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SUNDAY	10:00	12:0	0	 2:00 except 1st Sunday of the month 3:00 only 1st Sunday of the month 				2:00 on 1 st Sunday of the month		
	HOLY MASS	TRADITIONA MAS		ORDINARIATE OF THE CHAIR OF SAINT PETER				HUNGARIAN MASS		
			MONDAY	TUES	SDAY	WEDNESDAY	Тн	URSDAY	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	1:30	11:30		11:30	11:30	-
CONFESSION ¹ / ₂ hour before & after all Masses. Please ring the bell, enter when green light is on. * 1 st SATURDAY of the month			-	11	1:40	11:40		11:40	11:40	4:30 3:00 -4:00*
WEEKDAY MASS *1 ST SATURDAY of the month			-	12	2:10	12:10		12:10	12:10	12:10*
HOLY MASS			-		-	-		-	-	5:00
Devotion to MOTHER OF PERPETUAL HELP			-		-	12:45		-	-	-
Devotion to INFANT JESUS OF PRAGUE			-		-	-		12:45	-	-
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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 (below on the left side).

New Parishioner	NAME:	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·
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	The Home and American Television and American Television and American Ame American American Ameri American American Ameri America	🖀 Work
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SUNDAY DONATIONS can be done by using: Sunday Envelopes or by automatic bank withdrawal. (The l	Parish Off	FICE 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 lowgluten 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: <u>respectlifem@gmail.com</u>

Vancouver Island Crisis-Line

The Vancouver Island Crisis Society is contracted by <u>Island Health</u>. 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'

Oct 1	TUESDAY	in thanksgiving
		Agustina Manguerra
Oct 2	WEDNESDAY	special intention
		Agustina Manguerra
Oct 3	THURSDAY	Choose-Life Victoria
		Society
Oct 4	FRIDAY	Teresita(Pinky) Cabigas
		Jean Halliwell
Oct 5	SATURDAY	Holy Souls in Purgatory
		Regina Brown
Oct 8	TUESDAY	special intention of Our
		Lady of Good Remedy
		Agustina Manguerra
Oct 9	WEDNESDAY	Choose-Life Victoria
		Society
Oct 10	THURSDAY	Diana Marsh+
		Jean Halliwell
Oct 11	FRIDAY	Mila De Vera
		Lydia De Vera
Oct 12	SATURDAY	Amparo & Rodrigo+
		Gina Ancajas

Please remember the following persons who are ill in your prayers: Helen McGovern, Lorna Cue, Ann VanNoordt, Christine Stornebrink, Jean Halliwell, Joan Dunbar, Sid, Marian & Tabetha, Charles Lennaghan,

Collection Envelopes

If you are new to the parish and would like to have a box of pre-numbered collection envelopes. Please contact the parish office at 250-388-5571 or email: <u>office@qop.ca</u>

Mount St. Mary Hospital

Build a relationship with residents at Mount St. Mary Hospital. Volunteer to bring them to and from Mass on Sundays at 9:45am. The spiritual health of our residents is important. Please help us to help them practice their faith. Training and orientation will be included. **To join the volunteer team, please contact Anne McCaffrey at 250-480-3118 or amccaffrey@mountstmary.ca**

Become A Knight! – Membership Drive

Begin your journey in just a few minutes when you fill out our online application to become a Knight. When you join online, you'll instantly gain access to Knights.net, our online portal that is the home to Faith formation resources, news from Knights around the globe, information on issues important to the Catholic Church, and a calendar to keep you 'in-the-know." You can take your membership to the next level by indicating your interest in joining a council in the application process, and a local Knight will contact you. Become a Knight today, visit: **kofc.org/join**

Congratulations!

Thank you to all the participants! Our winner from the Bulletin Trivia Quiz is 'Leona Doucet' The answer to the quiz was "Volume 89" represents the age of the Church (built in 1930) and #11 stands for the 11th bulletin this year. Congratulations Leona!

Help Save Lives in Victoria! Sept. 25th – Nov. 3rd Here's how to take part in <u>40 Days for Life</u> in our community: **40daysforlife.com/Victoria** Vigil location: Outside Victoria General Hospital (We will be standing West of Hospital Sign at 2nd Light Standard on Watkiss Way) Vigil hours: 7 am to 7 pm Local contact: Glenda W. / 250-661-2613

gandhwilmot@gmail.com

Learn more ... get involved ... and sign up for prayer times by visiting our campaign. Choose Life Victoria is leading the vigil with prayer & fasting at this new site for 40 Days For Life, with the intention of ending abortions. Why here, because the abortions are now reserved for hospitals alone. Pray to End Abortion. We need as many volunteers as are willing to come.

You choose your hours & length of time to be with us on site in prayer. And please make sure you are at least 2 people when you gather on Watkiss Way. **You can protect mothers and children** by joining this worldwide mobilization to pray and fast for an end to abortion! Through prayer and fasting, peaceful vigils and community outreach, 40 Days for Life has inspired 1,000,000 volunteers! **With God's help**, here are the proven results in 24 coordinated campaigns:

16,004 babies saved from abortion190 abortion workers converted

100 abortion centers closed

Collection for the Needs of the Church in Canada

Thank you for your contribution and solidarity! Each year, and with the generosity of Catholic faithful from coast to coast to coast, the Bishops of Canada continue their work on important doctrinal and ethical questions; ecumenical initiatives and interreligious dialogue; international relations; evangelization, faith education and catechesis; relations with Indigenous peoples; questions of social justice; and the development of a culture of life and family. In addition to their national Conference, the Bishops of Canada also meet in four Regional Assemblies (Atlantic, Quebec, Ontario and the West). The CCCB and the regional assemblies include the Bishops of the Latin Church, as well as the Eparchial Bishops of the Eastern Catholic Churches. On behalf of all Bishops of Canada, the Most Reverend Lionel Gendron, P.S.S., Bishop of Saint-Jean-Longueuil and CCCB President, shares his gratitude for the continued support of the Church in Canada, "With my prayers and thanks for your generosity, I ask the Lord to bestow his graces upon you, your families and communities."

Men's Faith and Fellowship Breakfast

Bishop Gary Gordon presenting on Sat., Oct. 5th, at 8am at the Victoria Horseshoe club - 620 Kenneth St. Please RSVP to: <u>info@mfaff.org</u> by Sept. 27 to ensure a seat. Cost: \$12.00

St. Patrick's CWL

St. Patrick's Catholic Women' League are very excited to announce their Annual Fall Good Used Clothing Sale, Parish Bazaar, Silent Auction, and lots of other amazing kiosks to enjoy.

The Good Used Clothing runs for two days, Fri. Oct. 4th & Sat. Oct. 5 from 9:30am to 2:00pm Our Bazaar and Silent Auction is only on Sat. Oct. 5th, from 9:30am to 2:00pm, this is a great event for all ages, an event you don't want to miss!

National Catholic Health Care Week October, 6 - 12

During National Catholic Health Care Week we give thanks for the courageous gift of Catholic health care. Whether it be in hospitals, community health centres, nursing homes, and long-term care homes, Catholic health care works to provide purpose-driven care with compassion and innovation. Each year, Catholic health care providers serve more than five million people in need. Every person who contributes to working in Catholic health care is living out the healing ministry of Jesus Christ by helping those who are most marginalized by society. We give thanks for the thousands of physicians, nurses, employees, and volunteers who give of themselves to care for all in need.

Season of Creation Synod

On the Amazon Submitted by Social Justice Committee With the Feast of St Francis, Fri. Oct. 4, the Season of Creation called for by Pope Francis will draw to a close, together with Catholics world-wide, have been invited to grow in a new love for creation and in a commitment to protect its biodiversity. The theme for the 2019 Season of Creation has been "Protecting the Web of Life." Pope Francis underlined Sept. 1, the start of this ecumenical initiative, that "this has been the season for letting our prayer be inspired anew by closeness to nature, which spontaneously leads us to give thanks to God the Creator." It has been a season to reflect on our lifestyles and the impact of our daily decisions about food, consumption, transportation, use of water, energy and many other material goods. Now is the time, he adds, "to abandon our dependence on fossil fuels and move, quickly and decisively, towards new forms of clean energy, toward a sustainable and circular economy, and to learning from indigenous peoples, whose age-old wisdom can teach us how to live in a better relationship with the environment." Although the Season of Creation is about to end, starting Sun., Oct. 6th, a three-week Synod on the Amazon begins in Rome, a momentous time for indigenous people impacted by fires and a momentous time for South American Bishops entrusted with the pastoral care of this vulnerable people. You are invited to pray for the success of the Synod and to participate in it by watching the daily press briefing which will occur daily via Vatican News.

Mass with a Filipino Flavour

A special Mass will be held on **Sun., Oct. 6th at 5pm at the Cathedral.** Music will be in Filipino, Readings in English and Filipino, Prayers in English. There will be a prelude at 4:45 pm where the Filipino choir will sing worship songs written by Filipino composers. As in all Filipino gatherings, there will be a reception after Mass in the Seghers' Hall. All are welcome.

Veritas – Adult Faith Opportunity

A seven week series, beginning Oct. 8th, 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. Located in Seghers' Hall, at the Cathedral, beginning with a meal at 5:30 pm followed by a DVD where Fr. Dean Henderson, vibrantly and often humorously, shares his personal testimony and offers a teaching on the topic of the day. Small group discussion follows. To register: please contact the office at 250-388-5571 or email <u>standrewscathedral@gmail.com</u>

Starfields!- Holy Cross Parish

Fundraiser Concert Come and bring friends to the upcoming Starfields Concert featuring The Small Glories on the evening of **Wed.**, **Oct. 9th at Holy Cross Parish!** Starfields is a powerful grassroots festival reflecting diversity and inclusiveness in its music and events. Tickets are \$20 available online at Eventbrite, as well as Munro's, Ivy's and at the door.

Proceeds to Victoria Multifaith Society.

Election Day - Mon., Oct. 21, 2019

As Canadian Catholics, and citizens, this is an opportunity to exercise our right to vote in the formation of a fair and just representative government by the people and for the people. To assist us in this very vital and important responsibility, the Episcopal Commission for Justice and Peace of the Canadian Conference of Catholic Bishops (CCCB) has released a booklet entitled, 2019 Federal Election Guide: Voting as Catholics. The booklet seeks not to influence voter's choices. Rather, it encourages informed judgement, and enables opportunities for reflection on various key issues important to Catholics. These appear as underlined texts, if printed. The booklet is also available from the CCCB website at https://www.cccb.ca/site/eng/media-room/5143-votingas-catholics-2019-federal-election-guide

May we seek the inspiration and guidance of the Holy Spirit, our patron saint, St. Joseph, and our Blessed Mother as we prayerfully discern the future elected government for Canada. We have a few booklets in the vestibule. More available in the Office 250.384.3884

Youth Retreat – Christ the King parish

All youth in grades 8-12 are invited to a special weekend of fun, faith and friendship at Christ the King Parish in Courtenay on **Nov. 1-3**. Registration forms at the office. Contact: <u>rogercollins@shaw.ca</u> for further information. St. Andrew's High School Students contact: <u>gpalahicky@cisdv.bc.ca</u>

Catholic Prayer Breakfast

A Catholic prayer breakfast will be held at the **Comfort Inn, 3020 Blanshard near Mayfair Mall, on Sat. Nov. 9th, 9 am to noon.** Fr. Stephen Paine, of St. Edward's in Duncan, will be featured speaker. A Victoria native, he is a former lawyer and was married from 1996 until he was widowed in 2000. He had attended seminary for a year before entering law; in 2003 he re-entered seminary and was ordained in 2009. He has also served at St. Andrew's Cathedral and Holy Family/Notre Dame in Port Alberni. Come and hear his testimony. Price: \$17. Call 250-477-4700 (the Dunstan) for a reservation. All are welcome. Lynn Dunstan Weedmark St Andrew's Prayer Group - 250-477-4700

2nd Annual Women's Retreat "Merciful Love"

We are excited to announce our 2nd annual Women's Retreat "*Merciful Love*" **Nov 15-17** at Camp Imadene near Lake Cowichan. Last year, 100 women were treated to a weekend away to rest, be filled and rejuvenated to prepare for a deeper Advent and Holy Christmas.

This year, we are excited to invite all women 19+ to join us again. Our keynote speaker is the very popular Angele Regnier along with Bonnie Landry, Gwen Jahelka and Laura- Anne Smid who will provide breakout sessions throughout the weekend. Our chaplain, Fr Harrison Ayre will be present all weekend to offer Mass, Reconciliation and Spiritual Direction.

Please email us at <u>vicatholicwomensretreat@gmail.com</u> for more information and a link to register.

<u>The Holy Childhood of Canada</u> - since 1933 Purpose of the Holy Childhood Association **The First – Pray:** is to encourage our children to pray for the children of the world, so that all children may know Jesus. **The Second – Learn:** is to help our children to learn more about the world's children.

The Third – Give: is to encourage our children to sacrifice for and share with others in the hope that such practices become part of their later years.

To learn more go to their website:

https://www.missionsocieties.ca/holy-childhood-

association-hca/ There is a basket in the vestibule for loose cash however if you are wanting a receipt go to their website and send it out directly to them.

Please Do Not make cheques out to the parish. Thank you for your generosity!

Diocesan Appeal - October 5/6

The Annual Appeal kicks off weekend of Oct. 12/13. Mail is being sent on Mon., Oct 7. You may receive your package this week. The Annual Appeal enables our parish to participate in several Diocesan initiatives as well as our own Parish Project. Over the next few weeks please consider how you can be a part of the success of the Annual Appeal and our Parish Goals. More information in the next Bulletin **ADVERTISE:** Your ad can be in the bulletin. Call the **parish office at 250-388-5571** for more information **or email**: <u>office@qop.ca</u> We appreciate the support of these sponsors. Please support them.

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Did you know ...?

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: <u>niche@standrewscathedral.com</u>

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

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.

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.

URGENT NEED FOR SVDP VOLUNTEERS

Looking to help those in need? Then volunteer at the SVDP Social Concern Office at 833 Yates Street in Victoria. Lots of positions are available at this fun and socially-engaging agency. 3 hours weekly - registering clients and helping them select food items, stocking shelves, bagging bread and produce. Volunteers are urgently needed. Parking or bus ticket reimburse available. Email dingram@svdpvictoria.com, drop by the office or call (250) 382-0712 and ask for Donna Ingram. Please note a criminal check is required.

Our Place Society – In Need!

Fall is almost here in Victoria. As the cold weather approaches us, our family members will be in need of winter coats, sleeping bags, blankets, tarps, warm clothes and shoes. Fall is a great time to check your closets and see if you have any gently used items to donate that will make life a little warmer for our family members this winter. Donations can be dropped off at Our Place Society Reception at: 919 Pandora Victoria 7 days a week

Caribbean Cruise - Jan 26 to Feb 5th, 2020

I have organized group cruises before, and it's a wonderful opportunity for people who wish to travel with others of the same Christian faith but who don't want the hassle of organizing. I have 2 cabin spaces left on this cruise with Crown Princess. We will stop at the ports of Fort Lauderdale, Antigua, Sr Lucia, Barbados, St Kitts, St, Thomas & Grand Turk. As with all cruises, prices go up, as the ship fills. My name is Mary Hof, and I am a parishioner of St. Edward's in Duncan and I can be contacted at: <u>mhof126@gmail.com</u>, or 250 715 6297