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**In Flanders Field**

*In Flanders fields the poppies blow  
Between the crosses, row on row,  
That mark our place; and in the sky  
The larks, still bravely singing, fly  
Scarce heard amid the guns below.*

*We are the Dead. Short days ago  
We lived, felt dawn, saw sunset glow,  
Loved and were loved, and now we lie,  
In Flanders fields.*

*Take up our quarrel with the foe:  
To you from failing hands we throw  
The torch; be yours to hold it high.  
If ye break faith with us who die  
We shall not sleep, though poppies grow  
In Flanders fields.*

— John McCrae



**Bishop:** Most. Rev. Daniel Miehm  
**Mass Times:** Sat 5 pm, Sun 10 am  
**Admin. Assistant:** Maryann Clancy  
**Office Hours:** Tues & Thurs 9am - 4pm  
**Knights of Col.:** Ray Johnston  
**CWL:** Mary McKeiver  
**Hall Rental:** Contact Parish Office

**Marriage:** By arrangement (min. 6 months prior)  
**Baptism:** By arrangement with the Parish Office  
**Reconciliation:** Sat 4:00—4:30 pm or by appointment  
**Home Communion:** Anytime upon request  
**Music Ministry:** Tina McCarthy & Amy Melanson  
**Cemetery Board:** Bob Condon 705-772-6071  
**Diocese Website:** www.peterboroughdiocese.org  
**St. Joseph's School:** Principal: Mark Collins 705-652-3961



# WELCOME TO ST. JOSEPH'S PARISH

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

### November 5, 6.

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

**TUESDAY Nov 8 8:30 am NO MASS**  
**WEDNESDAY Nov 9 8:30 am NO MASS**  
**THURSDAY Nov 10 8:30 am NO MASS**  
**FRIDAY Nov 11 8:30 am † Kenny McMillan (by Pauline McMillan & Family)**  
**SATURDAY Nov 12 5:00 pm Deceased Members of the Carlow & Houlihan Families (by the Family)**  
**SUNDAY Nov 13 10:00 am People of the Parish**

PRIEST STUDY DAYS: Please pray for the priests of the Diocese as they study the Synod and Diocesan Pastoral Planning. (The office will be open Tuesday & Thursday)

**We are currently booking masses in Early January**

LECTORS	SAT – 5:00 PM	SUN –10:00 AM
Nov 5-6	Bob Condon	Brian Moloney
Nov 12-13	Gerard Sullivan	Sharon Moloney
<b>EUCHARIST</b>		
Nov 5-6	Terry Pecoskie	Margie Morrissey
Nov 12-13	Wendy Tedford	Debbie Riel
<b>USHERS</b>		
Nov 5-6	Murray Carlow	John Sullivan
Nov 12-13	Albert Heffernan	Ray Carlow
<b>CLEANERS</b>		
Week on Nov 7	Marian Coughlin	Marian Leahy
Week of Nov 14	Darlene Sullivan	Suzanne Allen

**CURRENT CANDLES ARE LIGHTED** THE BLESSED MOTHER CANDLE BURNS NOV. 5-11 FOR THE SOULS IN PURGATORY.



OUR ST. JOSEPH CANDLE IS LIGHTED NOV. 5-11 FOR DECEASED VETRANS OF THE PARISH.



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



**Danny Ross, Cathy Millen, Kevin Heffernan, Wyatt Moloney, Barbra Wallace, Patti Simmons.** 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.

**K OF C LADIES NIGHT DOURO** November 26<sup>th</sup>, 2022. A thank you to all who had displayed their works at the art show on October 23<sup>rd</sup>, and thanks to Chef Daniel for his artistry. LND ticket sales were very successful. Limited tickets are still available from Gerard Sullivan 705-559-1167. The Knights are looking for supporters to provide items for the live and silent auction portions of the evening. If you would like to donate an item to promote your business, please contact Gerard Sullivan 705-559-1167 or Bob Condon 705-772-6071

**K OF C** Thank you to everyone who came out and helped with the leaf raking last Thursday. Your care of St. Joseph parish is very appreciated.

**EUCHRE PARTY** - Thursday, November 10<sup>th</sup> at 1 p.m. in the Douro Community Centre. Admission is \$5.00. Lunch and prize money included.



#### **CWL NEWS:** **SOUP SAMPLER 2022 NOVEMBER 16,**

hosted by CWL, a night of sampling everyone's favorite soup. Simply bring a crock pot of soup, any kind you like, a soup spoon and soup bowl. If you don't make soup, we also need crusty bread, biscuits etc. Please pass the word along and join us for this fun event. Bring a friend; the friend doesn't need to bring soup. Arrive at 6:00, enjoy the soup and be home by 7:30. Any questions or comments please call Annette Dunford 705-652-3624. See you all!!



**QUILTING** is ready to resume on **November 7 & 8** and **November 21 & 22.** 8 am start. Lunch provided. Bring your thimble! Anyone who has a quilt top to donate to Douro Doings 2023 is asked to call Barbara Meade 705-652-8820 to arrange quilting dates in January & February.

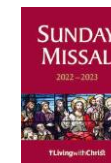
#### **NO MEETING IN DECEMBER.**

**Dec 7 @ 6:00 pm - Annual Pot Luck Dinner** for all parishioners.

#### **WE WILL AGAIN BE HOSTING OPERATION XMAS CHILD FOR SAMARITANS PURSE THIS YEAR.**

Boxes and envelopes have arrived and are available at the back of the church. Please leave filled shoeboxes in the church entrance to be collected between now & **Thursday Nov.17.** Please place your donation envelopes in the collection in the envelope provided or a plain envelope marked Shoebox collection. If you wish to make other arrangements to drop off your box, please contact Debbie Youngman for more info. 705 930 -1952. Your continued support in this initiative is appreciated.

**LIVING WITH CHRIST SUNDAY MISSALS FOR 2022 – 2023:** ARE AVAILABLE AT THE BACK OF OUR CHURCH. \$5.00 each please.



#### **FIRST EVER CHRISTMAS MAKERS MARKET** at



St. Paul the Apostle Church in Lakefield. This event will feature local vendors who are creating handmade, one of a kind products. There will also be basket raffles, activities for kids and refreshments available. The market will be in the church hall at 4 Reid Street, from 9am to 2pm on Saturday, November 12<sup>th</sup>. Enter from side door.

**“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 Thirty-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.

#### **The Holy Eucharist: Did you know?**

This week's theme: The Eucharist and the Transcendent Our Lord teaches us in today's Gospel that in Heaven we shall live "like angels" and "be children of God". (Luke 20:27-38) Our Lord gives us the opportunity to worthily receive Him in the Blessed Sacrament so that we may already here on Earth share in "the foretaste and the promise of the Pascal Feast of Heaven." St Jean Vianney wrote that if "The angels could envy us one thing, it would be our ability to receive Jesus in Holy Communion."

**DURING THE MONTH OF NOVEMBER** there will be a small altar near front of the church for our faithful departed, if you would like to add a name, please feel free to do so.

**“All the darkness in the world cannot extinguish the light of a single candle”** St. Francis of Assisi.

#### **WE REMEMBER OUR BELOVED DEAD**

Dear friends, We are people of hope. Every time we recite the Creed, we say "I believe in the resurrection of the dead and the life of the world to come." The seed of eternity has been planted in our hearts, and it grows within us in the form of desires for that which endures and lasts forever. Even death, as scary and painful as it is, cannot take away from us the gift of eternal life that Christ promised to those who believe in him.

This month of November, before the season of Advent begins, the readings at Mass will lead us to think of that final and definitive encounter with Christ, an encounter that we anticipate with hope. I often think of those encounters that I have had with people, friends, family members, that I wish never ended. Such will be our final encounter with Christ like, one that we hope never ends and that, in fact, will never end.

I hope that we are able to cultivate in our lives those moments, those encounters that have a flavor of eternity. They are a statement of faith in the life of the world to come, a life that is already found in the world that we live in for, as we say at Mass, "heaven and earth are full of God's glory."

#### **Parish Stewardship**

**Oct 30, \$2,213 including \$858 of pre-authorized offering.**  
*We thank you for your continued support of our Parish!*

**BRINGING SCRIPTURE TO LIFE** Our last study night in this series will be this Wednesday at 6:30 pm. We have had an average of 18-20 participants each week and we have had a wonderful time studying St. Paul's letter to the Colossians. Keep a lookout for an announcement about an Advent Study series coming soon.

#### **SACRAMENTS OF FIRST RECONCILIATION/ HOLY COMMUNION**



SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION  
 Reconciliation First Eucharist and Confirmation

The next class will be November 15 in the Parish Hall. Children will be escorted over after school

or be dropped off by 3:30 at the lower level of the hall. They will receive a snack prior to class starting. Thanks to all who were in attendance Nov 1. Please pick up your child at 4:30 at the hall lower level.