

ST. LAWRENCE O'TOOLE ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH

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PARISH OFFICE HOURS:

Monday & Wednesday - Friday 9:30 am - 2:30 pm

PASTOR

Rev. Patrick M. Dobec, P.P.

SUNDAY MASS

Saturday: 4:30 p.m.

Sunday: 9:30 a.m.

WEEKDAY MASS

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SACRAMENT OF PENANCE

Saturday 3:45 p.m. – 4:15 p.m.

Weekdays – Before all Masses or by appointment

ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

Solemn Exposition – First Friday

Simple Exposition – As Announced

TWENTY-SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

1 September 2019

Let us pray . . .

Pope's Prayer Intention: That politicians, scientists and economists work together to protect the world's seas and oceans.

For those who are experiencing illness . . . especially those who are undergoing treatment and those recovering from surgery.

For those who labour . . . that the dignity and safety of all who work will always be upheld and that our work may be sanctified and modeled on the holy house of Nazareth.

For those who have died and left this transitory life . . . especially for the repose of the soul of our loved ones, Irene DeRoche, Rose Mary MacPhail and Margaret Morris. Requiescant in Pace.

CELEBRATION OF MASS

Wednesday	at the Valley Manor 10:30 a.m.	Intentions of Mary Blank
Thursday	Our Lady of Perpetual Help Devotion 12:00 noon	The Angelus
	12:10 p.m.	Gilbert Rumleskie by Eddie & Diane Etmanskie
First Friday	9:00 a.m.	Al Smaglinski by Richard Shulist Theresa Neville by Nicolas Brown

(ROSARY IS USUALLY RECITED 25 MINUTES BEFORE ALL WEEKDAY MASS & SATURDAY VIGIL MASS)

TWENTY- THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

8 September 2019

Saturday	4:30 pm	Mary & Isadore Dombroskie by Colleen & Andrew Dombroskie Intentions for Rain by a parishioner
Sunday	9:30 am	Missa Pro Populo (Mass for all the People)

LITURGICAL APPOINTMENTS

	September 7th	September 8th
Readers	Terri MacLeod	Lorraine Flynn
Ushers	Gerald August & Tony Burant	James Kluge & Jerome Sernoskie
Gift Bearers	Neil & Connie O'Reilly	Andrew & Shirley Yantha
Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion	Maxine Smaglinski	John Artymko/David Cannon

WORLD DAY OF PRAYER FOR THE CARE OF CREATION – In 2015, Pope Francis declared September 1st as the World Day of Prayer for the care of Creation. Coinciding with a celebration instituted by the Orthodox Church, it is also a day of ecumenical prayer and unity.

ECROLOGY OF THE PRIESTS OF THE DIOCESE OF PEMBROKE: FOR SEPTEMBER

Daniel Joseph Breen – September 3, 1971
Joseph Eugene Gravelle – September 3, 1973
William C. Dwyer – September 4, 1965
Thomas R. O'Connor – September 5, 1995
Paul J. Ling – September 5, 1997
William Breen – September 7, 1956
Nil Guillemette – September 11, 2014
Henri Grenier – September 20, 1973
Thomas Patrick Tait, September 23, 1983
Raphael Glofcheski – September 23, 2015
Joseph R. Windle – September 24, 1997
John Joseph Hogan – September 30, 1961

Lord, hear the prayers we offer for the deceased priests of the diocese of Pembroke. They faithfully filled their ministry to your name. May they rejoice for ever in the communion of your saints.

Requiescant in pace.

GRATITUDE - The Parish Family is very grateful to the Social Committee for organizing our garden social after all the last weekend masses. Perfect weather for a enjoyable occasion.

TO THE MEMBERS OF OUR PARISH – The presence of children is a gift to the Church! They are members of our community, and a reminder that our parish is growing. Please welcome our children and give a smile of encouragement to the parents.

ALL CWL MEMBERS: Plan to attend the regular September meeting on Wednesday, September 11th at St. Lawrence O'Toole Parish Hall at 7:00 p.m. Guest Speaker: Carol (Cybulski) Sulpher Topic: Elder Abuse. Please come hear about this important topic! Social and refreshments to follow.

Registered Households 178
Last Sunday's Offering \$2374.75

94 Household Envelopes: \$1914.50
Northern Missions: \$40.00

Visitors Envelopes: \$186.00

Loose Collection: \$234.25

PARISH STEWARDSHIP

God reveals his perfect and infinite love for us most visibly in His Son, Jesus Christ.
A steward makes God's love visible by imitating Jesus. The more deeply one grows in love for God.

WHY HAS THE CATHOLIC CHURCH TRADITIONALLY DEDICATED THE MONTH OF SEPTEMBER TO OUR LADY OF SORROWS?

The answer is simple: The Memorial of Our Lady of Sorrows falls right in the middle of the month, on September 15th. But how was that date chosen? Because the day before, September 14th, is the Feast of the Triumph of the Cross. Like many of the lesser-known Marian Feasts, the Memorial of Our Lady of sorrows is tied to an event in the life of her Son. On September 14th, we celebrate the instrument of Christ's victory over death; and the next day, we remember the suffering of Mary as she stood at the foot of the Cross and witnessed the torture and death of her Son. We are also reminded of Simeon's words to Mary (Luke 2:34-35) at the Presentation of the Lord – that a sword would pierce her soul. Through these prayers for September, we can unite ourselves to Mary in her sorrow, in the hope that we will one day also share her joy in the triumph of her Son.

O most holy and afflicted Virgin! Queen of Martyrs! Thou who didst stand motionless beneath the cross, witnessing the agony of thy expiring Son—through the unceasing sufferings of thy life of sorrow, and the bliss which now more than amply repays thee for thy past trials, look down with a mother's tenderness and pity on me, who kneel before thee to venerate thy dolors, and place my requests, with filial confidence, in the sanctuary of thy wounded heart; present them, I beseech thee, on my behalf, to Jesus Christ, through the merits of His own most sacred death and passion, together with thy grant of my present petition. To whom shall I resort in my wants and miseries if not to thee, O Mother of Mercy, who, having so deeply drunk of the chalice of thy Son, canst compassionate the woes of those who still sigh in the land of exile? Offer for me to my Saviour one drop of the Blood which flowed from His sacred veins, one of the tears which trickled from His divine eyes, one of the sighs which rent His adorable Heart. O refuge of the universe and hope of the whole world, do not reject my humble prayer, but graciously obtain the grant of my petition.

In this lengthy but beautiful prayer in honour of the sorrows of the Blessed Virgin Mary, we present our own sorrows and ask Mary to intercede for us with her Son, so that our request may be granted. The word *dolors* come from the Latin, and simply means “sorrows”; and *filial* (also from the Latin) means “of a son or daughter.” So we, as Christians approach Our Lady of Sorrows with the confidence that we would approach our own mother.

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PARISH SUPPERS

Our Lady of Mercy, Bancroft, ON, Sunday, September 8th from 11:30 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.

St. Columbkille Cathedral, Pembroke, ON, Sunday, September 15th from 11:30 a.m. to 6:30 p.m.

St-Jean Baptiste, Pembroke, ON, Sunday, September 22nd from 11:30 a.m. to 7:00 p.m.

St. Patrick, Mount St. Patrick, Sunday, September 29th from 12:30 to 6:00 p.m.