



St. Joseph's Parish Mass Intentions

Dec 26, 2017 - Jan 1 2018

FOURTH SUNDAY OF ADVENT



TUESDAY Dec 26

NO MASS

WEDNESDAY Dec 27

8:30 pm † Marie O'Brien (by Sam & Nancy Wood)

THURSDAY Dec 28

8:30 am In Thanksgiving (by a parishioner)

FRIDAY Dec 29

8:30 am ~For the int. of Sr. Mary Catherine & the sisters of Our Lady Immaculate (by Doug & Dorothy Perdue & family)

SATURDAY Dec 30

5:00 pm ~ For the Intentions of the People

SUNDAY Dec 31

10:00 am † Jessica Fitzgerald (by Bob & Maureen Sullivan)

MONDAY Jan 1 2018-NEW YEARS DAY

10.00 am † Samuel York & Gerry Doherty (by Loretta & Don Thurston & family)

Parish Stewardship

• Dec 17

Last Year

\$2,597

This Year

\$1,960

Wish You All A Very Happy & Prayerful Christmas.

May The new born Infant Jesus

Bless Each One Of You With

Peace, Joy, Prosperity and

Unconditional Love.

Fr. Sany Seshaiiah

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Dec 30-Jan 1, 2018	SATURDAY 5:00 PM	SUNDAY 10:00 AM SUNDAY 5 PM MONDAY 10 AM
Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion	Dennis Armour, Barb Vollering	31st - 10.00 am - Paul Yasyszczuk Annette Dunford 31st - 5.00 pm - Bob Condon, Rosemary Towns 1st - 10 am - Paul Sweeny Brian Condon
Lectors	Sue Pekoskie	31st - 10.00 am - Brian Moloney 31st - 5.00 pm - Margie Morrissey 1st - 10 am - Mike Moloney
Altar Servers	All Altar Servers	All Altar Servers
Hospitality		31st - 10.00 am - Don & Loretta Thurston 31st - 5.00 pm - 1st - 10 am -
Ushers	Barry Condon	- 10.00 am - Chris Fitzgerald - 10 am - John Sullivan
Bell Ringer	Gerald Heffernan	31st - 10.00 am - Joe Ross 31st - 5.00 pm - Andy Vollering 1st - 10 am - Paul Yasyszczuk
Week of Dec 26 - 29 Altar Cleaning	Nancy Wood, Dorothy Heath	Week of Jan 2-5 -Nora Sweeney, Helen Sheehan
Counters (Dec 27) Counters (Jan 3)		Mike Towns, Dorothy Perdue. & Jim Holland Christine Barry, Mary Ellen Barry, Barb Vollering

NEW YEAR MASS SCHEDULES

Sunday Dec 31, 2017 New Years Eve 5:00 pm
Monday Jan 1, 2018 New Years Day 10:00 am

DON'T FORGET

**NEW YEAR'S DAY IS SOLEMNITY OF MARY, MOTHER OF GOD,
A HOLY DAY OF OBLIGATION - Fr. Sany**



PLEASE PRAY FOR.....

Sophie O'Brien

Please call the Parish Office if you have someone you would like added to the prayer list. **If you have a friend or family member that would like communion brought to them (in hospital or at home), please call the Parish Office 705 652-3231.**

NEXT SUNDAY'S READINGS:

Reading 1: *Sirach 3:2-6, 12-14* Responsorial Psalm: *Psalms 128:1-2, 3, 4-5*
Reading 2: *Colossians 3:12-21* Gospel Reading: *Luke 2:22-40*

THANK YOU TO EVERYONE who came out to help clean the church and decorate it for the Holy Season of Christmas. This ministry is very appreciated by our Parish family and brings much joy to those who attend our church.

FREE PUBLIC SKATING at Douro Arena every Sunday 3:30 to 4:30 pm. Sunday January 7th sponsored by St. Joseph's CWL.

YEAR END DONATIONS: The Parish financial books close on **December 31, 2017**. All donations received after that date will be credited for the 2018 tax year. 2017 income tax receipts will be available in early February.

THE SECOND ANNUAL ST. JOSEPH DINNER Tickets are available for the 2nd Annual St. Joseph Dinner in support of campus ministry. Funds raised support Catholic ministry to students at Trent University and Fleming College. The dinner will take place Saturday Feb. 3 at the Evinrude Centre Banquet Hall in Peterborough. Cocktail hour at 5:30, Dinner at 6:30. Tickets are \$100 and are eligible for a \$50 charitable tax receipt. They can be purchased online at www.ptbovocations.ca/dinner, the Vocations Office (820 Frank Street) on Tuesdays or Thursdays. Contact Fr. John Perdue vocations@peterboroughdiocese.org

PLEASE ACCEPT A HEART-FELT THANK-YOU to our friends and neighbours and to the Knights of Columbus for their kindness and generosity through this difficult year. The family of Jim Howran, Marie, Hilary and Janene.

OUR SINCEREST CONDOLENCES to the Family and Friends of **HELEN MARGARET CONDON** who passed away December 21st. Funeral Mass will take place in our Church on December 28, 2017 at 11.00 am.



St. Joseph's Roman Catholic Church

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Bishop: Most. Rev. Daniel Miehm
Pastor: Rev. Fr. Sanyatson Seshaiyah
Secretary: Maryann Clancy
Mass Times: Sat 5pm, Sun 10am

CWL: Darlene Sullivan 705 652-6009
Knights of Col.: Joe Sweeney 416 518-9324
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 652-6071

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: Julie Selby
705 652-3961
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Home Communion:
week of First Friday or
anytime upon request

Music: Tina McCarthy
705 652-0411