



St. Edward's Parish

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14th Sunday in Ordinary Time

July 8th/9th 2017

Pastor: FATHER STEPHEN PAINE

Emergency: 250-746-6831

OFFICE HOURS

-Summer Hours-

Tuesday to Friday 9:00 a.m. to 3:30 p.m.

Parish Pastoral Council Chair.: *Carol deBruin*
250-746-4019/ Email: cdebruin@shaw.ca

Secretary: *Sherriden Clements*

Bookkeeper: *Jackie Brimacombe*

Queen of Angels Roman Catholic School:
250-746-5919 *Kathy Korman, Principal*

MASS TIMES

-ST. EDWARD'S CHURCH-

Saturday Reconciliation 3:30-4:30 p.m.
(or by appointment)
Mass 5:00 p.m.

Sunday Reconciliation 9:00-9:30 a.m.
(or by appointment)
Mass 10:00 a.m.

Tuesday Mass 6:30 p.m.

-ST. CLARE'S MONASTERY-

2359 Calais Road, Duncan

Tuesday to Friday

Mass 9:00 a.m.

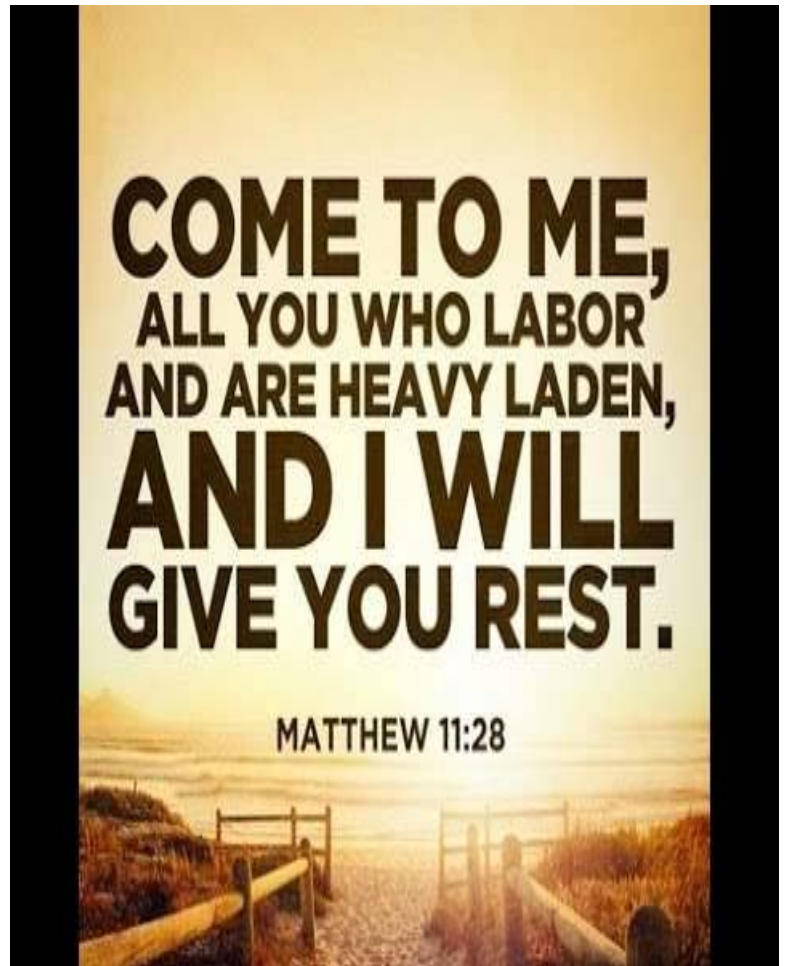
-SUNRIDGE PLACE-

361 Bundock Avenue, Duncan

Friday Mass 11:00 a.m.

St. Edward's Parish Mission Statement

We, the people of St. Edward's reaffirm our belief that we are children of God, created in love, diverse and unique. We believe that through our common Baptism, and by the power of the Holy Spirit, we are called to be Christ for one another and to foster unity with all peoples. We accept the challenges of living according to Gospel Values, and to invite all sisters and brothers to share this journey with us.



Each day, we pursue earthly goals such as a better job or a bigger house. If we're not careful, our heroes can become those who have achieved such things. But today's readings invite us to know the true peace that comes from following the ways of a humble Saviour, who sought only to do His Father's will.

Pray, Read, Discuss for This Week

Zechariah 9: 9-10; Romans 8:9, 11-13; Matthew 11:25-30
“True peace comes from following the ways of our humble Saviour.”

PASTOR’S NOTES....

Last Sunday I gave an informal introduction to myself as your new pastor. Some thought that I should add to my remarks by giving a little bit of information about my background.

I was born in Victoria, the tenth of eleven children. My father was Catholic and my mother was Presbyterian. My elementary school years were spent first at St. Ann’s, Sacred Heart and St. Patrick’s, all in Victoria. It was in these Catholic schools that I received my first education in the faith. I attended Oak Bay Jr. and Sr. High Schools, where my best friend was a Pentecostal. During this time my faith was sustained both through my friend and his family as well as through the parishioners of St. Patrick’s. Following High School, I attended Notre Dame University in Nelson, B.C., where I met Frs. Dulong and Laurie, two great priests who modelled Christian and priestly life for me. After receiving my Bachelor of Arts’ Degree I went to Ottawa to the St. Paul Seminary. While I enjoyed my year at the seminary and was asked to return, I thought it best not to return. Instead I worked for a year then returned to University to complete the requirements for a teacher’s certificate. Having obtained my teacher’s certificate, I worked in the University of Victoria Library until I again enrolled at the University of Victoria to study Law. I graduated Law and was admitted as a lawyer, first of Ontario and then of British Columbia. In 1996, I married, but lost my wife to cancer in 2000. We had no children. Three years later I asked to be admitted as a seminarian for the Diocese of Victoria. I was accepted and in 2009 I was ordained. After one year at the Cathedral Parish as an associate priest, I was named as pastor of Holy Family/Notre Dame Parish in Port Alberni. Now seven years later, I have been assigned here to St. Edward’s. It is a great pleasure to be so assigned and I look forward to serving you as your pastor for as long as the Bishop desires.

God bless, Fr. Stephen



SPRING CLEANING,

DOWN SIZING

OR JUST WANTING TO GET RID OF ITEMS?

Please drop off your items to coincide with our Pricing Sessions in the Church Hall, the next one is scheduled

Tuesday, July 11th

from 9:30 a.m. to 11:00 a.m.

Future dates will be announced as they are planned.

If this is not convenient for you, call to make arrangements that are more suitable.

OFFICE DROP OFFS ARE DISCOURAGED.

**THE PLANT AND HARVEST SALE TO BE HELD
ON SEPTEMBER 23rd THIS YEAR.**

Please phone

Lucille Kocurek concerning drop offs 250-746-7866

Ro deBree for information

250-748-5155

Island Catholic Schools, Victoria

Invites applications for:

Full-time Executive Assistant

to the Superintendent of Schools

and the Office of Religious Education

Early Childhood Educator (ECE), Queen of Angels, Duncan
After School Care Helper, Queen of Angels, Duncan
Special Education Assistants (SEA), St. Joseph’s School, Victoria.

Details are posted on

<http://cisdv.bc.ca/employment-opportunities.php>



Wishing everyone a blessed Summer.

May His presence be with you and may he give you rest.

Next meeting will be held in September.

Eileen Martell, Chair



Please pray for the following who are in special need of God's healing and for their families and care givers.

Anne Welch	Bob Benson	Scott Wright
Fred Kelly	Tschi Fellmann	Paul Boray
Thomas Kay	Eileen Martin	Ann Waugh
Steve Barkanyi	David Russell	Justin Moore
Annetta Anderson	Terry Christofferson	Arlene Laughren
Janine Lauzon	Steven Christofferson	Tom Phillipson
Kirby Flegel	Yvonne Gill	Tony Aquino
Brenda Whelan	Kim Gunn	Ashley Pifko
Paulette Nelson	David McMahon	Margaret Fay
Jan Spencer	Susan Ferguson	Terry Thorpe
Tim Cech	Laurence Vander Peet	Naomi Prodhahl
Dale Stelter	Maria Angelina Moniz	Victoria Robinson
Evert Jones	Rick Zuback	Kay Walls
Terry Wlodarczyk	Frank Laszczyk	Ray Marquis
Marie Patterson	Bob Goehring	Tess Nessman
Bob Rutledge	Claude Marquis	Tom Drumond
Emiko Nicol	Hugh Bennett	Germaine Wilson
Ray Hurler	John McDonnell	Jim Kocurek
Scott Reiss	Jerome Schumack	Wanda Regan
Debbie Warren	Cienna Fernandez	Brian Senger
Riet Heemskerk	Danny Clements	Elliott Hunter
Jesse Xavier		Carl McCauley

Dear God, Please embrace those who are sick and hurting today and let them feel the warmth of Your love. Amen

Infant Baptism Preparation Fr. Stephen Paine offers Baptism Preparation Classes for parents/guardians at 10:30 a.m. on the **3rd Saturday of each month**. Dates of Baptism will be arranged at this meeting. Please call Parish Office to register.

Anointing of the Sick

Formerly known as Last Rites or Extreme Unction, the Anointing of the Sick is a ritual of healing, appropriate not only for physical, but also for mental and spiritual sickness. please call Fr. Stephen Paine at the Parish Office.

Pastoral Care Visits While in the Hospital Privacy legislation in BC prevents the release of information regarding hospital admissions. If you or someone you love are admitted to a hospital and would like a visit from Fr. Stephen Paine or an Eucharistic Minister, please call your parish office to leave a message for Marilyn Klizs.

RCIA—If you wish to become Catholic, this coming Fall the parish of St. Edward's will offer a series of meetings called R.C.I.A. which means Rite of Christian initiation for Adults. If you are interested in this journey proposed by the RCIA team we meet every Thursday at 7:00 p.m. If you would like more information Fr. Stephen Paine will be most happy to meet with you. 250-746-6831.

Mass Honouring The Blessed Virgin Mary

On the **1st Saturday of each month** at 10:00 a.m. a special Mass is celebrated in honour of the Blessed Virgin Mary. Before Mass at 9:30 a.m. we begin with the Novena of Our Lady of Perpetual Help and the Holy Rosary. During this Mass there is anointing of the Sick.

Next Week In Our Parish

Sat	July 8th	4:15 p.m. Rosary before Mass at St. Edwards 5:00 p.m. Saturday Mass at St Edward's—For all the people
Sun	July 9th	9:15 a.m. Rosary before Mass at St. Edward's 10:00 a.m. Mass at St Edward's – David & Agnes Crossfield+
Mon	July 10th	Office Closed
Tues	July 11th	8:10 a.m. Morning Prayer at St. Clare's 9:00 a.m. Mass at St. Clare's - Geza Boray+ 6:30 p.m. Mass at St Edward's—Murray Carlin+
Wed	July 12th	8:10 a.m. Morning Prayer at St. Clare's 9:00 a.m. Mass at St. Clare's— George Martin+
Thurs	July 13th	8:10 a.m. Morning Prayer at St. Clare's 9:00 a.m. Mass at St. Clare's—Bart & Vera Connolly+ 7:00 p.m. Choir Practise
Fri	July 14th	8:10 a.m. Morning Prayer at St. Clare's 9:00 a.m. Mass at St. Clare's—Emile Courchene+ 11:00 a.m. Mass at Sunridge—
Sat	July 15th	4:15 p.m. Rosary before Mass at St. Edwards 5:00 p.m. Saturday Mass at St Edward's—Chris Barfield+
Sun	July 16th	9:15 a.m. Rosary before Mass at St. Edward's 10:00 a.m. Mass at St Edward's – For all the people
Mon	July 17th	Office Closed
Tues	July 18th	8:10 a.m. Morning Prayer at St. Clare's 9:00 a.m. Mass at St. Clare's - Efren & Mary D' Angelo 6:30 p.m. Mass at St Edward's—Maria De Lange+
Wed	July 19th	8:10 a.m. Morning Prayer at St. Clare's 9:00 a.m. Mass at St. Clare's— Betty Ann Devitt+
Thurs	July 20th	8:10 a.m. Morning Prayer at St. Clare's 9:00 a.m. Mass at St. Clare's—Peter Ebertz+ 7:00 p.m. Choir Practise
Fri	July 21st	8:10 a.m. Morning Prayer at St. Clare's 9:00 a.m. Mass at St. Clare's—Pat Fairbairn+ 11:00 a.m. Mass at Sunridge—
Sat	July 22nd	4:15 p.m. Rosary before Mass at St. Edwards 5:00 p.m. Saturday Mass at St Edward's—For all the people
Sun	July 23rd	9:15 a.m. Rosary before Mass at St. Edward's 10:00 a.m. Mass at St Edward's – Joe & Lea Gergel+

Cleaning the Rectory

We are looking for someone who would like to clean the rectory on a regular basis starting at the beginning of July. Please submit your applications to the Parish Office by **Wednesday, July 12th, 2017**.

Attention: Carol deBruin,
Parish Council Chair

Mark your calendar.....

**Feast Day of St. Clare
Celebration at St. Clare's Monastery
the celebrant for Mass
will be Bishop Gary
Saturday August 12th, 2017 at 10:00 a.m.**

**CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE OF CANADA
ST. EDWARD'S COUNCIL**

President
Leanne Forest
250-597-4450



Membership
Francine Tournier
250-748-9831

We appreciate all the support which this Parish gives us.
Wishing everyone a blessed Summer Holiday.
See you in September!

THANK YOU

to our local Island businesses for their generous support
of our "CWL Spring Tea and Fashion Show" Auction

1. BowMel Chrysler Ltd.
461 Trans Canada Hwy.
Duncan, BC
Phone: 250-748-8144

2. Chemainus Theatre
9737 Chemainus Road
Chemainus, BC
Phone: 1-800-565-7738

3. Save-On Foods
181 Trans-Canada Hwy
Duncan, BC
Phone: 250-746-3993

4. Volume One Books
149 Kenneth Street
Duncan, BC
Phone: 250-748-1533

5. Duncan Lanes
2701 James Street
Duncan, BC
Phone: 250-746-5421

6. AB Repairs
2810 Roberts Road
Duncan, BC
Phone: 250-746-0082

7. Hollywood Cinemas
404 Duncan Street
Duncan, BC
Phone: 778-855-7867

8. Scott's Toys & Hobbies
68 Station Street
Duncan, BC
Phone: 250-748-2443

9. Rembrandt's Chocolates
24 Kenneth Street
Duncan, BC
Phone: 250-746-9337

10. Duncan Animal Hospital
951 – E Canada Avenue
Duncan, BC
Phone: 250-746-1966

11. Staples
252 Trunk Road
Duncan, BC
Phone: 250-715-1922

12. Mint Hair
102 – 5822 Garden Street
Duncan, BC
Phone: 250-746-7046

13. Thrifty Foods
2755 Beverly Street
Duncan, BC
Phone: 250-715-2630

14. Nova Beauty Company Ltd.
601 Boleskine Road #6
Victoria, BC
Phone: 250-382-3636

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS NEWS

St. Edward the Confessor Council 4253



Don Snelling, Grand Knight

Knights of Columbus Bursary. (St. Edward the Confessor Council, Duncan)

Available to high school grads who are members of the parishes of St Ann's, St. Edward's, St. Louis de Montfort, (Lake Cowichan), St. Joseph's, (Chemainus), or Our Lady of Grace Parish, (Saltspring)

No other applications will be accepted.

Applicants will be asked how they are, or have been, involved in their parishes. (To be verified by the parish priest)

Preference will be given to sons or daughters, (also grandchildren) of K. of C. members.

You must show proof of registering for first year courses at a post secondary institution if you are selected.

Application information, contact Gerry Hof,

gmhof@shaw.ca, or 250-715-8397

Deadline is July 31st, 2017.

Bursaries

For Youth in the Diocese of Victoria

There are several bursaries available to youth in the Diocese of Victoria:

Jawl & Bundon Bursary (\$2,500 for graduating Catholic student in the Diocese of Victoria, deadline July 15th)

More information is available on the Diocesan website at <http://www.rcdvictoria.org/bursaries.php>

Grotto at St. Edward's Parish

Please note that the story of "Our Grotto" which was published last weekend was written by Madge Weber.

bulletin

The weekend bulletin will be published every other week during the Summer months. If you would like something to go into the bulletin, remember our deadline is Wednesdays. Thank you.