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THE VATICAN CONFIRMED yesterday the program for the Papal Visit to Canada, taking place July 24-29. The theme of the visit is "Walking Together," and will be held in sites around Edmonton, Quebec City and Iqualuit. The Holy Father's journey of reconciliation will include visits to a former residential school, Indigenous pilgrimage sites, and a mix of public and private events. Free tickets will be available for a limited number of events, all of which will be broadcast and livestreamed. For tickets and other information, go to www.papalvisit.ca. Let's pray for the health of Pope Francis and a safe and blessed journey in Canada.

St Mary's Cemetery

The Cemetery water has been under repair. While we wait for the repairs, some wonderful people have donated their time and resources to supply water for our flowers at the Cemetery. The Annual Cemetery Mass will be celebrated once again this year on Saturday August 13, 2022 at 9am.

BISHOP'S APPEAL - INDIGENOUS RECONCILIATION FUND

The Bishop's Appeal for 2022 will take place on the weekends of July 2/3 and July 9/10, and it has been designated for the Indigenous Reconciliation Fund. The Canadian Conference of Catholic Bishops has made a financial pledge of \$30 million dollars nationally and established the Indigenous Reconciliation Fund ("Fund"). Dioceses across Canada are joining this financial pledge and the Diocese of Peterborough will be contributing \$400 000. The Fund will support Indigenous Peoples generated projects in these four areas:

- Healing and reconciliation for communities and families;
- Culture and language revitalization;
- Education and community building; and

Dialogues for promoting indigenous spirituality and culture. Here are two weblinks that provide more information and one weblink to make a donation:

- [Letter from Bishop Miehm dated May 16, 2022](https://www.peterboroughdiocese.org/en/about-us/resources/Indigenous-Reconciliation-Fund/IRF-Letter-May-16-2022.pdf)
[https://www.peterboroughdiocese.org/en/about-us/resources/Indigenous Reconciliation-Fund/IRF-Letter-May-16-2022.pdf](https://www.peterboroughdiocese.org/en/about-us/resources/Indigenous-Reconciliation-Fund/IRF-Letter-May-16-2022.pdf)
- [Questions and Answers](https://www.peterboroughdiocese.org/en/resourcesGeneral/Homepage-banners-Residential-School/IRF/QA-INDIGENOUS-RECONCILIATION-FUND-June-28-2022.pdf)
[https://www.peterboroughdiocese.org/en/resourcesGeneral/Homepage-banners Residential-School/IRF/QA-INDIGENOUS-RECONCILIATION-FUND-June-28-2022.pdf](https://www.peterboroughdiocese.org/en/resourcesGeneral/Homepage-banners-Residential-School/IRF/QA-INDIGENOUS-RECONCILIATION-FUND-June-28-2022.pdf)
- [Donate](https://www.canadahelps.org/en/dn/73075)
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Thank you for your support of the Indigenous Reconciliation Fund.

Let us continue to carry in our prayers this journey of healing and reconciliation with Indigenous Peoples.

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*14th Sunday
in Ordinary
Time*

July 3rd, 2022



**“YOUR
PEACE WILL
REST UPON
THEM.”**

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
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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 3RD AT THE ALTAR

July 4, Mon., *Feria* - 9 am - **Liz Wilson** [Lynn & Marie McVety]

July 5, Tues., *Feria* - 9 am - **Sick of the Parish** [St Mary's CWL]

July 6, Wed., *Feria* - 9 am -

July 7, Thurs., *Feria* - 9 am -

July 8, Fri., *Feria* - 9 am -

July 9, Sat., *Feria* - 9 am -

July 9, Sat., **15th Sunday in Ordinary Time**

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

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

10 am - **Henk Jansen** [Maryke Vreeburg]

NEXT WEEKEND LAY MINISTERS July 9/10	5 pm	10:00 am
Lectors	Dave Hughes	Michael Stephenson
Eucharistic Ministers	Sr Donna Smith	Margaret Harry / John Logel
Ushers/Greeters	The Manley's	Theo Mensen / Ed Nemec

Intercessions:

- Let us pray this Sunday for the Clergy and the people 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	\$1,135.00	\$1,870.00
Indigenous Reconciliation (Bishops Appeal)	\$15.00	\$0.00
Priests Benefit Fund	\$100.00	\$0.00

FROM THE PASTOR'S DESK

WEDDING ANNIVERSARIES in JULY: Ed & Pat Casteels (45 yrs. on July 2), Edward & Ceelia Geens (58 yrs. on July 11), Dave & Diana Hughes (44 yrs. on July 15), Oladele & Pauline Adebayo (37 yrs. on July 29), John & Brenda Logel (45 yrs. on July 30). God's continued blessings on all of you!

Live-streaming of the Mass for the 14th Sunday in Ordinary Time

The Mass for the 14th Sunday in Ordinary Time will be live-streamed from the Cathedral of St. Peter-in-Chains starting at 5:00 p.m. on Saturday, July 2, 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/y6lK9Otqr8M>

CWL NEWS:

- 1) Next "Coffee After Mass" will be on August 07/22. Plan to attend. Mingle and have a visit with your fellow parishioners.
- 2) St. Michael's CWL Council, Cobourg is celebrating its 100th Anniversary on September 11/22. Mass and luncheon (Lions Centre, Cobourg) are part of the celebration. 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.
- 3) To all - Have a wonderful summer!

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 July 7th the feature band is **Heartland Country** - Classic Country, with some of that modern feel-good country music vibe. You'll be singing along with this group.