Archbishop Arthur Peters
December 21, 1935 - November 1, 2026

Archbishop Arthur Peters died peacefully at the Camp Hill Veterans Unit on November 1, the Feast of All Saints.

Archbishop Peters was elected as Co-Adjutor Bishop of the Diocese of Nova Scotia and Prince Edward Island in 1982 and succeeded as Diocesan Bishop two years later. He served as our Diocesan Bishop until his retirement in 2002 and as Metropolitan for the Ecclesiastical Province of Canada from 1997 to 2002. We give thanks for his prayerful, gentle and steady leadership, his deep and abiding faith, and his love for Christ and His Church.

Please pray for his wife Elizabeth and their family as they give thanks to God for his life and love, and mourn his death. We hold them in our hearts.

A Eucharistic celebration in thanksgiving for the life of Archbishop Peters will be held at the Cathedral Church of All Saints in Halifax, on Monday, November 9th at 11am.

“Rest eternal grant to him, O Lord, and let light perpetual shine upon him.”