

IMMACULATE CONCEPTION CHURCH

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2nd SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

January 19, 2025

MASSES FOR JANUARY 21ST – JANUARY 26TH

English Rosary: Saturday 4:10 p.m. / Sunday 9:10 a.m. / Polish Rosary: Sunday 10:30 a.m.

Tuesday, January 21st	8:30 a.m.	+	Alphéda Gagnon-Murphy & her parents, req. by the Estate
Wednesday, January 22 nd	8:30 a.m.	+	Thelma O'Brien, requested by Paul & Mary O'Brien
Thursday, January 23 rd	8:30 a.m.	+	Dave Brady, requested by Paul & Mardi Ayotte
Friday, January 24 th	8:30 a.m.	+	Private Intention, requested by a parishioner
Saturday, January 25 th	4:30 p.m.	+	Bill Watkin, requested by Greg & Diane Mather
Sunday, January 26 th	9:30 a.m. 11:00 a.m.	+	For the people of Immaculate Conception parish Jan & Maria Dlugopolscy (parents) & Jan (brother) and all deceased family members

⁺ Mass for the Deceased / - Mass for the Living

PLEASE PRAY FOR: Neave Alderson, Shelly Appleton, Tim Ayotte, M.J.B., Gerard & Wanda Byrne, Joanna Carlberg, Margaret Collins, Mark Corkery, Gloria Crowley, John Dawson, Michael Dawson, Marian Dlugosz, Brian Eberle, Donna Ellis, Marie Green, Sawyer Growden, Julianna & Mary Hauer, Rachelle Kennedy, Cathy Lochner, Keith Mathieson, Peter McCarthy, Barb McKinnon, Pat McPhail, Jo Morrison, Nixon Parsons, Paul Sullivan, Linda vanTol, Rose Marie Vitarelli, Sally Weglarz, Clint Young and those who have no one to pray for them. MAY GOD BLESS YOU AND KEEP YOU CLOSE TO HIS HEART.

SOLD OUT! If you have bought a ticket, don't forget Saturday, **February 1**st. Social hour at 5:30 p.m. with dinner at 6:30 p.m. This dinner, sponsored by the Knights of Columbus, has raised \$3,325 for the parish. Enjoy!!!

SPECIFIC HELP: Some parishioners have volunteered to contribute to a new commercial vacuum for our church, since our current one died. The new vacuum cost \$734.49. Also, is there any parishioner that would like to cover the cost of a new Holy Water Sprinkler for Father? It cost \$142.35. Place your donations in the offertory basket in an envelope marked with your intention; or eTransfer to office@immaculatepeterborough.ca; or pop into the office! Any help would be most welcome!

SPIRITUAL GIFT OF HEALING MASS CARDS: Don't forget that Mass Intentions can be made for the living. We have these beautiful cards available. Simply call the office as usual to request that a Mass for healing be said for your loved one.

ALPHA IS BACK! St. Alphonsus Liguori Alpha Program invites you to meet others and chat about some of life's big questions: Is there a God? Why am I here? Where am I going? All are welcome! It starts **February 4**th for 11 weeks, 6:30 to 8:30 p.m. Each session begins with a meal, followed by a short video and then small group discussions. To register, contact: St. Alphonsus at: office@stalphonsus.net



DIOCESAN MARRIAGE PREPARATION COURSE: The diocesan Marriage Preparation

Course will take place online on Saturday, May 10th with presentations on video being sent out for three weeks previous. Couples can sign up now. <u>REGISTRATION FORM</u>

SPOUSES' CORNER

As the New Year begins, we often make resolutions for making our lives better. This year why not resolve to view your actions in a manner that will help put your spouse's needs at the forefront of your relationship. Ask what you can give to your relationship, instead of what your relationship can give to you. Everyone will be happier!



SALT & LIGHT PRESENTS: Salt and Light Media presents *Behold: The Making of a Cardinal*. This episode provides an insight into the journey of Cardinal Leo, exploring the responsibilities, process, and significance of his role within the Catholic Church. <u>VIDEO</u>



CATECHESIS OF THE GOOD SHEPHERD: "When my grandson was a babe, I learned about the Catechesis of the Good Shepherd. I knew that I wanted him to be part of this rich child-focused Catholic formation program. The atrium is a unique and reverent space, full of experiences to delight and inspire the little ones. I am grateful for the love for our faith that is modeled by the outstanding Catechists."— Patty Apac. Spaces are available! Please join us weekly on Saturday mornings 9:30-11:30 a.m. Contact Ruth Ann 613-884-6007 for an atrium tour. Our brochure, schedule and new registration form can be found online.

EUTHANASIA PREVENTION COALITION: The government just announced a survey to get Canadian's thoughts on advance requests for Medical Assistance in Dying (MAID). The survey is heavily biased and is written to assume that you agree with these advanced requests. Alex Schadenberg, Executive Director of the Euthanasia Prevention Coalition, has put out a guide to help you answer the survey. Please contact your member of parliament and have your voice heard. **GUIDE TO RESPONDING** | **PETITION**

CATHOLIC WOMEN'S CONFERENCE: Dynamic Women of Faith is holding their yearly women's conference on Saturday, **March 22nd**. Location: The Old Mill (Old Mill Subway Station), registration at 8:00 a.m. and 9:00 a.m.-4:00 p.m. for keynote speaker and special guests talks. Holy Mass will be celebrated at the end of the conference. See poster on our bulletin board for more info. **REGISTER**

Jubilee Mass: World Day for Consecrated Life

St. Mary's Church, Lindsay

You are invited to join St. Mary's, Lindsay as they celebrate the year of Jubilee and the World Day of Consecrated Life.

Sunday, February 2nd

10:30 a.m. **Blessing** of the candles

11:00 a.m. Mass by his Excellency Bishop Miehm

12:15 p.m. **Reception** in the parish hall

NOTE: Leave your candles on the stairs of the altar for the blessing and pick up again at 10:45 a.m.

