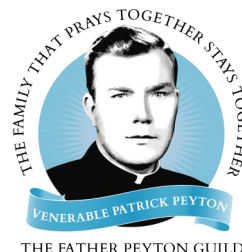


For Members of the Worldwide Father Peyton Guild

United in Prayer for a Spiritual Cause



From the Vice Postulator/Guild Director

Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

As we begin a new calendar year, we also remember the birth of **Venerable Patrick Peyton on January 9, 1909**. This time of year brings together the past and present with an eye toward the future.

Just a few weeks ago we celebrated the birth of our Savior, Jesus Christ, followed by the solemnities of The Holy Family, Mary, Holy Mother of God, the Epiphany of the Lord, and the Baptism of the Lord. **The celebration of these solemnities is meant to renew our relationship with God, as well as strengthen our vocation, and care for our loved ones.**

As I look back on this past year, I am grateful to God for each of your prayers for Father Peyton's Cause for Beatification and Canonization, for family life, and for each of your personal intentions.

The Father Peyton Guild has continued to grow worldwide this past year. I thank God for faithful friends as well as the many new folks who have joined us.

We recently partnered with CatholicMom.com who began an online chapter of the Father Peyton Guild. Wherever you live in the world, you are welcome to join them online for their monthly Rosary prayer and fellowship. Visit **CatholicMom.com** for more details.

In addition, we are working with the Family Rosary national directors and their associates in 17 countries as they encourage and increase their local membership in the Father Peyton Guild.

As we look back over this past year and the ways that God and our Blessed Mother have led and interceded in our prayers, we see the blessings of sharing Father Peyton's ministry of promoting family Rosary prayer for the well-being of all families.

In 2019, may we continue to find inspiration and intercession through uniting our prayers in the Father Peyton Guild.

In Jesus and Mary,

Father David S. Marcham

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Vice-Postulator and Guild Director



Our ministry staff gathered on January 9 to celebrate the anniversary of Venerable Patrick Peyton's birth.

"In praying the Rosary, we are pooling our prayers with Mary's.
The family Rosary is saying, 'our door is open.'"

- Venerable Patrick Peyton -

The First Online Chapter of the Guild

CatholicMom.com, a blog website for Catholic parents, is **hosting the first online chapter of the Guild!**

The ability to come together and pray is definitely one of the best uses of our modern technology. We are grateful CatholicMom.com has joined our worldwide Guild to pray for Father Peyton's sainthood and for all families around the world.

Visit **CatholicMom.com** to learn more about their online community and perhaps join them on Facebook Live for their monthly Guild chapter meetings and Rosary prayer.

Next Steps to Blessed

Please keep praying! Currently a possible medical miracle is being studied by a medical team. If approved, the details will be reviewed by a group of theologians, Cardinals and Archbishops. If a miracle is confirmed, the Holy Father would declare Father Peyton, "Blessed," and Father Peyton would formally move to the next stage of the sainthood process.



Father Patrick Peyton (left) and his brother Tom (right)

Monthly Mass for Guild Members and their Families

Each first Friday of the month we offer Mass at the Father Peyton Center in North Easton, MA for the intentions of the members of the Guild and their families. The next Mass for Guild members will be Friday, February 1, at noon (ET).

If you have special intentions you would like us to pray for at that Mass, please email me at VicePostulator@HCFM.org or by mail. If mailing, please place your intentions in an envelope and mail to:

Office of the Vice Postulator
Father Peyton Guild - Monthly Mass
Holy Cross Family Ministries
518 Washington St.
N. Easton, MA 02356

Your prayer requests will be placed at the altar of the Mass. In addition, please know that you will be remembered daily by our prayer group as we pray the Rosary before Mass.

Did You Know?

On January 14, 1948, Pope Pius XII sent a letter to Father Patrick Peyton, C.S.C., expressing encouragement and support of the Family Theater radio broadcasts. The Holy Father wrote, "... your radio broadcasts avoid the perils of mere showmanship, with programs of reverent and becoming instruction, song and story, and gives even fuller and more genuine expression to one of our heart's deepest desires."

This was the first of many supportive letters that Father Peyton would receive from the Vatican in his endeavor to spread the Family Rosary message throughout the world.

In Memoriam

Please remember in your prayers those who were involved in the Father Peyton Guild who have gone to their eternal rest:

Donald H. Kindy
John V. Roche

A Family That Prays Together

To the right is a photo of the Peyton family when Father Peyton was a boy. Patrick, 12 years old, is the young boy in the front row, second from the right.



Learn more about Venerable Patrick Peyton

You, your family and friends are invited to visit **FatherPeyton.org** to learn more about Father Peyton, C.S.C., the Father Peyton Guild and the ministry continued in his name. The site includes photos from the ministry's archives and short videos.

The last section of the website entitled, **Continue His Mission**, has Guild materials for your review and download. Contact us for printed pieces or if you need something that's not there.

Rosary Prayer Idea: Instead of one person leading an entire decade, go around the room and have each person lead a Hail Mary.

Do you have a Prayer Idea to share? Send it to us and it might appear in a future newsletter.

Guild Members Around the World!

There are Guild members living in countries all around the world!

If you know anyone who might like to join the Guild, please invite them to contact us or submit a membership form online.

As Father Peyton would often remind us, "A World at Prayer is a World at Peace."

Countries with Active Guild Members

Bangladesh	Brazil
Canada	Chile
France	Ghana
Ireland	India
Kenya	Mexico
Peru	Philippines
Spain	Tanzania
Uganda	USA

*If you know of a Guild member who did not receive this communication, we do not have their contact information. Please forward the contact information to us by phone, email or through the online membership form at:
www.FatherPeyton.org/chapters/chapter-7*

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