

Our prayerful greetings and best wishes to
Most Reverend Michael Mulhall, Archbishop of Kingston.



New Archbishop for Kingston:

The faith community of the parish of St. Mary - St. Cecilia, Morrisburg joins the Archdiocese in expressing our deep gratitude to our Holy Father, Pope Francis, for his appointment of the Most Reverend Michael Mulhall as the Archbishop of Kingston. Archbishop Mulhall has served as Bishop of Pembroke since September of 2007. He brings to his new assignment the talents, skills, and compassion that have marked his 30 years as a priest and 12 years as a bishop.

Archbishop Mulhall was born in Peterborough on February 25, 1962, one of five children of Vernon and Maureen Mulhall. He received his elementary and secondary education in Peterborough and then studied at Trent University, where he obtained his BA in 1985. He pursued theological studies in Rome at the Angelicum (STB 1988) and at the Augustinianum (STL 1991), while following the formation program at the Pontifical North American College.

He was ordained to the priesthood for the Diocese of Peterborough on July 21, 1989, and served as a parish priest in Huntsville until 1994, when he was appointed as an official of the Holy See in the Congregation for Oriental Churches, a position he held until 2002. He then returned to the Diocese of Peterborough, where he served as Chancellor of Spiritual Affairs and Vicar General until his appointment as Bishop of Pembroke on September 21, 2007.

May God continue to bless him as he takes on his role as the Chief Shepherd of the Archdiocese of Kingston.

The Congregation for Bishops has appointed Archbishop Emeritus of Kingston, Most Rev. Brendan M. O'Brien as the Apostolic Administrator of the Archdiocese until the installation of his successor.