

SEEDS OF HOPE: BUILDING A BRIGHTER TOMORROW

Diocesan Collection Supporting Peterborough Campus Ministry and the Office of Vocations
Weekend of July 31/August 1



1 in 4

newly ordained priests
participated in campus ministry
while attending university.



1 in 7

newly ordained priests participated
in Quo Vadis programs.



4 in 5

students who participated in campus
ministry go on to practice their Catholic
faith after university.



79% of people who were raised Catholic
and then left the Church, did so by the *age of 24*.

71% of these report "gradually drifting away"
as their main reason for leaving the Church.

Engaging and investing in our young people is critically important for
both their faith in Christ and for the health of the Catholic Church.

My own faith has been strengthened through
campus ministry by allowing me
to be a part of a community of people who
support and care for each other.
- Christopher S.

Peterborough Campus Ministry serves the Catholic
communities of Trent University and
Sir Sandford Fleming College. Alumni have become
missionaries, discerned the priesthood, and become
active parishioners in local parishes.

Quo Vadis has given me the ability to share
in prayer, sacraments, and fellowship
with young men who are also
searching for God's will.
- Peter D.

Quo Vadis ("Where are you going?") brings
together young adult men for prayer, formation,
and discussion around discovering God's calling
in their lives. Quo Vadis is presented by the
Office of Vocations and supported by this
collection.

THANK YOU FOR YOUR GENEROUS SUPPORT!