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# St. Joseph's Roman Catholic Church

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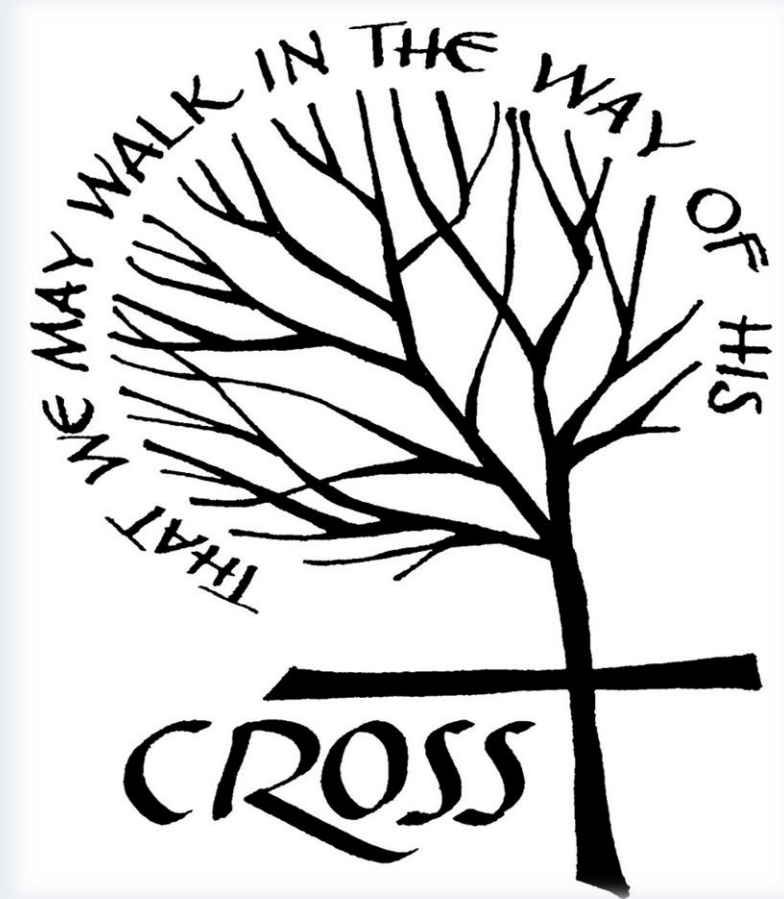
**Hall Rental:** Contact the Parish Office

**Pastor:** Rev. Fr. Randy Foster

**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

## Fifth Sunday of Lent

### April 2, 3

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

**TUESDAY April 5 8:30 am** † Alice Heffernan (by Karl Moher)  
**WEDNESDAY April 6 8:30 am** † Gerald Coughlin (by Jane Beggs)  
**THURSDAY April 7 8:30 am** † Barbara Coughlin (by Paul and Nora Sweeney)  
**FRIDAY April 8 12:00 PM** † Pearl & Sam Foster (by Fr. Randy)  
**SATURDAY April 9 5:00 pm** People of the Parish  
**SUNDAY April 10 10:00 am** † Victoria Alivantov (by Joe Ross)

**We are currently booking masses in late June**

LECTORS	SAT – 5:00 PM	SUN – 10:00 AM
April 2, 3	Michelle Towns	Sharon Moloney
April 9, 10 Palm Sunday	Gerard Sullivan Michelle Towns	Bernard Leahy Tom McInnis
<b>EUCHARIST</b>		
April 2, 3	Ray Johnston	Paul Yasyszczuk
April 9, 10	Terry Pecoskie	Ed Leahy
<b>USHERS</b>		
April 2, 3	Frank Condon	Paul Yasyszczuk
April 9, 10	Gerald Heffernan	Mike Moloney
<b>CLEANERS</b>		
Week of April 4	Jill Scott	Joyce Manser
Week of April 11	Marian Coughlin	Marian Leahy

**Please look for schedules for LECTORS and EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS for Holy Week at the back of the church.**

#### Parish Stewardship

March 27 \$2,440 including \$858 of pre-authorized offering  
*We thank you for your continued support of our Parish!*

#### WE PRAY FOR ALL THE SICK PEOPLE OF OUR PARISH...Father Bill Moloney.

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. Randy

**CWL MEETING TUESDAY APRIL 5 AT 1:00 PM IN THE HALL. ALL ARE WELCOME.**



**CURRENT CANDLES ARE LIGHTED FOR THE BLESSED MOTHER CANDLE BURNS- NO INTENTIONS THIS WEEK**

OUR ST. JOSEPH CANDLE IS LIGHTED APRIL 2-8 FOR THE HEALTH OF FR. BILL MOLONEY.



**EUCHRE PARTY** - Thursday, April 14<sup>th</sup> at 1 p.m. in the Douro Community Centre. Admission is \$5.00. Lunch and prize money. Sponsored by the Douro-Dummer Senior's Club. Call Bev 705-652-8858 or Carmella 705-652-7776.

**CAMP NORTHERN LIGHTS** has good news!



Camp Northern Lights is reopening this summer! Randy and the team will be dropping off

information at the parishes about Camp Northern Lights - a ministry for young people. Please communicate information about the camp's reopening to fellow parishioners and especially the young people in our parish.

**EASTER DÉCOR FOR THE CHURCH** Envelopes have



been placed at the back of the church for those wishing to donate for Easter Decor in memory of a departed loved one.

Donations should be placed in the offertory basket by Palm Sunday to allow the decorators to purchase what they need for Easter. Loved ones will be recognized in the bulletin on Easter weekend.

#### MESSAGES FROM Fr. RANDY: DEAR FRIENDS

**Parish Rosary:** Once again we are blessed for over the month of April, we had **185 rosaries** prayed by parishioners for the parish. Join other in praying for your brothers and sisters of our faith community -simply offer has many rosaries you like and place a pebble in the rosary bag at the church entrance and I will count how many rosaries have been prayed. This month of April our intention will be for Peace, Reconciliation, and healing.

#### LENTEN CORNER One Word at a Time CLAIM

When we stand before God, we can make no claims on him. The only thing that we can claim is our need of his mercy. And if we make that claim with deep sincerity of heart, God will hear us. God will grant us the mercy that we need. "But the tax-collector, standing far off, would not even look up to heaven, but was beating his breast and saying, 'God, be merciful to me, a sinner!' I tell you, this man went down to his home justified." (Luke 18:13-14)

**AID TO UKRANIAN PEOPLE** Russian aggression has had a substantial impact on civilians and Ukrainians have fled the country in search of refuge. The Roman Catholic Diocese of Peterborough has made a \$10,000 donation to Ukraine to help ease the suffering of the Ukrainian people. To help the Ukrainian people at this time, please donate to K of C Ukraine Solidarity Fund or Catholic Near East Welfare Association.



**EASTER TRIDUUM** is a term used by the Roman Catholic Church to denote the three days from the evening of Holy Thursday to the evening of Easter Sunday. The Triduum begins with the evening Mass of the Lord's Supper and ends after evening prayers at sunset on Easter Day.

Also in Roman Catholicism, images of saints are either kept or veiled until the Easter Vigil. Votive lights before these images are not lit. Crucifixes that are movable are hidden, while those that are not movable are veiled until the Easter Vigil.

#### THE HOLY EUCHARIST: DID YOU KNOW?

"What is it, Lord, that You could have done for us, that You have not done?" (St. Bridget of Sweden) The Holy Eucharist is the greatest Sacrament of all because it is truly Jesus' present to us in the consecrated Host. Jesus nourishes us with His very own Body, Blood, Soul, and Divinity. He pours out His love, mercy, and innumerable graces each time we worthily receive Him in Holy Communion.

**Reflection:** It is supremely important to receive the Blessed Sacrament. How can we afford to neglect the Holy Eucharist when Christ enriches our souls, nourishes, and strengthens us and prepares us for an eternity of joy with the Blessed Trinity in Heaven?



#### SHARE LENT- DEVELOPMENT & PEACE

Standing up to corporate power in Honduras the People and Planet First campaign is about helping communities stand up to corporate power. In Honduras, as in much of the Global South, corporations often threaten and criminalize activists who speak up against their abuses. The Lenca Indigenous leader Víctor Vásquez was imprisoned for fighting the corporate takeover of his people's ancestral territory. Development and Peace's partner, the Honduran Centre for the Promotion of Community Development (CEHPRODEC), helped free him from jail. Another partner, Caritas Choluteca, trains and accompanies community leaders in advocating for policies that respect human rights and the environment. Recently, they got mayoral election candidates to undertake to declare the municipality of Otoconia mining-free zone if elected. Read more about these people's victories in our Mini magazine at [atdevp.org/lent/resources](http://atdevp.org/lent/resources).

#### EXTRA CONFESSIONAL TIMES BEFORE EASTER:

**TUESDAY April 5, 6-7p.m.,**  
**TUESDAY April 12<sup>th</sup> 6-7p.m.**



#### HOLY WEEK SCHEDULE

**April 10 Palm Sunday** -mass Saturday 5 p.m.  
 Sunday 10 a.m.  
**April 11 Holy Chrism Mass** -at St. Peter's Cathedral with Bishop Miehm. Blessing and consecration of Holy Oils 7p.m.  
**April 12 Holy Tuesday** mass 8:30 a.m.  
**April 13 Holy Wednesday** mass 8:30 a.m.  
**April 14 Lord's Super** mass 7p.m.  
**April 15 Good Friday** service 3p.m.  
**April 16 Holy Saturday:** Easter Vigil 7p.m.  
**April 17 Easter Sunday:** 10 am Mass of the Resurrection