

St. Peter the Apostle Roman Catholic Church



9TH AUGUST 2020 – NINETEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

SACRAMENTS

HOLY EUCHARIST:

Saturday: 4:00 pm; 7:00 pm
Sunday: 8:00 am; 11:00 am
July & August – Killbear Park – 8:00 am **cancelled**
Weekdays: Please see the schedule inside the bulletin

RECONCILIATION: 30 minutes before weekend Masses

CHILDREN'S LITURGY:

BAPTISM: By Appointment

MARRIAGE: First appointment at least one year prior to wedding date.
All couples are required to take a Marriage Preparation Course.

**ANOINTING OF THE SICK
AND COMMUNION**

FOR THE SHUT-INS: Please call the Parish Office 746-5181

DEVOTIONS

ROSARY:

ADORATION:

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NOVENA MOTHER

OF PERPETUAL HELP:

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Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday
8:30 am – 12:30 pm noon

Parish Office Temporarily Closed

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STAFF:

Parish Priest: Fr. Placid Obiji, SMMM

FrPlacidObiji@peterboroughdiocese.org

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Parish Office 705-746-5181

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Jim Sim 705-746-1232

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kofc7080@cogeco.net

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Susan Eccleshall, Principal

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seccleshall@smcddb.on.ca

Parish Council:

Derek George Vic Brunatti, Anne Haines,
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Jerry Wiley, Pamela Muma

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Bulletin Ad Solicitor:

Vacant

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Suzanne Youngs, Jerry Wiley, Len Yauk,
Anne Haines

New to the Parish? Please complete and place this form in the offertory basket.

Name: _____

Address: _____

Telephone: _____ Offertory envelopes needed?

E-mail: _____ Yes No

MASS INTENTIONS

<i>WE'RE BACK...JUST DIFFERENT !!!</i>				
Sat.	Aug. 8	4:00 pm	+ Cecile Waldbrook	Lou McLeod & Maureen Gallagher
		7:00 pm	Intentions of Laurette Agnello	Peter Agnello
Sun.	Aug. 9	8:00 am	+ Beatrice Thomas	Kristen & Richard Penfold & Family
		11:00 am	People of the Parish	
Mon.	Aug. 10	<i>No Mass</i>		
Tues.	Aug. 11	<i>No Mass</i>		
Wed.	Aug. 12	10:30 am	+ Beatrice Thomas	Lou McLeod
Thurs.	Aug. 13	<i>No Mass</i>		
Friday	Aug. 14	10:30 am	+ Theresa Barker	Mary Renaud & Girls
Sat.	Aug. 15	4:00 pm	People of the Parish	
		7:00 pm	+ Theresa Barker	Mary Renaud & Girls
Sun.	Aug. 16	8:00 am	+ Beatrice Thomas	C.W.L.
		11:00 am	+ Cecile Waldbrook	C.W.L.

Please pray for the sick: Dale McWhirter, Judy Desmasdon, Linda Fisher, Rita Kunc, Colin Baker, Michael Cassidy, Brandon Buttineau, Troy Buttineau, Susan, Joan Demick, Lorraine McEwen, Peter Agnello, Nancy Rorye, Jordan Broadway, Jim Zimmer, Harold Gardner, Mary Jo Racine, Sandra McCarthy, Carol Mymko, Jane Corbet, Laurette Agnello, Michael Swick

Please call the Parish Office if you would like someone placed on the prayer list.

STEWARDSHIP NOTE: for *easier counting and bookkeeping,*
Please submit SEPARATE cheques
for *SEPARATE donations.*

Last Week:

Offertory Envelopes	\$ 1,628.56
Offertory Loose	\$ 496.00
Property Projects	\$ 80.00
Easter	\$ 7.50
VEYO	\$ 120.00
Masses	\$ 90.00
Donation In Memory of Melita Grasmanis	\$ 192.50
Funeral Mass	\$ 700.00
Donation – Office	\$ 20.00
Total Thank You!	\$ 3,334.56

Virtual Vianney Fair 2020: We are super excited to invite you to the Virtual Vianney Fair! Tune in online for some meaningful fun, with something Vocation-related for all ages! Hear a message from Bishop Miehm, testimonies from priests, religious and married couples, check out the Kidz Corner and enjoy a brand-new song, composed, and produced for you! Join us for free at: www.ptbovocations.ca/vianneyfair on Sunday, August 23. You can tune in at any time that day. Please spread the word and we will see you then! Father John Perdue, Director of Vocations, Diocese of Peterborough.

Update: As you, know, North Bay Parry Sound District Health Unit (Health Unit) will be mandating the use of face coverings while in certain enclosed public spaces and public transit, effective Friday July 24, 2020. Therefore, we wanted to reach out and inform you that **parishioners and others in worship paces now must wear face coverings** in addition to the physical distancing and other infection and control measures recommended.

1532 The social grace of the sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick has as its effects:

- the uniting of the sick person to the passion of Christ, for his own good and that of the whole Church.
- the strengthening, peace, and courage to endure in a Christian manner the sufferings of illness or old age.
- the forgiveness of sins, if the sick person was not able to obtain it through the sacrament of Penance.
- the restoration of health if it is conducive to the salvation of his soul.
- the preparation for passing over to eternal life.

Viaticum, the Last Sacrament of the Christian

1524 In addition to the Anointing of the Sick, the Church offers those who are about to leave this life the Eucharist as viaticum. Communion in the body and blood of Christ, received at this moment of "passing over" to the Father, has a significance and importance. It is the seed of eternal life and the power of resurrection, according to the words of the Lord: "He who eats my flesh and drinks my blood has eternal life, and I will raise him up at the last day."¹⁴⁰ The sacrament of Christ once dead and now risen, the Eucharist is here the sacrament of passing over from death to life, from this world to the Father.¹⁴¹

1525 Thus, just as the sacraments of Baptism, Confirmation, and the Eucharist form a unity called "the sacraments of Christian initiation," so too it can be said that Penance, the Anointing of the Sick and the Eucharist as viaticum constitute at the end of Christian life "the sacraments that prepare for our heavenly homeland" or the sacraments that complete the earthly pilgrimage.

From The Catechism of the Catholic Church



Catholic Women's League News
**"Care for our
 Common Home"**

Next Meeting: TBD
2020 Annual Membership Fee are now due - \$25.00.
CWL Fall Newsletter: Ladies, please read the CWL Fall Newsletter, especially the two articles submitted by your local CWL Council. Copies in Narthex or call JoAnne 705 746 9149.
Meeting Minutes: Any CWL Member who would like to receive the General Meeting Minutes electronically, please contact Donna Maddeford at 705-746-8768 or email janddmaddeford@vianet.ca



Knights of Columbus News:
BINGO in Knights' Hall - Mondays at 7pm
(except July and August)
Grand Knight: Jim Sim 705-746-1232
 Email: kofc7080@cogeco.net

GENERAL MEETING: has been cancelled at this time
BINGO: has been cancelled at this time
Pancake Breakfast: has been cancelled at this time



St. Peter the Apostle School News:
705-746-7196
Principal Susan Eccleshall
Secretary, Danielle Hill

School Newsletter: Help us to "go green"! Send a request to speoffice@smcdsb.on.ca
JK Registration: Please visit our information site www.welcometokindergartenparrysound.ca
Grade 8 Graduation: TBD (Fall),
School Starts: Tuesday September 8, 2020

Mass Requests: Whenever you celebrate a forthcoming birthday, wedding or death anniversaries always thank God. What better way to show our gratitude to Him, than offering a Holy Mass for such intention. To book a mass call the office Wednesday or Friday mornings or send an email stpeterchurch@cogeco.net and we will be happy to help you. While the office area remains closed to visitors at this time, we will make arrangements for you to safely pick up the Mass card.

Parish Bulletin: The weekly bulletin is sent out every Friday via email. If you would like to be added to the bulletin email list, please contact Kristen in the Parish Office by either sending an email to office@stpetersparrysound.ca or call the office. You can also view the bulletin on our website www.stpeterschurchparrysound.com

SEE WHAT'S HAPPENING!

August:

- 8 - Mass @ 4:00 pm; 7:00 pm
- 9 - Mass @ 8:00 am; 11:00 am
- 12 - Mass @ 10:30 am
- 14 - Mass @ 10:30 am
- 15 - Mass @ 4:00 pm; 7:00 pm
- 16 - Mass @ 8:00 am; 11:00 am
- 19 - Mass @ 10:30 am
- 21 - Mass @ 10:30 am
- 22 - Mass @ 4:00 pm; 7:00 pm
- 23 - Mass @ 8:00 am; 11:00 am



Prayer

May we continue to remember in prayer those who have died of COVID-19, those who have suffered with this illness, those who care for them and indeed, all who minister and serve in this time of pandemic. Amen.



Gospel

[Matthew 14,22-33](#)

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Jesus walks on water, and the disciples acknowledge him as the Son of God.

Gospel Reflection – The Lord Who Feeds Us

A defendant was on trial for murder. There was strong evidence indicating guilt, but the body of the dead was not in the court room. In the defense's closing statement the lawyer, knowing that his client would probably be convicted, resorted to a trick: "Ladies and gentlemen of the jury, I have a surprise for you all," the lawyer said as he looked at his watch. "Within one minute, the person presumed dead in this case will walk into this courtroom." He looked toward the courtroom door. The jurors, somewhat stunned, all looked on eagerly. A minute passed. Nothing happened. Finally, the lawyer said, "Actually, I made up the previous statement. But you all looked on with anticipation. I therefore put it to you that there is reasonable doubt in this case as to whether anyone was killed and insist that you return a verdict of not guilty." The jury, clearly confused, retired to deliberate. A few minutes later, the jury returned and pronounced a verdict of guilty. "But how?" inquired the lawyer. "You must have had some doubt, I saw all of you stare at the door." The jury foreman replied: "Oh, we looked, but your client did not." Is doubt not part of our problem of believing in what Christ can do? Doubt comes when what we expect to happen *is not* happening, or what should not be happening *is* happening. Doubt comes when situation is in direct conflict with what we believe and often what we expect. This causes us to be confused and waver between the two, wondering which is right (Kent Crockett). St. Peter was not steady in his faith. He still had doubts as to whether it was real or not; but still called out to Jesus to save him. Jesus put out his hand at once and held him, and said, "Man of little faith, why did you doubt." And as they got into the boat, the wind stopped. St. Peter was walking on the sea like Christ, but at same time doubting, Christ. He then saw the effect of doubting the power of Christ. This happen in our prayer too. Sometimes we are praying fervently and strongly, but something happens, and we say; "no, God is not answering." The spirit then goes low and dims down. And, sometimes generally speaking we have a high spirit, growing in our faith; but at some point, we begin to doubt God. We must be sure of this; that Christ cannot abandon anyone he has called. Christ does not call people to let them down. The problem is that often those he has called abandon him. The voice of Christ is the voice that speaks of peace. Even amid tempests and tribulations, Christ is with us to calming the storm and bringing peace. We do not hold unto our doubts but know that the power to save is already in Christ who has called us. Christ does not appoint to disappoint. (Homily – Fr. Placid)

Our condolences and sympathy to Regan & Anne Marie Barker and Family for the recent passing of his mother, Theresa Barker. May her soul and the souls of all the faithful departed rest in peace.

Mass Attendance for the weekend of August 1&2nd:

Saturday @ 4 pm – 36 Saturday @ 7: pm – 21
 Sunday @ 8 am – 25 Sunday @ 11 am – 70

Readings Next Week- August 15-16th (20th Ordinary Time)

First Reading – Isaiah 56:1,6-7
 Second Reading – Romans 11:13-15,29-32
 Gospel – Matthew 15:21-28



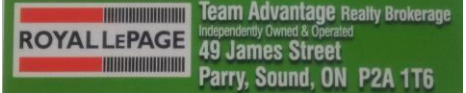
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