

# Queen of Peace Roman Catholic Church

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## November 22, 2020 – Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe

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### **The Sacrament of Reconciliation:**

On Saturdays from 4:15 to 4:45 PM and 30 minutes before weekday Mass

**The Sacrament of Baptism:** By Appointment

**The Sacrament of Marriage:** Should be arranged at least 6 months in advance.

**First Holy Communion:** If you have a child who will be making their First Communion please contact the Parish Office.

### **Mask Bylaw:**

The City of Sarnia now has a by-law that came into effect July 31, 2020 with regard to wearing masks or face coverings in public buildings, including churches, with details given below.

Diocese of London

COVID-19 Update on the Wearing of Masks for Sarnia Deanery 31 July 2020

The Mayor and Council of the City of Sarnia passed a by-law imposing the use of masks or face coverings in public buildings effective July 31, 2020.

Highlights of the by-law that are found here:

#### A. Use of Mask / Face Covering

Unless exempted from doing so as set out in paragraph C. below, all clergy, parishioners, employees, volunteers, agents or contractors are required when entering, remaining or working in enclosed public-accessible areas of the church, to wear a Mask or Face Covering. If anyone refuses to wear a mask upon seeking entry or while in the facility and he/she does not claim to be exempt, he/she is to be, as applicable, either denied entry or politely asked to leave.

The use of Masks and/or Face Coverings in non-publicly accessible areas, such as the Sanctuary, Sacristy etc. is not subject to this Policy.

#### B. Posting of Clearly Visible Signs

Each church shall post at each entrance a clearly visible sign containing the following message:

**ALL PERSONS ENTERING OR REMAINING IN THESE PREMISES SHALL WEAR A MASK OR FACE COVERING WHICH COVERS THE NOSE, MOUTH AND CHIN AS REQUIRED UNDER MUNICIPAL BY-LAW 76-2020.**

#### C. Exceptions

The following are exempt from the requirements to wear a Mask or Face Covering:

- children under five years of age;
- persons with an underlying medical condition which inhibits their ability to wear a Mask or Face Covering;
- persons who are unable to place or remove a Mask or Face Covering without assistance;
- clergy and employees within an area designated for them and not for public access, or within a public area but behind a physical barrier; and
- persons who are reasonably accommodated by not wearing a Mask or Face Covering in accordance with the Ontario Human Rights Code.

Moreover, persons are permitted to temporarily remove their Mask or Face Covering where necessary for the purpose of receiving services (e.g. communion).

No one shall ask any person for proof that they are exempt from wearing a Mask and/or Face Covering.

Because some people may be sick, have a compromised immune system, or feel uncomfortable returning to church, the **dispensation of the obligation for Sunday Mass remains in effect until further notice.**

Beginning on **Wednesday June 17<sup>th</sup>** our church will reopen for Mass and our normal Mass schedule will resume. We have received some instructions from the diocese:

1. We can have 30% capacity at each Mass (55). Because of the size of our community this shouldn't be a problem, however capacity will be on a first come first serve basis. The pews will be mark off as to where you will be able to sit. We are asking those who live under one roof to occupy one pew only.
2. Every person entering the church above 8 years old **must** wear a face mask.
3. Upon entering and exiting the church, you will have to sanitize your hands.
4. Anyone entering the church for mass, will have to provide their name and phone number to the usher for contact tracing purposes, should someone that attended mass become ill.
5. Holy Communion will be distributed by hand only. When proceeding to communion, keep 6 feet distance from individual in front of you. Stop 6 feet from priest, Priest says "Body of Christ", you say "Amen" Then receive host on hand, step to the side, remove mask, place host in mouth and replace mask and then proceed back to your seat.
6. All of the hymnals and missals have been removed from the pews. Singing will be limited to the choir.
7. If you are sick or don't feel well please stay home.

More information will be forthcoming as it is made available to us.

Ponieważ niektórzy ludzie mogą być chorzy, mieć osłabiony układ odpornościowy lub czuć się nieswojo wracając do kościoła, **zwolnienie z obowiązku odprawienia Mszy niedzielnej obowiązuje do odwołania.**

Drodzy Parafianie.

Od srody, 17 czerwca, będą otwarte kościoły i wracamy do normalnego porządku Mszy św. W związku z tym są pewne zalecenia:

1. W kościele na jednej Mszy św. możemy zająć tylko 30% miejsc, które mamy w ławkach. Przy naszej liczbie parafian nie powinniśmy mieć z tym problemów. Miejsca do siedzenia będą oznaczone. Prosimy aby ci, którzy mieszkają "pod jednym dachem" usiedli razem, w tej samej ławce.
2. Każdej osobie wchodzącej do kościoła w wieku powyżej 8 lat zaleca się nosić maskę na twarz.
3. Po wejściu i wyjściu z kościoła będziesz musiał oczyścić ręce.
4. Każdy, kto wchodzi do kościoła na mszę, będzie musiał podać swoje nazwisko i numer telefonu, na wypadek, gdyby ktoś, kto uczestniczył w mszy, zachorował.
5. Komunia św. będzie rozdawana tylko na reke. Przystępując do komunii, zachowaj odległość 6 stóp od osoby przed sobą. Zatrzymaj się 6 stóp od kapłana, kapłan mówi "Ciało Chrystusa", mówisz "Amen". Następnie otrzymasz hostie na rękę, przejdź na bok, zdejmij maskę, włóż hostię do ust i załóż maskę i wróć na swoje miejsce.
6. Ograniczony został śpiew do organist i kilku śpiewaków.
7. Jeżeli ktoś jest chory, nie czuje się najlepiej prosimy pozostać w domu.

Więcej informacji będzie dostępnych, gdy zostaną nam udostępnione.

Diocese Recommendations and Directives for Church opening can be found below:

### Temperature Monitoring

Those who will be involved in ministry during the Mass, or any other sacraments, must take their temperature before arriving at the church. Any individual whose temperature is above 37.5°C/100°F or who shows any compatible symptoms must not enter the church, and should ask for medical help. Priests who are ill must not celebrate Mass.

### Washrooms

Church washrooms are to be restricted to use when absolutely necessary only. No more than one person/family (living at the same address) at a time should use a washroom. Notices to this effect must be posted outside the washroom. Hand-washing signs should be placed in the washroom. Any washroom that is soiled must be closed, pending cleaning with disinfectant.

### Holy Water Fonts

Holy water fonts must remain empty until further notice.

### Entrance to the Church:

- Entrance is not permitted to those who have an elevated temperature, or are suffering from cough, sputum production, shortness of breath, undue fatigue, loss of appetite, muscle aching, runny nose, chills involving shakes, loss of taste or smell. Those who feel sick, are expected to stay home.
- Be sure to follow the guidance of the ushers/ministers of hospitality and sit only in the designated places to ensure physical distancing at all times.
- Avoid touching your face or other persons.
- All persons over the age of eight **must** wear a mask.



- Do not sit in any rows with rope on the end.
- Members from the same family are to occupy the same pew.
- Singles are to sit as per image below.
- Use tape on floor for distancing purposes when going to communion.

**Attendees may remove their face coverings once seated for the service, only if physical distancing can be maintained.**



- Individual seats will be roped to indicate where you can sit.

#### Offertory / Presentation of the Gifts

The monetary collection is omitted at the usual time, and the bread and wine are not presented in procession as usual. The collection is to be received at the doors of the church at the end of Mass, where people can place their donations in baskets supervised by ushers from a safe distance. The bread and wine are placed on the credence table near the altar before Mass. If the credence table is placed beside the altar, there is no need for a server to assist at the altar.

<i>Holy Mass Intentions / <u>Intencje Mszy sw</u></i> <b>November 23 to November 29</b>		
<b>Monday 8am</b>	+Vincent Persichetti	James Persichetti & Family
<b>Tuesday 7pm</b> (Polish)	God's blessing for Christopher Rade	B. Rade
<b>Wednesday 8am</b>	+Nick Mazzella & +Gary McCarthy	K of C St. Peters Council
<b>Thursday 8am</b>	+Mary Brown	B.
<b>Friday 7pm</b> (Polish)	++Za dusze zmarłych Kapłanów i osób konsekrowanych	
<b>Saturday 8am</b>	+Flora Persichetti	James Persichetti & Family
<b>Saturday 5pm</b>	++Za zmarłych z rodziny Żmudów	H. Krasinkiewicz
<b>Sunday 9:30 am</b>	+Małgorzata Lang	D. Lang
<b>Sunday 11 am</b>	++for all UNBORN CHILDREN	A. Fojna

#### Special celebrations for November 23 to November 29

During the month of November, half an hour before each Mass, Father Jan will be leading a rosary and prayer for our deceased and souls in the purgatory. Please come earlier and join to the prayers.

W ciągu miesiąca listopada będziemy modlić się za zmarłych polecanych w wypominkach. Poł godziny przede Msza sw., Ksiadz Jan będzie prowadził Rozaniec sw. z wypominkami. Prosimy o przyjscie o pol godziny wczesniej i wziecie udziału w tych modlitwach.

#### Sunday November 29 - First Sunday of Advent / Pierwsza Niedziela Adwentu

Thank you very much to all the parishioners, for your generous contribution to our church.  
Last Sunday collection was \$ 1,045.00

Zmarła nasza długoletnia parafianka, Pani Leokadia Ryta.  
Rodzinie, składamy wyrazy współczucia.  
Prosimy o pamięć o Niej, w naszych modlitwach.  
**Wieczny odpoczynek, racz Jej dać Panie...**

Our long-time parishioner, Mrs. Leokadia Ryta, died.  
We like to express our sympathy to the family.  
We ask you to remember her in our prayers.  
Eternal rest, give her Lord...

*Many thanks to All who support our Parish, especially in the difficult pandemic time! Thank you!  
Dziękujemy serdecznie za wszelkie wsparcie finansowe naszej Parafii,  
szczególnie w tym trudnym czasie pandemii. Dziękujemy!*

## **Announcements:**

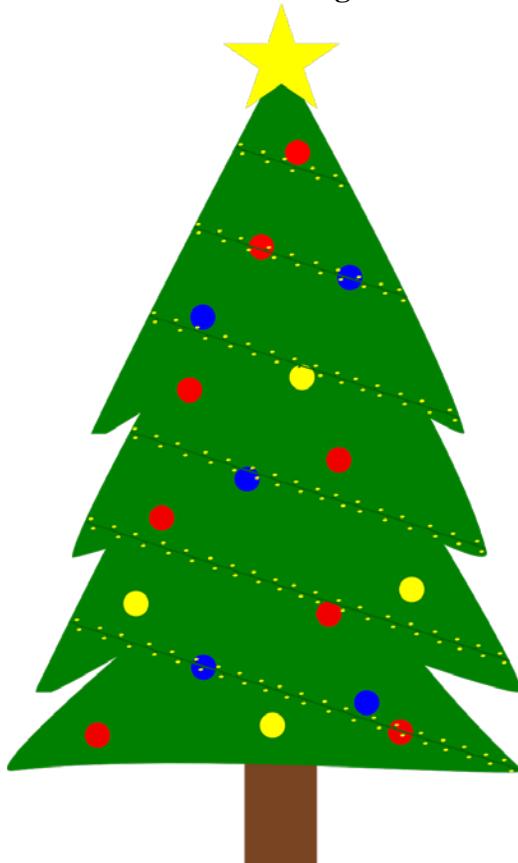
### **DEAR BROTHERS AND SISTERS IN CHRIST!**

- Due to changes related to COVID-19, Church bulletins will no longer be printed. You may access bulletin on website at <https://queenofpeace.church/> Bulletins will also be emailed to anyone who requests by providing Mark Roehler with your email address at 4markroehler@gmail.com

Last call, to order your St. Joseph's Missal, for only \$5.25. Envelopes are at the back of the Church, please put on your name, phone number and quantity and put in the offertory basket. There is a sample book on the table.

Grupa lektorów zaprasza chętnych do wstąpienia w nasze szeregi. Ze względu na wyjazd pani Ratajczak grupa liczy teraz cztery osoby. Funkcja ta nie wymaga dużo, jest miła Bogu a tym samym jest niezmiernie potrzebna w życiu naszej parafii. Będziemy niezmiernie wdzięczni wszystkim, którzy się zgłoszą.

### **Christmas Giving Tree**



Two weeks ago Father read to us a letter from the Bishop about "World Day of the Poor". At this time of year it is especially important to keep the needs of those who are less fortunate in mind. We will be having the Christmas Giving Tree but the Tree will not have gift tags this year instead we will be collecting grocery store gift cards. The Irish Miracle Food Drive has been cancelled this year due to Covid-19 which leaves St. Vincent de Paul struggling to provide food to those in need during the Christmas season. St. Vincent de Paul is asking for our help filling the Christmas Hampers with gift cards to grocery stores. There will be a wrapped box in front of the Christmas Tree and you can put your gift cards into the box. The gift cards will be given to St. Vincent de Paul on Monday December 7. Please help support this very worthwhile cause. There are many families who will benefit from your generosity.

Singing is a sign of joy and, if we look more closely, it is a sign of love. – St. Augustine  
Śpiew jest oznaką radości, a jeśli przyjrzymy się bliżej, jest to znak miłości. - Święty Augustyn