

PARISH NEWS Con't

St Mary's CWL

1. A BIG thank you to all parishioners who contributed in some way to the BBQ/Potluck for Father Ace. The food you contributed was delicious. A special thank you to Michael Mullin, Wes Krentz, Jackie Innis and the CWL who worked on the organization of the event. A BIG thank you to those who cooked the delicious weiners and hamburgers. Great Job! A BIG thank you to all who attended. Father Ace was delighted to see you there.
2. The CWL word of the week is "HUMANITY". Love one another! CWL members go beyond charitable acts with compassion, love, sympathy and tolerance, seeking out issues of injustice. Come share the love!
3. Please continue praying for people around the world and within Canada who are impacted by challenging ordeals in their daily lives.
4. CWL member Helen Perko-Hrycyna is willing to assist Ukrainian New Comers to Canada. Helen can be reached via text mobile 647-974-3482 or email perkohrycyna@yahoo.ca. Any parishioners who know of someone who needs her assistance, please pass on this information.
5. The next "Coffee After Mass" will be July 02/23 following the 10:00 am mass, weather permitting. Parish Pastoral Council Chair, Michael Mullin, will officially welcome Father Martin at that time.

The "Instrumentum Laboris" for the first session of the Synod in October has been released.

"The Instrumentum Laboris ("IL") is not a document of the Holy See, but of the whole Church. It is not a document written at a desk. It is a document in which we are all co-authors, each for the part he or she is called to play in the Church, in docility to the Spirit. [...] You will not find in the text a theoretical systematic explanation of synodality, but the fruit of a Church experience, of a journey in which we have all learned more by walking together and questioning ourselves on the meaning of this experience. I can say that the IL is a text in which no one's voice is missing: that of the Holy People of God; of the Pastors, who have ensured ecclesial discernment with their participation; of the Pope, who has always accompanied us, supported us, encouraged us to move forward. The IL is also an opportunity for the entire People of God to continue the journey that has begun, and an opportunity to involve those who have not been involved so far," said Cardinal Mario Grech, Secretary General of the General Secretariat of the Synod.

LINK TO THE ENGLISH VERSION OF THE INSTRUMENTUM LABORIS ON THE VATICAN WEBSITE:

<https://press.vatican.va/content/salastampa/it/bollettino/pubblico/2023/06/20/0456/01015.html#en>

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Fr. Asisclo Podelino, Pastor

12th Sunday in Ordinary Time

June 25th, 2023



**“DO NOT
FEAR THOSE
WHO KILL
THE BODY.”**

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

Michael Mullin, Chairperson 416 300-8680

Music at Mass:

St Mary's Choir
10 am Mass on Sun

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

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

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 JUNE 25TH AT THE ALTAR

June 26, Mon., Feria - 9 am -

June 27, Tues., Feria - 9 am -

June 28, Wed., *St Irenaeus* - 9 am -

June 29, Thurs., **Ss Peter & Paul** - 9 am - **Louis Caron** [Rosemary, Jamie & Family]

June 30, Fri., Feria - 9 am -

July 1, Sat., Feria - 9 am -

July 1, Sat., **13th Sunday on Ordinary Time**

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

July 2, Sun., **13th Sunday on Ordinary Time**

10 am - **John Mensen** [The Family]

NEXT WEEKEND LAY MINISTERS July 1/2	5 pm	10 am
Lectors	Dave Hughes	John Logel
Eucharistic Ministers	Sr Donna Smith	John Logel / Margaret Harry
Ushers/Greeters	Darrell & Nick Manley	Joe O’Kane / Ed Nemec

Intercessions:

- Let us pray this Sunday for the Clergy and the people of the parish of Holy Family in Britt and its mission St Theresa in Point Au Baril.
- Let us pray for the sick in our Parish.

PARISH NEWS PARISH FINANCES

	Last Weekend	Same Time Last Year
Sunday Collection	\$1,440.00	\$1,135.00
Building Maintenance	\$45.00	\$65.00
Priest’s Benefit Fund	\$100.00	\$100.00

FROM THE PASTOR'S DESK

WEDDING ANNIVERSARIES IN JULY

Ed & Pat Casteels (46yrs on July 2nd), Edward & Cecelia Geens (59yrs on July 11th), Dave & Diana Hughes (45yrs on July 15th), John & Brenda Logel (46yrs on July 30th). God’s continued blessings on all of you!

LIVE-STREAMING OF THE MASS FOR THE 12TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

The Mass for the 12th 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 24, 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=Y76sd0L3ygl>

My Sincerest Thank You!

No words can fully express my deepest thanks to the Parish Council, CWL, St. Vincent de Paul, Parishioners, and the help from the Knights of Columbus for the celebration of my retirement. Thank you very much for making it so special. Deep in my heart I will always remember the way you did it, the way you show your love and care. May God bless you all!

Fr. Joe

New Mass Schedule

Beginning Monday July 31st, the weekday mass schedule will be as follows - Monday & Tuesday no Mass. Wednesday, Thursday, Friday and Saturday 9 am. The Weekend Mass schedule will remain the same - Saturday 5pm & Sunday 10am.