



**The Parishes
of
St. Peter Celestine, Pakenham
and
St. Michael, Corkery**



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Mass times: Wednesday 9:00 a.m.
Friday 9:00 a.m.
Sunday 9:00 a.m.

Confessions: By Appointment

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament: every Wednesday & Friday in the sacristy from 8:00 a.m. to 8:45 a.m. **Holy Hours on Friday for the reparation of sins, for the healing of victims & for the sanctification of clergy.**

St. Peter Celestine Pastoral Council
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Therese Coady 613-831-1437

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Mass times: Tuesday 7:30 p.m.
Thursday 9:00 a.m.
Saturday 4:30 p.m.
Sunday 11:00 a.m.

Confessions: Saturday 3:30 p.m.-4:15 p.m.

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament: every Tuesday at 6:30 p.m.to 7:15 p.m. and every Thursday at 8:00 a.m. to 8:45 a.m. **Holy Hours on Tuesday for the reparation of sins, for the healing of victims & for the sanctification of clergy.**

St. Michael Pastoral Council
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St. Michael Cemetery
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Mass Intentions – St. Michael’s Corkery

Saturday September 4	8:00 am	For the intentions of Bob Hunt by Smit & Hunt Family
	4:30 pm	For Bonnie and Al for their 50 th Wedding Anniversary by Mary Lou Oram
Sunday September 5	11:00 am	+ For the repose of the Soul of Rita Smit by Joseph Hawkes
Tuesday September 7	7:30 pm	+ For the repose of the soul of Debbie Mills
Thursday September 9	9:00 am	+ For the repose of the soul of Clem Boone by Ed & Lana Smit
Saturday September 11	4:30 pm	+ For the repose of the soul of Jo Anne Mullin and deceased family members by Ray Mullin and family
Sunday September 12	11:00 am	Missa Pro Populo

Mass Intentions – St. Peter Celestine Pakenham

Sunday September 5	9:00 am	Missa Pro Populo
Wednesday September 8	9:00 am	In Honour of the Birth of Mary, Mother of God
		For a Special Intention
Friday September 10	9:00 am	For the intentions of Chase Warren by Margaret Neamtz
Sunday September 12	9:00 am	+ For the repose of the soul of Linda O’Donnell by Maria Norton
		+ For the repose of the soul of Audrey Killeen by Carl Killeen & Family

September - month of Our Lady of Sorrows

"If you put all the love of mothers into one heart it still would not equal the love of the Heart of Mary for her children." *Saint Louis de Montfort*

Catechism of The Catholic Church - "Hope"

1817 Hope is the theological virtue by which we desire the kingdom of heaven and eternal life as our happiness, placing our trust in Christ's promises and relying not on our own strength, but on the help of the grace of the Holy Spirit. "Let us hold fast the confession of our hope without wavering, for he who promised is faithful."⁸⁴ "The Holy Spirit . . . he poured out upon us richly through Jesus Christ our Savior, so that we might be justified by his grace and become heirs in hope of eternal life."⁸⁵

1818 The virtue of hope responds to the aspiration to happiness which God has placed in the heart of every man; it takes up the hopes that inspire men's activities and purifies them so as to order them to the Kingdom of heaven; it keeps man from discouragement; it sustains him during times of abandonment; it opens up his heart in expectation of eternal beatitude. Buoyed up by hope, he is preserved from selfishness and led to the happiness that flows from charity.

1819 Christian hope takes up and fulfills the hope of the chosen people which has its origin and model in the *hope of Abraham*, who was blessed abundantly by the promises of God fulfilled in Isaac, and who was purified by the test of the sacrifice.⁸⁶ "Hoping against hope, he believed, and thus became the father of many nations."⁸⁷

1820 Christian hope unfolds from the beginning of Jesus' preaching in the proclamation of the *beatitudes*. The beatitudes raise our hope toward heaven as the new Promised Land; they trace the path that leads through the trials that await the disciples of Jesus. But through the merits of Jesus Christ and of his Passion, God keeps us in the "hope that does not disappoint."⁸⁸ Hope is the "sure and steadfast anchor of the soul . . . that enters . . . where Jesus has gone as a forerunner on our behalf."⁸⁹ Hope is also a weapon that protects us in the struggle of salvation: "Let us . . . put on the breastplate of faith and charity, and for a helmet the hope of salvation."⁹⁰ It affords us joy even under trial: "Rejoice in your hope, be patient in tribulation."⁹¹ Hope is expressed and nourished in prayer, especially in the Our Father, the summary of everything that hope leads us to desire.

1821 We can therefore hope in the glory of heaven promised by God to those who love him and do his will.⁹² In every circumstance, each one of us should hope, with the grace of God, to persevere "to the end"⁹³ and to obtain the joy of heaven, as God's eternal reward for the good works accomplished with the grace of Christ. In hope, the Church prays for "all men to be saved."⁹⁴ She longs to be united with Christ, her Bridegroom, in the glory of heaven:

Hope, O my soul, hope. You know neither the day nor the hour. Watch carefully, for everything passes quickly, even though your impatience makes doubtful what is certain, and turns a very short time into a long one. Dream that the more you struggle, the more you prove the love that you bear your God, and the more you will rejoice one day with your Beloved, in a happiness and rapture that can never end.

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

"Christ held Himself in His hands when He gave His Body to His disciples saying: 'This is My Body.' No one partakes of this Flesh before he has adored it." *St. Augustine*

Remember the importance of frequent Confession

"The confession of evil works is the first beginning of good works. You do the truth and come to the light." *St. Augustine*
Confession: every Saturday 3:30pm – 4:15pm and upon request.

Cemetery Service - St. Michael's Cemetery – September 12th, noon

September Saints' and other special days

September 3rd – St. Gregory the Great

September 8th – Nativity of the Blessed Virgin Mary

September 13th – St. John Chrysostom

September 15th – Our Lady of Sorrows

September 21st – St. Matthew

September 23rd – St. Pius of Pietrelcina

September 25th – St. Cosmas and Damian

September 26th – St. John de Brebeuf, Isaac Jogues and Companions

September 29th – Saints Michael, Gabriel and Raphael

September 30th – St. Jerome

Parish office will be closed on Tuesday, September 7th, but it will be opened on Wednesday, September 8th

Current regulations - From July 16, capacity of the church is limited to permit of physical distancing of 2m.
Please, sign in at the back of the church.