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Bishop: Most. Rev. Daniel Miehm	Marriage: By arrangement (min. 6 months prior)
Pastor: Rev. Fr. Randy Foster	Baptism: By arrangement with the Parish Office
Mass Times: Sat 5 pm, Sun 10 am	Reconciliation: Sat 4:00—4:30 pm or by appointment
Admin. Assistant: Maryann Clancy	Home Communion: Anytime upon request
Office Hours: Tues & Thurs 9am - 4pm	Music Ministry: Tina McCarthy & Amy Melanson
Knights of Col.: Dan Moloney	Cemetery Board: Bob Condon 705-772-6071
CWL: Mary McKeiver	Diocese Website: www.peterboroughdiocese.org
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WELCOME TO ST. JOSEPH'S PARISH

Thirteenth Sunday of Ordinary Time

June 25, 26

St. Joseph's Parish Mass Intentions

MONDAY June 27 SCHOOL YEAR END MASS 9:15 AM
TUESDAY June 28 8:30 am †Pat Scollard (by Lise & Bernard Leahy)
WEDNESDAY June 29 8:30 am † Anne Beebe (by Carl & Mary McKeiver)
THURSDAY June 30 8:30 am † Larry & Norma Devlin (by a parishioner)
FRIDAY July 1 8:30 am Give thanks for Canada's Freedoms
SATURDAY July 2 5:00 pm People of the Parish
SUNDAY July 3 10:00 am † Jessica Fitzgerald (by Bob & Maureen Sullivan)

We are currently booking masses in August

LECTORS	SAT – 5:00 PM	SUN – 10:00 AM
June 25, 26	Gerard Sullivan	Joanne Armstrong
July 2, 3	Kelly Towns	Mike Moloney
EUCHARIST		
June 25, 26	Michael Korkus	Paul Yasyszczuk
July 2, 3	Terry Pecoskie	Loretto Coones
USHERS		
June 25, 26	Albert Heffernan	Ray Carlow
July 2, 3	Barry Condon	Jim Holland
CLEANERS		
Week of June 27	Darlene Sullivan	Suzanne Allen
Week of July 4	Jean Heffernan	Rosemary Towns

Parish Stewardship

June 19, \$2,240.00 including \$858 of pre-authorized offering
We thank you for your continued support of our Parish!

PRAY THE ROSARY AT HOME FOR YOUR FOLLOWING PARISHIONERS:

Fr. Ray Heffernan, Danny Ross, Cathy Millen, Adrian vandenBroek. Add a stone to our stone bag so that we can count how many members are praying the rosary to our Blessed Mother for our parish and parishioners.

IMPORTANT NOTICE CEMETERY PLOTS PRICE INCREASE JULY 1, 2022. If you are interested in a plot, you can still make your purchase before the July 1st price increase. Please contact the office.

CURRENT CANDLES ARE LIGHTED FOR

THE BLESSED MOTHER CANDLE BURNS JUNE 25-JULY 1 FOR THE STUDENTS WHO ARE GRADUATING THIS JUNE.

OUR ST. JOSEPH CANDLE IS LIGHTED JUNE - 25-JULY 1 FOR THE REPOSE OF THE SOUL OF THOMAS CAVANAGH BY LORETTO COONES.

DOURO DOINGS RAFFLE TICKETS are available on the table at the east door. Tickets for the **\$100 Bill (donated by the Knights of Columbus)** and the **GIFT CARD for Otonabee Meats (donated by the family of Wm & Frances Moher)** are \$1.00 each or 6/ \$5.00. **QUILT TICKETS** are \$2.00 each or 3/ \$5.00. A bundle of tickets is worth \$20.00. Returns may be made at the rectory on Tuesday or Thursday mornings, or with your offertory in an envelope marked "Ticket Returns", or to Barbara Meade 705-652-8820. Please return tickets **no later than August 21st, 2022.**

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED! to sell Butterflies of Douro quilt raffle tickets. We have gotten a good start in our fundraising efforts so far, having been at several locations selling quilt raffle tickets. Volunteers are needed to fill the following slots.
 Thurs. June 30th 9:00 a.m to 12: noon Morellos Independent. Lansdowne St. E
 Thurs. July 14th, 9a.m to 12 noon, (includes setting up the quilt) 3p.m - 5:30. (includes taking down the quilt)
 Thurs. July 21st 12- 3p.m Sobey's Lansdowne St. E
 Please contact Marcelle Mundell @ 705 652- 7980 if you can help out.

WELCOME "I rejoiced when they said unto me, let us go into the house of the Lord." Psalm 122:1



We welcome all visitors and parishioners who have come to worship here today on Thirteenth Sunday! To our visitors, you may have come as a stranger to us, yet you are known to Our Lord, Jesus Christ. In His name, we pray you will find peace, hospitality, and friendship with us. We hope you will return regularly to worship at St. Joseph Church! God bless all members and visitors on this Thirteenth Sunday
 No matter who you are or where you are on life's journey, we are glad you're here and hope that you come back again. We all have different stories and gifts. We invite you to share yours with us and allow us to share ours with you. The doors of our parish and our hearts are open to you. Please be in touch.

MESSAGES FROM Fr. RANDY:

Dear Friends in Christ,
 Be At Peace. Be Calm!

When we're honest with ourselves, we notice how much time we spend fretting and worrying, mulling over our "worry list." We worry about whether we're being appreciated for our care, whether our decisions are good ones, what might happen next, and on and on. In the end, if we think about it, usually all we have accomplished is making ourselves feel bad. Whereas pondering and questioning can help our caregiving and our living mindfully, worry undermines us and accomplishes nothing valuable.

Jesus, how many times you greeted people with, "Peace, be with you!" Help me trade in my habits of worry for trust in you and inner peace. Each time I find myself fretting about something, plant in my mind the words, "Be at peace. Be calm!" and I will know that you are with me. Gradually, as I repeat these words, may I become a peace-filled person, even amid distress.

The Holy Eucharist: DID YOU KNOW?

Did you know that the word "Communion" comes from the Latin word "communio", which means "to be in union with".

In today's Mass readings we meet several people whom Jesus encounters in His ministry. He invites them to follow Him, but each one poses an excuse as to why they cannot do so. (Luke 9:51-62) Jesus is seeking those who wish to be in union with Him by following His teachings.

Reflection: Are you a "would be" follower of Jesus? The Church uses the word "Communion" because "by this Sacrament we unite ourselves to Christ, who makes us sharers in His Body and Blood to form a single body." (Catechism of the Catholic Church 1331) By means of this Sacrament we become true followers of Christ. In the Holy Eucharist we are "united to the Heart of Jesus, are strengthened to live our

lives, long for eternal life and are united to Our Lady and the saints in Heaven. (CCC 1419) By our saying "Yes" to follow Christ, the gifts of Holy Communion are opened like a treasure chest of grace before us.

MONDAY WILL BE OUR SCHOOL CLOSING MASS

for the year at 9a.m. We will have all the students and staff in attendance to give thanks to God for the blessing our school year and to be with those who will be moving on from St. Joseph. I would like to take this moment to thank Mr. Mark Collins, teachers and all the support staff for all they have done for our faith community and our children. We wish you all a good and restful summer. God Bless
 As well on Monday we will be saying goodbye to our Grade 8 students as they will celebrated one of their milestone events in life, graduations. Please pray for them as they begin a new journey in their education.

For all our Graduates Congratulations! To all our Graduates, congratulations to each and everyone of you! For those graduating grade 8, high school and college and beginning to set your path for this next chapter, whether you are entering the work force or continuing your education— Blessings to you! May the Holy spirit guide you as you utilize the skills and knowledge you worked so very hard to achieve.

At St. Joseph, we celebrate and welcome children! TO THE PARENTS OF OUR YOUNG CHILDREN:



Relax! God put the wiggle in children; don't feel you have to suppress it in God's house. All are welcome!

Prepare your child ahead of time by modeling joy at the opportunity to worship God in this community.
Sit toward the front where it is easier to see and hear.

Explain the parts of the Mass.

Sing the hymns loudly, pray and voice the responses with **enthusiasm**. Children learn liturgical behavior by copying you.

If your child becomes really uncomfortable and needs a break, feel free to leave Mass and walk around, but please come back. It's ok! It's all part of being a parish family.

TO THE MEMBERS OF THE PARISH:

Remember that the way we welcome children in Church directly affects the way they respond to the Church, to God and to one another.

Let them know that they are loved and appreciated in this house of worship. A smile of **encouragement** is always welcome to parents with small, active children.

The presence of children is a gift to the Church! They are members of our community, and a reminder that our parish is growing.