/employment-opportunities.php>

for positions and application forms and procedures.

**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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