

# LONG POINT BAY PARISH WEEKLY NEWS

FRIDAY October 1- 2021

## St. Mary is still giving birth

By Rev. Jim Innes



It is a widely accepted notion that Mary emulates the meaning of vulnerable courage. She had a relentless longing to do God's will, despite how difficult it would be.

"Here I am," she said. And her obedient submission resonates with many who seek to know God.

I believe a closely connected aspect of this vulnerable courage also lends itself to her widespread veneration (and not just amongst Catholics). Mary balances the masculine energy that has, through history, permeated the church. Even the architecture.

When I was a young seminarian, the number of ordained female priests was beginning to climb. I remember a comment made by a female colleague about the many masculine images built into the chapel. An example that we see in many churches (maybe all of them) is the rigid wooden columns pointing skyward—a testimony to power and invincibility.

This power and invincibility have their place. They speak to the potency of God. Yet, there has been a dark side to it all. Masculine energy, unchecked, can be as a sword that cuts brutally deep. The recent news about the church's part in destroying the indigenous culture is one horrendous example of this.

Continuing next week



For the week beginning Sunday October 3rd, 2021, we will be praying for our Long Point Bay Parish, specially for our family of the church of St. John's Port Rowan.

Mick Kraushaar, Mary Luo Krestel, Juanita Kynoch, Howey and Susan MacLaren, William and Norene McCartney, Bub and Georgia McDonald, Ron and Mary Meade, Robert Moore, Sonja Neuman, Peggy Overbought, Don and Sandra Parkinson, Joyce Pearson, Jim and Pat Pepper, Wendy Pickersgill, Junior Queensberry, Diane Salter, Jim Squires, Nina Starling, Cheryl Taylor, Anna Vrbos, Jeff Wiggans and Family.

For our Bishop Todd and Rev. Rick and family, Rev. Jack Cox and family, Rev. Paul Sherwood, Fr. Enrique and Family.



1. What was God's sign to Noah that he would never destroy the earth again?
2. Where did God give Moses the Ten Commandments?
3. Who was Jesus' adoptive father on Earth?

Find the answers in this newspaper and read the bible

Fr. Enriq

## October readings



<b>Proper 21 (26)</b> Eighteenth Sunday after Pentecost September 26, 2021 ART – PRAYER	Esther 7:1-6, 9-10; 9:20-22 Psalm 124	Numbers 11:4-6, 10-16, 24-29 Psalm 19:7-14	James 5:13-20	Mark 9:3-50
<b>Proper 22 (27)</b> Nineteenth Sunday after Pentecost October 3, 2021 ART – PRAYER	Job 1:1, 2:1-10 Psalm 26	Genesis 2:18-24 Psalm 8	Hebrews 1:1-4, 2:5-12	Mark 10:16
<b>Proper 23 (28)</b> Twentieth Sunday after Pentecost October 10, 2021 ART – PRAYER	Job 23:1-9, 16-17 Psalm 22:1-15	Amos 5:6-7, 10-15 Psalm 90:12-17	Hebrews 4:12-16	Mark 10:17-31
<b>Canadian Thanksgiving Day</b> October 11, 2021 ART – PRAYER	Joel 2:21-27 Psalm 126		1 Timothy 2:1-7	Matthew 6:25-33
<b>Proper 24 (29)</b> Twenty-First Sunday after Pentecost October 17, 2021 ART – PRAYER	Job 38:1-7, (34-41) Psalm 104:1-9, 24, 35c	Isaiah 53:4-12 Psalm 91:9-16	Hebrews 5:1-10	Mark 10:35-45
<b>Proper 25 (30)</b> Twenty-Second Sunday after Pentecost October 24, 2021 ART – PRAYER	Job 42:1-6, 10-17 Psalm 34:1-8, (19-22)	Jeremiah 31:7-9 Psalm 126	Hebrews 7:23-28	Mark 10:46-52
<b>Proper 26 (31)</b> Twenty-Third Sunday after Pentecost October 31, 2021 (If All Saints not observed on this day) ART – PRAYER	Ruth 1:1-18 Psalm 146	Deuteronomy 6:1-9 Psalm 119:1-8	Hebrews 9:11-14	Mark 12:28-34

### IN CHURCH

SUNDAY October 3 2021  
Memorial P.R. 9:30 AM H.E.  
St. John's Woodhouse. 11:00 am H.E.



### ONLINE

SUNDAY October 3 2021  
Anytime  
Service of the Word



<http://www.parishoflongpointbay.com/events.html> or  
<https://www.facebook.com/parishoflongpoint/>

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## Our Parish of Long Point Bay Projects

"for I was hungry and you gave me food, I was thirsty and you gave me something to drink, I was a stranger and you welcomed me, 36 I was naked and you gave me clothing, I was sick and you took care of me, I was in prison and you visited me. "Matthew 25:35-36

### Hispanic & Migrant Farmworker Outreach Ministry

The Hispanic & Migrant Farmworker Outreach Ministry in the diocese of Huron is a ministry committed to making our migrant workers visible and supported in our community. Migrant farmworkers are a long way from home and sacrifice family life, support network, and their culture, coming to Canada to work and support their families back home. As Christians we want to welcome, support, include, and make them visible in our Canadian community.

### Day care

The aim of St. John's Day Care is to introduce the Anglican faith to families in Long Point Bay Parish by providing Child Care to their children while teaching them about biblical histories using children's books and other materials that can attract children's interests, puzzles, toys, etc. Also, provide Spanish classes, healthy homemade meals and outdoor activities. Build a bridge between the community and the Anglican Church to encourage families with younger children to acquire knowledge of our Anglican Church.

### Greenhouse

This project aims to benefit those less fortunate to have access to fresh vegetables. Families living in a low income, immigrants just arriving to Canada, people who have been negatively impacted due to COVID-19 (job loss)

Population growth and less availability of food material have become global concerns. The world population increases exponentially whereas food production has increased only arithmetically, meaning that the availability of food per capita has decreased. To proclaim the Good News of the Kingdom by respond to human need by loving service. God wants our lives to overflow with mercy, love, and compassion the marks of His kingdom. As followers of Jesus, we have a choice: respond to unsettling realities in fear and withdraw, or follow Him in responding to the greatest needs of our day with love and hope.

It is anticipated that funding for these projects will be provided through government grants, support from the diocese of Huron and individual donations. **Donations may be made to the Parish of Long Point Bay.**

**I really hope that you will support these outreach projects that put our faith into action.**

"What good is it, my brothers and sisters, if you say you have faith but do not have works? Can faith save you? If a brother or sister is naked and lacks daily food, and one of you says to them, "Go in peace; keep warm and eat your fill," and yet you do not supply their bodily needs, what is the good of that? So, faith by itself, if it has no works, is dead." James 2:14

## Nipper and Mandy

By Jim Pepper

Well if you read last week's column about my surprise Father's Day present(s), then you'll recall Nipper the local Lothario and Mandy, my poor elderly spinster Labrador Retriever. The following November we were once again surprise parents of not 12 but 13 wiggly little rascals. This time though, Mandy delivered 8 and then one little guy decided he wasn't ready to face the world, so he put on the brakes and said, "Hold everything, I'm not going any further."

After a call to our vet, I was hustling into Simcoe with 8 little squirming puppies and a mama Lab who was nursing her new arrivals while in some distress. I carried in the basket of newborns, and Mandy trotted along behind. No EMS services for her. Amazing!

Bob, the vet, was waiting for the troop, and soon had Mandy opened up and he rescued the recalcitrant sideways lad along with four other little rascals waiting patiently in line to be born. I was surprised when he stitched up Mandy and told me I could take her and the brood home. Talk about brief post natal care!

So back to mixing formula, reborrowing the piglet feeder and once again raising a somewhat large family.

Now we'd pretty much run out of friends and relatives for getting this brood homes, so I put an ad in the Reformer and before long everyone had a place to call home.

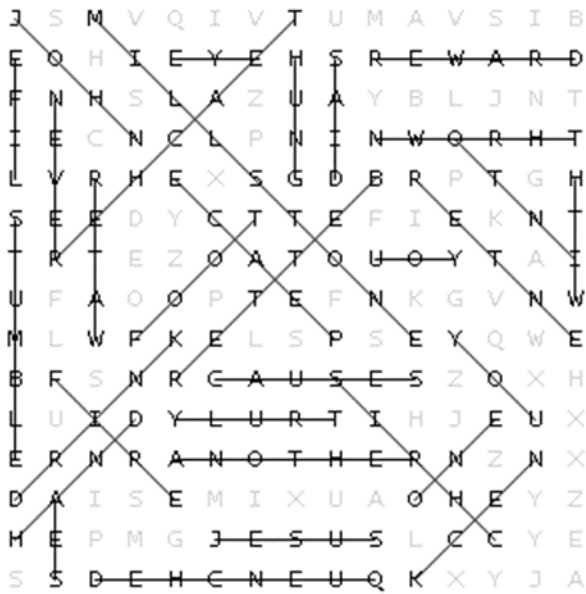
We had Mandy spayed!... No other way to put it.... Nipper was now finally out of luck, at least at 39 Bee Street.



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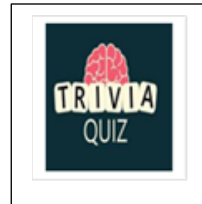
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## Answers Crosswords and Trivia



No matter how serious life gets, remember to have fun and be silly.

From: Maria Di Nanno



### Answers

1. A rainbow
2. Mount Sinai
3. Joseph

**HELP US  
HELP  
OTHERS**



## Sunday October 3rd online service

The on-line service this coming Sunday October 3, will feature the fall choral Evensong service from historic Christ Church, Vittoria. Constructed in 1844, the church sits in the middle of Vittoria's historic square and is flanked by the United Church (1845), Town Hall (1870) and Baptist Church (1853). As a Chapel-of-Ease, two services are held a year – a spring and fall gathering. We look forward to when we are able to welcome you to at an in-person service again – perhaps in June 2022.



## CURRIED BEEF AND LENTILS

### STEP ONE

Heat oil in pot set over medium heat and cook beef until well-browned, about 15 minutes.

Remove beef from pot and set aside.

### STEP TWO

Add tomato paste and onions to pot, stir and cook for 5 minutes.

### STEP THREE

Add beef, water, tomatoes and VH® Yellow Curry sauce. Cover and simmer over low heat for 60 minutes.

### STEP FOUR

Remove lid, add lentils and spinach and continue to cook uncovered for 5 more minutes. Serve with boiled potatoes or crusty bread.



### INGREDIENTS

- 2 tbsp. (30 mL) vegetable oil
- 2 lb. (1 kg) stewing beef
- 2 tbsp. (30 mL) tomato paste
- 2 cups (500 mL) diced onion
- 1/2 cup (125 mL) water
- 1 can (28 oz./796 mL) whole tomatoes and their juices
- 1 bottle (341 mL) VH® Yellow Curry Sauce
- 1 can (19 oz./540 mL) lentils, drained
- 3 cups (750 mL) baby spinach

## OUR OUTREACH ON RWANDA #19

By JoAnne Easton

### Lines and Tales - from Rwanda



The village of Vunga borders one side of the school grounds. It is a very remote village with much poverty. Since we have been involved with the school for the last 14 years, we have made some friends in the village particularly because some had attended the school and presently Innocent teaches at the school and oversees the library.

Some of you might remember Emmanuel, who at the time was a student and pretty eager to learn welding. READ Committee arranged for him to visit Canada along with our contact person for the school, John Wesley. During their visit to Canada, we visited churches and schools and Emmanuel explained what it was like to be a young person in Rwanda. His English was somewhat minimal but yet he managed to entice questions about his life and the school. This was our way of creating awareness and possible donations.

Emmanuel has a younger brother named Innocent, who also attended the school once he was old enough. He is a very focused young man similar to Emmanuel. He is kind, caring and very dedicated to getting ahead and like Emmanuel, he has obtained further education. He also taught reading and writing in Kinyarwanda as an after-school project to those in the village who were interested. He then in 2019 started teaching English after school to the community people which he had to stop due to Covid.

Both he and Emmanuel got married this year. Emmanuel cares for the solar equipment of the Diocese and visits the school to tend to the solar panels on one of the buildings.

We have always been welcomed into the home of Emmanuel and Innocent's parents and again last trip visited being served a refreshment. The house is very basic with cement floors and mud bricks. We entered through the entrance door into approximately 10' X10' room and continued further through another door to an uneven short walkway where there was an enclosure with 2 calves. See picture.



Fr. Enrique

## October



October's birthstones are the Tourmaline and opal.

Its birth flower is the Calendula

The zodiac signs for this month are Libra until October 22<sup>nd</sup> and Scorpio from October 23<sup>rd</sup> onwards

**Birthdays this week**  
**Dorothy Koorn - October 1<sup>st</sup>**

### EVENTS ON THIS DATE

**1653** - Russian parliament accepts annexation of Ukraine

**1868** - "Little Women" by Louisa May Alcott is published in America

**1888** - National Geographic magazine publishes for the 1st time

**1908** - Henry Ford introduces the Model T car (costs \$825)

**1914** - The first division of Canadian troops, 33,000 sail for Britain; most Canadians are volunteers, anxious to prove their loyalty to the Commonwealth

**1962** - "The Lucy Show" premieres on CBS

**1992** - The federal government designates October as Women's History Month in Canada. This is an opportunity to celebrate the contributions to our country by Canadian women of all backgrounds and in all eras.

**You share your birthday with**  
Walter Matthau, Jimmy Carter, Richard Harris, Julie Andrews, Theresa May

**Happy Birthday Dorothy**

*By Anne Halls*