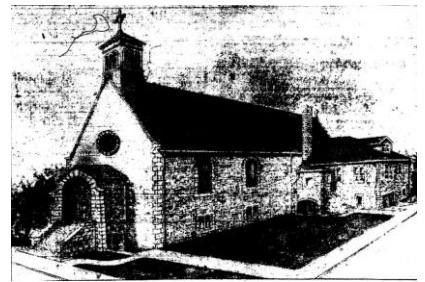


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☎ 250.384.3884

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

SUNDAY	10:00	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 & 7pm	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

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

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

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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'

Feb 11	TUESDAY	NO NOON MASS
Feb 12	WEDNESDAY	Choose Life Victoria Society
Feb 13	THURSDAY	Roger A. Goulet+ Gisele Bates
Feb 14	FRIDAY	special intentions Augustina Manguerra
Feb 15	SATURDAY	special intentions Augustina Manguerra
Feb 18	TUESDAY	Danillo Dimalanto+ Julie
Feb 19	WEDNESDAY	Joseph Raymond Malley+ Sandra Malley
Feb 20	THURSDAY	Michael Banta+ Augustina Manguerra
Feb 21	FRIDAY	Aturo De Vera Lydia De Vera
Feb 22	SATURDAY	Holy Souls in Purgatory Augustina Manguerra

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

Collection Envelopes

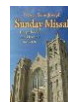
If you are new to the parish and would like to have a box of pre-numbered collection envelopes, please contact the parish office at 250-388-5571 or email: office@gop.ca

Parish Database

If you have moved or changed your email/phone number in the past year or so, please make sure to update your information with the parish office. Tax receipts will be prepared early in the New Year and this will help the parish save on postage expenses by reducing returned mail.

2019/20 Sunday Missals

2020 Sunday Missals available in the parish office to pick up your copy (\$4 each)



Catholic Women's League

CWL members and all women of the parish you are invited to the meeting on **Wed. Feb. 12 at 1:00pm** in the Msgr. Wood Room. The Catholic Women's League supports and contributes to the life and vitality of the Catholic Church, family and community at home and abroad.

Catholic Prayer Breakfast

A will be held at the Comfort Inn, near Mayfair Mall, on **Sat. Feb. 15th, 9am to noon**. Our speaker is Father William Hann. Originally from Newfoundland, he came to Vancouver Island in 1989 and taught in Catholic schools in Tahsis, Duncan and Victoria before discerning a vocation to the priesthood. He was ordained in 2004. **Price \$17 - Call 250-477-4700 (the Dunstons)** for a reservation as there is limited seating. Tickets also available from St. Andrew's prayer group members. Everyone welcome

Pastoral Care Outreach Training

When we visit the lonely, sick, injured, elderly, and dying, in their homes, or hospitals, retirement centres, and long-term care facilities, we are living out our baptismal identity. Lay pastoral care visitors can assist their pastors by helping to share Christ's healing love and compassion with those in need by offering friendship, encouragement, the ministry of presence, and, when requested, prayer, and Holy Communion. Young adults are also encouraged to attend as a means of discerning this ministry.

Sessions are 9:00 am – 3:00 pm and are free.

Please bring a bag lunch to each session, Coffee and Tea will be provided. **A Certificate of Completion is provided to those who attend all four sessions.**

Session 1: The Healing Ministry of Christ

Sat., Feb. 22 - St. Patrick's Parish

Session 2: Listening & Communication & Mental Health

Sat., March 14 - St. Patrick's Parish

To register: (250) 592-7391 or stpat190@telus.net

Session 3: The Grieving Process and Ministering to Families

Sat., Apr. 18 - St. Joseph the Worker Parish

Session 4: Who am I as a Pastoral Care Visitor?

Sat., May 30 - St. Joseph the Worker Parish

To register: 250-479-7413 or sjtwoffice@shaw.ca



Lent is just around the corner.

Ash Wednesday is Feb. 26th. You are invited to bring your old palms to the Church and place them in the box

located in the vestibule. The palms will be burned and the ashes used for Ash Wednesday.

Deadline is Sun., Feb. 23rd

'Ash Wednesday' – Feb. 26th

The signing of the Cross on your forehead with Ashes on Ash Wednesday will be experienced by millions of Christians all over the world. Ashes are a solemn reminder that God is the one in the driver's seat and we are the passengers; that life here on earth is not permanent; that a greater place is being prepared for us. They also remind us that Jesus calls us to change a part of ourselves – not necessarily a change of activities, a change of contracts or even a change of pace, but a change of heart.

What do you have your heart set on? Let the ashes you will receive on Feb. 26th be a reminder to set your heart on the kingdom first, "then all things will be given you as well."

Lent is coming!

Ash Wednesday, February 26,

Good Friday, April 10, are days of fast and abstinence throughout the universal church. Fridays of Lent are also compulsory days of abstinence throughout the universal church. In Canada, Catholics may substitute an act of charity in place of abstinence. However, it is strongly encouraged that some form of penitential discipline be undertaken.

Fasting is to be observed by all 18 years of age and older, who have not yet celebrated their 59th birthday. On a fast day one full meal is allowed. Two other meals, sufficient to maintain strength, may be taken according to each one's needs, but together they should not equal another full meal. Eating between meals is not permitted, but liquids, including milk and juices, are allowed. Abstinence is observed by all 14 years of age and older. On days of abstinence no meat is allowed. Note that when health or ability to work would be seriously affected, the law does not oblige. When in doubt concerning fast and abstinence, the parish priest should be consulted. Ash Wednesday, February 26, 2020 and Good Friday, April 10, 2020, are days of fast and abstinence. Fasting, almsgiving, and prayer are the three traditional disciplines of Lent. The faithful and catechumens should undertake these practices seriously in a spirit of penance and of preparation for baptism or of renewal of baptism at Easter.

Penitential Services during Lent

March 17 St. Rose of Lima (Sooke) 7 pm

March 25 Sacred Heart 7 pm

March 31 Our Lady of the Rosary 7 pm

Catechist Spring Gatherings

You are cordially invited to attend one of two Catechist Spring Gatherings, "Living the Mystery" on **Feb 28th St. Joseph's (Victoria) OR March 7th Trinity (Nanaimo)**. Please see the attached invitation for all the details. We pray and hope you are able to join us at the one most convenient for you. Feel free to bring someone who is interested in exploring the ministry of Catechesis for Children & Youth.

Rite of Election ~ Diocese of Victoria

March 1st St. Peter's Church, Nanaimo - 10:30 Mass

The Rite of Election is for those preparing for Baptism. Catechumens from all over our diocese are now ready to publicly declare their intention to continue their journey toward becoming Catholics. At this Rite, they are asked to more fully embrace the Gospel message with the help of God. The parish community is asked to pray for those in the RCIA process. Please join us for this very special occasion in our diocese. All are welcome and encouraged to attend!



Catholic Women's League

Invitation to all members and parishioners of our parish to the Ecumenical Worship Service: **“World Day of Peace 2020”** Rise! Take Your Mat and Walk on **Fri. Mar. 6th at 1:30pm at the Esquimalt United Church** on the corner of Admirals & Lyall. Service written by the World Day of Prayer Committee of Zimbabwe, prepared and adapted for use in Canada by the Women's Inter-Church Council of Canada

Invitation to Study Theology

Have you ever wondered what theology is? Join Fr. Harrison Ayre for an introduction to some of the core elements of Catholic theology and provide exercises to help the participants think theologically. This is an introductory class, but come expecting to be stretched!

Once a month, on a Fri. night from 7 - 9 pm & on Sat. 10:30 - 12:30 (see dates below) Register at the Cathedral parish office: 250-388-5571 or standrewscathedral@gmail.com

Dates: March 13 & 14; April 24 & 25; May 22 & 23

Diocese - Job Posting

Chaplain for University of Victoria & Camosun College. The Diocese of Victoria is accepting applications for the position of Chaplain for the University of Victoria and Camosun College. We seek a Chaplain who will be committed to helping students grow and flourish within the Catholic faith tradition while living and learning in a secular campus environment. **Please visit www.rcdvictoria.org/employment**



Kairos Blanket Exercise

Do you want to respond to the Truth and Reconciliation Commission's 94 Calls for Justice? Come and

participate in the Kairos Blanket Exercise, an opportunity to learn about the shared history of our First Nations brothers and sisters.

Sat. Mar. 7 - 1-3pm at St. Pat's Church, Lourdes Hall. If you plan to attend, please RSVP to victoriaareadp@gmail.com or 250-477-6952.

Catholic Health Association of BC (CHABC)

Again this school year, the Catholic Health Association of BC (CHABC) is making available a **BURSARY** in the amount of **\$500** to students graduating in 2020. To apply for this bursary, students are invited to submit an essay on the topic **The Significance of Spirituality in Health Care**. Information can also be found on our website here: <https://www.chabc.bc.ca/news-and-events/>

Foundations of the Catholic Faith

The 2020 Sessions are available for registration. This is a **FREE** opportunity open for people who wish to deepen their understanding and appreciation of the Catholic faith. Sessions are adapted to meet the needs of the group. These sessions are interactive, informative and reflective.

Sign up on Eventbrite or email

Gwen at: gjahelka@rcdvictoria.org or

Glen at: gpalahicky@rcdvictoria.org or

Call: 250-479-1331

Part II Days in Spring Break

March 16 & 17 ~ 8:30-4:30

Queen of Angels, Duncan

<https://foundations-part2-springbreak.eventbrite.com>

Part I Days in Spring Break

March 19 & 20 ~ 8:30-4:30

Holy Cross, Victoria

<https://foundations-part1-springbreak.eventbrite.com>

Part I Days in Summer

June 29 & 30 ~ 8:30-4:30

Holy Cross, Victoria

<https://foundations-part1-summer.eventbrite.com>

Part II Days in Summer

July 2 & 3 ~ 8:30-4:30

Holy Cross, Victoria

<https://foundations-part2-summer.eventbrite.com>

Mass in Honour of

Healthcare Workers and Volunteers

If you are a healthcare professional, worker, or volunteer, you are invited to celebrate a special Mass in honour of healthcare workers and volunteers with Bishop Gary Gordon **at 6:20 pm on the Feast of St. Joseph on Thurs., Mar. 19, at Christ the King Parish, 1599 Tunner Drive, Courtenay.** **For more details, please phone 250-334-4716 or email: ctkparish@shaw.ca**

Retrouvaille Vancouver Marriage Recovery

Spring Program

Retrouvaille is an affordable program that provides couples with the tools to repair **ALL kinds of marriage problems**. Retrouvaille has helped thousands of couples avoid separation and regain a joyful marriage. For confidential information or to register for the 7 week Lower Mainland program commencing the weekend of **April 17-19, 2020** plus sessions on the 6 consecutive Sundays following the weekend, call us at **604-530-6710**, email us at vancouverbc@retrouvaille.org or visit our website www.retrouvaillevancouver.org.

Volunteers Needed - Family Camp

Do you love to cook and do you work well as part of a team? Are you looking for a rewarding summer experience? The **Diocesan Family Camp** is looking for assistant cooks and kitchen helpers for **August 20 -23** in beautiful Nanoose Bay. Food Safe BC is required. You will be doing God's work and having fun at the same time! To volunteer or for more information please **contact Dave at 250 590 7004 or elmodave@yahoo.com**

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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

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.

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.

Our Place Society – In Need!

Winter coats, sleeping bags, blankets, tarps, warm clothes and shoes. With our new overnight shelter at Pandora, our hygiene department and showers open earlier and stay open later. Shampoo, deodorant, dental floss, disposable razors and towels go quickly as our family strives to keep clean. Clean socks and underwear are also in high demand. Donations can be dropped off at Our Place Society Reception at: 919 Pandora St. 7 days a week. The New Roads Therapeutic Recovery Community, a healing program of Our Place, is seeking volunteer drivers. Drivers would be working out of New Roads, 94 Talcott Road, View Royal, to drive residents to appointments. We are seeking either two part-time drivers or one full-time driver. If you're interested, please contact Dawn Barr at 250-388-7112 Ext. 258 or email dawnb@ourplacesociety.com

You are Invited to Walk with us Feb. 22, 2020

For the third straight year, Our Place is participating in Canada's National Walk for Homelessness. **Coldest Night of the Year** is a family-friendly walk that raises awareness and raises money for charities serving hungry, homeless, and hurting people in our community. **Last year, you helped Our Place raise over \$56,000, and with your support, we think we can get to \$75,000 this year.** Join us for a 2km, 5km or 10 km walk followed by a chili dinner. Choose from one of our two WALK locations:

919 Pandora Avenue, Our Place Society

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Langford Fire Hall (in partnership with Pacific Centre Family Services Association)

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