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**St. Joseph's Roman Catholic Church**  
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<b>Bishop:</b> Most. Rev. Daniel Miehm	<b>Marriage:</b> By arrangement (min. 6 months prior)
<b>Mass Times:</b> Sat 5 pm, Sun 10 am	<b>Baptism:</b> By arrangement with the Parish Office
<b>Admin. Assistant:</b> Maryann Clancy	<b>Reconciliation:</b> Sat 4:00—4:30 pm or by appointment
<b>Office Hours:</b> Tues & Thurs 9am - 4pm	<b>Home Communion:</b> Anytime upon request
<b>Knights of Col.:</b> Ray Johnston	<b>Music Ministry:</b> Tina McCarthy & Amy Melanson
<b>CWL:</b> Mary McKeiver	<b>Cemetery Board:</b> Bob Condon 705-772-6071
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# WELCOME TO ST. JOSEPH'S PARISH

## 22<sup>nd</sup> Sunday of Ordinary Time

### August 27, 28

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

**TUESDAY Aug 30 8:30 am** † John Paquette (by Carl & Mary McKeiver)  
**WEDNESDAY Aug 31 8:30 am** † Laureen Doran (by Pauline & Gerald Heffernan)  
**THURSDAY Sept 1 8:30 am NO MASS**  
**FRIDAY Sept 2 8:30 am NO MASS**  
**SATURDAY Sept 3 5:00 pm People of the Parish**  
**SUNDAY Sept 4 10:00 am** † Father Raymond Heffernan

We are currently booking masses in late September

LECTORS	SAT – 5:00 PM	SUN –10:00 AM
Aug 27, 28	Bob Condon	Mike Moloney
Sept 3, 4	Gerard Sullivan	Margie Morrissey
<b>EUCHARIST</b>		
Aug 27, 28	Rosemary Towns	Paul Yasyszczuk
Sept 3, 4	Bob Condon	Loretto Coones
<b>USHERS</b>		
Aug 27, 28	Murray Carlow	John Sullivan
Sept 3, 4	Albert Heffernan	Ray Carlow
<b>CLEANERS</b>		
Week of Aug 29	Marian Coughlin	Marian Leahy
Week of Sept 5	Darlene Sullivan	Suzanne Allen

*CURRENT CANDLES ARE LIGHTED FOR THE BLESSED MOTHER CANDLE BURNS AUG 27-Sept 2 IN MEMORY OF DEAN SCOTT BY THE SCOTT FAMILY.*

*OUR ST. JOSEPH CANDLE IS LIGHTED AUG 27-Sept 7 FOR THE REPOSE OF THE SOUL OF JIM COWARD, BY ANDY & BARB VOLLERING.*

#### Parish Stewardship

**Aug 21, \$2,575 including \$858 of pre-authorized offering.**  
*We thank you for your continued support of our Parish!*

\***2<sup>nd</sup> PRIZES FOR THE WHEEL** are needed and welcome. If you have something to donate, please contact Jill Scott 705-652-1322 or Barbara Meade 705-652-8820 before September 4<sup>th</sup> if possible.

\***RAFFLE TICKETS:** are available on the table on east side of church. Please take as many as you are able to sell. Please return sold tickets and money (and any unsold tickets) **A.S.A.P.** Ticket returns can be placed in the offertory, returned to the Rectory during office hours or given to Barbara Meade 705-652-8820

**DOURO DOINGS ENTERTAINMENT** - If you would like to share your musical skills at the entertainment portion of Douro Doings, please contact Bernard Leahy 705 927 2946. It will be held Monday Sept. 5th, 3:15 to 5 pm on the Parish Hall grounds.

**Help will be needed** on the following dates the week prior to Douro Doings to set up for big day.

Thurs. Sept 1: Clean the hall 8:30-12:00

Sat. Sept 3: Set up hall inside 8:30-1200

Sun. Sept. 4: Knights set up outside.

Tues Sept. 6 : 9-12:30 Clean the Hall after the Doings

Thankyou to all who have so generously volunteered their time to date.

**PLEASE PICK UP A DOURO DOINGS POSTER FROM THE BACK OF THE CHURCH AND POST IT FOR US, OR SHARE THE ATTACHED POSTER ONLINE.**

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

\***Advance Sale of Douro Doings Dinner Tickets:** 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.

**PRAYER FOR DIOCESAN PASTORAL PLANNING PRAYER CARDS NOW AVAILABLE**

**PRAY THE ROSARY AT HOME FOR YOUR FOLLOWING PARISHIONERS:**



**Danny Ross, Cathy Millen, Adrian vandenBroek, Kevin Heffernan, Claire Hickey, Wyatt Moloney.**

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. *For the Month of July 305 parishioners were praying for you and in Aug. there was 325. Hope you felt the power of their prayers.*

**“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 Twenty-Second 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.

If you are a resident in this area, we hope that you will continue to grace us with your presence and register with us. You may call 705-652-3231 or stop by the parish office to register. If you are a visitor, we thank you for participating in worshipping with us and we hope to see you again.

**The Holy Eucharist: DID YOU KNOW?**

Today's Gospel is from Luke 14: 1, 7-14, which is the parable about taking the lowest place at a banquet. Our Lord teaches us firsthand about the great virtue of humility, when He deigns to come to us at the consecration in the form of the little white consecrated Host. Can we for one moment plumb the depths of the perfection of the humility of Jesus? We are privileged to approach our Lord, extend our hands and receive Him into our very beings.

**Reflection:** By the profound example of His humility, Christ requires us to embrace this supreme virtue more perfectly. Only by generously giving of ourselves to others can we emulate the gift which Jesus gives to us with each reception of Himself in the Blessed Sacrament. “The gift you have been given, give as a gift.” (Matthew 10:8) Let us die to self, so that others can live more fully in Christ's love.



#### **ANNOUNCEMENT**

We would like to announce that the kids and I took a place to do Citizenship Ceremony this morning...

All of the happiness that we feel is because of you and the parish people... a big thank is not enough...

Stay safe and stay connected..

Lots of love! Bushra, Bassel, and Celina.

**EUCHRE PARTY** - Thursday, Sept. 8th 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.

#### **WORLD YOUTH DAY PILGRIMAGE---2023**

**PORTUGAL** Father Stephen De Carol is leading the official diocesan-wide pilgrimage to World Youth Day, working alongside Tour Design for a 14-day pilgrimage to attend World Youth Day in Lisbon, Portugal in 2023. Interested people may contact [FrStephenDecarlo@peterboroughdiocese.org](mailto:FrStephenDecarlo@peterboroughdiocese.org) or Tour Design. If interested, please sign up directly with Tour Design. See Poster.

#### **NEW CHILDREN'S MINISTRY—CATECHESIS OF THE GOOD SHEPHERD—A MONTESSORI FAITH FORMATION FOR AGES 3-12:**

Immaculate Conception at 386 Rogers Street, Peterborough is pleased to host the Roman Catholic Faith Formation program for children, Catechesis of the Good Shepherd (CGS), for the Diocese of Peterborough. We are fortunate to have Ruth Ann McClure as a certified catechist run this program. She has just moved to Keene from the Ottawa area, where she ran this program for 16 years. This program will kick-off on September 17th. For More Information, Registration Form, and Schedule see: [immaculatepeterborough.ca/cgs](http://immaculatepeterborough.ca/cgs)

#### **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.

**WANTED!** Catechists-to help Father with the Sacraments of Reconciliation/First Communion and Confirmation. Experience is not required! Just Faith and a willingness to share it with our younger generation. If you are interested in assisting Father for the fall of 2022-2023, please call the parish office.