# Our Lady Queen of Peace Church (1930)



## **SHRINE TO INFANT JESUS of PRAGUE** (2003)

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# Our Lady Queen of Peace, 849 OLD ESQUIMALT Road, VICTORIA, BRITISH COLUMBIA V9A 4W9

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<br>A<br>S<br>S   | Weekday   | -                 | 12.10              | 12.10            | 12.10             | 12.10              | -           |
|  | Weekend   | 10.00             | -                  | -                | -                 | -                  | 5.00        |
|  | TRADITIONAL LATIN   | 12.00             | -                  | -                | -                 | 9.00               | -           |
|  | <b>SPANISH</b> 2 <sup>nd</sup> & last Sunday of the month                 | 2.00              | -                  | -                | -                 | -                  | -           |
|  | <b>HUNGARIAN</b> 3 <sup>rd</sup> Sunday every month                       | 2.00              | -                  | -                | -                 | -                  | -           |
|  | <b>SUNSET LODGE</b> 1 <sup>st</sup> & 3 <sup>rd</sup> 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  | -                  | _           |
| <b>CONFESSIONS:</b> 1 <sup>st</sup> Sat. of every month 3:00- 4:00pm. <b>Ring the bell and enter when GREEN light is ON.</b> |   | 9:15am-<br>9:30am | 10:15 –<br>11:30am | 11:00 – 11:45am  | 11:00-<br>11:45am | 10:15 –<br>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 on the 2<sup>nd</sup> Wed. of every month after Noon Mass **PRESIDENT:** ELSIE LAMBTON

No meetings in July & August

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

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** 

| 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:   |  |  |  |  |  |
| I am home-bound and would like someone to visit me   | THOME WORK   |  |  |  |  |  |
| 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 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.



|               |            | For:                              |
|---------------|------------|-----------------------------------|
| MASS          | INTENTIONS | Requested by:                     |
| May 12        | TUESDAY    | James Dick +                      |
|               |            | Edna McGarry                      |
| May 13        | WEDNESDAY  | Choose Life Society               |
| May 14        | THURSDAY   | Tom Retallack                     |
| lviu i        | THORSEM    | Carol Retallack                   |
| May 15        | FRIDAY     | Anne Gains +                      |
| -             |            | Jack & Kath Fanning               |
| <b>May 16</b> | SATURDAY   | Bill VanNoordt +                  |
|               |            | Ann VanNoordt                     |
| <b>May 19</b> | TUESDAY    | <b>M</b> elanie <b>E</b> spineli+ |
|               |            | Joey Espineli                     |
| May 20        | WEDNESDAY  | Choose Life Society               |
| May 21        | THURSDAY   | Choose Life Society               |
|               |            | Agnes Berard                      |
| May 22        | FRIDAY     | Choose Life Society               |
|               |            |                                   |
| <b>May 23</b> | SATURDAY   | Aniceto De Vera+                  |
|               |            | Lydia <b>D</b> e Vera             |

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

### Nepal – Emergency assistance – (CCODP)

The world has heard, with deep concern, the news of the terrible earthquake, 7.8 on the Richter scale that hit Nepal during the night of Friday, April 24. Nepal is one of the poorest countries in the world. The Canadian Catholic Organization for Development and Peace (CCODP) has been in constant communication with the General Secretariat of *Caritas Internationalis*. CCODP has informed the CCCB that it has launched an appeal for donations to help in this humanitarian emergency. CCODP has posted a banner on the home page of its website and has activated a donation option for the earthquake in Nepal that can be found at:

https://www.devp.org/en/civicrm/contribute/transact? reset=1&id=3&gl=Temp\_code

Your prayers and support for those in need in Nepal during this difficult time is appreciated. Thank you.

### 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 4<sup>th</sup>, 9:00am-12noon.

# Do Not Bring Items at the Church Yet!

It will be announced at 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 magazines, No Encyclopedia and so on. 'Volunteers' needed to mandate tables for different areas.

# Our Lady Queen of Peace Parish

On Sat., Aug. 29, Mass at 5:00pm, following Mass Devotion Prayers to the Infant of Prague for the 12<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of the designated site to the Shrine of the Infant of Prague, following with refreshments downstairs in the Community Centre, Everyone is invited.

## **Our Lady Queen of Peace Parish**

'Prime Rib Dinner'- 849 Old Esquimalt Rd. on Sat., Oct. 24 - 6:15pm \$30/adults & \$5/child, child. under twelve free. (including potatoes, vegetables, salads, desserts, juice, tea & coffee). Raffles, 50/50 draw, & door prizes. Purchase tickets office hrs. Tues - Fri. 9 - 4pm 250.384.3884 & after Mass, Deadline for Tickets is Tues. Oct. 18

### **Our Lady Queen of Peace Church**

'Pot-Luck Dinner' for the 85<sup>th</sup> 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.

Also we will celebrate at the pot-luck the **90**<sup>th</sup> **Anniversary of the Catholic Women's League** of our parish, more information in the nearer future.

### **Island Catholic Schools**

The Island Catholic Schools Public Speaking Competition started in 2008, the 150th Anniversary of the Arrival of the Sisters' of St. Ann to Victoria. We are happy to acknowledge the work, legacy and continuing involvement of the Sisters' through the award of the Sisters' of St. Ann trophies. This year marks the 8<sup>th</sup> year of this competition. It involves all five Catholic elementary schools in the Diocese of Victoria, and also includes Christ Church Cathedral School of the Anglican Diocese. Island Catholic Schools Public Speaking Contest is being held on Wed., May 13th at 9:00am St. Joseph's Elementary **School gym.** There will be two parts to the program: the Junior Division is comprised of students in Grades 4 and 5, and the trophy is in the name of Mother Marie Angèle, S.S.A. The Senior Division is comprised of students in Grades 6 and 7, and the trophy is named in honour of Father Honoré Timothy Lempfrit. Everyone welcome.

### Victoria March for Life

Mass will be celebrated at the Cathedral and St. Patrick's Church at Noon, Thurs., May 14th Bishop Gary will be at the Cathedral and Archbishop Miller at St. Patrick's church. The march starts at Centennial Square at 1:45 pm. YOU are invited to participate in both the Mass and the march or in only one event – as your schedule permits.

Pro-Life Gala in support of the youth of the pro-life movement is at 5:30 pm, St. Leopold's Church Hall at 4081 Gordon Head Road. Tickets \$25 by May 10 at: <a href="www.ncln.ca/events/victoriabanquet/">www.ncln.ca/events/victoriabanquet/</a> or phone: 604.365.3484. Contact: March for Life Victoria: www.M4LVictoria.ca or M4LVictoria@gmail.com http://www.britanniabeach.org/retreats/

# Nourishing the Spirit of the Person with

**Dementia** Raise awareness about the need to recognize persons living with dementia as spiritual beings with spiritual needs and explore strategies and approaches that individual family, caregivers and programs may use to nourish the person's spirit. **Speakers:** The Rev. Hilde Seal - Director Spirit Well Margaret Harper - Chaplain Luther Court, Rochelle Graham PT, M.-Div. Student & Author Lori Amdam RN, MSN,-Dementia Educator & Parish Nurse at **Hillside Seniors Health Centre 1454 Hillside Avenue, Victoria Planners: Rochelle Graham and Lori Amdam. Thurs. May 14, Registration-8:30am, starts 9am-2:30pm, lunch is provided. <b>Registration:** \$35.00 To register visit gvef.org or call the Eldercare Foundation at 250-370-5664 please register early.

### **Sacred Heart Church**

Celebrating its 50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary, for the month of May, we have invited the Newcombe Singers choir for a fundraising concert. This will be on **Tues.**, **May** 19<sup>th</sup> 2015 at 7:30pm in Sacred Heart Church. Attendance will be by donation. Funds will go towards a legacy project. Choir will perform 'Requiem' by Faure plus a variety of Fauna pieces. Performers will be Friar Dan Gurnick, OFM, and the Korean Drummers. Children are welcome.

### **Diocesan Youth Conference**

Set the World on Fire: May 22 – 24 at St. Andrew's Regional High School, youths in grades 8 – 12. Keynote speaker is Colm Leyne, Youth Ministry Coordinator for the Diocese of Saskatoon. Bishop Gary will join for Mass and dinner on the Sat. evening. After April 7th the cost is \$90 per person. Make cheques payable to the Diocese of Victoria, more info. & registration forms, contact St. Andrew's parish office. Youth and youth leaders can also register online at: www.rcd victoria.org/diocesan-youth-conference-cyc.php

## St. Joseph the Worker Parish

Spring Fling Sat. May 23<sup>rd</sup>, 9am-2pm Silent auction, student masterpieces, gently used treasures/collectibles, garden/plants, tools/hardware and so on...a kid zone for fun, food international home baking and cooking also Breakfast McKnights at 8:30am-11am, CWL lunch/corner store 11am-2pm Contact: Brenda Newton@ 250.384.0229 or email: newton@telus.net

# St. Joseph the Worker Parish

Youth Retreat 'Walking with Jesus' for grades 8-12 on Fri. June 5<sup>th</sup> at 3pm to Sun. June 7<sup>th</sup> at 4pm at St. Joseph the Worker Parish on Burnside Rd. For registration: http:/jesusyouthvictoria.org/

### The Family Fully Alive

The 3rd Annual Marriage & Family Life Conference will be held at Camp Barnard, **June 12–14.** Mass, crafts, sports, prayer, songs, and fellowship, the cost is: \$140/couple or family with children 2yr & younger; \$240/family with children 3 years & older. Includes 2 night stay (cabin, tent, RV), meals & snacks. Register at: rcdvictoria.org Space is limited.

### **Mount St. Mary Hospital**

Mount St. Mary Hospital is thrilled to support a team of Royal Roads University Students in the Undergraduate Communications Program. The Students have embraced Mount St. Mary and the residents who live with us as they create and bring across the finish line **The Great Island Run**, **Sat. June 20**<sup>th</sup>. Please come out and join us for this wonderful event. For more information e-mail greatislandrun@gmail.com and to register visit <a href="http://www.greatislandrun.ca/">http://www.greatislandrun.ca/</a>

### **Living with Passion & Purpose**

With Matthew Kelly in Port Angeles on Fri., June 26<sup>th</sup> 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? 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 author Matthew Kelly and the incredibly talented Eliot Morris. Tickets are \$39 US. Please email Melanie Johnson (local coordinator) mjjohnson@telus.net or phone 250.595.2574 for details http://cart.dynamiccatholic.com/Passion-and-Purpose-Live-Port-Angeles-WA p/pppm062615.htm

# **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. 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 on the weekend of July 3-5, call 604-530-6710, email: vancouver bc@retrouvaille.org or visit www.HelpOurMarriageBC.com

### **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@qop.ca We appreciate the support of these sponsors. Please support them:

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# St. Joseph's Elementary School

St. Joseph's Elementary School, has spaces available in Grades 1 -7 for the 2015-16 school year. We have a wait list for kindergarten. Visit our website at <a href="https://www.stjosephschool.ca">www.stjosephschool.ca</a> more information and on-line application form, or contact at 250.479.1232 or email: info@sjv.cisdv.bc.ca.

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#### **Association of Catholic Leaders**

Save the date for the next ACL Breakfast: **Date:** Tuesday, **June 2**, **Registration:** 7am, **Breakfast:** 7:30am, **Keynote Speaker:** Mary Elizabeth Boyd, **Topic:** One Woman's Perspective on Being Catholic in the World of Big Business, **Cost:** \$28, **Location:** The Union Club of BC in Victoria (805 Gordon St.)

### St. Andrew's Cathedral - Bible Camp

The Cathedral parish will hold a summer Bible camp from July 6<sup>th</sup> - 10<sup>th</sup> at 9:00am to 4:00pm each day with optional extra care between 8 and 9 am as well as between 4 and 5 pm. The cost is \$50 per child – which includes a t-shirt, cost of activities and morning & afternoon snacks. The week will include daily Mass; a sports camp each afternoon and activities to choose from in the morning including crafts, science and drama. Please contact the office at 250-388-5571 to register your children between the ages of 4 and 12.

The Cathedral parish is also in need of adult volunteers for this camp. Several youth have already signed up as volunteers and for this we are grateful. If you are able to assist as a volunteer, please contact Lillilan Budac @ 250 383 8342 or e mail <a href="mailto:lrbudac@shaw.ca">lrbudac@shaw.ca</a> As always there are procedures to follow for volunteers and Lillian will guide you through these.