

## 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time Sunday, January 14, 2018

### 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. 15-22)

**Please Note:** This week we will pray Morning Prayer of the Church 20 minutes before daily Masses in the Chapel.

Monday, January 15	9:00 am	For Isabella Sultan-Khan requested by her family
Tuesday, January 16	NO MASS	
Wed., January 17	10:30 am	Fosterbrooke Nursing Home
	7:00 pm	Before K of C Meeting
Thursday, January 18	9:00 am	School Mass (@SFA School) Everyone Welcome
Friday, January 19	9:00 am	
Saturday, January 20	5:00 pm	For Lidy Bouwmeester by John & her family
Sunday, January 21	9:00 am	Mass for the People
	11:00 am	For Pat Landers by Mary Jeffrey

## 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

1<sup>st</sup> Reading: Jon.3.1-5, 10  
2<sup>nd</sup> Reading: 1 Cor.7.29-31  
Gospel: Mk. 1.14-20

### Ministries for Next Week: Jan. 20/21

#### Readers

5 pm Pat Chidley, Joachim Baur  
9 am Lucie Owen, Christina Wilson  
11 am Carole Penn, Theresa Vanhaverbeke

#### Eucharistic Ministers

5 pm Natalie Stretton, Eileen Parry, Johanna Plomg  
9 am Al Gabriel, Lucie Owen, Dennie  
11 am Mary Pierik, Helen Cartier, Deacon Doug

#### Ushers

5 pm Marilyn Jumalon, Jeannette Vandervooren  
9 am Mark Benedet, Joe Mercz  
11 am Peter Peters, Viktor Klepac

### Children's Liturgy

11 am Cindy Pearce  
**\*\*Children's Liturgy is intended for children in Kindergarten – Grade 2. Younger children are welcome but must be accompanied by an adult\*\***  
Thank you

### Altar Servers

5 pm Adult Servers.  
9 am Adult Servers.  
11 am Please check your schedules.

### SSVP Information

**For assistance please call 905 786 2249.**  
Members will be at the back of the church for their monthly collection today.

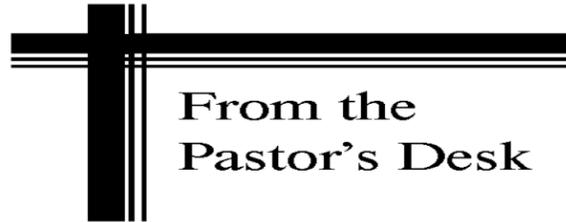
### Financial Information (Jan. 6/7)

Offertory	\$1,507.00
Christmas	\$ 5.00
Offertory (New Year's)	\$ 95.00
Initial Offering	\$ 180.00
Capital Fund	\$ 20.00

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.



### Is prayer not just a sort of conversation with yourself?

**The distinctive feature about prayer is precisely the fact that one goes from Me to You, from self-centeredness to radical openness. Someone who is really praying can experience the fact that God speaks—and that often he does not speak as we expect and would like.**

Those who are experienced in prayer report that a person very often comes out of a prayer session different from the way he went in. Sometimes expectations are met: you are sad and find consolation; you lack confidence and receive new strength. It can also happen, though, that you would like to forget pressures but are made even more uneasy; that you would like to be left in peace and instead receive an assignment. A real encounter with God—the kind that occurs again and again in prayer—can shatter our preconceptions about both God and prayer.

### Words of Pope Francis

God became a child to be closer to the men and women of every time, and to show us His infinite tenderness.



### Thought for the Week

**Happiness is an inside job. Don't assign anyone else that much power over your life.**

### Sunday Funny

A preacher was completing a temperance sermon. With great expression he said, "If I had all the beer in the world, I'd take it and throw it into the river!" The congregation nodded their approval. With even greater emphasis he added, "And if I had all the wine in the world, I'd take it and throw it into the river, too!" The people clapped and were saying "Amen." And then finally, he concluded, "And if I had all the whiskey in the world, I'd take it and throw it into the river!" As he sat down, the song leader then stood up quite cautiously and announced, "For our closing song, let us sing Hymn #365: "Shall We Gather at the River."



### Children's Sacrament News

Parents whose children attend the Public School or French Immersion School and who wish their child to receive the Sacrament of Confirmation here at St. Francis are asked to contact the Parish Office as soon as possible.



### Journey through the Bible

Join us for a Journey through the Bible – a seven-week trip from Creation to the formation of the Church. Our Lady of Peace Room Tuesday evening 7pm-8:30pm, or on Wednesday 2pm-3:30pm, starting on January 16/17 respectively. Please register with the Parish Office to receive a Bible Timeline Chart.



### The Second Annual St. Joseph Dinner

Tickets are available for the 2nd Annual St. Joseph Dinner in support of campus ministry. Funds raised support Catholic ministry to students at Trent University and Fleming College. The dinner will take place Saturday Feb. 3 at the Evinrude Centre Banquet Hall in Peterborough. Cocktail hour at 5:30, Dinner at 6:30. Students from Trent, Fleming and Sacred Heart College will speak, as will keynote speaker Bishop Daniel Miehm. Tickets will be available in the Gathering Room after Mass next weekend.

### The Flying Fathers Hockey Game

Time is running out to get tickets for the return of the Flying Fathers. These hockey playing priests will combine on-ice antics with competition at the Ennismore arena on Monday January 29 at 6pm, featuring two priests of the Diocese of Peterborough, Fr. John Perdue and Fr. Paul Patrick. Tickets are \$15 each, children under 12 free, and can be purchased by calling 705-874-1871 at [www.ptbovocations.ca/hockey](http://www.ptbovocations.ca/hockey).



### 2018 Offertory Envelopes

The boxed sets of envelopes for next year may be picked up in the Gathering Room. Please check the label on your box to be sure that we have your complete address on file. If you would like a box for 2018 please take a box and record your information on the first few envelopes. The boxes are in alphabetical order.



### St. Francis Senior's Social

Join fellow parishioners every Thursday afternoon from 1-4 pm in the OLP Room.

