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**LOTTERY BINGO CHURCH FUNDRAISER GAME** We have our winners !! Anna Dyer, Tina McCarthy, Valerie McGriskin and Lorraine Moher each win \$ 139. The church restoration fund will receive \$ 541.27. Thank you for playing !!



**THANK YOU TO ALL WHO DECORATED THE CHURCH AND TO THOSE WHO DONATED POINTSETTIAS FOR CHRISTMAS DECORATING** We are truly blessed to have such caring parishioners.

**PROGRESSIVE EUCHRE PARTY** - Thursday, January 9th at 1 pm at the Douro Community Centre, 2893 Hwy. 28. \$5.00 includes prizes, a light lunch, coffee/tea and Share the Wealth Ticket! Everyone is welcome.

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# January 5, 2020 Epiphany of the Lord

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5:00 pm For the People of the Parish  
**SUNDAY Jan 12**  
10:00 am † Ann Cain (by the family)



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Christmas \$ 4,657  
Restoration Goal \$140,000 \$65,915 Achieved \$74,081 Still needed  
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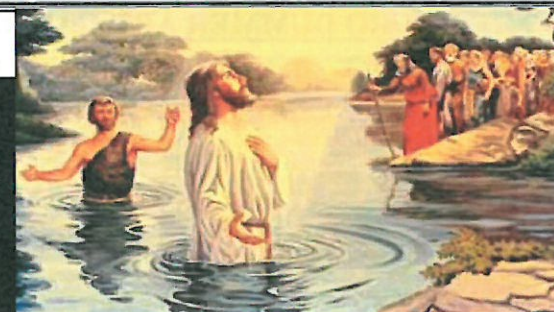


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### BAPTISM OF THE LORD-January 12<sup>th</sup>

First Reading : Isaiah 42: 1-4, 6-7  
Psalms : Psalms 29: 1-2, 3-4, 3, 9-10 (11b)  
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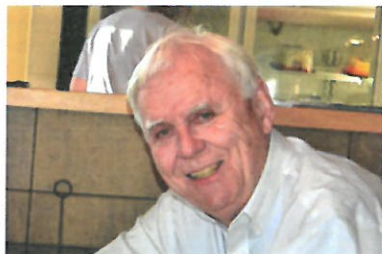


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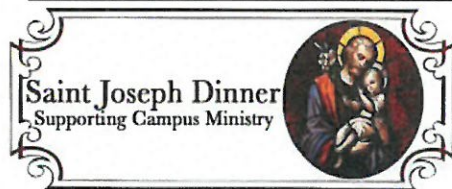
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**5:00 pm For the People of the Parish**

**SUNDAY Jan 19**

**10:00 am † Danielle Fitzgerald  
(by Daryl, MaryLou and Leigh Fitzgerald)**



### Parish Stewardship

Jan 5

Restoration Goal \$140,000

Last Year

\$2,762

\$66,815 Achieved

This Year

\$ 2,314

**\$73,185 Still needed**

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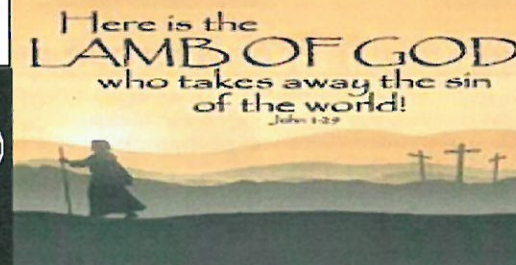
2<sup>nd</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME-January 19<sup>th</sup>

First Reading : Isaiah 49: 3, 5-6

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**Scam Alert**



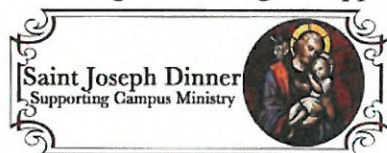


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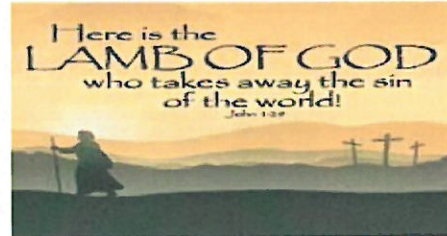
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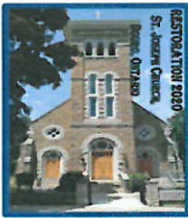
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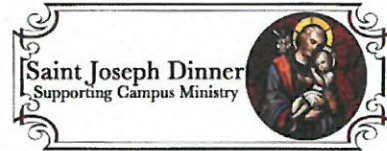


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**January 26, 2020**  
**3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday of Ordinary Time**

**St. Joseph's Parish Mass Intentions**

**MONDAY to FRIDAY NO MASS**

**SATURDAY Feb 1**

**5:00 pm** † John Twomey-Anniversary Jan 31  
 (by Lenore, Tracey & Amy)

**SUNDAY Feb 2**

**10:00 am** † Jack Crowe (by Jerry & Shelley Ryan & family)



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**The next sacramental Preparation Class for First Communion and Confirmation is this Tuesday February 4<sup>th</sup> at 6:30 in the Parish Hall**



**CWL MEMBERSHIPS are due** Still just \$21.00. Envelopes are in your boxes or just use a plain envelope with your name on it. Place dues in the collection basket or give them to Barb Meade.

**THERE WILL BE QUILTING IN THE HALL ON JANUARY 27 & 28**

**OUT OF THE COLD** Feb 08/2020. Donations of soup, lasagna, caesar salad, rolls and cookies are needed. Please contact Maureen Sullivan 705-652-3065 to let her know what you can provide.



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<b>Gospel :</b> Luke 2: 22-40		

**PLEASE WELCOME FR. DAMIAN SMULLEN THIS WEEKEND** Fr. Sany returns from his visit to see his family on the weekend of Feb 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup>. If there is an emergency (funeral or other) please contact Fr. Garry at 705-742-1523

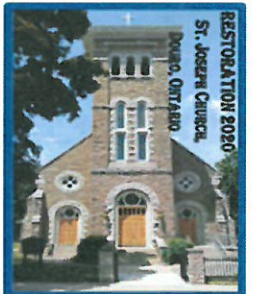
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Sacred Heart Parish and St. John the Baptist Parish in Peterborough.

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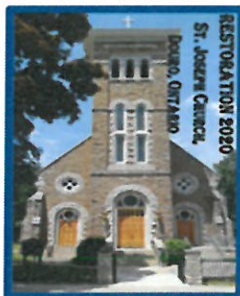
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**PROGRESSIVE EUCHRE PARTY** - Thursday, February 13<sup>th</sup> at 1 pm at the Douro Community Centre, 2893 Hwy. 28. \$5.00 includes prizes, a light lunch, coffee/tea and Share the Wealth Ticket! Everyone is welcome.

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<b>MONDAY</b>	<b>Feb 3</b>
8:30 am	† Hilda Walsh (by the Estate)
<b>TUESDAY</b>	<b>Feb 4</b>
8:30 am	† Neil Allen (by Albert Moher)
<b>WEDNESDAY</b>	<b>Feb 5</b>
8:30 am	† Leona Sheehan (by Mike & Rosemary Towns)
<b>THURSDAY</b>	<b>Feb 6</b>
8:30 am	† Louis Marsh (by Mike & Rosemary Towns & Family)
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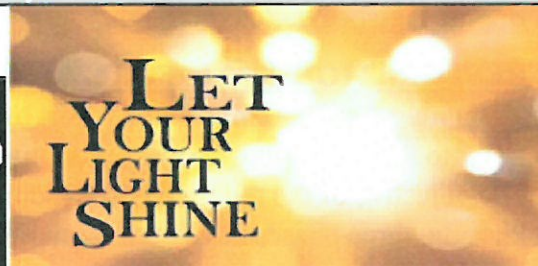
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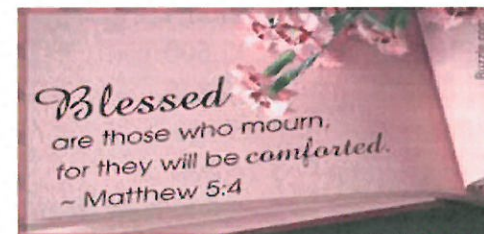
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Gospel : Matthew 5: 13-16



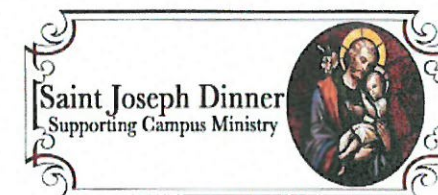
**PLEASE WELCOME BACK FR. SANY THIS WEEKEND** We hope that you had a very relaxing holiday and a great visit with your family and friends Fr. Sany.

### OUR SINCERE CONDOLENCES GO OUT TO THE FAMILY OF THE LATE JOSEPH O'BRIEN

Joe passed away peacefully at his home on Saturday January 25, 2020. His funeral mass was on Tuesday January 29<sup>th</sup> at St. Joseph's church. Please remember Joe and his family in your prayers.



**4<sup>th</sup> ANNUAL ST. JOSEPH DINNER** Join us for a lively and meaningful evening in support of Catholic ministry at Trent University and Sir Sandford Fleming College! Hear keynote speaker Dr. Anthony Lilles from St. Patrick's Seminary in Menlo Park, CA, as well as live music and testimonies from students involved in the ministry. **Sat. Feb. 8** at Personal Touch Banquet Hall, 1135 Lansdowne Street W. Cocktail hour at 5:30, dinner at 6:30. Formal attire. Tickets are \$100 and are eligible for a \$50 charitable tax receipt. Purchase tickets at [www.ptbovocations.ca/dinner](http://www.ptbovocations.ca/dinner) or by calling 705-874-1871.





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<b>TUESDAY</b>	<b>Feb 11</b>
8:30 am	Int. of Jerry & Shelly Ryan (by Frank & Sherri Condon)
<b>WEDNESDAY</b>	<b>Feb 12</b>
8:30 am	† Madelyn Leahy (by Carl & Martha Leahy)
<b>THURSDAY</b>	<b>Feb 13</b>
8:30 am	† Tim Morrissey (by Anne & John Moher)
<b>FRIDAY</b>	<b>Feb 14</b>
8:30 am	† Paul & Nora Sweeney (by Jack & Mary Eileen Holland)
<b>SATURDAY</b>	<b>Feb 15</b>
5:00 pm	For the People of the Parish
<b>SUNDAY</b>	<b>Feb 16</b>
10:00 am	† Michael & Angela Ross (by Joe Ross) Int. of Jerry Ryan (by St. Joseph's Knights of Columbus)

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<b>6<sup>th</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME-February 15<sup>th</sup></b>		<b>DO not think that I came to abolish the LAW or the PROPHETS</b>
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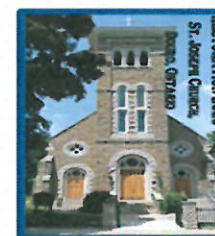
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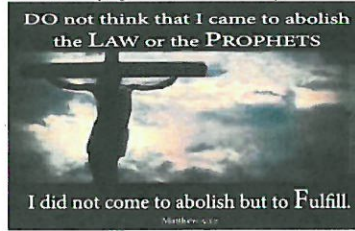
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<b>WEDNESDAY</b>	<b>Feb 19</b>
8:30 am	† Neil Allen (by the Family)
<b>THURSDAY</b>	<b>Feb 20</b>
8:30 am	† Kevin Leahy (by St. Joseph K of C)
<b>FRIDAY</b>	<b>Feb 21</b>
8:30 am	† Zdzislaw Zbieranowski (by St Joseph K of C)
<b>SATURDAY</b>	<b>Feb 22</b>
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<b>SUNDAY</b>	<b>Feb 23</b>
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**LENT IS FAST APPROACHING** Please bring your old palms to the church before 23 February

**2020 CAMP NORTHERN LIGHTS COLLECTION WILL BE this weekend Feb 15-16**  
Please use the special envelopes supplied. Please be sure to print your information clearly on the envelope provided.

**TAX RECEIPTS** are at the church entrance. Please pick yours up as soon as possible. Any that are left after Feb 16 will be mailed out. Please check your receipt over carefully and if there are any errors or omissions contact the office.

Feb 22-23	Saturday 5:00 pm	Sunday 10:00 am
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<b>Altar Cleaning</b>	Dorothy Perdue, Bernice Heffernan	Feb 17-21
<b>Counters</b>	Tom & Dorothy Conlin, Catherine Myles	Tuesday, February 18, 2020

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First Reading : Leviticus 19: 1-2, 17-18  
Psalms : Psalms 103: 1-2, 3-4, 8, 10, 12-13 (8a)  
Second Reading : First Corinthians 3: 16-23  
Gospel : Matthew 5: 38-48



**CWL SPECIAL THANK YOU** to everyone who helped in any way with "OUT OF THE COLD" on Feb 8<sup>th</sup>. Your thoughtfulness was greatly appreciated. Due to your efforts we were able to serve about 130 people and sent Quite a few meals home with people as well. Maureen Sullivan.

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**PASTOR'S LENTEN MESSAGE**

**Even now," declares the Lord, "return to me with all your heart, with fasting and weeping and mourning." (Joel 2:12)**

Dear Friends, This Wednesday, the day of abstinence and fasting, we will gather at our Church to celebrate Ash Wednesday, the beginning of the season of Lent. Lent is 40 days long (plus Sundays) and prepares us for Holy Week and the Lord's Resurrection. It is a time of sober self-reflection.

"I invite you, therefore, in the name of the Church, to the observance of a holy Lent, by self-examination and repentance; by prayer, fasting, and self-denial; and by reading and meditating on God's holy "Word." (1979 B.C.P., p. 265)

Now is the time to turn to Jesus as never before. St. Joseph's Church is spiritually vital and strong only when we as Christians walk closely with the Savior. Our church depends on the observance of a holy Lent. None of us is perfect and despite outward appearances there is brokenness in all of our lives. Each Lent is an opportunity for growth as a human person as a follower of Jesus. It calls us to reflect in honesty and humility on our brokenness—but not only on the brokenness, but on the grace and mercy and forgiveness of God who wants no more than to grace what is broken in our lives.

We are called to die to the old, to the comfortable, to the sinful in our lives in order to rise to something new. This is what our ashes mean. They are not a badge of honor but an outward sign of our humble acknowledgement of our need for God's grace. They are a sign of our willingness to once again make room for that grace, and to allow it to transform us.

We each need Lent as an opportune time to empty ourselves to make room in our lives for that specific grace God offers to each of us as beloved sons and daughters.

Prayer, fasting and almsgiving are pillars of Lent. Try to do one thing daily in each of these categories. Stretch yourself a bit out of old routines and come up through prayer with something new and challenging to yourself.

Place Lenten reminders around your home. Consider moving your crucifix at home to a new place to make it especially visible. Find a special picture or holy card that speaks to you and display it.

Plan to come with family and friends for DAILY MASS in Lent, and to the Stations of the Cross every Friday in Lent at our Church after the 8:30 am Mass.

In Christ,

Fr. Sany

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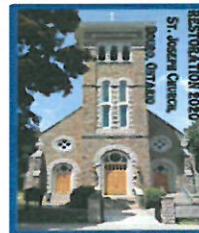
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<b>ASH WEDNESDAY</b>	<b>Feb 26</b>
8:30 am	† Alice von der Gonna (by Mike & Darlene Sullivan)
9:30 am	† Jerry Ryan (by the Cemetery Board) <b>School Mass</b>
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<b>THURSDAY</b>	<b>Feb 27</b>
8:30 am	† William Moher (by Kevin Winn)
<b>FRIDAY</b>	<b>Feb 28</b>
8:30 am	† Frank Pecoskie (by Diane & Phil Murtha and the Family) followed by Stations of the Cross.
<b>SATURDAY</b>	<b>Feb 29</b>
5:00 pm	For the People of the Parish
<b>SUNDAY</b>	<b>Mar 1</b>
10:00 am	† Paul Larkin (by Joe O'Brien)

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**PLEASE PRAY FOR THE REPOSE OF THE SOUL OF JERRY RYAN.** Jerry passed away peacefully at his home with his family by his side on Thursday February 20. Our heartfelt condolences and prayers to Shelley Ryan and his family.

K of C COMMUNITY BREAKFAST NEXT SUNDAY 9am-12noon in the hall.

NO QUILTING THIS WEEK

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<b>Bell Ringer</b>	John Moher	Paul Sweeney
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<b>Counters</b>	Mary McKeiver, Pawel & Ingrid Zbieranowski	<b>Tuesday, February 25, 2020</b>
8 <sup>th</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME-March 1 <sup>st</sup>		
First Reading : Genesis 2: 7-9; 3: 1-7		
Psalms : Psalms 51: 3-4, 5-6, 12-13, 17		
Second Reading : Romans 5: 12-19 or 5: 12, 17-19		
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**DEVELOPMENT & PEACE - STANDING IN SOLIDARITY WITH THE DEFENDERS OF THE EARTH:** This year, Development and Peace - Caritas Canada is encouraging us to support all those in the Amazon and the Global South who are caring for God's creation. How can we help? 1) Donate online at [devp.org/give](http://devp.org/give) or give during the Solidarity Sunday collection on March 29, the 5<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Lent. Your generosity helps support over 149 projects in 36 countries around the world! 2) Read Development and Peace's Share Lent literature and watch the videos to learn about and hear from the guardians of the Earth.





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8:30 am	† Fr. Bernard Heffernan (by the Estate)	
<b>TUESDAY</b>	<b>Mar 3</b>	
8:30 am	† Margaret Murphy (by Carl & Mary McKeiver)	
<b>WEDNESDAY</b>	<b>Mar 4</b>	
8:30 am	† Zdzislaw Zbieranowski (by Mike & Darlene Sullivan)	
<b>THURSDAY</b>	<b>Mar 5</b>	
8:30 am	† Frank & Agnes Sullivan & deceased family members (by Bernard Sullivan & family)	
<b>FRIDAY</b>	<b>Mar 6</b>	
8:30 am	† Tim Morrissey (by Jack & Mary Holland) followed by Stations of the Cross.	
<b>SATURDAY</b>	<b>Mar 7</b>	
5:00 pm	† Edward, Eva & Paul Carlow (by the family)	
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**SKIP THE COOKING AND KITCHEN CLEAN UP**  
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**LIFT JESUS HIGHER RALLY**---2020 28th annual rally, Saturday March 7, 9-5:30. Dynamic speakers for both adult (\$25.00) and youth (\$15.00) conferences. Metro Toronto Convention Centre, for more information visit [www.ljhr.ca](http://www.ljhr.ca)

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<b>TUESDAY</b>	<b>Mar 10</b>	8:30 am ‡ Vern O'Brien (by Joe O'Brien)
<b>WEDNESDAY</b>	<b>Mar 11</b>	8:30 am ‡ Alice vonder Gonna (by Mike & Rosemary Towns)
<b>THURSDAY</b>	<b>Mar 12</b>	8:30 am ‡ Kevin Leahy (by Joseph Whibbs) 6:30 pm Lenten Sacrament of Reconciliation
<b>FRIDAY</b>	<b>Mar 13</b>	8:30 am Int. of Pawel & Ingrid Zbieranowski (by Jack & MaryEileen Holland) followed by Stations of the Cross
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3 <sup>rd</sup> SUNDAY IN LENT-March 15 <sup>TH</sup>	
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Psalms :	Psalms 95: 1-2, 6-7, 8-9
Second Reading :	Romans 5: 1-2, 5-8
Gospel :	John 4: 5-42



### A BRIEF EXAMINATION OF CONSCIENCE BASED ON THE TEN COMMANDMENTS:

*I am the Lord your God:* you shall not have strange Gods before me. Have I treated people, events, or things as more important than God?

*You shall not take the name of the Lord your God in vain.* Have my words, actively or passively, put down God, the Church, or people?

*Remember to keep holy the Lord's Day.* Do I go to Mass every Sunday (or Saturday Vigil) and on Holy Days of Obligation? Do I avoid, when possible, work that impedes worship to God, joy for the Lord's Day, and proper relaxation of mind and body? Do I look for ways to spend time with family or in service on Sunday?

*Honor your father and your mother.* Do I show my parents due respect? Do I seek to maintain good communication with my parents where possible? Do I criticize them for lacking skills I think they should have?

*You shall not kill.* Have I harmed another through physical, verbal, or emotional means, including gossip or manipulation of any kind?

*You shall not commit adultery.* Have I respected the physical and sexual dignity of others and of myself?

*You shall not steal.* Have I taken or wasted time or resources that belonged to another?

*You shall not bear false witness against your neighbor.* Have I gossiped, told lies, or embellished stories at the expense of another?

*You shall not covet your neighbor's spouse.* Have I honored my spouse with my full affection and exclusive love?

*You shall not covet your neighbor's goods.* Am I content with my own means and needs, or do I compare myself to others unnecessarily?



**PLEASE PRAY FOR ....** Brian Edwards, Mary McGriskin & Patrick J. Towns. *If you have someone you would like added to the prayer list and/or they would like communion brought to them (in hospital or at home), please call the Parish Office 705 652-3231.*

To set the mind  
on flesh  
is death,  
but to set  
the mind  
on the

**Spirit**  
is life  
and peace.

Romans 8.6

**DYNAMIC WOMEN OF FAITH EVENING** for Mothers and Daughters Friday March 27, 7-10 pm, Le Treport Banquet Hall, 1075 Queensway East, Mississauga, high powered talks from 5 popular women speakers, for Mothers and High School/University women. \$25.00. www.dynamicwomenfaith.com, poster attached.

**FOR MEN: SACRED HEART PARISH VICTORIA DAY WEEKEND:** Friday, May 15 (evening) - Monday May 18 (midday) Cost: \$80 Questions or to sign up: contact M. Parousia at m.parousia@servidoras.org 705-745-7631

**BILL C-7—EXPANSION OF EUTHANASIA AND ASSISTED SUICIDE** For those that would like to express their position, there is a website called “Canadians for Conscience” where individuals can very easily send an electronically-generated letter to their respective MPs simply by completing the required fields (name, address, postal code).

**35TH WORLD YOUTH DAY** Family and Life has informed the Conference that Pope Francis’ Message for the 35th World Youth Day (WYD) was published today. This year’s WYD will be held at the diocesan level on the theme: “Young man, I say to you, arise!” (Lk 7:14).

**JOB OPENING FOR OFFICE ADMINISTRATION ASSISTANT** The Rectory Office for the Churches of St. Alphonsus, Wooler, St. Jerome, Warkworth and Holy Angels, Brighton is accepting applications for the permanent part-time position (two days per week). Resumes will be accepted until March 31, 2020. Contact the Wooler Office if you are interested 613-397-3189.

**JOB  
OPENING**

**HAPPY ST PATRICK'S DAY**

# St. Joseph's Roman Catholic Church

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**Bishop:** Most. Rev. Daniel Miehm

**Pastor:** Rev. Fr. Sanyatson Seshaiyah

**Administrative Assistant:** Maryann Clancy

**Mass Times:** Sat 5 pm, Sun 10 am

**CWL:** Mary McKeiver 705-652-3874

**Knights of Col.:** Dan Moloney

**Hall Rental:** Contact the Parish Office

**Parish Office Hours:** Tues/Thurs 9am - 4pm



**Marriage:**

by arrangement  
(min. 6 months prior)

**Baptism:**

by arrangement with  
the Parish Office

**Reconciliation:**

Sat 4:00—4:30 pm  
or by appointment

**Cemetery Board:**

Bob Condon

**Our Mission:**

As a caring and trusting Christian community we, the parishioners of St Joseph's Douro strive to follow Christ through the sharing of His Word, the sharing of Jesus in the Eucharist and in serving God and humanity through prayer and action

**St. Joseph's School**

Principal: Mark Collins  
705 652-3961

**Peterborough Diocese**

peterboroughdiocese.org

**Home Communion**

week of First Friday  
anytime upon request

**Music:** Tina McCarthy

Amy Melanson



## March 15<sup>th</sup>, 2020 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday in Lent

### St. Joseph's Parish Mass Intentions

**MONDAY Mar 16**  
8:30 am † James & Hilda Walsh (by the Estate)

**TUESDAY Mar 17**  
8:30 am † Dorothy Deck (by Joe Ross)

**WEDNESDAY Mar 18**  
8:30 am † Zdzislaw Zbieranowski (by Mike & Rosemary Towns)

**THURSDAY Mar 19**  
8:30 am † Mr. Parker (by Donnell & Natalie Leahy & family)

**FRIDAY Mar 20**  
8:30 am † William Moher (by Carl & Mathew Winn)  
† Jerry Ryan (by the family) followed by Stations of the Cross

**SATURDAY Mar 21**  
5:00 pm For the People of the Parish

**SUNDAY Mar 22**  
10:00 am Jerry Ryan (by John Marie & Lorraine Moher)



Parish Stewardship	Last Year	This Year
March 8	\$2,409	\$ 2,480
Restoration Goal \$140,000	\$97,648 Achieved	<u>\$42,352 Still needed</u>

*We thank you for your continued support of our Parish!*

NEXT QUILTING dates are March 30, 31. Come out and lend a hand.

A reminder to bring in your plastic bags and containers with lids and leave them in the church entrance, for re-use.



Knights of Columbus will be meeting in the Hall on Tuesday March 17<sup>th</sup>.  
Executive meeting at 7:00 pm General Meeting at 7:30pm

THREE DAYS OF GRACE: All day reconciliation at St. Peter's Cathedral will be held on Saturday March 21<sup>st</sup> 8-5. St Alphonsus Tues. April 7<sup>th</sup> 9-9. Immaculate Sat. March 28<sup>th</sup> 8-4

Our Diocesan 16th annual Way of the Cross (on Good Friday April 10) in Peterborough



Mar 21-22	Saturday 5:00 pm	Sunday 10:00 am
<b>Eucharistic Ministers</b>	Barb Vollering, Wendy Tedford	Brian Condon, Margie Morrissey
<b>Lectors</b>	Michelle Towns	Joanne Armstrong
<b>Altar Servers</b>	Catherine Carlow, Christine & Samantha van der Vegt	Abby Ryan and Any Available
<b>Hospitality</b>	Bob & Jean Condon	Bernard & Lise Leahy
<b>Ushers</b>	Gerald Heffernan	Paul Yasyszczuk
<b>Bell Ringer</b>	John Moher	Paul Yasyszczuk
<b>Altar Cleaning</b>	Nora Sweeney, Helen Sheehan	<b>Mar 16-20</b>
<b>Counters</b>	Christine Barry, Mary Ellen Barry, Barb Vollering	<b>Tuesday, March 17, 2020</b>

#### 4<sup>TH</sup> SUNDAY IN LENT-March 22<sup>ND</sup>

First Reading : First Samuel 16: 1b, 6-7, 10-13a  
Psalms : Psalms 23: 1-3a, 3b-4, 5, 6 (1)  
Second Reading : Ephesians 5: 8-14  
Gospel : John 9: 1-41

# JESUS IS THE GIVER OF SIGHT

**CORONA VIRUS:** As we are all aware it is advisable to take simple precautions to minimize the risk of spreading a virus. Please use the hand sanitizer provided at the church entrance. We will discontinue the use of Holy Water at the church entrance for the time being. Please do not shake hands during the exchange of peace, only words and smileS. You still have the option to receive Holy Communion on your hand or tongue.

**DEVELOPMENT & PEACE - Caritas Canada The Mura: beset by buffaloes, plagued by potash.** For several years now, the Mura people of Brazil's Amazonas state have sought to assert their claim to their ancestral lands. To their frustration however, it has been much easier for cattle herders and a potash mine to occupy and control those lands than it has been for them to have their rights respected. Development and Peace's partner, the Indigenous Missionary Council (CIMI), helps them advocate for, defend and publicize their cause more effectively. "On behalf of the Mura in my region, I want to thank Canadians. We are very happy to have your support. It helps us in our struggle to have our rights and our land respected." — Jeremias Oliveira, representative of the Mura community, Brazil. Watch the Mura's testimony at [devp.org/campaign/mura](http://devp.org/campaign/mura).