

Our Lady Queen of Peace Church (since 1930)

SHRINE TO INFANT JESUS of PRAGUE (since 2003)



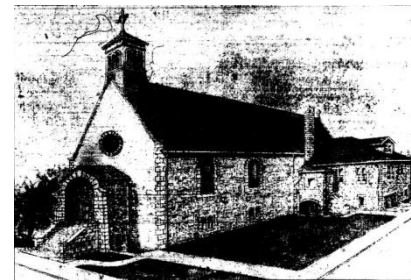
PASTOR Rev. John Domotor
 ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT: Carol Molloy
 PARISH MUSIC DIRECTOR: Ryan Narciso

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TRADITIONAL LATIN Mass: Rev. John Domotor
 HUNGARIAN Mass: Rev. John Domotor
 ORDINARIATE Mass: Rev. Lee Kenyon

<p>IMPORTANT: IN THE HOSPITAL? If you or family member is hospitalize or is going to hospital and would like to be visited by your PARISH PRIEST, Please call the PARISH OFFICE to make this request.</p>	<p>HOSPITAL EMERGENCY ONLY! After office hours including weekends, holidays or during the night, you can call: ☎250.889.3761</p>
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OUR LADY QUEEN of PEACE, 849 OLD ESQUIMALT Road, VICTORIA, BRITISH COLUMBIA V9A 4W9

MONDAYS: PARISH OFFICE IS CLOSED ☎ 250.384.3884
Parish Office OPEN TUESDAY - FRIDAY 9.00 - 12.00 & 1.00 - 4.15 Contact e-mail:office@qop.ca Fax:250.384.3664

SUNDAY	10:00am	12:00	2:00 & 4:30 except 1 st Sun. monthly 3:00 & 5:30 only 1 st Sun. monthly	2:00 on 1 st Sunday of the month
	HOLY MASS	TRADITIONAL LATIN MASS	ORDINARIATE OF THE CHAIR OF SAINT PETER	HUNGARIAN MASS

	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
ORDINARIATE OF THE CHAIR OF SAINT PETER (HOLY WEEK – CHECK THE WEBSITE) www.VICTORIAORDINARIATE.COM	9:30 am	No Mass	9:30 am	9:30 am	9:30 am	9:30 am & Rosary-10am Adoration-10:30-11:30am
TRADITIONAL LATIN MASS	-	-	-	-	8:30 am	-
ROSARY	-	11:30	11:30	11:30	11:30	-
WEEKDAY MASS *1 st SATURDAY of the month HOLY MASS	-	12:10	12:10	12:10	12:10	12:10* 5:00pm
CONFESSION: Please ring the bell, enter when green light is on * 1 st SATURDAY of the month	-	11:30	11:30	11:30	11:30	4:00 – 4:45 3:00 -4:00*
Devotion to MOTHER OF PERPETUAL HELP	-	-	-	-	-	-
Devotion to INFANT JESUS OF PRAGUE	-	-	-	-	-	-

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<p>The CWL: meets monthly on the 2nd WEDNESDAY after the Noon Mass PRESIDENT: ELSIE LAMBTON No meetings in July & August</p>	<p>KNIGHTS of COLUMBUS: Contact: Don Lambton ☎ 250.995.1531 e-mail: lambton@shaw.ca</p>
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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). Please mark the proper BOX

New Parishioner

I am going to be in the hospital, please call on me

Have moved here is new address

NAME: _____

ADDRESS: _____

☎ HOME ☎ WORK

e-mail: _____@_____

'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.

Sacramental Information

Baptism: at Our Lady Queen of Peace 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.**

Marriage: at Our Lady Queen of Peace because the Church is deeply concerned about each marriage, couples are asked to give a minimum of six months' notice prior to the intended date of their wedding. Church policy requires that marriages be performed in your home parish – unless you are registered and attend elsewhere.

Funeral: at Our Lady Queen of Peace individual arrangements with a priest. Begin by calling the parish office.

To Report Sexual Abuse to an Independent Agency

Click the button below

[Report Sexual Abuse](#)

Vancouver Island Crisis-Line

The Vancouver Island Crisis Society is contracted by **Island Health**. We are a registered non-profit agency whose services include:

24-hour crisis lines: 1-888-494-3888

Crisis Text Services: 250-800-3806

(from your mobile) 6pm - 10pm - 7 days a week

Crisis Chat Services: 6pm - 10pm - 7 days a week

We work in partnership with Island Health to provide public access to Mental Health & Substance Use services in the communities administered by Island Health.

A National Indian Residential School Crisis Line

A National Indian Residential School Crisis Line has been set up by the Indian Residential School Survivors Society (IRSSS) to provide support for former students and those affected. **People can access emotional and crisis referral services by calling the 24-hour line at 1-866-925-4419**

'Mass Intentions'

Mar. 22	TUESDAY	†Norma Lofthouse Alex Fernandez
Mar. 23	WEDNESDAY	in thanksgiving Tina Manguerra
Mar. 24	THURSDAY	in thanksgiving Tina Manguerra
Mar. 25	FRIDAY	Holy Souls in Purgatory Alex Fernandez
Mar. 26	SATURDAY	Holy Souls in Purgatory Tina Manguerra

Mar. 29	TUESDAY	
Mar. 30	WEDNESDAY	
Mar. 31	THURSDAY	Holy Souls in Purgatory Tina Manguerra
Apr. 1	FRIDAY	†Sixto Pongos Tina Manguerra
Apr. 2	SATURDAY	

Apr. 5	TUESDAY	
Apr. 6	WEDNESDAY	
Apr. 7	THURSDAY	
Apr. 8	FRIDAY	
Apr. 9	SATURDAY	

Apr. 12	TUESDAY	
Apr. 13	WEDNESDAY	
Apr. 14	THURSDAY	"Holy Thursday" 7pm Mass(English) 8:30pm Latin Mass (All Night Adoration immediately following Mass until 6am)
Apr. 15	FRIDAY	"Good Friday" 2pm 'Stations of the Cross' 3pm 'Good Friday Service'
Apr. 16	SATURDAY	"Holy Saturday" 8:00pm Mass

Please remember the following persons who are ill in your prayers: Ann VanNoordt, Marge Haake, Christine Stornebrink, Charles Lennaghan, John & Connie Lerner, Eileen Sikkens

Please Note:

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

Respect Life Ministry

If you are expecting a child and are feeling confused; if you are thinking that there is no way out of this situation for you; if you want to talk to someone, call, text 250.812.0087 email: respectlifem@gmail.com

New Collection Envelopes - 2022

"2022 Sunday Collection Boxes" are in the Office. Please do not use envelopes from previous years as they may belong to someone else. If you are new to the parish a box of pre-numbered collection envelopes can be prepared for you please contact the parish office at 250-384-3884 or email: office@gop.ca

Diocesan Livestream Mass

To access the Bishop's Masses:

<http://www.youtube.com/c/RCDVictoriaLiveOne>

Face Coverings

The use of **face coverings is now optional** in church buildings. However, the continued use of face coverings is highly recommended as a prudent and wise choice to ensure the safety of all. Bishop Gary Gordon.

Queen of Peace Parishioners – Silence Needed!

Co-operation from everyone in this matter would be greatly appreciated!

God IS calling each and every one of us, but we need silence to hear him.

Please we ask everyone to show respect to your fellow parishioners who are having a conversation with Him before and after Mass.

We have lots of time to catch up on the news with your fellow parishioners downstairs or outside but please not inside of the church. Thank you for thinking of your fellow parishioners!

Catholic Women's League

Victoria Diocesan Bursary in Memory of Freda Smith



The Victoria Diocesan CWL Council is offering a \$750 bursary to a graduating Catholic student within the Diocese of Victoria. This bursary will be awarded to a student proceeding on to a form of higher education. Criteria and applications are available at the Parish Office, online at cwldov.org or from your local CWL president. **The deadline for applications is March 31, 2022**

Criteria Information for Victoria Diocesan Catholic Women's League Bursary "In Memory of Freda Smith"
Freda Smith (1901-1999) a long-time resident of Victoria, retired as church organist in her parish in Esquimalt at the age of 85. She came to Canada in 1926, settling in Regina; relocating to Victoria in 1946 promoting education whenever possible. She was an active member of the Catholic Women's League, earning the League's highest honour in 1958.

1. Bursary amount \$750.00

- The Bursary is awarded annually to a graduating Catholic student within the Diocese of Victoria
- This Bursary will be awarded to a student proceeding on to a form of higher education:
(a) University (b) University Transfer Program
(c) Technical School (d) Regional College
(e) Vocational College, (f) Registered School of Nursing or Medical Services

1- Criteria for Selection:

- The Bursary award will be based on:
(a) Financial Need (b) Academic Performance
(c) Church and Community involvement

1 - Procedure:

- Student must complete the Catholic Women's League Bursary Application Form.
- Student must attach an official transcript of his/her current academic standing.
- Student must attach a narrative essay (500 words) outlining his/her successes, achievements, parish and community involvement and future goals.

1 - Application Due Date

- Applications and requirements listed above must reach the Victoria Diocesan President by Mar. 31 of the current year (see address below)

1. Accessing the Bursary

- The recipient of the bursary must provide the Victoria Diocesan Catholic Women's League, with proof of registration at a Post- Secondary Institution.
- The recipient of the bursary must register at the post-secondary institution within two years of the bursary being awarded.
- If there is no suitable applicant for the Bursary, it shall not be awarded for that year.

Application Forms - CWL President – Elsie Lambton

Please forward applications to: Email: lphyvall@shaw.ca or mail to:

Mrs. Laurel Phyll, President

Victoria Diocesan Council

Catholic Women's League of Canada

138 Engles Road

Campbell River, BC V9H 1J8

CWL – BOTTLE DRIVE

The Catholic Women's League is having a **bottle drive to raise money for the 3 Missions in Canada, every Sunday**. Please bring your empty pop bottles, wine bottles, clean milk carton or milk jugs. **Do Not** drop them off during the week as we have no storage room. Thank you in advance for your love and support of our League in the parish.

CWL – Across Canada



Come & join Catholic women from across Canada here in Kelowna at the Delta Grand Hotel, this August 14 – 17th. You will have the opportunity to be a part of an amazing experience while gathering with hundreds of like-minded women, all coming together in faith, to grow in knowledge and love. Everyone is welcome! You can attend all 3 days or just one. The Catholic Women's League of Canada will be holding their 102nd annual convention. You don't have to be a member, just come check out the love of sisterhood! We are also inviting women to step forward to help the planning committee fulfill our theme Rejoice in the Vineyard of the Lord! If you can give some of your time or would like more info on attending, please contact Nancy Simms at simmstogether@gmail.com. Please visit www.cwl.ca for more info on who and what we're all about.

Synod on Synodality

Let your voice be heard. The Church is waiting to hear your thoughts, your stories, your hopes and dreams. This invitation is a unique opportunity to shape the future. Here's how you can participate in Synod 2021-2023:

1. Attend an in-person Listening Circle – email the parish office for details
2. Sign up for an online Synod Listening Circle. The next two dates are: **•March 22, 2022 6:30-8:30 pm**
<https://www.eventbrite.ca/e/298812565427>
• March 29, 2022 11:30-1:30 pm
<https://www.eventbrite.ca/e/298819746907>
3. Submit your comments using the Listening Church response form on the Synod website (<https://www.rcdvictoria.org/synod>), or contact the parish office for a paper copy
4. Pray for the success of the Synod.

Development & Peace – Caritas Canada



At the encouragement of the Bishops Development & Peace – Caritas Canada was established in 1967.

In **Madagascar**, for instance, Development and Peace's partner, the Development Council of Andohatapenaka (CDA), empowers people to manage and transform their neighbourhoods.

In the capital region, which is afflicted by flooding and poor waste management, CDA has helped the residents of one vulnerable area to turn their environs into a thriving ecological village. Today, each of the 50 households involved in the project has a vegetable garden, a stove and solar panels. This transformation reflects a true ecological conversion. Watch the video at devp.org/lent/act.

In **Cambodia**, your solidarity helped our partner DPA establish a community fishery in Srey Packly's village. They said, "Thank you very much to DPA and to the donors for supporting their families and fellow villagers to have fresh and healthy fish to eat and to improve their livelihoods."

Such is the difference you can make by giving to your **Share Lent parish collection** (the 5th week of Lent – April 3) or at devp.org/give.

Development and Peace Share Lent - Sunday, April 3

Sun., April 3, is the Share Lent Parish Campaign for Development & Peace, our Catholic social justice organization. As our indigenous people encounter racism and manipulation by their country's government's decisions, so do the indigenous peoples of the global south. Here are some more examples of how your donations to Development and Peace help people in the global south.

Standing up to corporate power in Honduras
In **Honduras**, as in much of the Global South, corporations often threaten and criminalize activists who speak up against their abuses.

The Lenca Indigenous leader Víctor Vásquez was imprisoned for fighting the corporate takeover of his people's ancestral territory. Development and Peace's partner, the Honduran Centre for the Promotion of Community Development (CEHPRODEC), helped free him from jail. He still has to go to court, but he is able to make his arguments from home.

Another partner, Caritas Choluteca, trains and accompanies community leaders in advocating for policies that respect human rights and the environment. Recently, they got mayoral election candidates to undertake to declare the municipality of Orocuina a mining-free zone if elected.

These are very important causes. We hope you will be inspired to want to give to the **Share Lent Parish Collection** or at devp.org/give.

Share Lent 2022

Message of Bishop Raymond Poisson, CCCB President

Dear brothers and sisters in Christ,

In 2015, Pope Francis published a letter addressed to all of us entitled *Laudato Si'*. In this letter, he tied the protection of the environment with love of neighbour, particularly by casting light on the fact that the poorest nations are generally the main victims of ecological degradation: "a true ecological approach always becomes a social approach; it must integrate questions of justice in debates on the environment, so as to hear both the cry of the earth and the cry of the poor", he tells us.


The upcoming Lenten period is a time for a call to conversion, in order to bring us closer to the Lord, to go out to encounter our neighbour and to care for Creation, our common home. Recent international gatherings have highlighted the direct impacts of the climate crisis; at a time when our Canadian communities are just starting to experience them, our brothers and sisters in the Global South have suffered them for a long time. For us Christians, in order that our faith in Jesus might be expressed in action, I encourage you to respond enthusiastically to the invitation of Share Lent 2022, which is being organized by Development and Peace – Caritas Canada under the theme "People and Planet First". This campaign is an expression of the Gospel message and of the Church's social teaching, both of which take into consideration the integral development of the human person. Despite the difficult ecological situation of those communities where Development and Peace's partner organizations are active, those communities are finding ways to adapt so as to live in harmony with their environment. This coming Lent, Development and Peace will highlight their efforts in order to encourage Canadians to fast sincerely and to pray that we may all work together as one family in caring for Creation. Every year, Development and Peace also invites the Catholics of Canada to practice almsgiving by donating to the collection taken up on Solidarity Sunday (3 April 2022). The funds that are gathered then will allow Development and Peace to fulfill its mission and to transform lives in almost 30 countries around the world. Therefore, I invite you, in Christ's name, to support the Share Lent 2022 campaign by spreading its message in your communities (especially by means of a letter of support), by participating actively in the activities in which you will be invited, and by encouraging fundraising in order to place people and the planet at the heart of our priorities. "For the kingdom of God depends not on talk but on power" (1 Cor. 4:20)

Fraternally in our Lord,

+Raymond Poisson

Bishop of Saint-Jérôme and of Mont-Laurier
President of the Canadian Conference of Catholic Bishops

Knights of Columbus BC & Yukon - Bursary

 The annual B.C. and Yukon Bursary program known as the Bishop Thomas J. Lobsinger, OMI Memorial Bursary Program is underway. We are privileged to offer fourteen bursaries of \$1,000.00 each to Catholic students across the Province of B.C. Bursaries are made available on a one-time only basis to young practicing Catholic students who are in post-secondary education at a recognized institute of higher learning within the Province of B.C. **Applications are accepted from Jan. 1st to June 30, 2022** with bursaries being awarded in the fall. The Terms of Reference may be found on our web site (kofcbc.org) Requests for application should be addressed to: **Knights of Columbus BC & Yukon**

2809 Mara Drive, Coquitlam, BC V3C 5T9

Attn: Herb Yang, Bursaries Chairman

or email: herbykofc@gmail.com We would like to congratulate the many recipients once again over the past years and look forward to the opportunity to assist many more young people in the advancement of their education.



Online Marriage Preparation Course

The Diocese of Victoria is now offering our Marriage Preparation Course fully online. The cost is \$80 per couple. The course consists of several modules on relevant subjects, individual and couple activities, and assessments as well as a liturgy planning guide. Couples will be able to work through the program at their own pace. At the end of the course, you will receive a Certificate of Completion, which will be recognized by any parish within our Diocese. For more information, go to the Diocese website: <https://www.rcdvictoria.org/marriage-prep> or **find the course on Eventbrite**. Questions? Contact Moira Gill at mgill@rcdvictoria.org or 250-470-1331 ext. 237

Statement of Appreciation from Ukrainian Catholic Church in Canada

On behalf of the faithful, consecrated religious and clergy of the Ukrainian Catholic Church in Canada we wish to express our deep appreciation to the Executive of the Canadian Conference of Catholic Bishops (CCCCB) for the prayerful support for our brothers and sisters in Ukraine during these tragic days. At the same time, we also wish to acknowledge the many expressions of solidarity from bishops, clergy, consecrated religious and faithful from across the country, who join with Ukrainian Catholics in Canada in expressing shock and dismay that in the 21st century such a war of aggression could occur in modern day Europe.

In watching the various news reports from Ukraine, it is interesting to note the many churches, bell towers and crosses that appear in the background. These remind us of the historic Christian roots of the Ukrainian people. One of the most prominent churches is Saint Sophia (Holy Wisdom) Cathedral in Kyiv. Built in the 11th century it features a beautiful mosaic of the Mother of God "Oranta" high above the sanctuary. The figure of Mary stands with her arms raised in prayer of intercession for the people of God. This figure of the Theotokos has remained undamaged over the millennia, withstanding foreign invasions, war and aggression. For this reason, she is given the additional title of the "Indestructible Wall."

Today the sons and daughters of Ukraine continue to invoke Christ our Saviour, through the intercession of Mary Oranta, the Indestructible Wall, to bring an end to this unjust war and painful suffering. We pray for the strength of faith especially for those most closely affected by this war. And we invite all to join us in this ancient prayer of supplication to the Mother of God:

We flee to the shelter of your mercy, O Virgin Mother of God. Do not reject our prayers of anguish, but free us from tribulation, o only pure and blessed one.

+ Lawrence Huculak, OSBM, Metropolitan Archbishop of Winnipeg

+ David Motiuk, Eparchial Bishop of Edmonton, Administrator of the Eparchy of New Westminster

+ Bryan Bayda, CSsR, Eparchial Bishop of Saskatoon, Administrator of the Eparchy of Toronto & Eastern Canada

Donations for Ukraine can be sent to the Catholic Near East Welfare Association: - Visit cnewa.org/ca/campaigns/ukraine

- Call 1-866-322-4441

- Send cheques to: CNEWA Canada, 223 Main St., Box 80,

Ottawa, ON. K1S 1C4

Roots of Reconciliation Workshop

Registration is now open for the free four-day Roots of Reconciliation Workshop. The workshop will be facilitated by the team from [Returning to Spirit](http://ReturningtoSpirit.com)[®], an Indigenous-led non-profit organization which has been delivering experiential reconciliation workshops since 2001.

The workshop is intended for people aged 18 and older who are ready to deepen their experience with reconciliation and are curious and open minded about what reconciliation can look like on a personal level. The insights developed during the workshop create space for participants to discover how previously-held behaviours, judgements, assumptions and perceptions have kept them stuck in a disempowering story.

Two sessions of the workshop will be held, one for people who identify as Indigenous, and one for people who identify as non-Indigenous. The same material will be covered at both, but by having separate sessions, the facilitators and participants can better focus on the different lived realities of each group.

As part of its ongoing commitment to reconciliation, the Diocese of Victoria has provided funding for these workshops. Bishop Gary Gordon completed the Roots of Reconciliation workshop before he became a bishop, and said the experience was fundamental for him: "It gives you the opportunity for a powerful conversation with your true self, and with others."

Both sessions of the workshop will be held in Duncan, BC, and will run from 9:00 am - 4:30 pm each day. For more information and to register, click on the links below:

For those who identify as Indigenous:

[April 4-7 at the Cowichan Exhibition Hall](#)

For those who identify as non-Indigenous:

[May 16-19 at St. Edward the Confessor Parish Hall](#)



Chrism Mass, Thurs. Apr. 6th
St. Andrew's Cathedral Church
 7:00pm: Chrism Mass
 (everyone is invited)

**Palm Sun Anticipated Sun Mass,
 Sat. Apr 9th - 5:00pm**

(Palms blessed before Mass)

Palm Sun Mass, Apr 10
 (Palms blessed before Mass)
 10:00am: Mass
 12:00noon: Latin Mass



Tuesday, April 12th

12:10pm: Mass

Wednesday, April 13th

12:10pm: Mass



Holy Thursday, April 14th

No Noon Mass

7:00pm: Mass of the Last Supper

8:30pm: Latin Mass

(All Night Adoration immediately following
 the Latin Mass until 6am)

Good Friday, April 15th

No Noon Mass

2:00pm: Stations of the Cross

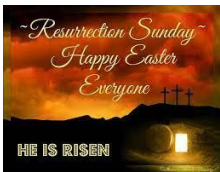
3:00pm: Solemn Afternoon Service

(Veneration of the Cross &
 Holy Communion)



Holy Saturday, April 16th

8:00pm: Easter Vigil



Easter Sunday, April 17th

10:00am: Mass

12:00noon: Latin Mass

2:00pm: Hungarian Mass

Easter Monday, April 18th

9:00am: Latin Mass

NO NOON MASS

Tuesday, April 19th

NO NOON MASS

Wednesday, April 20th

12:10pm: Mass

Thursday, April 21st

12:10pm: Mass

Friday, April 22nd

9:00am: Latin Mass

12:10pm: Mass

Saturday, April 23rd

5:00pm: Mass

Sunday, April 24th

10:00am: Mass

12:00noon: Latin Mass

Regular Schedule starts Wednesday, April 20th

Office Closed - Apr. 15th to April 18th

(open Tues. Apr. 19th)