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Sincere thanks!

I sincerely thank you for kindness and generosity! The donation for the St. Vincent de Paul in my hometown, Philippines, has received an amazing support of \$ 2,863.00. A good number of poor families will benefit your magnanimity. May God who sees the good deeds who have done in secret may reward you a hundredfold! *Fr. Ace*

Fr. Ace visits to Home Philippines

I thank you for giving me this opportunity to visit my family. During the time of my holidays the following priest will celebrate the weekend Mass;

Priest from St. Michael Cobourg -

April 24 at 10:00 am

Fr. Stan Witzak from St. Anne, Peterborough -

April 30 at 5:00 pm

May 1 at 10:00 am

Fr. Gary Leahy, retired priest of Peterborough Diocese -

May 7 at 5:00 pm and May 8 at 10:00 am

May 14 at 5:00 pm and May 15 at 10:00 am

Fr. Paul Benjin, retired priest from the Scarborough Mission -

May 21 at 5:00 pm and May 22 at 10:00 am

Priest from St. Michael, Cobourg -

May 28 at 5:00 pm

May 29 at 10 am

For the daily Mass, please attend at St. Michael's Church in Cobourg. Their schedule is Monday to Friday at 12:05 pm. Request for priest for the Sacrament of the Sick, please call St. Michael's 905-372-6844. Request for priest for a funeral service, please call St. Michael's Church or Fr. David West 705-639-5524.

MOTHER'S DAY BREAKFAST BUFFET SUNDAY MAY 8, 2022

COLUMBUS COMMUNITY CENTRE

SPENCER ST. E. & DARCY ST., COBOURG. ON

9:00 AM TO 11:30 AM

Adults: \$15 – Children (5-12) \$5

Come and enjoy a full breakfast of eggs (many styles) bacon, sausage, pancakes, home fries, toast, muffins, juice, fresh fruit and more

A Family Affair!

Parish of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary

103 Lyle Street South. P. O. Box 239, Grafton. Ontario K0K 2G0

Tel: 905-349-2504 Fax: 905-349-1035

Email: bvm.grafton@bellnet.ca

Diocesan Website: www.peterboroughdiocese.org

Parish Website: www.assumptiongrafton.ca

Fr. Asisclo Podelino, Pastor

3rd Sunday of Easter

May 1st, 2022



**“JESUS TOOK THE
BREAD AND GAVE
IT TO THEM, AND
DID THE SAME
WITH THE FISH.”**

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

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

Suzanne Liptay

905-372-3031

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 MAY 1ST AT THE ALTAR

May 2, Mon., *St Athanasius* - 9 am - **No Mass Today**

May 3, Tues., **Ss Philip & James** - 9 am - **No Mass Today**

May 4, Wed., *Feria* - 9 am - **No Mass Today**

May 5, Thurs., *Feria* - 9 am - **No Mass Today**

May 6, Fri., *St Francois de Laval* - 9 am - **No Mass Today**

May 7, Sat., *Feria* - 9 am - **No Mass Today**

May 7, Sat., **4th Sunday of Easter**

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

May 8, Sun., **4th Sunday of Easter**

10 am - **Michael Cole** [Katherine Cole]

NEXT WEEKEND LAY MINISTERS May 7/8	5 pm	10:00 am
Lectors	Dave Hughes	Joanna Mecozzi
Eucharistic Ministers	Sr Donna Smith	Dennis Goulin / Judith Goulin
Ushers/Greeters	The Manley's	Theo Mensen / Ed Nemec

Intercessions:

- Let us pray this Sunday for the Clergy and the people of the Diocese of Peterborough and all Catholic Schools of the Diocese.
- Let us pray for the sick in our Parish.

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PARISH FINANCES

	Last Weekend	Same Time Last Year
Sunday Collection	\$1,050.00	\$3,360.00
Building Maintenance		

FROM THE PASTOR'S DESK

WEDDING ANNIVERSARIES in MAY: Don & Eileen Storey (55 years on May 6th), Tim & Diane Corkery (23 years on May 15th) Jim & Mary Catherine O'Neill (30 Years on May 16th), Wayne & Louise Aasen (52 years on May 16th), Greg & Angela Emerson (26 years on May 25th), Fr David West (32 years on May 25th). God's Blessings on all of you!

LIVE-STREAMING OF THE MASS FOR THE THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER

The Mass for the Third Sunday of Easter will be live-streamed from the Cathedral of St. Peter-in-Chains starting at 5:00 p.m. on Saturday, April 30, 2022. The Mass will be available thereafter on the YouTube channel for the Roman Catholic Diocese of Peterborough. Please join in prayer: <https://youtu.be/hVNRyrmw4Co>

Camp Northern Lights

The Camp is preparing for another exciting camping season for the summer 2022. It is located 8 km South of Haliburton on Lochlin Lake. The Camp will run Monday to Friday to provide a wilderness camping experience and a leadership experience for High School as volunteer counsellors. Any child who will be 9 by July 1, 2022 but not older than 13 by December 31, 2022 and still in Elementary School and who would benefit from this opportunity, please encourage them to apply **ONLINE** at the Website campnorthernlights.com.

St Mary's CWL

- 1) The May CWL meeting will be on May 09/22 at 9:30 am in the rectory. Note, this is a change of date. Members, please plan to attend and support your Council.
- 2) Clarification - USE OF ST. MARY'S GYM St. Mary's Gym is the CWL hall for St. Mary's Council. It is now open for the CWL to use Friday evenings, Saturdays, and Sundays during May and June. It is NOT open for the CWL to use during the week, Monday to Friday (except Friday evenings). This is to keep outside exposure to COVID to a minimum, for the students. We are planning to return to normal scheduling, in our use of the gym, in September, if covid numbers are low and outside exposure is no longer a threat to the students.
- 3) So, once again St. Mary's CWL Council is able to do receptions for parish funerals on weekends in May and June and any day of the week in July and August. Sadly, this is something we have been unable to do for the past two years due to Covid restrictions.