

## PARISH NEWS Con't

### FEAST OF OUR PATRON SAINT – ASSUMPTION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY

August 15th (Monday) is the day the Church celebrates the feast of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary and we celebrate this feast in a special way for the Assumption of Mary is our Patron Saint. Since we, the parishioners, gathered as a family on the Sunday Masses, so we use the Mass of the Assumption during the Sunday Masses (Saturday at 5 pm and Sunday at 10 am) on August 13 & 14 but we use the Sunday Readings.

Please reminder part of our celebration is Mass at Mary's cemetery on August 13th (Saturday) at 9:00 am and Parish Picnic on August 14th (Sunday) after the 10:00 am Mass.

*Fr Ace*

#### CWL NEWS:

**1** - St. Michael's CWL Council, Cobourg is celebrating its 100<sup>th</sup> Anniversary on September 11/22. Mass and luncheon (Lions Centre, Cobourg) are part of the celebration.

**2** - Tickets are available until August 31/22 at a cost of \$50 each. Contact Therese May 905- 372-8187 or Jenny Allison 905-373-0926. More information is available on the poster on the bulletin board in the foyer. Have a wonderful summer!

#### NEXT STEPS FOR DIOCESAN PASTORAL PLANNING

About 4000+ people participated online or in person in the combined synodal process / Diocesan Pastoral Planning Process. Reading through the [Infographic](#) and the [Synthesis](#), it is evident that some matters are within the scope of the universal Church, but many matters are within the scope of the Diocese of Peterborough and/or the parishes. These latter issues and priorities represent important information for the Diocesan Pastoral Planning Process. For that reason, the next phase is called "*Now What?*" and it will focus on identifying local issues and priorities for the pastoral planning process in the Diocese.

**You are invited to have your say! An online survey is open from July 30 until September 16, 2022.** The Survey can be accessed through this link: <https://forms.gle/LFtrWtk2dsK1VHFD6>

In the Fall of 2022, in-person sessions will be held in each Deanery to sort through the input received through the *Now What?* Survey and the Deanery sessions will culminate in a Diocesan gathering. If you have provided your input, thank you. Please continue to do so. And if you haven't had the chance to participate, please access the Survey link for *Now What?*

Let us carry one another in prayer asking for God's blessing and the guidance of the Holy Spirit.

### **Parish of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary**

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Parish Website: [www.assumptiongrafton.ca](http://www.assumptiongrafton.ca)

**Fr. Asisclo Podelino, Pastor**

*19<sup>th</sup> Sunday  
in Ordinary  
Time*

August 7<sup>th</sup>, 2022



**“YOU MUST  
KEEP  
YOURSELF  
READY!”**

#### **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](http://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](http://www.peterboroughcwl.ca)

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

St Vincent de Paul Society 905 377-3263

Eucharistic Ministers  
*Judith Goulin* 905-372-7684

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 AUGUST 7<sup>TH</sup> AT THE ALTAR

Aug 8, Mon., *St Dominic*- 9 am -

Aug 9, Tues., *Feria* - 9 am - **Protection of Life at every Stage** [St Mary's CWL]

Aug 10, Wed., **St Lawrence** - 9 am -

Aug 11, Thurs., *St Clare* - 9 am -

Aug 12, Fri., *Feria* - 9 am - **First Friday**

Aug 13, Sat., *Feria* - 9 am - **Cemetery Mass**

Aug 13, Sat., **Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary**

5 pm - **For the People of the Parish**

Aug 14, Sun., **Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary**

10 am - **Salvation of Souls** [Lynn & Marie McVety]

NEXT WEEKEND LAY MINISTERS Aug 13/14	5 pm	10:00 am
<b>Lectors</b>	Jackie Innis	Michael Stephenson
<b>Eucharistic Ministers</b>	Pat Rutherford	Judith Goulin / Dennis Goulin
<b>Ushers/Greeters</b>	The Manley's	Theo Mensen / Ed Nemec

### Intercessions:

- Let us pray this Sunday for the Clergy and the people of the Parish of St Patrick in Kearney and its mission Holy Spirit in Burk's Falls
- Let us pray for the sick in our Parish.

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### PARISH FINANCES

	Last Weekend	Same Time Last Year
<b>Sunday Collection</b>	\$1,420.00	\$1,677.00
<b>Building Maintenance</b>	\$0.00	\$267.00
<b>Vocations Campus Ministry</b>	\$120.00	\$106.00

### FROM THE PASTOR'S DESK

**WEDDING ANNIVERSARIES IN AUGUST:** Orville & Connie Gardner (58 yrs. on Aug 1), Ed & Pat Nemec (53 yrs. on Aug 2), Jim & Patricia Aldcroft (60 yrs. on Aug 4), Stephen & Laura Krentz (18 yrs. on Aug 14), Keith & Laura MacDonald (38 yrs. on Aug 25), Don & Carol Maybin (51 yrs. on Aug 27). God's continued blessings on all of you!

### Live-streaming of the Mass for the 19<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time

The Mass for the 19th Sunday in Ordinary Time will be live-streamed from the Cathedral of St. Peter-in-Chains starting at 5:00 p.m. on Saturday, August 6, 2022. The Mass will be available thereafter on the YouTube channel for the Roman Catholic Diocese of Peterborough.

Please join in prayer by clicking on the link below:

<https://youtu.be/N-4PZWxe42M>

### Music in the Square

We're Back! Thursdays from June 20-Aug 22 2022. Bands play from 6:30-8:30pm at the village square in Colborne. If rain is pending, the event will move to the Keeler Centre. There will be a 50/50 draw each evening and some nights will have food available for purchase. Bring your lawn chair and enjoy! This week Thursday August 11<sup>th</sup> the feature band is **The Cedarail Band** - David and Wendy Hayes combine Classic Country with a touch of smooth 60's pop, some great music stories, and catchy original tunes