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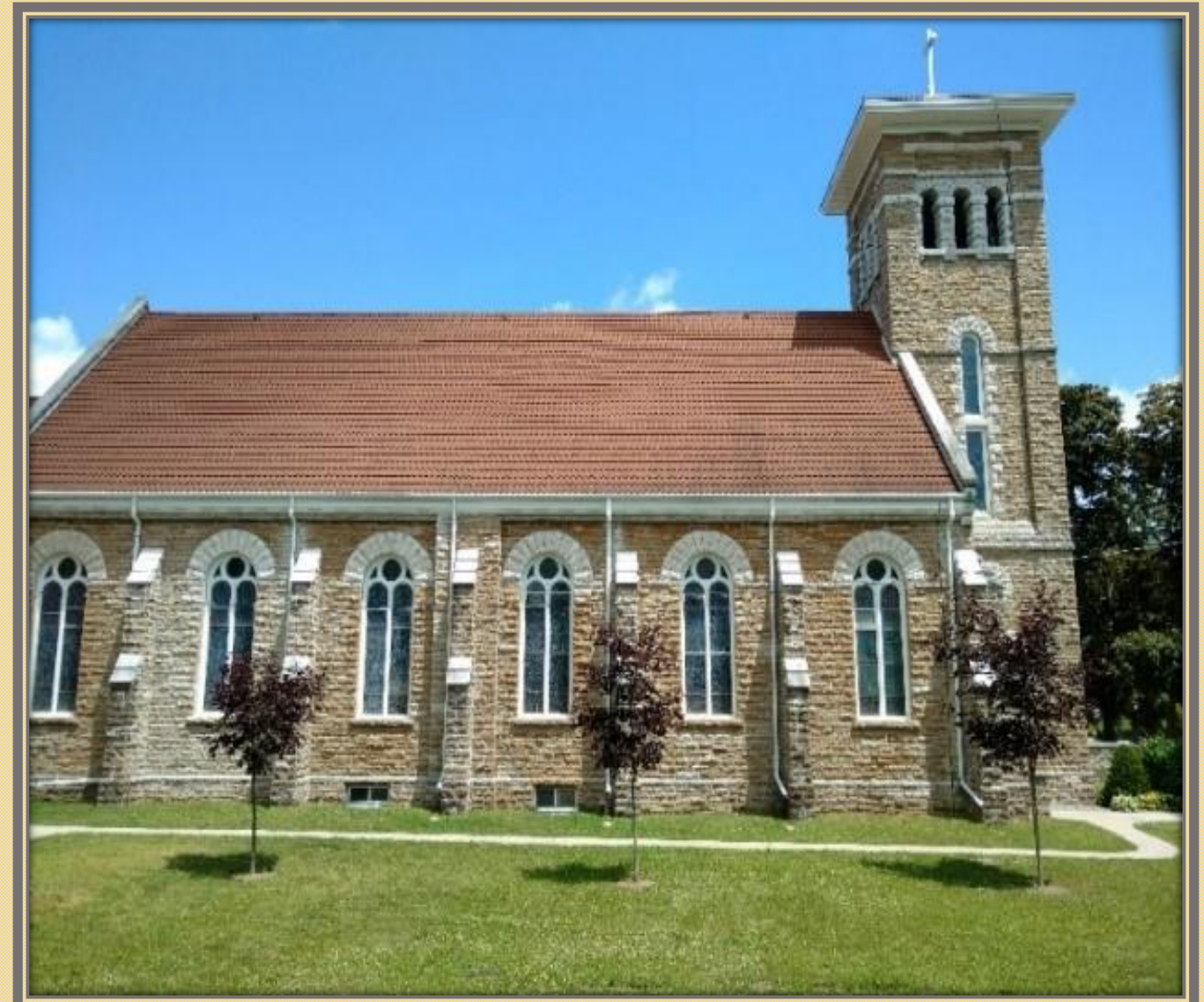
St. Joseph's Roman Catholic Church

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Bishop:	Most. Rev. Daniel Miehm	Marriage:	By arrangement (min. 6 months prior)
Mass Times:	Sat 5 pm, Sun 10 am	Baptism:	By arrangement with the Parish Office
Admin. Assistant:	Maryann Clancy	Reconciliation:	Sat 4:00—4:30 pm or by appointment
Office Hours:	Tues & Thurs 9am - 4pm	Home Communion:	Anytime upon request
Knights of Col.:	Ray Johnston	Music Ministry:	Tina McCarthy & Amy Melanson
CWL:	Mary McKeiver	Cemetery Board:	Bob Condon 705-772-6071
Hall Rental:	Contact Parish Office	Diocese Website:	www.peterboroughdiocese.org
		St. Joseph's School:	Principal: Mark Collins 705-652-3961



WELCOME TO ST. JOSEPH'S PARISH

Seventeenth Sunday of Ordinary Time

July 23, 24

St. Joseph's Parish Mass Intentions

- TUESDAY July 26 8:30 am** † Kenny O'Brien (by John & Marie Moher)
WEDNESDAY July 27 8:30 am † Deceased members of the Whibbs Family (by George Whibbs)
THURSDAY July 28 8:30 am † Kenny McMillan (by John & Marie Moher)
FRIDAY July 29 8:30 am † Cameron (by Natalie & Donnell Leahy & Family)
SATURDAY July 30 5:00 pm People of the Parish
SUNDAY July 31 10:00 am † Ken O'Brien (by Bob & Maureen Sullivan)

We are currently booking masses in late August and early September

LECTORS	SAT – 5:00 PM	SUN –10:00 AM
July 23, 24	Darlene Sullivan	Jennifer DeMaeyer
July 30, 31	Michelle Towns	Tom McInnis
EUCHARIST		
July 23, 24	Bob Condon	Theresa Hamersma
July 30, 31	Ray Johnston	Debbie Riel
USHERS		
July 23, 24	Murray Carlow	John Sullivan
July 30, 31	Albert Heffernan	Ray Carlow
CLEANERS		
Week of July 25	Marian Coughlin	Marian Leahy
Week of Aug 1	Darlene Sullivan	Suzanne Allen

CURRENT CANDLES ARE LIGHTED FOR THE BLESSED MOTHER CANDLE BURNS JULY 23-29 FOR THE INTENTIONS OF BETTY CLARK ON THE OCCASION OF HER 70TH BIRTHDAY, BY BRIAN AND JILL SCOTT.

OUR ST. JOSEPH CANDLE IS LIGHTED JULY 23-29 FOR THE REPOSE OF THE SOUL OF OSCAR COONES BY LORRETTO COONES.

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.

Parish Stewardship

July 17, \$2,023 including \$858 of pre-authorized offering.
We thank you for your continued support of our Parish!

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.**

Advance Sale of Douro Doings Dinner Tickets

Prices: Adult ticket \$20, Child's ticket \$10. Children 5 & under free
 Tickets can be purchased by calling or texting Debbie Youngman @ 705 930-1952.
 Tickets will also be available at the parish office during office hours on Tues. & Thurs.



PLEASE PICK UP A DOURO DOINGS POSTER FROM THE BACK OF THE CHURCH AND POST IT FOR US.

WORKER SHEETS ARE AVAILABLE FOR PICK UP FROM THE BACK OF THE CHURCH.

First Reconciliation/Communion & Confirmation 2022/23 Registration Parents: if you have a child entering grades 2 or 7 this school year or a child who missed receiving the sacraments last year, please contact the parish office or speak to Fr. Randy so that they are registered for this year's sacramental prep course. Please do so before Sept. 1, 2022.



Pray for those who will be married this summer:
 August 27, MacKenzie Robinson and Derek Nelson.
 September 17, Emily Grady and Dana Jensen

"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 Seventeenth 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. 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. The doors of our parish and our hearts are open to you. Please be in touch.

The Holy Eucharist: DID YOU KNOW?

What did St. Ignatius of Loyola mean when he wrote, "Blood of Christ, inebriate me."? Perhaps he meant some of the following things? It is the Blood of Jesus which fills us with Peace. It is the Blood of Jesus which intoxicates the soul with Joy. It is the Blood of Jesus which allows us to overflow with Divine graces. It is the Blood of Jesus which compenetrates us with the Gifts of the Holy Spirit. It is the Blood of Jesus which is the pledge and promise of Eternal Life. It is the Blood of Jesus which will enable us one day to enjoy the glories of Heaven. It is the blood of Jesus which will make us saints.

Reflection: Why not spend some quiet time this week in prayer to meditate upon the words of St. Ignatius. Think of the love which Christ offers to us in the Holy Eucharist. Are we cognizant of these precious gifts of grace? Are we thankful? Do we recognize Who it is, who is truly present to us in the little consecrated Host?

SAVE THE DATES!

August 15 our annual **Cemetery Mass** (please note, this mass isn't just for those buried in St. Joseph Parish Cemetery but for all our faithful departed.) All are welcome. Bring a lawn chair as we will celebrate mass in the cemetery.

September 5 Labour Day **"Douro Doings"**

CATHOLIC HERALD Fr. Raymond Rick is preparing the 2022 Fall edition of the **Catholic Herald and the deadline for submissions on August 8**, is approaching quickly. Submit articles to your parish office.

GRANDPARENTS WEEKEND:

Blessings to all Grandparents for all you do for us, your love and prayers. May you receive God's blessing today and always. God of the Ages we praise and thank you. From generation to generation, You have been our refuge and strength. You give your gifts of grace for every time, place and season as we strive within the family to walk in Your ways and remain close to one another and to you. We pray that our homes may be schools of Faith, where we come to know and to love You. Teach us the Sanctity of human love. Show us the value of family life and help us to respect all life. May the young find in the family strong support for their humanity so that they may grow in truth and love. May the elderly experience respect, support, love and care within the family circle. We give thanks for Grandparents and we pray for them. We give thanks for they connect us with our heritage and our roots through the mists of time. We give thanks for their Christian memory which inspires and enlightens us. We give thanks for the example of their faith, for the witness of their lives, for the constancy of their love, for the support of their prayers.



Bless us Grandparents and keep us in Your care. Bless us with peace, health and healing. Reward us for our Faith and fidelity, for our work and goodness, for our love and thoughtfulness, for our gifts and prayers. Give us grandparents a long and happy life together. May old age come to us in the company of our family and friends. And when life is over, unite us again, where parting will be no more, in the Kingdom of Your love.

We ask this through Christ our Lord

FALL ELECTIONS FOR SCHOOL BOARD TRUSTEES

2022, October 24. The websites listed below feature information about Ontario's School Board Trustees and the upcoming Elections. Trustee candidate nominations close on **August 19, 2022.** For more information - please check these two websites.
<https://elections.ontarioschooltrustees.org/>
 ON Catholic School Trustees Association
<https://www.ocsta.on.ca/municipal-election-2022/>
 Anyone interested is encouraged to apply.