



IMMACULATE CONCEPTION CHURCH
386 Rogers Street, Peterborough, ON K9H 1W7
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26th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

September 27, 2026

MASSES FOR SEPTEMBER 29th – OCTOBER 4th

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

Tues. Sept. 29 th	8:30 a.m.	+	Tim & Dorthey Moloney, requested by the family
Wed. Sept. 30 th	8:30 a.m.	+	Alphéda Gagnon-Murphy & her parents, req. by the Estate
Thur. Oct. 1 st	8:30 a.m.	+	Bonnie Elliott, requested by Paul & Mardi Ayotte
Fri. Oct. 2 nd	8:30 a.m.	+	Peter Sr. & Eleanor Ayotte, requested by the family
FIRST FRIDAY	9:00 – 12:00	...	<i>Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament followed by Benediction</i>
Sat. Oct. 3 rd	4:30 p.m.	+	Deceased family members of Jeremiah & Mary Doherty, requested by the family
Sun. Oct. 4 th	9:30 a.m. 11:00 a.m.	– +	<i>For the people of Immaculate Conception Parish</i> Frederico Santaluce requested by Henryka & Irene Golas

+ Mass for the Deceased / – Mass for the Living

PLEASE PRAY FOR: Andrew Morrison, Bonnie Morley, Cathy Lochner, Charlie Davies, Dan Selby, Dave Thomas, Dave Worr, Evelyn Crook, Francine Leger-Gillard, Gerard & Wanda Byrne, Jack & Irene Zeyen, Jason Ayotte, Jo Morrison, John Dawson, Julianna & Mary Hauer, Keith Mathieson, Lauren Carey, Linda vanTol, M.J.B., Marian Dlugosz, Marie Green, Marilyn MacKeigan, Michael Dawson, Mike Sullivan, Neave Alderson, Pat D, Peter McCarthy, Renie (Zeyen) Place, Rose Marie Vitarelli, Sawyer Growden, Tim Ayotte, Zita Lightfoot and those who have no one to pray for them. MAY GOD BLESS YOU AND KEEP YOU CLOSE TO HIS HEART.

CONDOLENCES: The faith community of Immaculate Conception Parish extends to the family and friends of **Norma Elva Costello** our deepest sympathy, love and support at this time of grief. MAY THE SOULS OF THE FAITHFUL DEPARTED REST IN PEACE

SPECIAL COLLECTION THIS WEEKEND: This weekend, **September 26/27**, our parish joins Catholics from coast-to-coast in supporting the shared mission of the Church in Canada. Your gift strengthens the mission of our diocese and, together with the gifts of Catholics across the country, supports work that no single diocese or eparchy could accomplish alone. Through this collection, we help the Church proclaim the Gospel, support families and communities, promote respect for human life and the dignity of every human person, accompany migrants and refugees, and provide catechetical resources for Catholics throughout Canada. What begins as a gift in our parish becomes part of the shared mission of the Church across the country. Please give prayerfully and generously.



SUMMER RAFFLE – FINAL RESULTS: After the final accounting, our annual raffle raised an incredible **\$11,121** for our parish! A heartfelt thank you to the Knights of Columbus for organizing and managing the raffle, and to everyone who purchased tickets and supported their efforts. Your generosity and participation made this wonderful result possible.

MEN IN BLACK CONCERT: St. Mary's in Lindsay is hosting a Spaghetti Dinner and a Men In Black concert, Wednesday, **September 30th**. For tickets, contact Glenda at **705-340-5357**. (See poster on our bulletin board.)

Financial Corner — July & August

JULY: Offertory Income: \$12,351.90 | **Expenses:** \$24,739.16 | **LOSS:** (\$12,387.26)

[VIEW TOP TEN JULY EXPENSES](#)

Significant loss this month due to the 1st installment of insurance and a 3-pay month.



AUGUST: Offertory Income: \$12,829.40 | **Expenses:** \$11,073.57 | **PROFIT:** \$1,755.83

[VIEW TOP TEN AUGUST EXPENSES](#)

Finally, Offertory covered Expenses. (Salaries low as Patsy was off.).

We now have our 2026 Catholic Mutual Insurance payments totalling **\$28,506.93**.

Final installments split between October, December, and March.

If you would like to make a donation specifically toward these insurance costs, your support would be sincerely appreciated. Please mark your envelope or e-transfer with **"Insurance Fund."**

Thank you for helping us meet this significant annual expense.

CATHOLIC GROUP PETERBOROUGH: All young adult Catholics are invited to join a group with other young adult Catholics based in Peterborough! Use the QR code in the poster to be added to the WhatsApp group and stay in touch with future events. *(See poster on our bulletin board.)*

WORKSHOP ON GRIEF: Saturday, **October 3rd**, Mount Carmel Spiritual Centre, Niagara Falls. \$70 includes lunch. Call to register: **905-356-4114 ext. 4200**. *(See poster on our bulletin board.)*

BIBLE STUDY AT ST JOHN THE BAPTIST, PETERBOROUGH: This Fall, St John the Baptist Bible Study Group will be starting a new journey—an in-depth study on the Most Holy Eucharist “The Source & Summit of the Christian life”. Some of the topics that will be covered: The Bread from Heaven, The Last Supper, The Institution of the Eucharist, The Eucharistic Sacrifice, and The Epiclesis. Classes will be every other Thursday starting **October 1st** from 7:00 to 8:00 p.m. For more details contact: Daniel Rozario at **647-928-6414** or DanielRozario@live.com.

LIFE CHAIN: **Sunday, October 4th** from 2:00 to 3:00 p.m. between George and Park Streets. Meet at Sacred Heart Church, 208 Romaine Street, beginning at 1:30 p.m. to pick up signs. *Prayers for Life* afterwards at Sacred Heart Church. [MORE INFORMATION](#) or call Elizabeth: **705-292-7056**.

Canadian Conference of Catholic Bishops — Plenary Assembly

The Plenary Assembly also approved a [Letter to His Holiness Pope Leo XIV](#), signed by Bishop Goudreault on behalf of the Bishops present. In the letter, the Bishops ask for the Holy Father's prayers as they undertake their common discernment and consider the pastoral priorities that will guide the work of the Conference in the coming year. The letter also reflects on a number of matters facing the Church and Canadian society, including synodality, human dignity, artificial intelligence, migration, the sacred liturgy, and the Church's responsibility toward victims and survivors of sexual abuse.



[Watch this YouTube message, including video of the event](#)

"Let us learn to listen to one another, face the present challenges with courage, and cooperate in building a more human and fraternal society." — Pope Leo XIV, Magnifica Humanitas"