



Our Lady of the Assumption

Roman Catholic Church

Mission ~ St. John the Evangelist, Keene, Ontario



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Pastor: Monsignor Michael Heffernan C.H.H.

Weekend Holy Mass Schedule

OUR LADY OF THE ASSUMPTION

Saturday 4:00 p.m. in the fall & winter and
5:00 p.m. in the spring & summer.
(Times will switch at Seasonal time change)

Sunday 9:00 a.m.

ST. JOHN THE EVANGELIST

3217 County Rd. 2
Keene, Ontario K0L 2G0
Sunday 10:30 a.m.

Weekday Holy Mass Schedule:

OUR LADY OF THE ASSUMPTION

Monday, Wednesday & Thursday 8:00 a.m.
Tuesday 6:30 p.m. for the first Tuesday
of the month and 8:00 a.m. for all others
(Tuesdays in July & August: Masses 8:00 a.m.)
Friday 7:00 p.m.

ADORATION AND BENEDICTION

Every Friday from 6:00 to 7:00 p.m.
followed by Holy Mass at 7:00 p.m.

NEW PARISHIONERS—

Have you registered in our Parish?
“Parish Census” Forms can be found
at the back of the Churches. Please introduce
yourself to Fr. Michael and welcome!

Reminder -

**If you or a family member is in the
hospital and you would like the priest at
Our Lady of the Assumption to contact you,
please phone the office.**

MOVING? ~ Please let the office know of your move
from this parish. Also, an address change is necessary
for sending out the year's tax receipts.



**24th Sunday in Ordinary Time
September 17, 2023**

Parish Office: Phone: (705) 741-1018

**Secretary: Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday
from 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.**

Catholic Women's League:

▶ President: Anna Marie Bolin
(705)742-8249

Marriage: Registered Parishioners must contact
the Parish Office twelve months before the
proposed Wedding date. No date for a Wedding
can be set before a couple has met with the Priest.

Baptism: Please speak with Fr. Michael about
this after any of the Masses. Preparation course is
required.

Reconciliation:

Saturday: 4:15 – 4:45 p.m.

Sunday: 8:15 – 8:45 a.m.

**You may also book an appointment with Father
at ANYTIME**

MASS INTENTIONS

SEPTEMBER 18 – 24

MONDAY, September 18

8:00 a.m. ~ Special Intention

TUESDAY, September 19

St. Januarius

8:00 a.m. ~ Joey Craigen

(Friends)

WEDNESDAY, September 20

Sts. Andrew Kim Tae-gõn, Paul Chõng Ha-sang & Companions

8:00 a.m. + Geraldine Heffernan

(Don & Sharon O’Leary)

THURSDAY, September 21

St. Matthew

8:00 a.m. ~ Graeme Ironside

(Family)

FRIDAY, September 22

6:00 p.m. ~ Adoration & Benediction

7:00 p.m. ~ Special Intention

SATURDAY, September 23

St. Pius of Pietrelcina

No morning Mass

SUNDAY, September 24

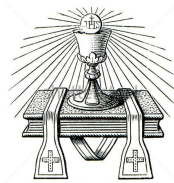
25th Sunday in Ordinary Time

5:00 p.m. (Sat.) + Paul Driscoll

(Bev & Wayne Harrington)

9:00 a.m. + Terry Keating

10:30 a.m. (Keene) ~ Missa Pro Populo



LIVE-STREAMING OF THE MASS FOR THE 24TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

The Mass for the 24th Sunday in Ordinary Time will be live-streamed from the Cathedral of St. Peter-in-Chains starting at 5:00 p.m. today - Saturday, September 16, 2023.

The Mass will be available thereafter on the YouTube channel for the Roman Catholic Diocese of Peterborough.

Please join in prayer through the weblink

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=rMDOH7BTTo0>

Attention young adults in the Peterborough area!

Peterborough Youth and Vocations Office & Young Rosary Prayer Warriors of Canada cordially invites you to join us in our premiere event kicking off the launch of a Peterborough Diocese new ministry on **Saturday, September 30th, 2023** at Sacred Heart Parish Peterborough.

Please invite any friends who like to come!

Event Outline:

- 5:30 PM - MASS
- 6:30 PM - ADORATION HOLY HOUR
- 7:30 PM - TALK BY FR. STEPHEN DECARLO, VOCATIONS DIRECTOR OF DIOCESE OF PETERBOROUGH
- 8PM - SOCIAL

Join us for an amazing night filled with fun, fellowship, and incredible food!

Bring your friends and see you there!

Please RSVP on the Facebook event so we can get an accurate headcount on

food. <https://www.facebook.com/events/6314604848666255?ref=newsfeed>

St. Mary’s Refuge Madoc

“Respite & Recovery” retreat will take place at St. Mary’s Refuge in Madoc, **November 16 – 18, 2023**. Survivor wellness retreat offers educational classes, therapeutic sessions, personal care and supportive community. Further information may be found at respite@stmarysrefuge.org.

Holy Father’s Prayer Intention for September

We pray for those persons living on the margins of society, in inhumane life conditions; may they not be overlooked by institutions and never considered of lesser importance.

25th Sunday in Ordinary Time

LAY MINISTRY Eucharistic Minister

5:00 p.m. (Sat.) Colleen Petersen

Sun 9:00 a.m. Noreen Malloy

10:30 a.m. Sue Livings

Reader

Bob Holland

Gladys Fowler

Rose Wornoff

September 24, 2023

Gift Bearers

Betty Clark & Sharon Hunt

Al & Valerie Collicutt

Carloyn & Peter Doris

Parish Beef and Pork Supper

Next Saturday, **September 23rd from 3:30 to 7:00 p.m.** at Assumption Parish Hall

Roast Beef and Pork Dinner with Baked Potato, Salads, and all the Trimmings and Homemade Desserts.

Tickets:

Adults \$25 at door, \$20. in advance

Children 6 to 12 \$10, under 6 free

This weekend, tickets will be available after Mass.

Desserts:

Thank you for volunteering to bake desserts for the supper next week.

Desserts may be dropped off at the hall between 5 and 8 p.m. on Friday 22nd or after noon on Saturday the 23rd.

A Thanksgiving Food Drive to support the OSM Food Cupboard, Keene, starts this weekend **September 16/17** and will continue until Thanksgiving Sunday, on **October 8th**. The following items are being accepted: peanut butter, mac & cheese, canned tuna, pork & beans, canned vegetables, pasta sauce (cans please), canned tomatoes, dry pasta (elbows and spaghetti), canned fruit (low sugar fruit cocktail, peaches, and pears), and condensed soup (veggie, tomato, mushroom, chicken noodle). All items should have the best before date after **March 31st, 2024**. The Food Cupboard serves Otonabee South Monaghan Township and Hiawatha First Nation.

Traveling Chalice Program

The Peterborough Vocations Office is pleased to announce that we will be restarting the Traveling Chalice Program! The traveling chalice is an actual chalice and paten inside a glass box that goes from parish to parish (and in some cases, family home to family home) with the reminder for people to pray for vocations to the priesthood. The chalice and paten (dish used to hold the host) are used by a priest to celebrate Mass and to turn the bread and wine into the Body and Blood of Christ. This program will be restarted this fall, so keep your eyes peeled for it at your local parish! Parishes and schools may also request it for a certain date, so contact the Vocations Office at 705-745-5123 to book the chalice.

Thank you for your generosity!

September 10: Offertory \$1,775.00 Fuel \$20.00

LIFE CHAIN -SUNDAY, OCTOBER 1st

between George and Park Streets from 2 to 3 pm. Park at Sacred Heart Church, pick up your sign and walk to George. Rides available if needed. Adoration and rosary will follow in the church. Reserve the date...**THE UNBORN NEED YOU!!**

The Shepherd's Post

Weekly faith formation for children resumes at Immaculate this fall. Our brochure and schedule may be found on the bulletin board or online at immaculatepeterborough.ca/cgs

Come and see how an atrium environment nurtures the religious potential of children. Book a tour today by calling Ruth Ann at 613-884-6007.

Development and Peace workshop for the Diocese of Peterborough will take place **Saturday, September 30, from 1 to 4 pm at St Anne's Parish Hall, Peterborough**

INAUGURAL JASON GOFF GOLF TOURNAMENT

UPDATE We are holding our Inaugural Jason Goff Golf Tournament. On **September 23, 2023**, the tournament will start with a 9:00 am Shot Gun Start at Warkworth Golf Course. Please arrange to be there one hour earlier. There will be specific holes designated for prizes (Tbd day of). Your cost of \$120 (members \$90) covers the cost of your golf game, a cart rental and a steak dinner. A \$30 charitable donation receipt will be provided by St Mary's. For those who would like to attend the dinner only, a cost of \$40. An Auction will be held after dinner. The following pieces will be auctioned off, with a Pre-Bid if you so choose. 1 New IFIT Exercise Bike valued at \$1,999. Minimum bid \$500. (donated by Canadian Tire) 2 Augusta 2023 - Acrylic painting valued at \$400. (painted & donated by Pat Annaert) 3 New Electric Moosehead Cooler, 15 pk Beer valued at \$150. (donated by Bob Hogan) 4 New Heritage Electric Mandolin valued at \$119. (donated by Peggy Clark) In addition to the auction pieces, we have numerous other prizes to be given out on draw tickets. One ticket will be complimentary with others tickets available to purchase. The cut off for registration is September 15, 2023. If you haven't already registered for this event, or would like to participate in the dinner only, or put in a Pre-Bid for any or all Auction pieces or have any questions, please contact Father Bill Moloney at 705-768-0844 or by email at fr.billmoloney@gmail.com. Thank you

Blood Pressure Clinic Kawartha Home Care

Free blood pressure clinic available every Monday 10-12/1-3pm at 320 Water St. Unite 72, Peterborough, Kawartha Home Care Clinic.



Garden Dedication Celebration



Please join us

*as we celebrate the dedication of
The Mount Community Centre Gardens
in memory of Sister Veronica O'Reilly*

Saturday, September 16, 2023, 2:00 pm – 4:00 pm

Official Dedication – 2:30 pm



(SEPTEMBER 12, 1937 – APRIL 3, 2019)

1545 Monaghan Road, Peterborough, Ontario K9J 5N3

(Garden Area behind the main building)

RSVP to Karen (705) 875-5095 or karen@themountpeterborough.ca



Program for Novena to St. Michael the Archangel

You're Invited: September 20 to 28, 2023

7:00 pm–8: 30pm each day in the Church



1. Opening Hymn
2. Chaplet of St. Michael
3. Scriptural Reading
4. Talk:

Wednesday September 20 -Fr. Alex Salazar (IVE: Institute of the Incarnate Word)

Thursday September 21 -Brother Alan Gaebel (OFM, Capuchin)

Friday September 22 -Sister Paulina Palatty (DML, Daughters of St. Mary of Leuca)

Saturday and Sunday September 23 and 24 (Done within the weekend Masses)

Monday September 25 -Fr. Peter Lukow: Diocesan Priest

Tuesday September 26 -Fr. MacAnthony Obikili (SMMM: Sons of Mary Mother of Mercy)

Wednesday September 27 -Sisters of St. Joseph (CSJ: Sisters of St. Joseph Cobourg)

Thursday September 28 -Sister Madre Myriam Almah (SSVM: The servants of the Lord and the Virgin of Matara)

5. Saving Victim
6. Quiet Time
7. Hymn
8. Tantum Ergo and Benediction
9. Closing Hymn
10. Fellowship at the Parish Hall

Feast Day Friday September 29, 2023

5:00 pm Mass

Potluck Dinner to follow outdoors! (In St. Michael's School gym if inclement)

1. Chaplet of St. Michael before Mass
2. Mass
3. Potluck after Mass
4. Entertainment

Thank you all for participating and many blessings upon you.

-Fr. Emmanuel & Fr. MacAnthony

-Faith Formation Committee



COME CELEBRATE OUR FRANCISCAN TRIDUUM

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Monday 02 October 2023
Blessing of the Animals

Come to our side yard surrounded
by the hedge off Western Avenue.
3:00 PM ~ 7:00 PM

Tuesday 03 October 2023
Transitus of St Francis of Assisi

Join us as we reverently recall and
celebrate St Francis' embrace
of Sister Death

This prayer service is unique to Franciscans around the world and is celebrated annually
on this date. St Alphonsus Parish 1066 Western Avenue Peterborough ON
From 7:00 PM ~ 8:30 PM (this is not a Mass)

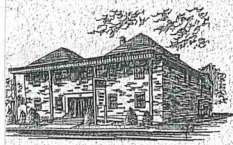
Wednesday 04 October 2023
Feast Day of St Francis of Assisi

Join us as we celebrate the
Mass of St Francis of Assisi

St Alphonsus Parish 1066 Western Avenue Peterborough ON
Parish Mass will be at 6:00 PM

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