Our Lady Queen of Peace Church (1930)



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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	-
Devo	otion to MOTHER OF PERPETUAL HELP	-	-	after Mass 12.10	-	-	-
Devo	otion 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.

HOSPITAL EMERGENCY ONLY!

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

residents or newly arrived in the Parish. We thank God the	in Christian fellowship to you here, celebrating with us, whether long time at 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	dress on top). THANK YOU. Please mark the proper BOX (below on the left side).							
New Parishioner	Name:							
Have moved here is new address	Address:							
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I am going to be in the hospital, please call on me	_ 100000 - 1000000 - 100000 - 100000 - 100000 - 100000 - 100000 - 100000 - 1000000 - 100000 - 100000 - 1000000 - 100000 - 100000 - 100000 - 1000000 - 100000 - 100000 - 100000 - 100000 - 100000 - 100000 - 1000							
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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.

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.

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 at 7:00pm during Lent until Mar. 27

Michael Wayne Dunahee 24th Anniversary Mass Intention for 'Michael Dunahee' on Wed. Mar. 25th, at 12:10pm, following Mass a reception with showing of a video & albums of 24 yrs work RSVP: Barb 250.382.3025 email: dunahee@shaw.ca

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MASS	INTENTIONS	For: Requested by:
Mar. 24	TUESDAY	Carmel Harrison(RIP)
		Therese Wauthy
Mar. 25	WEDNESDAY	Michael Dunahee
		Catholic Women's League
Mar. 26	Thursday	Choose Life Society
Mar. 27	FRIDAY	Fr. Julien Faucher
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Mar. 28	SATURDAY	Eva Gerard(RIP)
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Mar. 31	TUESDAY	Bernard Wauthy(Birthday)
		Therese Wauthy
April 1	WEDNESDAY	Choose Life Society
April 2	THURSDAY	'Holy Thursday'
		7:00pm Mass
April 3	FRIDAY	2:00pm - 'Stations of the Cross' 3:00pm - 'Good Friday Service'
April 4	SATURDAY	'Holy Saturday' 8:00pm - Mass
April 7	TUESDAY	Holy Souls in Purgatory
1		Ann VanNoordt
April 8	WEDNESDAY	Choose Life Society
•		Agnes Berard
April 9	THURSDAY	Choose Life Society
April 10	FRIDAY	Holy Souls in Purgatory
•		Agnes Berard
April 11	SATURDAY	in thanksgiving
-I		Augustina Manguerra

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, Elsa Morrison

Needed Flower Ministry Volunteer

We are looking for someone to take over the flower ministry for the Altar for all Masses. This would involve purchasing, picking up, arranging the flowers and setting up for the weekend Masses and special occasions, watering and cleaning up during the week. Please leave your name and phone number in the parish office – 250.384.3884

Catholic Women's League

The Catholic Women's League have forms and envelopes available at the back of the church for those who would like to donate towards the Altar Flowers for Easter. Thank you for your generous support.

Development & Peace

Hunger, Justice, Education & Share Lent Collection Solidarity Sunday - March 22 Development and Peace supports Caritas Sierra Leone in fighting the Ebola epidemic to help prevent the spread of this disease. We see the face of Jesus in the suffering and death of all those who die of hunger; in the lives of those who work tirelessly for justice; and in the compassion of all the individuals, schools, and parishes across Canada who reach out through Development and Peace of support the world's poorest people.

The Pope, in his love for us all, reminds us that he is obliged, in the name of Christ, to remind all that the rich must help, respect and promote the poor. He offers this prayer to Mary:

Star of the new evangelization, help us to bear radiant witness to communion, service, ardent and generous faith, justice and love of the poor, that the joy of the Gospel may reach to the ends of the Earth, illuminating even the fringes of the world.

Solidarity Sunday - March 22nd

Pope Francis ends his Joy of the Gospel with this prayer to Mary:

Star of the new evangelization,

Help us to bear radiant witness to communion, service, ardent and generous faith, justice and love of the poor, that the joy of the Gospel may reach to the ends of the Earth, illuminating even the fringes of our world.

Today, on the Fifth Sunday of Lent, Solidarity Sunday we join the Holy Father in praying that we may all be radiant witnesses and that through our support of Development and peace, the joy of the Gospel may indeed illuminate even the darkest corner of our world! Thank you for your generosity in helping to meet the needs of the world.

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.

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 Sponsored by Diocese of Victoria Diocesan Vocation Committee, Catholic Chaplaincy

2015 Pastoral Care Outreach

Training Session 3 - The Grieving Process & Ministering to Families, held at Holy Cross Church, March 28, 9 am - 2 pm. experiencing grief is a normal part of living in personal growth and in the way we grow in our faith. Often it is a response to loss. It affects us body, mind and spirit. This workshop identifies the stages of grief and creates awareness of the feelings and varied responses of those who are grieving. The presentations also explore personal experiences with grief and loss, and ways to help others, such as children and family members, cope with their emotions.

Sacred Heart Parish

A New Encounter with Christ: Holy Thursday, Good Friday and Easter Sunday by Fr Roger Keeler. You are all invited to the Holy Week Parish Mission on Sun., Mar. 29th & Mon., Mar. 30th at 7pm.

Holy Week Services Queen of Peace Parish

Chrism Mass, Thursday, March 26

St. Andrew's Cathedral Church

7:00pm: Chrism Mass (everyone is invited)

Palm Sun., March 28/29 (Palms blessed before Mass)

10:00am: Mass

12:00noon: Latin Mass

Tuesday, March 31

12:10pm: Mass

Wednesday, April 1

12:10pm: Mass

Holy Thursday, April 2 - No Noon Mass

7:00pm: Mass of the Last Supper (Adoration

following)

Good Friday, April 3 - No Noon Mass

2:00pm: Stations of the Cross

3:00pm: Solemn Afternoon Service

(Veneration of the Cross & Holy Communion)

Holy Saturday, April 4

8:00pm: Easter Vigil

Easter Sunday, April 5

10:00am: Mass

12:00noon: Latin Mass

Mon., April 6 and Tues., April 7 - NO MASS

Office Closed - Fri., Sat., Sun, Mon. and Tues. April $3^{rd} - 7^{th}$

Mark Your Calendars - Events Upcoming

Catholic Women's League

Bake Sale after Mass on June 6/7 -Sat./Sun. Anyone who wishes to donate bake goods please bring them in around 3pm on Sat. & 9am on Sun. Also to wrap up for the summer, our last meeting will be Wed., June 10 at 1:00pm. We will meet for lunch (Where? will be Announced and in the Bulletin closer to the date) Please remember, to bring unwrapped baby gift's as this will also be a "Baby Shower" for Birthright.

Our Lady Queen of Peace Parish

'Lobster Dinner' 849 Old Esquimalt Rd. Sat., June 20, 6:15pm in the community centre, Lobster: \$30.00 or Ham: \$20.00 \$5.00/children, children under twelve free. (including an assortment of salads, pasta, buns, dessert, tea/coffee & juice). Raffles, 50/50 draw, and door prizes. Invite your families and friends! Purchase tickets during office hours Tues - Fri. 9:00-4:00pm - 250.384.3884 Deadline for purchasing tickets: Sun. June 14

Our Lady Queen of Peace Parish

'Garage Sale' - 849 Old Esquimalt Rd., Start your spring-cleaning! Save all your treasures, for Sat. July 4th, 9:00am-12noon. Please Do Not Bring Any Items at the Church Yet! It will be announced after Mass and in the Bulletins for the times of drop-off. Pickup of items can be arranged through Tim Murphy (Parish Council Chair) 250.818-7679 Good Clean Used Clothing, Good clean used

furniture and other articles, "Appropriate" hard and soft covered books, DVD's & CD's. Please No National Geographic and No Reader's Digest Encyclopedia magazines, No and so on. 'Volunteers' needed to mandate tables for different areas.

Our Lady Queen of Peace

'Prime Rib Dinner'- 849 Old Esquimalt Rd. on Sat., Oct. 24 - 6:15pm \$30.00/adults \$5:00/children, children under twelve free. (including potatoes, vegetables, salads, desserts, juice, tea & coffee). Raffles, 50/50 draw, and door prizes. Purchase tickets during office hrs. Tues - Fri. 9:00-4:00pm 250.384.3884 & after Mass, Deadline for Tickets is Tues. Oct. 18

Our Lady Queen of Peace Church 'Pot-Luck Dinner' for the 85th Anniversary of Our Lady Queen of Peace Church, on Sat., Dec. 5 starting with Mass at 5:00pm and supper at 6:15pm in the community centre. More information to follow in the nearer future, everyone is welcome.

Holy Land Commissariat of Canada

Pontifical Collection of Good Friday on April 3, for the Benefit of the Holy Land, as we respond to this appeal, the visit of Pope Francis in the Holy Land from May 24 to 26, 2014 vividly comes to mind and we revisit the words of Scripture that marked his prayer at the Holy Sepulchre: "I know that you seek Jesus who was crucified. He is not here; for he has risen, as He said. Come; see the place where the Lord lay." (Matthew 28: 5-6).

The Pontifical Collection of Good Friday is a unique moment of loyalty to the Resurrection of the Christ Jesus and of solidarity with the Christians who are the "living stones" of those consecrated places. We are invited to this gesture of commemoration and unity for the benefit of the Holy Places and Christians so as to give a tangible form to the remembrance of the Christ Jesus and the constant

support of our present day brothers and sisters!

With gratitude, Gilles Bourdeau, OFM Commissary of the Holy Land in Canada

Resources: www.commissariat.ca is the site of the commissariat of Holy Land in Canada. Tools of pastoral animation for Good Friday and the Collection are available. www.custodia.org is the web site of the Custody of Holy Land. It presents numerous and precious

resources to understand the Franciscan mission and organisation in the Middle East.

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 - 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

Women's Silent Retreat in Mid-April

Ladies....please join us for a SILENT retreat at Honeymoon Bay from **April 17-19, 2015.** Lead by an Opus Dei priest, this retreat starts at 10am on Friday and ends at 3pm on Sunday. To register, visit: http://www.britanniabeach.org/retreats/

Working on Your Marriage

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, from simple apathy or resentment to infidelity or even separation. For confidential information or to register for the program on Vancouver Island commencing the weekend of July 3-5, call 604-530-6710, email vancouver-bc@retrouvaille.org or visit www.HelpOurMarriageBC.com

Sacred Heart Church

Celebrating the 50th anniversary of Mass at Nelthorpe Street on September 5, 1965 [the original church, built in 1936, was on Palmer Road]. 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

Morning Offering

This prayer was composed by St. Therese of Liseaux and prayed by her daily.

O my God! I offer You all my actions of this day for the intentions and for the glory of the Sacred Heart of Jesus. I desire to sanctify every beat of my heart, my every thought, my simplest works, by uniting them to His infinite merits; and I wish to make reparation for my sins by casting them in the furnace of His merciful love.

O my God! I ask of You for myself and for those dear to me the grace to fulfill perfectly Your holy will, to accept for love of You the joys and sorrows of this passing life, so that we may one day be united together in Heaven for all eternity. Amen.

Diocese of Victoria

Save the Date! Island Catholics spend an evening being inspired & challenged by Matthew Kelly on Friday, June 26th Are you thriving or just surviving? Are you ready for more energy? A deeper sense of purpose? More joy? A clearer understanding of God's plan for your life? Join us for a Passion & Purpose event in Port Angeles, Washington. It's not your typical church event! It has been a life-changing event for tens of thousands of people. Living Every Day with Passion & Purpose is presented by internationally acclaimed speaker and Matthew Kelly and the incredibly talented Eliot Morris. (More information to come in Parish bulletin) Who is Matthew Kelly? Matthew Kelly was born in Sydney, Australia, where he began speaking and writing in 1993. Since that time he has travelled in more than fifty countries and spoken to over four million people. He has written twelve books which have appeared on the New York Times, Wall Street Journal, and USA Today bestseller lists and have been published in twenty-five languages. "Many people falsely believe that if you want to be holy you are not allowed to enjoy life. Holiness brings us to life. It refines every human ability. Holiness doesn't dampen our emotions, it elevates them. Those who respond to God's call to holiness are the most joyful people in history. They have a richer, more abundant experience of life, and they love more deeply than most people can ever imagine."

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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.

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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

Job Opportunity - Applications

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

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Temporary .8 Grade 4/5 Teacher, at John Paul II School, in Port Alberni, BC 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)

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Invites applications for a Educational Assistant at St. Joseph's School, Chemainus, BC. Please see http://www.cisdv.bc.ca/employment-opportunities.php more information and application forms and procedures. Mary Carmichael -Executive Assistant Island Catholic Schools, mcarmichael@cisdv.bc.ca 250-727-6893 or 250-727-6879(fax)