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SHRINE TO INFANT JESUS of PRAGUE (since 2003)



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Parish Office OPEN TUESDAY - FRIDAY 9.00 - 12.00 & 1.00 - 4.15 **Contact e-mail:office@qop.ca Fax:250.384.3664**

SUNDAY	10:00	12:00	2:00 except 1 st Sunday of the month 3:00 only 1 st Sunday of the month	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
SUNG MATTINS	8:45	8:45	8:45	8:45	-	8:45
ORDINARIATE OF THE CHAIR OF SAINT PETER	9:30	9:30	9:30	9:30	-	9:30
TRADITIONAL LATIN MASS	-	-	-	-	9:00	10:30*
ADORATION OF BLESSED SACRAMENT *1 st Friday of the month	-	10:30	-	-	10:30*	-
ROSARY	-	11:30	11:30	11:30	11:30	-
CONFESSION ½ hour before & after all Masses. Please ring the bell, enter when green light is on. * 1 ST SATURDAY of the month	-	11:40	11:40	11:40	11:40	4:30 3:00 -4:00*
WEEKDAY MASS *1 ST SATURDAY of the month HOLY MASS	-	12:10	12:10	12:10	12:10	12:10* 5:00
Devotion to MOTHER OF PERPETUAL HELP	-	-	12:45	-	-	-
Devotion to INFANT JESUS OF PRAGUE	-	-	-	12:45	-	-

The CWL: meets every month on 2nd WEDNESDAY after the Noon Mass
 PRESIDENT: ELSIE LAMBTON
No meetings in July & August

KNIGHTS of COLUMBUS

Contact: Don Lambton ☎ 250.995.1531 e-mail-lambton@shaw.ca

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.

HOSPITAL EMERGENCY ONLY!

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

☎ **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) . 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:
 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.

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.

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.

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

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.

'Mass Intentions'

May 7	TUESDAY	special intentions for Nick & Eileen Sikkens Nick & Eileen Sikkens
May 8	WEDNESDAY	in thanksgiving Agustina Manguerra
May 9	THURSDAY	Ronald & Mary Ollerhead & deceased family members Carmel Ollerhead
May 10	FRIDAY	Dennis Stokes Carol Retallack
May 11	SATURDAY	in thanksgiving Gina Ancajas
May 14	TUESDAY	Tom Retallack (birthday) Carol Retallack
May 15	WEDNESDAY	Holy Souls in Purgatory Carmel Ollerhead
May 16	THURSDAY	Alberto De Vera Lydia De Vera
May 17	FRIDAY	special intention Agustina Manguerra
May 18	SATURDAY	Melanie Espineli+ Joey Espineli

Please remember the following persons who are ill in your prayers: Helen McGovern, Diana Marsh, Barbara Dunahee, Lorna Cue, Ann VanNoordt, Christine Stornebrink, Jean Halliwell, Sid, Marain & Tabettha Wood,

Collection Envelopes

If you are new to the parish and would like to have a box of pre-numbered collection envelopes for 2019, please contact the parish office at 250-388-5571 or email: office@qop.ca.

Papal Blessing

Many people enjoy acquiring a Papal Blessing for family members or friends for special anniversaries. In the past one had to ask the parish office, and they would order through the diocesan office but from now all this can be done online:

www.elemosineria.va/papal-blessing-parchments



Today, Sunday May 12th, is a special day to thank all mothers for giving us the gift of life!

To those who Comfort with a Mother's Hand,
We Thank You.

To those who Encourage with a Mother's Praise,
We Applaud You.

To those who Love with a Mother's Heart,
We Honor You.

Not Just on Mother's Day, but Always!
Blessings to all Mother's, Grandmother's,
Great-Grandmothers and Stepmother's!



To all the **Volunteers** that helped me through Holy Week, I could not have done this without all of you! All the setting up and taking down and setting up again, all the cleaning and ironing. My sincere thanks for offering your time, patience and talents in service to the Lord. Many Blessings to all! **A Mass Intention for all of you on Thurs. May 30@12:10pm** Sincerely, Carol Molloy - Office

March for Life – Thurs., May 9

This year's *12th Annual March for Life - Thurs., May 9* The March **begins at 1:45 p.m. from Victoria City Hall, at Centennial Square**, and proceed down Government St. to the Legislature for a **Rally for Life at 2:15 p.m.** This opportunity to walk together in solidarity is of profound importance in our time when euthanasia, assisted suicide, and abortion have become standard practices and accepted in the social and moral fabric of Canadian society. These increasingly acceptable social mores erode the sanctity of life that threatens not only human life itself but the freedom of conscience and religion in Canada, both of which are listed in the Canadian Charter of Rights and Freedoms. It is vitally important that we let our own voice be heard prophetically to all who would silence our cry for the respect and the preservation of life, especially on behalf of the weak and the vulnerable of our society.

Our Lady Queen of Peace, Mass: 12:10pm

St. Andrew's High School

The Sports Parents' Committee will hold a Car Wash, Bake Sale & Shred It Event, **on Sat., May 11th, at 10am - 2pm.** at St. Andrew's High School parking lot. Don't forget to save all your confidential material for shredding on the spot.

In need of a Gardener

A parishioner of our parish is in need of light gardening work at her home. (will pay). Please contact: Ann VanNoordt - 250-385-1282 or email: avano@shaw.ca



Catholic Women's League
Next CWL meeting is on **Wed. May 8th at 1pm** in the Monsignor Wood Room.

Once again we would like to 'THANK' all who contributed so generously towards our Easter flower decorations that surrounded our beautiful Altar.

Name	Intention	In Memory
Frances Lally		
Elaine Newton		Rose & Charlie McGillici & Mary Mack
Carol Retallack		Ross & Retallack family
Noella Birch		Fr. Michael Birch
Mary Earnshaw	Glenda Wilmot & Dusty Cunningham	Mary Josephine & John Donohue & Auntie
Giselle Bates		William Bates
Maria Yap	Peace to all mankind Mildred Hirshman	
Jean Halliwell		Depta & Halliwell family
Ron Fernandez	Ron Fernandez	Elizabeth & Harry Fernandez
Vince & Helen Murphy		William & Lily Murphy & Madrick & Jean Murphy & John, Nancy, Christina Tray
Ellie Raeder	Ellie Raeder	
Edna McGarry	Blessings received	John McGarry & Anne McGarry
Gina Ancajas	CWL Queen of Peace	Rodrigo & Amparo Jumao
Sandra Malley	Sandra Malley	Joseph Raymond Malley
8 Anonymous		

Parish Office - Closed

Wed. May 8th - Carol Molloy is attending the Diocesan Staff Meeting. and the **week of Mon - Fri. May 13th - 17th** (holiday) Fr. John Domotor will be available in the Office for spiritual & liturgical guidance while I am away.

Diocesan Messenger

The **Diocesan Messenger** is available on the website: <https://www.rcdvictoria.org/the-diocesan-messenger> Scroll down to 'Editions', and click on the + symbol to expand the box. You'll see the most recent edition, along with about 10 years of prior editions.

Invitation to a Free Concert

Island Catholic Schools invites you to a Choral Concert "Known by the Lord" at 6:30 pm on Tuesday, May 7 at St. Andrew's Cathedral. Enjoy choir performances by our talented students from John Paul II, Port Alberni; Queen of Angels, Duncan; and Victoria Catholic Schools: St. Joseph's, St. Patrick's and St. Andrew's Regional High School. Come join us as "He counts the stars and calls them all by name." The concert will also be streamed live at www.rcdvictoria.org/dicoese-of-victoria-live-stream

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament, Rosary & Benediction followed by a Potluck

Our Lady Queen of Peace English and Latin communities & the Ordinariate (Blessed John Henry Newman) and the Victoria Council 1256 Knights of Columbus encourage you to join us for the joint Feast Day of Our Lady of the Eucharist & Our Lady of Fatima on **Mon. May 13th, starting at 5:30pm** - Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament, the Rosary of Our Lady and Benediction followed by a potluck. Please bring a favorite dish to share with 6-8 people. Coffee/Tea & Juice will be provided. Sign-up sheets are located in the vestibule or in the community centre downstairs.

VERITAS – An Opportunity to Learn!

Young Adults (18 – 40), within the Victoria region, are invited to explore the message of Jesus Christ who is Truth. A 6 week series, beginning May 14th, under the vibrant, thoughtful and often humorous **guidance of Father Dean Henderson, VERITAS** is for persons seeking to renew their understanding of the catholic faith or perhaps learn various 'truths' that were never explained in their youth. **VERITAS** is also for those persons who are returning to the church after a period of absence and for those persons who are discerning entry into the Catholic church **VERITAS** will take place in the Cathedral Hall, beginning with a meal at 5:30 pm followed by 2 DVD's where Father Dean Henderson shares his personal testimony and offers a teaching on the topic of the day. Small group discussion follows each DVD. The **VERITAS** course will be facilitated by trained young adults of St. Andrew's Cathedral Young Adults Group. To register: please contact the Cathedral parish office at 250-388-5571 or email standrewscathedral@gmail.com

Diocesan Youth Conference - The Pursuit

Young people from the Diocese of Victoria, Grades 8-12, are you looking to make lasting friendships, be inspired by amazing talks and testimonies, and grow deeper in your faith? **Diocesan youth conference May 24-26 at the Catholic High School**, Andrew Laubacher is the speaker. REGISTER NOW! Go to the Diocese of Victoria website: www.rcdvictoria.org/dyc and click on "Register for DYC" If the cost of registration is an issue, please contact your parish priest, or Glen Palahicky at the Diocese of Victoria (250-479-1331 or gpalahicky@rcdvictoria.org).

St. Joseph the Worker Parish

Sat., May 25 - Who am I as a Pastoral Care Visitor?

Bring a bag lunch. Coffee/Tea will be available. Contact St. Joseph the Worker parish to register: (250) 479-7413 or sjtwoffice@shaw.ca

Retrouvaille Vancouver Program

Is Your Marriage in Crisis? Retrouvaille is a Catholic peer ministry which offers a three-phase program for married couples with difficulties of all kinds, including years of misery, infidelity, separation, or even divorce. For confidential information or to register for the program the **weekend of Sept. 27-29** call Marc and Candice at 604-530-6710 and leave a message or email us at vancouverbc@retrouvaille.org. More information also available on our websites www.retrouvaille.org & www.retrouvaillevancouver.com

Diocese of Victoria

Date: May 2, 2019

From: Bishop Gary Gordon

Cynthia Bouchard, Chancellor

Re: Fr. Karam Alraban

Fr. Karam Alraban, a priest incardinated in the Syriac Catholic Archeparchy of Baghdad, Iraq, has requested a leave from active ministry to allow time to discern his priestly vocation. By virtue of Fr. Alraban's decision, the Bishop has revoked his Faculties and therefore he will no longer exercise his priestly ministry, nor celebrate the Sacraments publicly or privately in the Diocese of Victoria during this time of discernment.

Your prayers for Fr. Karam during this time of discernment, as well as the ongoing pastoral needs of the Diocese of Victoria, are greatly appreciated.

The Sisters of Saint Ann -

www.ssabc.ca; www.ssacong.org

POSITION: Executive Assistant - 30 hours per week

Position Summary - Tentative start date June 2019

Reporting directly to the Executive Director, this role is vitally important to the efficient operation of the Corporation's administrative office. This role is pivotal, involving a broad range of tasks and activities and interacting both directly and indirectly with many diverse internal and external stakeholders. The ideal candidate is enthusiastic, industrious, detail-oriented, and open to opportunities to develop and grow. The desire to be of service to others is essential to this role as the Sisters of St. Ann deeply value caring and conscientiousness in the smallest of tasks and the simplest of transactions. Competitive Salary (commensurate with experience) and benefits are offered. **Interested applicants are asked to email a resume and cover letter in confidence to ExecutiveDirector@ssabc.ca by Mon., May 20, 2019** We thank all applicants for their interest, however only those being considered for the role will be contacted directly.

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That the Cathedral has a Columbarium and that a location near the church for the deceased has been a powerful symbol of our faith since the early church. It is a statement of our ultimate goal to live this life in Christ so that one day, through death, we can share in eternal life with God. For information on purchasing a niche in the Cathedral Columbarium call Chris Ryzuk - 250-388-5571 and leave a message or email: niche@standrewscathedral.com

Please Support the Soup Kitchen - 9/10 Club at St. Andrew's Cathedral

It costs only \$2.25 for **The Soup Kitchen** to provide a nutritious meal to one of our guests. This season help us serve soup to the hungry with a financial donation, \$25 feeds 10 diners; \$225 a 100 of our guests. The 9/10 Club's soup kitchen operates from the Cathedral Basement (Seghers' Hall) five days a week, every week of the year except for Christmas Day. No government funding is received and little media notice is given, but the volunteers are faithful and the clientele grateful. If you are interested in learning more or donating by credit card, please go to: www.thesoupkitchen.ca. To donate by cheque or cash, use an envelope clearly labelled for the Soup Kitchen and put it in the Sunday collection basket. **Cheques must be payable to "9 - 10 Club"** Thank you for your generosity and support to help those in need in our city.

Our Place Society

Now that Robins have joined the pigeons and seagulls in the courtyard, we are heading for the rainy season. Survival ponchos, small and easy to pack away when not needed are a great way for our family to keep themselves and their backpacks dry and covered. Umbrellas and lighter waterproof jackets are also very welcome. Donations can be left at our reception area at 919 Pandora in Victoria any day of the week from 7am to 8:30 pm.

Princess Cruise Jan 26-Feb 5, 2020

I have had a cancelation on this 10-day Eastern Caribbean Cruise. Ports are Fort Lauderdale, Antigua, St Lucia, Barbados, St. Kitts, St. Thomas, Grand Turk. The Cruise Line is presently featuring a special deal until May 31st offering free gratuities, and shipboard credit. A woman parishioner from Ascension Parish in Parksville is looking to share. Email Mary Hof at mhof126@gmail.com or call 250 715 6297. Also, I have a few spots left on a 14 day, hiking and humanitarian aid trip to Eastern Cuba March 7-21, 2020. *Mary Hof, St. Edward's Parish, Duncan*



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