

# ST. PETER'S CATHOLIC CHURCH

September 1, 2019 The Twenty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time  
Pastor—Bishop Gary Gordon

## Welcome to St. Peter's Parish

### St. Peter's & Trinity Catholic Mass/ Reconciliation Schedule Week of September 2-8

#### St. Peter's

Monday	No Mass
Tuesday	Noon Liturgy of the Hours
Wednesday	Noon Liturgy of the Hours
Thursday	Noon Liturgy of the Hours
Friday	6:30pm confession 7:00pm Mass
Saturday	No Mass
Sunday	10:30am and 7:00pm Mass

#### Trinity

Monday	5:30pm Confession 6:00pm Mass
Tuesday	8:30am Confession 9:00am Mass
Wednesday	8:30am Confession 9:00am Mass
Thursday	8:30am Confession 9:00am Mass
Friday	8:30am Confession 9:00am Mass
Saturday	5:30pm Confession 6:00pm Mass
Sunday	8:00am & 9:00 am Mass

#### Our Lady of Victory—Gabriola Island

Sunday 2:30pm Celebration of the Word  
Friday 2:00pm-3:00pm Adoration  
Make offerings payable to Our Lady of Victory



## World Day of Prayer

Pope Francis recently declared September 1 as the World Day of Prayer for the Care of Creation. According to Pope Francis, "The annual World Day of prayer for the Care of Creation offers to individual believers and to the community a precious opportunity to renew our personal participation in this vocation as custodians of creation, raising to God our thanks for the marvelous works that He has entrusted to our care, invoking his help for the protection of creation and his mercy for the sins committed against the world in which we live." As Catholics and members of the parish community of St. Peter's, let us join hands in celebrating this day

## St. Peter's Mission Statement

We, the parish community of St. Peter's, are committed to reach out to others in faith and love by affirming the Gospel and Teachings of Mother Church. We seek to encourage greater participation in the life of the Church in order to strengthen and grow in our faith, celebrate sacramental life in hope and be active in works of charity.

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### Weekly Mass Intentions



Friday September 6 - Barbara Kolich

Sunday September 8 - Lorraine-Shay Burnett R.I.P

\*if you have a Mass intention booked on a day when there is Liturgy of the Hours, please contact the office to arrange another date. If you do not have a preference another Mass time will be assigned.

### Ministries & Parish Groups

#### Parish Council

Third Wednesday of the month 5:30pm,  
Chair - John DeLuca - gdeluca@telus.net

#### Finance Committee

Contact Marta Wright 250-667-7448

#### Safe & Responsible Ministry Co-ordinator

Contact Rick Jones - rejones@shaw.ca

#### CCD (Children's Religious Ed.) - Sept - May

Sunday at noon

Contact Lillian Backstrom

ccdstpetersnanaimo@shaw.ca

#### RCIA - October thru Easter - Tuesday at 7:00pm

Contact Kathy Fadum - 250-754-1694

kfadum@gmail.com

#### Music Director - Andrea L'Heureux - All Choirs

Practice on Wednesday at 6pm

#### Scripture Study - Tuesday 10am hall

Contact Cecile Hill 250-753-9667

#### Fundraising

Contact Heather Hogman - hhogman@telus.net

#### Knights of Columbus - Meeting First Wednesday

of each Month at 7:30pm in the parish hall

Contact Daniel Bossert 250-754-5219

#### Catholic Women's League ~ Executive Meeting

Last Saturday at 10am, General Meeting first

Saturday after 10am Mass in the parish hall

Contact Lori Ennis 250-591-9073

#### Eucharistic Ministers -

Contact Marie Lapid 250-667-2827

#### Lectors - Contact Marta Wright - 250-667-7448

Altar Servers - Contact the office - 250-753-3570

#### Pastoral Health Care Ministry

Contact Kathy Fadum 250-754-1694

#### Bereavement Ministry

Contact Agnes Geiger 250-753-6940

#### St. Vincent de Paul Society 250-753-8500

#### Tweens2Teens Group -

Contact Lillian Backstrom

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Offerings for last Sunday August 25, 2019

Weekly Offerings \$3,532.66

Building Fund Offerings \$120.00

Candle Revenue \$266.61

#### Pray for the sick in our Parish Community

Robert Costa

#### Volunteers Needed

Would you like the opportunity to volunteer to bring the Eucharist in Word and Host to your fellow parishioners in two important Ministries? We need Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion at both the 10:30am mass and 7:00pm mass as well as Lectors for the 7:00pm mass. Ministry coordinators, Marie Lapid and Marta Wright, will be in the narthex following the masses this month and would be pleased to answer any questions you have. You will receive the necessary training, and wonderful support from your fellow volunteers.

#### Wanted

Small flat screen TV and DVD player for Children's Religious Education class. Please contact Lillian Backstrom at ccdstpetersnanaimo@shaw.ca

Follow us for updates and inspirational messages



#### Parish Office Hours

Tuesday—Friday 10:00am—4:00pm

Amber Adams—Administrative Assistant

Incense will be used each Friday for Benediction and at all funerals. We will endeavor to notify you in advance of its use at other times

### **Sacraments**

**Baptism** - if you are seeking to baptize an infant please contact the parish office

**Marriage** - if you are planning to marry we ask that you contact the parish six months prior to the intended date. This allows adequate time for marriage preparation and all paperwork to be completed

**Funeral** - in the event of a death in the family please contact the parish office. They will be able to secure a date and put you in contact with the priest and bereavement committee.

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### **Columbarium**

The columbarium has now been installed in the cemetery. For more information please contact the office.

### **Legacy Giving**

Please consider leaving a gift in your Will to provide for the faith life of future generations. A bequest in your Will to St. Peter's is an acknowledgement of your returning to God a portion of the gifts He has bestowed upon you during your lifetime. If we can be of assistance please contact the office.

### **Pastoral Care**

If you are sick, have an upcoming surgery or are homebound and would like a visit from a priest or our Pastoral Care Team, whether for anointing, Communion or the Sacrament of Reconciliation, please notify the parish office.

(due to privacy legislation we are not notified of parishioners in the Hospital)

Do you have something for the parish community you would like on the Bulletin board?  
Please contact the office and we will be happy to add it for you. Thank you

### **Children's Religious Education**

Do you love working with children ages 7-11 and are over the age of 18? Then we are looking for you to join our team. This coming year, we are looking for 2 more volunteers to assist in the classroom alongside the class catechist. If you are interested in this, please contact Lillian Backstrom at [ccdstpetersnanaimo@shaw.ca](mailto:ccdstpetersnanaimo@shaw.ca).



### **CWL News**

St. Peter's CWL members are reminded the first meeting of the fall season will be on Saturday September 7 at 10:00 a.m. in the Parish Hall. A light lunch will follow the meeting. New members are most welcome.



### **Knights of Columbus News**

Would you like to join a rewarding group devoted in faith. Come join the Knights of Columbus!  
Call Daniel Bossert at 250-754-5219

### **Announcements/Events**

#### **Extraordinary Month of Mission**

The Holy Father has announced October 2019 as the Extraordinary Month of Mission. In union with this, we will honour our Blessed Mother by celebrating the 102<sup>nd</sup> Anniversary of Fatima with the Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament with 24 hours of continuous prayers and fasting at St. Peter's Church beginning October 12th at 9:00am and ending October 13th at 9:00am.

For more information contact Rob Johnson at 250-741-6330 or [expectresults@shaw.ca](mailto:expectresults@shaw.ca)

#### **Fall Catechist Retreat & Workshop**

**"I Can Do All things through Christ!"**

Saturday, September 21<sup>st</sup>

Church of the Ascension -Parksville

8:30am – 2:30 pm

Guest Speaker & Retreat Leader: Mike Landry, Chaplain for Evergreen Catholic Schools (Archdiocese of Edmonton) Lunch is provided.

All Catechists, Youth Leaders, Ministers of the Liturgy of the Word for Children, or those discerning a ministry working with young people!

Register on Eventbrite <https://www.eventbrite.com/e/catechist-retreat-workshop-tickets-63130874144>

or at [www.rcdvictoria.org](http://www.rcdvictoria.org)

Participants may also register by emailing [giahelka@rcdvictoria.org](mailto:giahelka@rcdvictoria.org) or calling (403) 479 1331



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