



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.**

THANK YOU to the family of Mary McGriskin who have donated a new electric sanctuary lamp in her memory.



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. *Fr. Sany*

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 Sessaiah

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

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WELCOME TO ST. JOSEPH'S PARISH

November 15, 2020

33rd Sunday in Ordinary Time Day

St. Joseph's Parish Mass Intentions

- TUESDAY Nov 17**
8:30 am † Theresa O'Grady (by John, Marie & Lorraine Moher)
- WEDNESDAY Nov 18**
8:30 am † Walsh & Lynch Families (by the Estate)
- THURSDAY Nov 19**
8:30 am † Mary & Bill Towns, Norma & Gordon Walsh
(by Mike & Rosemary Towns & Family)
- FRIDAY Nov 20**
8:30 am † Mike O'Leary (by Mike & Rosemary Towns & Family)
- SATURDAY Nov 21**
5:00 pm 5:00 pm
† Moher & Winn Families (by John, Marie & Lorraine Moher)
- SUNDAY Nov 22**
10:00 am † Deceased members of the Meade family (by the Family)

<u>Parish Stewardship</u>	<u>Last Year</u>	<u>This Year</u>
Nov 8	\$ 2,495.00	\$2,990.00
Restoration Goal \$140,000	\$ 100,369 Achieved	\$39,631 Still needed

We thank you for your continued support of our Parish!

<u>LECTORS.....</u>	<u>SATURDAY.....</u>	<u>SUNDAY.....</u>
NOV 14 & 15	Mary Ellen Barry	Jennifer Demaeyer
NOV 21 & 22	Gerard Sullivan	Brian Moloney
NOV 28 & 29	Kelley Towns	Margie Morrissey

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

READINGS FOR NEXT WEEK

SOLEMNITY OF CHRIST THE KING – Nov 22

First Reading: Ezekiel 34: 11-12
 Second Reading: Corinthians 15:20-28
 Gospel: Matthew 25: 31-46

PRIEST BENEFIT FUND Special Collection rescheduled date to the weekend of November 22nd for envelopes and November 15th for POP. This collection was missed during COVID shutdown. Please support our retired Priests.

CONGRATULATIONS AND WELCOME to our parish family **Myla Marie Heffernan**. Thank you to Myla's parents, Joshua and Maria. May the good Lord lovingly protect and provide for you and your family.



COVID CARE-SANITIZING PEWS AFTER MASS: All parishioners are invited to assist in sanitizing the pews after each mass. There are enough supplies for six volunteers to clean the pews.

LEAF RAKING THANK YOU Thanks to everyone who came out to help on Tuesday Nov 10. Special thanks to Mike Sullivan for the use of his tractor and trailer. Thanks to the staff of the school for making the parking lot free for us to work in.

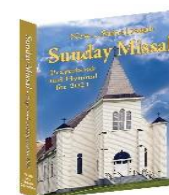


CHRISTMAS EVE MASSES (Yes, its early!) To accommodate social distancing protocols Fr. Sany will be saying three masses on Christmas Eve. The times will be **4:00, 5:30 and 7:00 on Christmas Eve and 10:00 am on Christmas Day**. You will be required to register for the mass that you choose to go to. Registration sheets will be at the back of the church. Each mass will be capped at 125 people so please register soon to avoid disappointment.



Register for Mass

SUNDAY MISSALS 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".

