



Epiphany of the Lord Sunday, January 8, 2017

Weekend Liturgy Times

Saturday 5:00 pm, Sunday 9:00 am & 11:00 am

Pastor: Rev. Asisclo Podelino p.p. **Deacon:** Rev. Douglas Penn

Secretary: Mrs. Patricia Elcome **Office Hours:** M-F, 9am-3pm

Private Reconciliation

Saturday 4-4:30, Sunday 9-9:30, 10-10:30 or by appt.

Schedule & Intentions (Jan. 9-15)

Please Note: This week we will pray Morning Prayer of the Church 15 minutes before daily Masses in the Chapel.

Monday, January 9	9:00 am	
Tuesday, January 10	9:00 am	
Wed., January 11	9:00 am	
Thursday, January 12	9:00 am	
Friday, January 13	9:00 am	
Saturday, January 14	5:00 pm	Mass for the People
Sunday, January 15	9:00 am	
	11:00 am	For Joanne Hamers by Mary Kay Wilks and Family

Registration Form

Welcome! It is a great joy to welcome new members to our parish community. Please register as soon as possible in order to participate in our various programs, ministries and activities. Just drop this form in the collection basket and we will contact you.

Name _____
Phone # _____

Readings for Next Sunday

1st Reading: Isaiah 49.3, 5-6
2nd Reading: 1 Corinthians 1.1-3
Gospel: John 1.29-34



Ministries for Next Week: Jan. 14/15

Readers

5 pm
9 am Please serve at the Mass you attend.
11 am



Eucharistic Ministers

5 pm Natalie Stretton, Debbie & John Boyce
9 am Lucie Owen, Marg McSweeney, Johanna Plomp
11 am Deacon Doug, Pauline & Rex Pattison



Ushers

5 pm Fred Horvath, Marilyn Jumalon
9 am Joe Mercz, Dennie Radcliffe
11 am Ken Young, Brendan Ward



Children's Liturgy

11:00 am Mary Assaf, Truus Vreeker



Altar Servers

5 pm
9 am Please serve at the Mass you attend.
11 am



SVP Information

For assistance please call 905 786 2249



Financial Information – Dec 31/Jan. 1

Offertory	\$1,927.75
Initial Offering	\$1,779.50
Capital Fund	\$ 95.00
New Year's Offering	\$ 661.70



Thank you for your generosity!

Weekly Offering Option

Are you aware that we offer the service of using automatic withdrawal for your parish weekly offering? With this electronic support, you decide what a fair and constant contribution is for you, and set that up with our Parish Secretary.



2017 Envelopes **Last Chance**

The boxed sets of envelopes for next year may be picked up in the back of the Gathering Room today. After this weekend they will be in the Parish Office.



Announcement

His Holiness Pope Francis has named His Excellency Most Reverend Bishop W. T. McGrattan (currently Bishop of Peterborough) as the eighth Bishop of Calgary replacing Most Reverend Bishop Frederick B. Henry who has served as Bishop of Calgary since March 19, 1998. Bishop McGrattan will be installed as Bishop of Calgary on February 27, 2017. He has served as Bishop of Peterborough since June 23, 2014.



What is the meaning of the Sign of the Cross?

Through the Sign of the Cross we place ourselves under the protection of the Triune God.

The Sign of the Cross

At the beginning of the day, at the beginning of a prayer, but also at the beginning of important undertakings, a Christian makes the Sign of the Cross over himself and thus starts his business "in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit". We are surrounded on all sides by the Triune God; calling upon him by name sanctifies the things we set out to do; it obtains > BLESSINGS for us and strengthens us in difficulties and temptations.

In the name of the Father, and of the son, and of the Holy Spirit.

Amen.



Words of Pope Francis

Let us entrust the New Year to Mary, Mother of God, so that peace and mercy may grow throughout the world.

Sunday Funny New Year's Prayer

Dear Lord, So far this year I've done well. I haven't gossiped, I haven't lost my temper, I haven't been greedy, grumpy, nasty, selfish, or overindulgent. I'm very thankful for that. But in a few minutes, Lord, I'm going to get out of bed, and from then on I'm probably going to need a lot more help. Amen



Special thanks to all the parishioners who contributed to the success of the St. Vincent de Paul bell program. Because of your kindness, thirty-two local families received Christmas gift cards. We would like to recognize volunteers from the parish who were instrumental in the preparation and delivery of the hampers. Thank you to the Catholic Women's League, the Knights of Columbus, the Lion's Club and St. Francis of Assisi Catholic School for their generous financial contributions. Food for the hampers came from the food drives at St. Stephen's Secondary School and St. Francis School. May God bless you all for your continued support of the poor amongst us.

Development & Peace Share Lent Workshop

Women At The Heart Of Change

In this Jubilee year, we have decided to put forward a theme, "Women at the heart of change", that is dear to us, a theme that is both a source of hope and a catalyst for change. This Lent, Development and Peace will be joining its voice to that of Pope Francis, who in his video message of May 3rd, 2016, invited us to pray with him "that in all countries of the world, women may be honoured, respected and valued for their essential contribution to society." If you would like to lend a hand in your parish or find out more, please join us on Saturday, January 21, at Immaculate Conception Church, 386 Roger Street, Peterborough, ON., registration 9:00am workshop 9:30am to 2:30pm Lunch provided call 705 745 0034 or RSVP kstaunton@cogeco.ca.



FIAT Retreat for Young Women

Young women from 18-35 are invited to the annual FIAT discernment retreat hosted by the Vocations Office. This retreat features awesome guest speakers from the married vocation and from religious life who will share about how young women can discover their calling in life. The retreat will be Jan. 20-22 at the Villa retreat centre in Cobourg (carpooling available from Peterborough) and a donation of \$25 is suggested. Register by emailing vocations@peterboroughsiocese.org.

For Your Information

Offertory and any additional donations up to and including Sunday, December 25 offertory will be included on the 2016 receipts. Any donations received during our New Year's liturgies will be included on 2017 receipts.

