PARISH NEWS Con't

St Mary's CWL

- 1. Summer no CWL meetings. Members, enjoy your summer and relax.
- 2. The CWL Word of the Week is "Hope". HOPE is the essence we hold onto during times of adversity and is the beacon of light in the darkness. Anyone seeking refuge and hope can find it in the CWL. Members find hope in one another. Join us and become a woman of hope.
- 3. The CWL Trunk Sale on Saturday, June 10/23 was a great success. Thank you to all the CWL members who helped. "Many hands make light work!" A special thank you to CWL Sale Organizers Kathy Ancker and her husband John and Helen Perko-Hrycyna. The Trunk Sale was a CWL Fund Raiser.
- 4. Please pray for all people around the world and within Canada who are impacted by challenging ordeals in their daily lives.
- 5. Do not forget Sunday, June 18/23 is the Retirement Party, BBQ & Potluck, for Father Ace. Everyone is invited!
- 6. Happy Father's Day to all DADS in the parish. Enjoy your special day!

CWL Trunk Sale

On behalf of the Catholic Women's League Council, a grateful thanks for everyone who participated in the St Mary's Trunk Sale—our donors, our volunteers, our vendors and of course, our buyers!

Over \$650 was raised to support our parish and community charities. Our door prize, a new Genesis Soda Stream, was won by Robert Mahaney.

Yasmin and Feras's Family Update

We thought we would give you an update on our sponsored Syrian family. Yasmin has been awarded the Volunteer of the Year award from the New Canadians Centre in recognition of her contribution to helping new comers to our country. Congratulations Yasmin! Feras and Yasmin now have a 5 year old son, Majed and a 2 year old daughter, Mila. Feras is working full time at Shoppers Drug Mart and Yasmin will graduate as a PSW this July. Yasmin acknowledges that she would not have been able to do this without the help of her mom tending the kids when needed. So nice to see that the family is doing well.

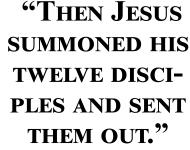
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11th Sunday in Ordinary Time





June 18th, 2023

Education:		Parish Office	905-349-2504
Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults:	905 349-2504	St Mary's Catholic Women's League:	
St Mary Elementary School, Grafton:		Pat Murphy, President	905 349-2847
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St Mary Secondary School, Cobourg: Jason Roberts, Principal Catholic School Board www.pvnccdsb.on.	905 372-4339 ca	CWL Diocesan website: www.peterboroughcwl.ca	
		St Mary's Cemetery Board:	
Parish Committees & Organisations	:	Melissa Lilje, Secretary	905 349-2504
Finance Committee:	905 349-2504		
Melissa Lilje, Secretary	905 549-2504	St Vincent de Paul Society	905 377-3263
Knights of Columbus:	005 040 0504		
	905 349-2504	Eucharistic Ministers	005 272 7(94
Parish Pastoral Council	416 200 0600	Judith Goulin	905-372-7684
Michael Mullin, Chairperson	416 300-8680		005 240 2504
		Parish Office	905-349-2504
Music at Mass:		Lectors	
Widsle at Widss.		Richard Holland	905-349-3710
St Mary's Choir		Development and Peace	
10 am Mass on Sun		Suzanne Liptay	905-372-3031
Altar Servers		Parish Library	

SACRAMENTAL MINISTRY

Baptisms, Marriages, & Anointing of the Sick may be arranged by calling the Office. <u>CONFESSIONS</u>:

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 JUNE 18th at the Altar

June 19, Mon., Feria - 9 am -

June 20, Tues., Feria - 9 am -

June 21, Wed., St Alovsius Gonzaga - 9 am -

June 22, Thurs., Feria - 9 am -

June 23, Fri., Feria - 9 am -

11 am - Graduation Mass

June 24, Sat., Nativity of St John the Baptist - 9 am -

June 24, Sat., 12th Sunday on Ordinary Time

5 pm - For the People of the Parish

June 25, Sun., 12th Sunday on Ordinary Time

10 am - John Taylor [Rosemary, Jamie & Family]

NEXT WEEKEND LAY MINISTERS June 24/25	5 pm	10 am
Lectors	Jackie Innis	Kathleen Ancker
Eucharistic Ministers	Paula Blick	Judith & Dennis Goulin
Ushers/Greeters	Darrell & Nick Manley	Rob Ugolini/Ed Nemec

Intercessions:

- Let us pray this Sunday for the Clergy and the people of the parish of St Joseph in Powassan and its mission St John in Alsace.
- Let us pray for the sick in our Parish.

PARISH NEWS PARISH FINANCES

	Last Weekend	Same Time Last Year
Sunday Collection	\$1,615.00	\$1,171.00
Building Maintenance	\$15.00	\$65.00
Priest's Benefit Fund	\$370.00	\$505.00

FROM THE PASTOR'S DESK

WEDDING ANNIVERSARIES IN JUNE Bill & Teresa Cowie (58 yrs on June 5th), Willy & Brenda Casteels (28yrs on June 16th), Gord & Cheryl Krentz (44 yrs on June 30th). God's continued blessings on all of you!

LIVE-STREAMING OF THE MASS FOR THE <u>11TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME</u>

The Mass for the 11th Sunday in Ordinary Time will be live-streamed from the Cathedral of St. Peter-in-Chains starting at 5:00 p.m. on Saturday, June 17, 2023. The Mass will be available thereafter on the YouTube channel for the Roman Catholic Diocese of Peterborough.

Please join in prayer through the weblink found below: https:// www.youtube.com/watch?v=vtG1psUOimA

A Big Thank You

My heartfelt thanks to the St. Vincent de Paul, Grafton, for giving up their June collection in favor of the St. Vincent de Paul, Loay, Bohol, Philippines, my hometown! My sincere thanks also to all who donated! The collection was very generous, \$ 1,900.00. Your generosity will be felt by the poor families in our area in matters of distribution of rice (for we eat rice 3 times a day), assistance in hospitalization, house repairs, and in time of death. Again my deepest thanks of your kindness and May God bless you all!

