CHURCH OF THE PURIFICATION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY



St. Mary's Church - est. 1859-

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Father Dominic Clovis IVE, Pastor frdominicclovis@peterboroughdiocese.org

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Mon. to Wed.: 9:00 a.m. to 3:30 p.m.

Thurs. and Fri.: 9:00 a.m. to 12 noon

Jubilee Year of Hope

Parish Office Karen Quinn, Office Administrator office@stmaryslindsay.ca 705-324-4828

Sacraments

Office Hours:

Schedules

weekend masses:	
Saturday	5:00 p.m.
Sunday	9:00 a.m., 11:00 a.m.

Weekday Masses:

Check the weekly mass listi	ngs as times may change
Monday to Friday	7:30 a.m.
Wednesday, Thursday	7:00 p.m.
Saturday	9:00 a.m.
1st Friday of the Month	7:30 a.m., 7:00 p.m.

Adoration:

Times may vary due to v	weddings or	funerals
Tuesday to Friday	5:30 p.m.	– 7:00 p.m.
Saturday	9:30 a.m.	- 12 noon.
1st Friday of the month	10:00 a.m.	– 7:00 p.m.

Confessions:

By appointment or,			
Wednesday	5:45 p.m.	_	6:15 p.m.
Saturday	10:00 a.m.	_	11:00 a.m.
	4:30 p.m.	_	5:00 p.m.
1st Friday of the month	8:00 a.m.	-	9:00 a.m.,
	5:45 p.m.	_	6:15 p.m.

Parish Schools

St. Mary Elementary	705-324-3113
St. Dominic Elementary	705-878-3660
St. John Paul II Elementary	705-324-7445
St. Thomas Aquinas HIghschool	705-878-4117

St. Mary's Cemetery

Peter Robson	705-328-0918	
email: cemetery@stmaryslindsay.ca		
website: www.cemetery.stm	naryslindsay.ca	

New Parishioners: Welcome to our Parish! Please introduce yourself to our priests and the ushers. A registration form is in the church for you to complete and return to the usher or parish office.

Marriage: Engaged couples can contact the parish office to arrange their first meeting with the priest. This meeting should occur 6 months to one year before the proposed marriage date.

Baptism: Please contact the parish office for details. Baptisms are offered at the end of the month. A pre-baptism online meeting is required.

Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults (RCIA): Classes start the beginning of October. Please call the parish office to register.

Catechism Classes (October to May):

First Communion and Confirmation schedules are listed on the parish website, Sacramental Prep. page, at https:// stmaryslindsay.ca/sacraments/#sacramental-prep

Anointing of the Sick: If you have a family member or know someone near death please call the rectory and request the sacrament of the sick.

Homebound Ministry: If you know someone who is unable to attend church please call the parish office and we can arrange a visit.

Funerals: Please call the parish office to discuss funeral Mass arrangements. The office works closely with funeral homes to meet your planning needs.

St. Mary's Church Bulletin

Readings for Sunday February 9 Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time

1 st Reading:	Isaiah 6.1-2a, 3-8
2 nd Reading:	1 Corinthians 15.1-11
Gospel:	Luke 5.1-11

MASSES FOR THE WEEK February 10 - 16

Sunday February 9

For the People of our Parish 9:00 a.m. 11:00 a.m. 非 Joanne Hough / Staff of Monseigneur O'Donohue Schooll

Monday February 10

In thanksgiving for graces received (Prayers of 7:30 a.m. the parishioners) / Eugene Carlin 8:00 a.m. Rosarv

Tuesday February 11

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7:30 a.m.	# Theresa Campbell
8:00 a.m.	Rosary
5:30 p.m.	Adoration

Wednesday February 12

7:30 a.m.	뷰 Wayne Tracey
8:00 a.m.	Rosary
5:30 p.m.	Adoration (with Confession)
7:00 p.m.	뷰 Jim Brasier / Noreen and Family

Thursday February 13

7:30 a.m.	╬ Louise Woychesko
8:00 a.m.	Rosary
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5:30 p.m.	Adoration

Friday February 14

7:30 a.m.	Mass (with no intention)
8:00 a.m.	Rosary
5:30 p.m.	Adoration

Saturday February 15

8:15 a.m. Rosary # lardino Family and Mattia lardino 9:00 a.m. 9:30 a.m. - 12 noon Adoration 10:00 a.m. - 11:00 a.m. Confession 5:00 p.m. # David McLean / Karen Gonzales

Sunday February 16

Confession 30 minutes before Mass # Joanne Hough / Annette & Peter Watson 9:00 a.m. 11:00 a.m. For the People of our Parish

PRAY FOR THE SICK



Especially for Bob Ashmore, Keith Bryan, Cathy Clarke, Tom England, Terry and Donna McNenly, Victoria Dlugosz, Ray Addley, Marg Wansbrough, Rylee Stewart, Kathleen Walden, Cathy and Tom Bushell, Nicole Lessard, Norm Forget, James Callaghan, Paul

Bouwmeester, Charlene Ashmore, Norma Goller, Emma Junkin, Myrna Morgan, Ron O'Connor. Suzanne O'Leary, Genevieve Rodrigues.

And for the deceased members of our parish.

Especially Wayne Tracey, Louise Woychesko, and Teresa Campbell. May they receive the gift of eternal life in heaven.

PARISH OFFICE CLOSURE

February 11th, the parish office will be closed for the day.

2025 JUBILEE YEAR OF HOPE

Pope Francis has declared 2025 as the Jubilee Year of Hope. A jubilee year is celebrated every 25 years, and our Bishop designates the churches with Jubilee Status. St. Mary's Lindsay is among this honour and shared with St. Peter's Cathedral in Peterborough, St. Michael's in Cobourg, and St. Patrick's in Kearney.



There is a calendar for events within our Diocese. See the link below.

https://www.peterboroughdiocese.org/en/aboutus/resources/From-the-Vineyard/2024---FTV/November-29-2024/Christmas-copy-14.pdf

JUBILEE PILGRIMAGE PASSPORT & PAMPHLET

In celebration of the Jubilee Year of Hope the Diocese of Peterborough has designed a Jubilee Pilgrimage Passport. Please find the passports at the back of the church and you are invited to collect a sticker from each of the 4 designated pilgrim churches. These passports will also be available at the designated churches and can be downloaded from the Diocesan website

https://www.peterboroughdiocese.org/en/getinvolved/jubilee-year-2025-pilgrimage-churches.aspx

Also at the back of the church are the Jubilee pamphlet. A booklet of prayers and explanations about the Jubilee Year of Hope.

HOMEBOUND MINISTRY

We are looking for volunteers to visit and bring communion to the Homebound. If you are interested, please contact Homebound Ministry coordinator Lillian O'Connell at 647-884-1882.

If you are unable to attend Mass but would like to receive communion, please call the parish office to request a volunteer visit you with the Eucharist.

WORLD MARRIAGE DAY

PRAYER FOR OUR MARRIAGE



Heavenly Father, we thank You for your tremendous gift of the Sacrament of Marriage. Enable us to grow in our intimacy with You and with each other. Teach us the beauty of forgiveness so we may become more and more one in heart, mind and body. Strengthen our

communication with each other and help us become living signs of your love. Help us to be examples of commitment, love, and service to our families and children. Make us a sign of the unity which Jesus prays for at the Last Supper. We open ourselves to the guidance of your Holy Spirit, who empowers us to love in Jesus' name and walk in His footsteps. Amen.

SACRAMENT CLASS SCHEDULES

First Communion

After the 9 am and 11 am Sunday masses in the breakfast room of St. Mary Elementary school.

- Session 5- February 9 2025, in person
- Session 6- February 23 2025, online at home
- Retreat- March 1 2025, in person

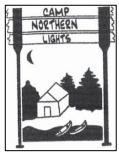
Confirmation

7:00 p.m. to 8:30 p.m., will take place in the Sacristy of the Church on the following dates:

- Session 9 February 11
- Session 10 February 25

CAMP NORTHERN LIGHTS

On February 22nd and 23rd Special collection envelopes



will be in the church and pews for the Camp Northern Lights Collection.

Camp Northern Lights had a successful year in 2024 thanks to your generosity to our annual special collection. Camp Northern Lights will be running for its 53rd year this summer offering a wilderness camping experience for disadvantaged youth of the ages 9 to 13 from local areas and leadership

experience for high school students as volunteer counsellors. Place your envelope in the offertory basket being sure to clearly write your name and address on the envelope to receive a tax receipt in the future. **Please make cheques payable to St. Mary's Church**. Thank you for your generosity.

WOMEN'S RETREAT

An opportunity for women of all ages to have a getaway weekend with the Lord during Lent. The retreat will be facilitated by a team from Madonna House, **March 14-16 at Elim Lodge on Pigeon Lake**. The theme will be 'Hope in the Eucharist'. For details and registration contact Astrid Nordholt at 905-377-0688 or fraggletops@yahoo.ca

FAITH FORMATION

"The Greatest Love Story" - Fr Mike Schmitz February 18th, 2025 @ 7:00 pm - St Mary's Sacristy



We hope you will join us for this outstanding presentation!

CELTIC NIGHT

Saturday, March 22 at 6:30pm

Please join us for a post-St. Patrick's Day night of Celtic music in St. Mary's gym. If you would like to participate with a musical number or help with snacks, contact Stacy or Desi by text/phone at 705-879-5187 or by email <u>dezmondo1971@gmail.com</u>.

Lots of time to practice. Everyone is welcome. Please use the contact info if you have any questions.

Good will offering to church's decorating fund appreciated.

ROSARY MAKERS

We are looking for destinations that we can distribute our rosaries. If you know of a place, please leave a note in the collection basket, or email the parish office.

SAINT VINCENT DE PAUL

Thank you to all parishioners for your donations at last weeks collection Your weekly donations of non-perishable food help us to feed the hungry through Lindsay Community Food Market where our members are part of the team helping others. Donations of Cereal, Soups, Toilet Paper, Peanut Butter, Pasta, canned meats, chili, vegetables and Tuna are much appreciated. We appreciate and thank you for your ongoing generosity and prayers.

Neighbours in need please call 705-340-3001

CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE

THANK YOU! To all parishioners who helped and prayed for the success of the Bishop's reception and Jubilee Mass.

Annual General Meeting. After 11:00 mass **Sun. Feb. 9**. Soup and Bun lunch. Open to all women in the parish.

Membership of \$40 is due. Place in an envelope with contact information plus email. Questions or concerns call Gloria 705-324-2290.

ST. MARY'S CEMETERY

The cemetery Annual General Meeting will be on **Sunday 9th February at 2:00 pm**. in the Knights of Columbus room. All plot holders and interested parishioners are encouraged to attend. Election of directors and other annual business will take place at this meeting.

SUPPORT CARDS

Sales this week: \$3,375 Sales to date: \$4,795,350 Profit this week: \$171 Profit to date: \$251,935

Every time you buy a gift card, you are donating 5% to our Property Maintenance fund. Gift cards will be available at the Rectory Office, by request. Only cash and cheque payments are accepted. Gift cards are available from the following stores and denominations.

> Canadian Tire: \$25, \$50, \$100 Giant Tiger: \$25, \$50 Food Basics: \$25, \$50, \$100 Home Hardware: \$25, \$50, \$100 LaMantia: \$20 Tim Hortons: \$10, \$25, \$50 President's Choice: \$25, \$50, \$100 Swiss Chalet/Kelsey's: \$25, \$50, \$100

DONATIONS TO YOUR PARISH

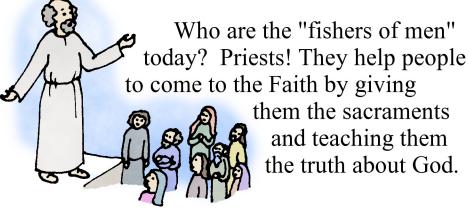
Offertory	\$2,930
Preauthorized offering	\$2,292
Total	\$5,222

Thank you for using <u>Pre-authorized offering System</u> and <u>Canadahelps.org</u>. Please contact the parish office for donation options: email <u>office@stmaryslindsay.ca</u> or phone 705-324-4828, thank you.



In today's gospel reading Peter had been out fishing all night and hadn't been able to catch any fish. When Jesus told him to let down the nets again he did it anyway. He was very surprised when the nets filled up with fish right away. And there were so many that the boat started to sink!

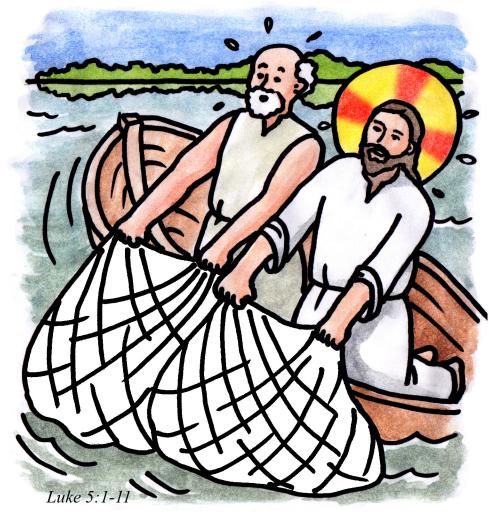
Jesus told Peter and his friends James and John that he was going to make them "fishers of men." But He didn't mean that they would catch people in nets! He was showing them that they had to bring people into the Church.



Answers to picture puzzle: top 2,4; middle 5,1; bottom 6, 3

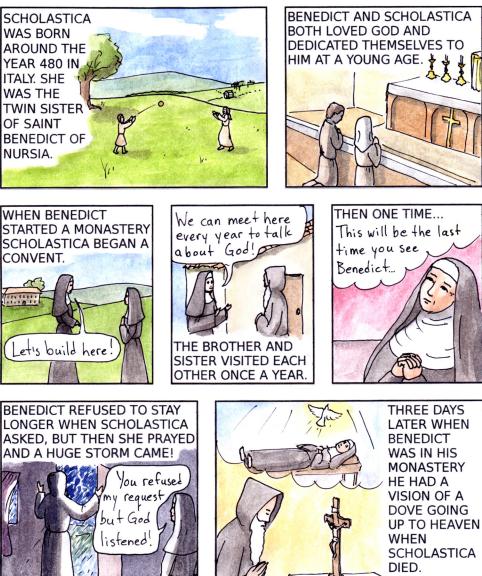
The Kids' Bulletin

Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time February 9th, 2025



Peter had been fishing all night and caught nothing. But when Jesus told him to let the nets down again, they got filled right up! Can you draw enough fish to fill the nets?



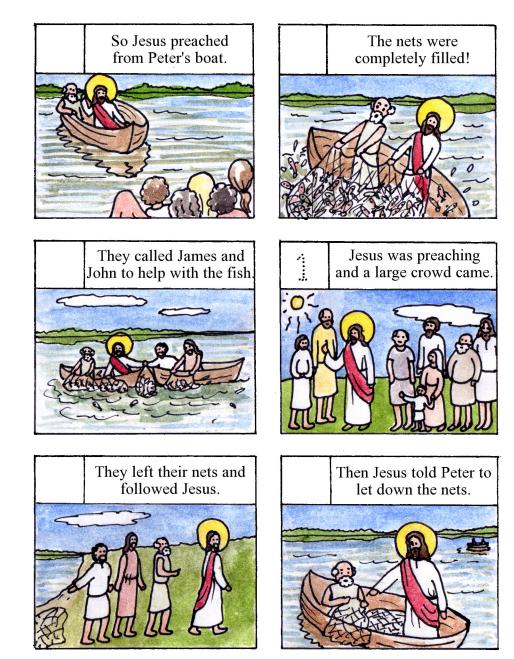


SAINT SCHOLASTICA AND HER BROTHER SAINT BENEDICT ARE A GREAT EXAMPLE TO US OF HOW BROTHERS AND SISTERS CAN HELP EACH OTHER TO BECOME HOLY. DO YOU EVER PRAY WITH YOUR BROTHERS OR SISTERS OR FRIENDS? YOU CAN HELP EACH OTHER BECOME SAINTS!

thekidsbulletin@gmail.com

Picture Puzzle: An Amazing Catch!

The pictures for this story are all mixed up! Sort them out by putting the right numbers in the corners.



Pilgrims of Hope - Jubilee 2025

PILGRIMAGE - RECONCILIATION - PRAYER - LITURGY - PROFESSION OF FAITH



Plenary Indulgences available*:

- Pilgrimage to the Holy Doors in Rome
- Pilgrimage to your local Cathedral
- Pilgrimage to national shrines
- Perform works of mercy

*To obtain an indulgence, the usual conditions of detachment from all sin, sacramental confession, holy Communion, and prayer for the intentions of the pope must be met.

Scan the QR Code for a list of our Diocesan Events:





Jubilee Opening Mass:

Celebrated by Bishop Daniel Miehm December 29th, 2024 at 10:30am Cathedral of St. Peter in Chains

Save the Date!

Diocesan Pilgrimage Martyr's Shrine in Midland September 20, 2025

Details & Registration available from your parish.



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