

WE PRAY FOR ALL THE SICK PEOPLE OF OUR PARISH...

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 OR talk with Fr. Sany.

JOB OPENINGS

Project Manager, Today for Tomorrow Restoration Project at the Cathedral of St. Peter-in-Chains - Nov. 10 deadline for applications.



Office Administrative Assistant/Bookkeeper St. Martin's

Ennismore- Nov. 16 deadline for applications.

 $\underline{https://www.peterboroughdiocese.org/en/about-us/employment-opportunities.aspx}$

PASTORS MESSAGE: Dear parishioners of St. Joseph's in Douro. Greetings from Fr. Sany. I wish and hope that you are all doing well without any health issues during this pandemic period. Thank you very much for your co-operation to follow the protocols of the government, health unit, parish and diocese. Also I am very grateful for your financial support for our parish during this time. You all know that the participation of the Sunday mass is only at 50% in our parish, due to COVID-19. It has heavily affected our parish and made us cancel our major fundraiser the DOURO DOINGS. Normally this brings at least \$30,000.00 in profit. This year also our collection is down \$14,000.00. So altogether our year to date revenue is down \$44,000.00. Our expenses remain the same as other years. So it hurts our parish financially a little bit. We were not able to reduce the expenses on our parish overhead.

So I am encouraging parishioners, those who are able to support a little more financially, it would be appreciated. People, those who are giving through Sunday offertory may consider Pre-authorized Offertory Payment. Also, the people, those who are not able to participate in our Sunday liturgy due to COVID-19 may also consider this Pre-authorized Offertory Payment. This will make our weekly offertory more stable and help to maintain our church, parish hall and rectory.

The links for Pre-authorized Offertory Payment are available on our parish website or we have forms in the entrance of the church on the side table.

I hope that you could all help to keep the parish to pay heating costs and snow plowing during this winter season. I assure you, that you are all in my prayers. F_{ν} . Sany

<u>CWL WOULD LIKE TO CONGRATULATE</u> Wendy Tedford on receiving her lifetime membership with the Diocesan CWL this week.

St. Joseph's Roman Catholic Church

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Bishop: Most. Rev. Daniel Miehm **Mass Times:** Sat 5 pm, Sun 10 am

Office Hours: Tues & Thurs 9am - 4pm

Hall Rental: Contact the Parish Office

Pastor: Rev. Fr. Sanyatson Seshaiah

Administrative Assistant: Maryann Clancy

CWL: Mary McKeiver

Knights of Col.: Dan Moloney



Marriage:

Baptism:

Reconciliation:

Home Communion:

Music Ministry:

Cemetery Board:

Diocese Website:

St. Joseph's School:

By arrangement (min. 6 months prior)

By arrangement with the Parish Office

Sat 4:00—4:30 pm or by appointment

Anytime upon request

Tina McCarthy & Amy Melanson

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Principal: Mark Collins 705-652-3961



WELCOME TO ST. JOSEPH'S PARISH

November 8, 2020

32nd Sunday in Ordinary Time Day

St. Joseph's Parish Mass Intentions

TUESDAY Nov 10

8:30 am # Theresa O'Grady (by the CWL)

WEDNESDAY Nov 11

8:30 am # Mary McGriskin (by Paul & Barbara Meade)

THURSDAY Nov 12

8:30 am # Joseph Sullivan (by Patsy & Terry O'Brien)

FRIDAY Nov 13

8:30 am For the special intentions of a parishioner

SATURDAY Nov 14

5:00 pm For the People of the Parish

SUNDAY Nov 15

10:00 am # Joe O'Grady (by the Family)

Parish StewardshipLast YearThis YearNov 1\$ 2,230.00\$2,371.00

Restoration Goal \$140,000 \$ 100,369 Achieved \$39,631 Still needed

We thank you for your continued support of our Parish!

LECTORS	SATURDAY	SUNDAY
NOV 7 & 8	Larry Carlow	Margie Morrissey
NOV 14 & 15	Mary Ellen Barry	Jennifer Demaeyer
NOV 21 & 22	Gerard Sullivan	Brian Moloney

READINGS FOR THIS WEEK

32nd SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME - Nov 8

First Reading: Wisdom 6:12-16

Second Reading: Thessalonians 4:13-18
Gospel: Matthew 25: 1-13

READINGS FOR THIS WEEK

33rd SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME - Nov 15

First Reading: Proverbs 31:10-13,19-20, 30-31 Second Reading: Thessalonians 5:1-6

Gospel: Matthew 25: 14-30

COVID CARE-SANITIZING PEWS AFTER MASS: All parishioners are invited to



assist in sanitizing the pews after each mas. There are enough supplies for six volunteers to clean the pews. It only takes 10 minutes with six volunteers. Last Saturday after 5pm mass only one person stayed to sanitize the pews. All parishioners should be helping to keep OUR CHURCH safe and open. When possible, please take the

time to assist with this service to our parish. - Mary McKeiver-President of CWL.

LEAF RAKING BEE November 10, at 1:00 pm. Please come out to the church property and help to clean up the leaves. Most years we have the help of the senior students from St. Joseph's school, but this year that is not possible. Bring a rake if possible.



REMEMBRANCE DAY CELEBRATION: In lieu of an in person gathering for



Remembrance Day, Douro-Dummer is preparing a recorded video of the ceremony. It will be aired on the Township You Tube channel starting at 10:45 on November 11th. Organizations (CWL and Knights of Columbus) that typically place a wreath will be noted at the end of the video. Residents are asked to remain home

and view the ceremony online.

<u>CHRISTMAS EVE MASSES</u> (Yes, its early!) To accommodate social distancing protocols Fr. Sany will be saying three masses on Christmas Eve. The times will be 4:00, 5:30 and 7:00. The regular 10:00 am on Christmas Day



remains unchanged. You will be required to register for the mass that you choose to go to. Registration sheets will be at the back of the church starting next week. Each mass will be capped at 125 people so please register soon to avoid disappointment.



<u>SUNDAY MISSALS</u> Since we are unable to have missals in the pews this year, they are offered for sale at the back of the church for \$5.00 each. Please only touch the missal that you take. Please readers, make sure to have your own personal missals.

THROUGHOUT THE MONTH OF NOVEMBER The Plenary Indulgence applicable



to the deceased by those who visit a cemetery has been extended beyond the normal dates to any day in November. The indulgence is obtained by "devoutly visiting a church", along with the recitation of the Our Father and the Creed. **The homebound**: For anyone who cannot leave their home for various reasons, including anti-Covid restrictions, they too can obtain the Plenary Indulgence by "uniting themselves spiritually to other

members of the faithful".