

## OUR PARISH BULLETIN



**Our Lady of Mercy  
Pray for Us**



**St. John the Baptist  
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### **Parish Committees**

#### **Finance/Property**

***Wally Berko***

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***Mark Vanlangenhove***

#### **Screening**

***Pam Berko***

***Jenny Leduc***

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#### **Choir- Port Severn**

***Sharon MacNeice***

***(Organist)***

#### **Part-time Bookkeeper**

***Kristen Penfold***



**Our Lady of Mercy Church  
Honey Harbour**



**St. John the Baptist Church  
Port Severn**

#### **Address:**

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#### **Weekend Masses**

**Sunday 9 A.M. - Port Severn**

**Sunday 11 A.M. - Honey Harbour**

#### **Weekday Masses**

**(See inside bulletin)**

**Confession: 20 minutes before weekend Masses**

**Wedding and Baptism: Call the office**

## PENTECOST SUNDAY

July 5, 2022

**GOSPEL TODAY:** John 20:19-23- The season of Easter concludes with today's celebration of the feast of Pentecost. On Pentecost we celebrate the descent of the Holy Spirit upon the Apostles gathered in the upper room in Jerusalem; this event marks the beginning of the Church. Jesus fulfilled his promise to send to his disciples a helper, an advocate, who would enable them to be his witnesses throughout the world.

**COLLECTIONS Last Sunday May 29, 2022**



\$610 - Regular Sunday Offerings

**WEEKDAY MASSES (Honey Harbour Chapel)**

Wed June 8, 11am – Souls in purgatory

Thurs June 9, 11am – For Peace in the world

Fri June 10, 11am – For +Claude Nicholson & Lois McDermott by Freda Nicholson

**WEEKEND MASSES (Holy Trinity Sunday)**

Sunday June 12, 9am Mass @ Port Severn – For +Paula Brisson by Robertson family

Sunday June 12, 11am Mass @ Honey harbour – For the people of the parish

**WELCOME BACK SUMMER PARISHIONERS** - On the Feast of Pentecost, I rejoice to welcome back our summer parishioners who have been away from Mass because of the pandemic. During this past year, we've missed seeing you and we are excited to welcome you back. Know that your presence always leave a unique mark on the life of our parish. Thank you to all of you who have so generously supported our parish even in the midst of such trying times. At times like these we can appreciate more profoundly the gift of faith and the importance of belonging to a parish family like ours. God bless you always, *Fr. Martin*

"He breathed on them and said, receive the Holy Spirit."



PENTECOST

**PENTECOST** - On Pentecost Sunday, when the Holy Spirit descended upon the Apostles, they were granted the gifts of the Holy Spirit. Those gifts helped them to fulfill their mission to preach the Gospel to all nations. For us, too, those gifts—granted when we are infused with sanctifying grace, the life of God in our souls—help us to live a Christian life.

**The seven gifts of the Holy Spirit:** Wisdom, Understanding, Counsel, Fortitude, Knowledge, Piety, Fear of the Lord. **The fruits of the Holy Spirit:** love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, goodness, long-suffering, mildness, faith, modesty, self-control, and chastity. After Christ's Ascension into Heaven, the Apostles knew that He had promised to send His Spirit. Granted the gifts of the Spirit at Pentecost, they were emboldened to speak the Good News to all men. On that first Pentecost Sunday, over 3,000 people were converted and baptized.

**BIBLICAL QUOTES ABOUT THE HOLY SPIRIT** - "May the God of hope fill you with all joy and peace in believing, so that by the power of the Holy Spirit you may abound in hope"(Romans 15:13). "No one can say, "Jesus is Lord," except by the Holy Spirit" (1 Corinthians 12:3).

**PRIEST BENEFIT FUND** - Dear Sisters and Brothers in the Diocese of Peterborough, On behalf of the retired priests of the Diocese of Peterborough, I thank you for your ongoing generosity to our Priest Benefit Fund. This fund is the principal way that we care for priests who have retired from pastoral assignment either because of age or health concerns. Our senior priests served with dedication for many years and often still substitute in parishes when their health permits. They remain an important part of our Catholic community and your concern for them reflects both this fact and your appreciation for their priestly service. Our Annual Parish Appeal for the Priest Benefit Fund will take place on Sunday, June 12<sup>th</sup>, and additionally, donations are accepted at parishes or online ([www.peterboroughdiocese.org](http://www.peterboroughdiocese.org)) any time of the year. Knowing that these are financially challenging times for many people, we are grateful for any contribution you can make to this appeal, which is so important to the life of the Church in the Diocese of Peterborough. On behalf of all our priests – retired, planning for retirement, or still years away from it – I offer you our sincere thanks and our prayers. Yours in Christ, *†Most Reverend Daniel J. Miehms* Bishop of Peterborough

**POPE'S PRAYER INTENTION FOR JUNE (For Families)** – "We pray for Christian families around the world: may they embody and experience unconditional love and advance in holiness in their daily lives."