

ANNOUNCEMENT

CWL NEWS:

Plans for our "Bling" Fashion show and auction are progressing well. Our next meeting will be Wednesday, August 18th at 1pm in the parish hall. If you have items for the auction or any suggestion that would be helpful please plan on attending this planning meeting. We need everyone's participation to make this a success. This is our only fundraiser (replacing the Bazaar). We have many commitments which must be met. We hope to have everyone's cooperation. See you at the meeting.

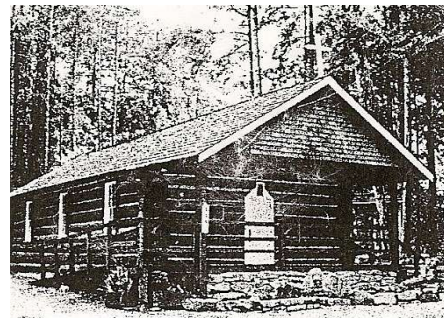
ST. VINCENT DE PAUL SWEATER CAMPAIGN:

We have 6 months of knitting and sewing time to get prepared for "hamper season". We need about 100 sweaters or hoodies and at the moment I have 13 in a box. Please, please, will the ladies who knit and sew please step up and help us? I have yarn and some fleece but, I do need much more. I have patterns and will always sew up a finished garment. The sweater sizes are birth to age 14 years, so they go together quickly. If you can help us, please call Monica at 250-741-8253. Thank you.

Right To Life Corner

The Trinity and St. Peter's Pro-Life groups will be meeting every Monday at 10am at the main entrance to Nanaimo Regional General Hospital to pray the Rosary. Everyone is welcome to come.

Our Lady of Victory Mission
Mission Church of St. Peter's Parish
3380 South Road, Gabriola Island,
BC V0R 1X7



Holy Mass: Every Sunday at 4:30pm.

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament: First Friday of the month from 2pm until 3pm.

Mass Intention: Sunday August 15th, 2010 - Eamon McGowan, R.I.P., August 22nd, 2010 - Ken Pagnoni, R.I.P.

Rosary: Recited before Mass.

Confession: 2nd Sunday of the month before Mass.

ANNOUNCEMENTS/SCHEDULE CHANGES FOR OUR LADY OF VICTORY MISSION GABRIOLA ISLAND

ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT:

There will be no adoration during the summer (July and August).

CONFESSION:

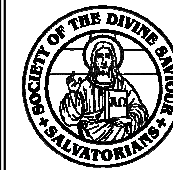
Sunday September 12th, 2010

OFFERINGS FOR July 25, 2010:

Total Offerings: \$441.60

Weekly Budget: \$400.00

Thank you.



St. Peter's Parish

301 Machleary Street, Nanaimo, BC V9R 2G8

Assumption of Mary the Mother of God ~ Solemnity

August 15, 2010

Mary set out and went with haste to a Judean town in the hill country, where she entered the house of Zechariah and greeted Elizabeth. When Elizabeth heard Mary's greeting, the child leaped in her womb. And Elizabeth was filled with the Holy Spirit and exclaimed with a loud cry, "Blessed are you among women, and blessed is the fruit of your womb. And why has this happened to me, that the mother of my Lord comes to me? For as soon as I heard the sound of your greeting, the child in my womb leaped for joy. And blessed is she who believed that there would be a fulfillment of what was spoken to her by the Lord.

And Mary said, "My souls magnifies the Lord, and my spirit rejoices in God my Savior, for he has looked with favor on the lowliness of his servant. Surely, from now on all generations will call me blessed; for the Mighty One has done great things for me, and his holy name. His mercy is for those who fear him from generation to generation. He has shown strength with his arms; he has scattered the proud in the thoughts of their hearts.

Luke 1.39-56 (excerpt)

Pastor Waldemar Podlasz SDS

Mass Intentions/Schedule

Sunday, August 15th	8:30 am 10:30 am	Mass Mass	Fidelda Downey, R.I.P. St. Peter's Parish Community
Monday, August 16th	7:00am	Adoration begins	
Tuesday, August 17th	7:00pm	Mass	Yanko & Barbara Kolich, R.I.P.
Wednesday, August 18th	9:00am	Mass	Robert Tremblay, R.I.P.
Thursday, August 19th	9:00am	Mass	Maria Elena Ramirez, R.I.P.
Friday, August 20th	6:00pm 7:00pm	Reconciliation Mass	Priscilla McColl, R.I.P.
Saturday, August 21st	4:00pm 5:00pm	Reconciliation Mass	Peter Mlikotic, R.I.P.
Sunday, August 22nd	8:30am 10:30am	Mass Mass	Kolbe Unger, Special Intention St. Peter's Parish Community

Altar Servers:

Saturday August 21st	5:00pm	Elizabeth & Alexandra
Sunday August 22nd	8:30am	George & Joel
Sunday August 22nd	10:30am	Adriana, Cliff and Maria

CHURCH INFORMATION

Church Office Hours: 10am—4pm Monday thru Friday
Summer office hours (August only) Mon.-Fri. 10am - 2pm
Monday is the Priest's day off.
Administrative Assistant: Debbie McMillan
Phone: (250)753-3570 Fax: (250)753-1507
Email: sec.stpetersrc@shaw.ca
Website: <http://stpetersnanaimo.ca>

In case of emergency - hospital visit, anointing of the sick or last rites please call Father Waldemar at 619-9766. This number is to be used for these emergencies only.

Monday 7:00pm Marian Cenacle in front of the Altar of our Lady.
Tuesday 10am—Scripture Study, hall
Thursday 8:00pm Charismatic Prayer Group, Church hall.
8:30am Choir Practice: Thursdays: 5:30pm - 6:30pm
10:30am Choir Practice: Thursdays: 7pm - 8pm
Knights of Columbus Website:
<http://members.shaw.ca/kc3842/index.htm>
Marriage: Please contact the Parish Office a minimum of 5 months in advance to prepare all paperwork.
Baptism: Please contact Parish Office 3 months in advance before planning the day or choosing the Godparents.



Exposition and Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

Adoration Each week from
7:00am Monday until 6:50pm Friday
Total Holy Hours since opening of the Chapel in May 2008
26,673

Prayer for the Spread of Perpetual Adoration

Heavenly Father, increase our faith in the Real Presence of Your Son Jesus Christ in the Holy Eucharist.

We are obliged to adore Him, to give Him thanks and to make reparation for sins.

We need your peace in our hearts and among nations.

We need conversion from our sins and the mercy of Your forgiveness.

May we obtain this through prayer and our union with the Eucharistic Lord.

Please send down the Holy Spirit upon all peoples to give them love, courage, strength and willingness to respond to the invitation to Eucharistic Adoration.

We beseech You to spread Perpetual Adoration of the Most Blessed Sacrament in parishes around the world.

We ask this in the name of Jesus the Lord. Amen.

Our Lady of the Most Blessed Sacrament help us to spread the glory of Your Son through Perpetual Adoration.

CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE INTENTION FOR JUNE:

Jesus I Trust in You. With the Feast of the Sacred Heart this month we ask for guidance and protection for all the first communion and confirmation candidates.

PRAY FOR THE SICK IN OUR PARISH COMMUNITY:

Earl McColl, Norma Fraser, Julia Gilman, Denise Cain, David Haworth, Luciano Dotto, Rene Salvosa, Alice Argyle, Rick Brown, Elvira Garrido, Norma dela Cruz, Jamie Barliy, Lydia Castillo, Warren Randle, Monica Haworth, Ernest Bryant, Lucy Niven, Ruby Contreras, Jo Doiron, Marcy Walker, Maria Kotai, Melissa Giesbrecht, Lyall Feltham, Joan Moore, Carrie Bishop, Georgina Dotto, Marie Tucker, Jim Adams, Leo Goulet, Patsy Cain, Melita Barsalou, Rico Salvosa, Sara Bebyck, Lindsay Duncan, Mark Sickavish, Maria Knorr, Michelle Ganie, Joseph MacLellan, Rosalie Vandermeys, Helene Narbonne, and Olivera Lambeta.

We hold in loving memory and prayers all those who have gone before us marked with the sign of faith, especially; Carlo & Catherine Kolich, Mary Irene Sharkey-Orgnero, Josip Dosen, Maria & Eduard Glavica, Fidelma Downey and Eamon McGowan.

ALTAR FLOWERS:

If you have a special occasion (birthday, anniversary, birth of a child, etc) and would like to commemorate it with altar flowers please contact the Church office at 753-3570. A donation of \$40.00 or more to cover the cost of the flowers is greatly appreciated. Please call and reserve your date as soon as possible.

HELP NEEDED:

Are you interested in finance? Do you have a knack for numbers? If so, the Sunday Counting Team needs you! We are looking for two enthusiastic individuals who can assist with counting the Sunday Collections. This is a weekly commitment of 2 - 2.5 hours on the first and third Sunday of each month, plus occasional holiday relief. Training and orientation will be provided. If interested please call the parish office.

OFFERINGS FOR LAST SUNDAY:

Last weekend's Offerings: \$3,550.94

Our weekly Budget: \$4,800.00

Thank you.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

CCD OR RELIGIOUS EDUCATION FOR CHILDREN REGISTRATION 2010/2011:

CCD classes for children age 5 and up will begin **September 15, 2010**. Classes are held every Wednesday from 6:30pm to 7:45pm in the parish hall. Sunday registration will be held September 4-5 and September 11-12 at the 5pm Mass and the 1030am Mass.

Registration fee is \$30 per child - **Register by August 31st and get \$5 off!!** Early registration begins immediately. Registration forms are available in the parish office or online at St. Peter's website: www.stpetersnainimo.ca Contact the parish office at 250-753-3570 or email Debra Gillespie: ccd.stpetersrc@shaw.ca for further information.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS SCHOLARSHIPS:

The K of C St. Peter's and Trinity parishes are pleased to announce the winners of their 2010 scholarships. Grade 12 Students: \$650 - Inook Yeo, Young Min Park and Brandon Landry; \$500 - Vesna Crnkoric. Students Continuing Studies: \$500 - Andrea Orantes, Asia Cormier, Angelsea Saby; \$300 - Elliot Burchert, Frances Loftus, Laura Lutes, Alan Cavin Jr., Helen Lutes, Rachel Gaskell, Shaun Wong, Tina Larotteria, Danielle Keeping, Ann-Alise Keeping, Mark Barr and Alan Cavin Sr..

The Knights of both Councils #3842 and #9990 would like to thank all parishioners for their support in our fundraising activities. We thank all students who applied and wish them well in their future studies.

FUNDRAISING COMMITTEE:

REMINDER that we are selling Gift Cards for over 50 retailers before and after each weekend Mass, as well as, during the week in the office. This is an excellent fundraiser as it does not cost you any extra money. All it requires is a little bit of planning. We all need food and gas so why not support your church? For example, if you buy a \$100.00 gift card for Thrifty, you get \$100.00 back to spend at the store and the church makes \$6.00. Different retailers give you different percentages. There are so many repairs that need to be carried out and this is an easy way for you to contribute towards these repairs. Let us show solidarity towards this end. Thank you for your support.

GENERAL ANNOUNCEMENT:

The St. Vincent de Paul Poor boxes at the entrances to the church are NOT garbage cans. This last week a dirty diaper was found sitting in one. These boxes are for non-perishable food donations. We would greatly appreciate it if everyone would be respectful of these poor boxes and use them for their intended purpose.

TAIZE EVENING:

A monthly ecumenical gathering for sharing in Christian scripture, prayer and lots of singing - peaceful, meditative and beautiful! We will meet at St. Andrew's Untied Church downtown on the last Sundays of August, September and October.

PHASE ONE OF THE EXTERIOR CHURCH REPAIRS BEGAN MONDAY:

The exterior repairs began Monday. The first step in the repairs will be the removal of tress and shrubbery around the base of the bell tower, step two will be assembling the scaffolding and safety netting around the bell tower.

We ask that you bear with us as we move forward with these repairs. While we are confident that our contractors will do everything in their power to accommodate Mass times etc, please keep in mind that there will be an increase in general noise level around the church as well as equipment on the grounds. We have been assured that the front of the church will be kept clear for Sunday Masses. Please obey any and all signage erected by the contractors.

We would like to thank all parishioners for the cooperation as we move forward with these repairs. If you have any questions or concerns please do not hesitate to contact the parish office.

Please be advised that the sidewalk leading to the doors for entrance to the parish office will be CLOSED for the entire length of the repairs. We ask that you use the city sidewalk down the side of the church and come around to the entrance that way. Thank you in advance for your cooperation.

IMPORTANT NOTICE:

Would the parishioner who is using 2007 envelopes, envelope number 284 please contact the parish office as soon as possible please. Envelope numbers change yearly so the envelope number from 2007 is not necessarily attributed to your name in 2010. To ensure you receive proper credit for your donations please call the parish office at 250-753-3570 or email us at sec.stpetersrc@shaw.ca