

Saanich Peninsula Parish

A ROMAN CATHOLIC COMMUNITY IN COVENANT WITH ST. STEPHEN'S ANGLICAN CHURCH
Box 2116, Sidney, BC, V8L 3S6 **Web-site: www.sparish.com, E-mail: sparrish@shaw.ca**
Parish Office: 250-656-7433, Fax 250-483-1597, Rectory: 250-652-1990
Office Hours: Tuesday to Friday 8:30am - 12:30pm
RECONCILIATION Saturdays 4:00 - 4:30pm, or by appointment.

PASTOR: Father Rolf Hasenack, O.P.

PARISH COORDINATOR: Gary Koett

PASTORAL COUNCIL: Co-Chairs, Janet Staebell & Linda MacGowan

EUCHARIST AT ST. ELIZABETH'S

10030 Third Street, Sidney
250-656-7433

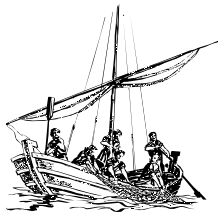
Saturdays at 5pm, Sundays at 10:30am.
Daily on Tuesdays (9am), Wednesdays (8:30am),
Thursdays (9am), and First Fridays (9am).

EUCHARIST AT

OUR LADY OF THE ASSUMPTION

7742 West Saanich Road, Saanichton
Sundays at 8:30am

Last Friday at Saanich Pen. Hospital at 11 am
Remaining Fridays at 9am in a private home
(see "Next Week in Our Parish" below).



5TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

FEBRUARY 7, 2010

Isa 6.1-2, 3-8 / 1 Cor 15.1-11 / Lk 5.1-11

MISSION STATEMENT

*Let us be open accepting individuals sensitive to change and willing to take
Courses untraditional, unknown to us. Let us live as examples of God's love.*

NEXT WEEK IN OUR PARISH

SUNDAY, FEB. 7

2:30pm Via Choralis Concert

MONDAY, FEB. 8

1:00pm Memory Plus
1:00pm Faith Reflection Group

TUESDAY, FEB. 9

9:00am Mass
11:30am Friendly Hours
12:30pm CWL Executive Meeting
2:00pm CWL Meeting

WEDNESDAY, FEB. 10

8:30am Mass
9:00am Eucharistic Adoration
10:00am Taiji Qigong

THURSDAY, FEB. 11

9:00am Mass
11:30am Friendly Hours
2:00pm Prayer Group
6:00pm Taiji Qigong

FRIDAY, FEB. 12

9:00am Mass in the home of George and Angie
Swift, 6781 Amwell Dr, Brentwood Bay,
250-652-9729
1:30pm Writer's Group

SATURDAY, FEB. 13

5:00pm Mass at St. Elizabeth's

SUNDAY, FEB. 14

8:30am Mass at Our Lady of Assumption
9:30am Religious Education
10:30am Mass at St. Elizabeth's

PARISH REPORT

COLLECTIONS

PAD's (monthly total):	\$ 3,455.00
Jan. 1 (New Years Day):	\$ 2,946.50 (*)
Jan. 3 Collection:	\$ 4,150.00
Jan. 10 Collection:	\$ 4,417.50
Jan. 17 Collection:	\$ 3,339.75
Jan. 24 Collection:	\$ 3,360.05
Jan. 31 Collection:	\$ 3,583.30

Monthly target: Approx. \$23,000.00

(*) includes \$820.50 initial offering for envelopes

Haiti Relief: \$ 12,257.59

VISITING EUCHARISTIC MINISTRY

If you know of someone who is house-bound or in a nursing home/hospital and would like a visit from the Pastor or Visitation Team, please call the office at 250-656-7433.

NEW TO THE PARISH? WELCOME!

Please fill out the information below so we can get to know you. Pick up one of the blue information pamphlets next to the bulletins in the foyer so you can get to know us.

Name _____

Address _____

Phone# _____

Need Pre-Authorized Debit package? Yes ___ No ___

COVENANT

ST. STEPHEN'S ANGLICAN CHURCH
See ststephensanglican.net for service times.

IN OUR PARISH

D&P MEMBERSHIP DRIVE: FEB. 10

Development and Peace is looking for new members. Come join us on Wed. Feb. 10 at 7pm at St. Elizabeth's in the small meeting room as we plan our Share Lent Campaign. You can help make a difference in the lives of those in developing countries. For more info contact Donna at 250-656-2064.

ANAWIN AUNTS OUTREACH PROJECT

Anawim Aunts is supporting St. Vincent de Paul's outreach in downtown Victoria with toiletry kits. We are looking for deodorants, toothbrushes and washcloths. This would be a good way to use up your Optimum points from Shopper's! Other items being collected are small liquid hand washing soaps, pocket size packets of Kleenex and small chocolate or granola bars. Thanks for your ongoing support.

K OF C PASTA NIGHT: FEB. 26

Tickets are \$10 each or \$25/family. Support a great cause and enjoy pasta and an evening of fun and visiting.

HAITI RELIEF - DEVELOPMENT & PEACE

Development and Peace is launching an emergency appeal to support humanitarian aid relief in Haiti in the wake of the devastating earthquake that has affected millions of people. They are in dire need of financial resources to respond to the enormous humanitarian needs of the Haitians. All donations made to Development and Peace will be sent directly to its partners in Haiti (mainly Caritas Haiti). Donations can be made through the parish by writing a cheque to Saanich Peninsula Parish marked "Haiti". Donations can be made by phone: 888-664-3387, online at www.devp.org, or by sending a cheque marked "Haiti Emergency" to: Development and Peace, 1425 René-Lévesque Blvd. W, 3rd Floor, Montreal QC H3G 1T7.

GENERAL

"AND ALL THAT JAZZ" CONCERT: FEB 7

Via Choralis Chamber Choir, Sun. Feb. 7, 2:30pm at St. Elizabeth's. Special guest: Citadel Gospel Jazz Band. "Music With a Swing". Tickets at the door \$15, students \$12, children 12 & under are free. See poster in foyer for more information.

PASTORAL/SPIRITUAL CARE VOLUNTEER VISITOR TRAINING: FEB. 13

If you would like to volunteer and develop / improve skills for visiting residents of long-term care facilities to bring them spiritual comfort and care, you are invited to attend a course of seven 2-hour sessions taught by experts in the field. This course takes place from 9:30-11:30am on Saturdays from Feb. 13 to March 27 at the Salvation Army Victoria Citadel, 4030 Douglas St. The cost is \$20. To register contact Colleen Childs at 250-592-1290 or email crchilds@hotmail.com.

INVITATION FROM ST. STEPHEN'S: FEB. 16

To: Our Lady of the Assumption. We are pleased to extend this invitation to our "neighbours" to join us for Shrove Tuesday Pancake Supper on Tues. Feb 16, 6pm at St. Stephen's Church, 7921 St. Stephens, Saanichton. We are very proud of the special covenant with our Catholic friends and hope that many of you will be able to join us. Blessings to all.

NOTE: If you plan to attend please RSVP to St. Stephen's at 250-652-4311 or email ststephens1862@shaw.ca.

TAIZE: FEB. 19 & MAR 19

Prayer and music in the style of Taize. Let us enter together into the mystery of God's presence. Fri. Feb. 19 and Fri. Mar. 19, 6pm at Grace Lutheran Church, 1273 Fort St.

OUR LADY QUEEN OF PEACE FUNDRAISER: FEB. 13

Gourmet Chicken Dinner fundraiser on Sat. Feb. 13, 6:15pm at Our Lady Queen of Peace Parish, 851 Old Esquimalt Rd, Esquimalt. 50/50 draw and door prizes. Bring your family and friends. Deadline: Tues. Feb. 9. Cost: \$10. For tickets call Carol Molloy at 250-384-3884 or email office@qpp.ca.

ST. ANDREW'S FUNDRAISER: FEB 19

"A Gala Auction in Vegas". Friday, Feb. 19, 6:30 pm at St. Andrews High School, 880 McKenzie Ave. Something for everyone: prizes, auction, blackjack & roulette. \$20 per person.

THINKFAST YOUTH FUNDRAISER: FEB. 27

From Sat. Feb. 27 11am to Sun. Feb. 28 12pm at St. Andrew's Catholic Elementary School, 1002 Pandora Ave. "Working for global justice - making a difference". Youth in grades 7 - 12 are invited to take part in a 25 hour fast to raise funds and bring awareness to issues of social justice. What? Abstaining from food! LOTS of games and activities, and LOTS of water!!! Solidarity meal will be provided at 12pm Sunday. For information on how to register contact Nancy Stuart at: nancy-stuart@shaw.ca

"READY, SET, LEARN": FEB. 11

St. Andrew's Preschool, 1002 Pandora Ave, invites 3 & 4 year olds and their parents for fun activities and information about our preschool. Thu. Feb. 11 from 10:15 to 11:15 am. Join us for this "Beary" fun morning and bring your bear! For more information call 250-382-3815.

WORKSHOPS / LECTURES

WORKSHOP: GOSPEL OF JOHN: JAN.12-FEB. 16

Sponsored by St. Joseph the Worker and Holy Cross Parishes, The Spiritual Tradition in the Gospel of John will be presented for six weeks on Tuesdays, 7 - 9pm from Jan. 12 to Feb. 16 at Holy Cross Parish, 4049 Gordon Head Rd. Presenter: Dr. L. McKeown. For more information or to register call 250-477-5321.

PUBLIC LECTURE SERIES: FEB. 10

UVic Centre for Studies in Religion and Society.

- Wed. Feb. 10 at 4:30pm. Speaker: Jordan Paper, CSRS Associate Fellow, Professor Emeritus, Department of East Asian and Religious Studies, York University. Theme: "Religious Freedom in China: Past and Present".

Location: David Strong Building, Room C116. Consists of a 40 minute talk followed by discussion. Free, open to the public.

QUEENSWOOD SEMINAR: FEB. 13

- Sat. Feb. 13, 1-4 pm at Queenswood, 2494 Arbutus Rd. Topic: "New Year, New Outlook on Love". Everyone experiences frustration in their love relationships - they can both mystify and perplex us! Learn how to better understand yourself and your partner, using the Myers-Briggs Type Indicator. Whether you're married, dating, or currently single, explore how personality type affects our expectations, and the ways we communicate with our significant others. Workshop facilitators are **Flo Follero-Pugh** and Dawn Schell. Cost: \$60 per person. Call 250-477-3822 to register.

For more info see www.QueenswoodVictoria.ca or email retreats@queenswoodvictoria.ca.

UVIC CENTRE FOR STUDIES IN RELIGION & SOCIETY

Free Lecture Series "A Church for the 21st Century: The Spirit of Vatican II in Our Time".

- Fri. Feb. 26, 7:30pm in the UVic David Strong Building, Rm C103. Speaker: Donna Geemaert, Sisters of Charity, Halifax. Theme: "Vatican II: A Call to Unity and Renewal".