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No person shall attend a gathering to which this section applies unless the following conditions are met:

1. **The number of persons occupying any room in the building or structure while attending the gathering must not exceed 25 percent of the capacity of the particular room.**
2. **All persons attending the gathering must comply with public health guidance on physical distancing.**

FUNERALS (Bereavement Authority of Ontario) Indoor and Outdoor Funerals, Services at Cemeteries

The lesser of 25 percent capacity of the room or the number that can be maintained with physical distancing of six feet/two meters to a **maximum attendance of 75 people.**

Guests must be logged to enable contact tracing. Records must be kept for 30 days.

WORKING REMOTELY

Working from home (remotely) is still the requirement in Step 2 – as of next week, the province will move into O. Reg. 263/20 as follows:

"Work from home except where necessary

Each person responsible for a business or organization that is open shall ensure that any person who performs work for the business or organization conducts their work remotely unless the nature of their work requires them to be on-site at the workplace."

FURTHER - WHAT IS ALLOWED IN STEP 2

Outdoor social gatherings and organized public events - up to 25 people

Indoor social gatherings and organized public events - up to 5 people

Essential and other select retail permitted at 50 percent capacity

Non-essential retail permitted at 25 percent capacity

Personal care services where face coverings can be worn at all times, and at 25 percent capacity and other restrictions

Outdoor dining with up to 6 people per table, with exceptions for larger households and other restrictions

Indoor religious services, rites, or ceremonies, including wedding services and funeral services permitted at up to 25 percent capacity of the particular room

Outdoor fitness classes limited to the number of people who can maintain 3 metres of physical distance;

Outdoor sports without contact or modified to avoid contact, with no specified limit on the number of people or teams participating, with restrictions

Overnight camps for children operating in a manner consistent with the safety guidelines produced by the Office of the Chief Medical Officer of Health

Outdoor sports facilities with spectators permitted at 25 percent capacity

Outdoor concert venues, theatres, and cinemas, with spectators permitted at 25 percent capacity

Outdoor horse racing and motor speedways, with spectators permitted at 25 percent capacity

Outdoor fairs, rural exhibitions, festivals, permitted at 25 percent capacity and with other restrictions

The health precautions related to physical distancing, wearing a face mask, having hand sanitizers available, etc. remain in force.

Let us continue to look after one another.

Parish of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary

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Fr. Asisclo Podelino, Pastor

*14th Sunday
in Ordinary
Time*

July 4th, 2021



**A PROPHET IS
NOT WITHOUT
HONOUR,
EXCEPT IN HIS
HOMETOWN.**

Education:

Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults: 905 349-2504

St Mary Elementary School, Grafton:
Nicole McGill, Principal 905 349-2061

St Mary Secondary School, Cobourg:
Jason Roberts, Principal 905 372-4339

Catholic School Board www.pvnccdsb.on.ca

Parish Committees & Organisations:

Finance Committee:
Melissa Lilje, Secretary 905 349-2504

Knights of Columbus: 905 349-2504

Parish Pastoral Council
Dennis Goulin Chairperson 905-372-7684

Music at Mass:
Gay Stratford, Organist
10 am Mass on Sun 905 349-2861

Altar Servers
Parish Office 905-349-2504

St Mary's Catholic Women's League:

Pat Murphy, President 905 349-2847
Alta Vance, Religious Articles 905 344-7443

CWL Diocesan website:
www.peterboroughcwl.ca

St Mary's Cemetery Board:
Melissa Lilje, Secretary 905 349-2504

St Vincent de Paul Society 905 377-3263

Eucharistic Ministers
Bruce Lawson 905-349-2751

Ushers
Parish Office 905-349-2504

Lectors
Richard Holland 905-349-3710

Development and Peace
Suzanne Liptay 905-372-3031

Parish Library
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SACRAMENTAL MINISTRY

Baptisms, Marriages, & Anointing of the Sick may be arranged by calling the Office.

CONFESSIONS:

Saturday at 8:30 am & 4:30 pm, or anytime on request.

First Friday of the month - Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament - 9am

THE WEEK OF JULY 4TH AT THE ALTAR

July 5, Mon., Feria - 9 am -

July 6, Tues., Feria - 9 am -

July 7, Wed., Feria - 11 am - **CWL Members** [St Mary's CWL]

July 8, Thurs, Feria- 11 am -

July 9, Fri., Feria - 9 am -

July 10, Sat., Feria - 9 am -

July 10, Sat., **15th Sunday in Ordinary Time**

5 pm - **Jackie White** [Bill & Mavis Rowland]

July 11, Sun., **15th Sunday in Ordinary Time**

9 am - **Roy Sheppard** [The Family]

11am - **For the People of the Parish**

NEXT WEEKEND LAY MINISTERS July 10/11	5:00 pm	9:00 am	11:00 am
Lectors	Dave Hughes	John Logel	Richard Holland
Eucharistic Ministers	Greg Blick	Michael Stephenson	Bruce Lawson
Ushers/Greeters	Andrew deGraauw / The Manley	Ed Nemec / Oladele Adebayo	Joe O'Kane / Theo Mensen

Intercessions:

- Let us pray this Sunday for the Clergy and Parishioners of the Parish of St Peter the Apostle in Parry Sound.
- Let us pray for the sick in our Parish.

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PARISH FINANCES

	Last Weekend	Same Time Last Year
Sunday Collection	\$1,870.00	Shut Down (Covid)
Building Maintenance	\$500.00	\$0.00

FROM THE PASTOR'S DESK

WEDDING ANNIVERSARIES in July: Ed & Pat Casteels (44yrs on July 2nd), Floyd & Julie Hall (40yrs on July 4th), Jim & Valerie Wright (30yrs on July 6th), Edward & Cecelia Geens (57yrs on July 11th). Dave & Diana Hughes (43yrs on July 15th), Oladele & Pauline Adebayo (43yrs on July 29th), Chuck & Katherine Smith (15yrs on July 29th), John & Brenda Logel (44yrs on July 30). God's Blessings on all of you!

The Bishops Appeal

Proceeds for this year's Bishops Special Collection, on the weekends of July 4th and July 11th, will assist in funding Family Ministries, Youth Ministry and Diocesan Pastoral Centre initiatives.

Ontario moves to a capacity limit of 25% for places of worship tomorrow June 30th.

The Ontario provincial government announced that the province will be moving into Step 2 of the Reopening Strategy as of 12:01 a.m., Wednesday, June 30th. This move to Step 2, a couple of days ahead of schedule, reflects a cautious and prudent sense of optimism. The government has previously announced that each Step of the Reopening Strategy is expected to last for approximately 21 days.

INDOOR WEDDING, OR RELIGIOUS SERVICES, RITE OR CEREMONY

The attendance limit increases to **25%** as of June 30th.

This section applies with respect to gatherings for the purposes of a wedding, a funeral or a religious service, rite or ceremony, if the gathering is held in a building or structure other than a private dwelling.