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## *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 Msgr. 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.



## **31<sup>st</sup> Sunday in Ordinary November 5, 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 Msgr. Michael  
about this after any of the Masses. Preparation  
course is required.

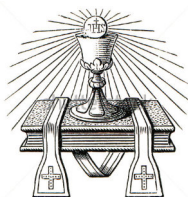
**Reconciliation:**

**Saturday: 3:15 – 3:45 p.m.**

**Sunday: 8:15 – 8:45 a.m.**

**You may also book an appointment with Msgr.  
at ANYTIME**

**MASS INTENTIONS  
NOVEMBER 6 - 12**



MONDAY, November 6  
8:00 a.m. ~ Special Intention

TUESDAY, November 7  
8:00 a.m. - **No Mass**

WEDNESDAY, November 8  
8:00 a.m. - **No Mass**

THURSDAY, November 9  
*Dedication of the Lateran Basilica*  
8:00 a.m. - **No Mass**

FRIDAY, November 10  
*St. Leo the Great*  
6:00 p.m. ~ Adoration & Benediction  
7:00 p.m. + Deceased Priests from the Diocese of Peterborough

SATURDAY, November 11  
No morning Mass

SUNDAY, November 12  
*31<sup>ST</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time*  
4:00 p.m. (Sat.) ~ Missa Pro Populo

9:00 a.m. + Terry Keating  
(Bill & Jill Larrocque & Julie & Harvie Bell)

10:30 a.m. (Keene) + Ivan Hewitt  
(Jack & Norma Bertrand)

**LIVE-STREAMING OF THE MASS FOR THE 31<sup>ST</sup>  
SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

The Mass for the 31<sup>st</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time will be live-streamed from the Cathedral of St. Peter-in-Chains starting at 5:00 p.m. today - Saturday, November 4, 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=oMarh01JbQs>

**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](mailto:respite@stmarysrefuge.org).



**Caring For Our World.**

**Recycling tips from the C.W.L.**

Habitat for Humanity -At its ReStores in Peterborough and Lindsay takes building supplies, tools, cabinetry, furniture, scrap metal, sports equipment, vacuums, and all electronics working or not. Vinnies-At its stores in Peterborough and Lakefield takes household items, clothing, linens, hygiene products, working electronics, bicycles and some furniture. Both of these are registered non-profit organizations that give back to the community. Batteries can be disposed of in the collection bins at Green-Up, Kingan Home Hardware, Staples or Home Depot. Computers, accessories, monitors, network equipment, and mobile phones can be donated to reBOOT in Peterborough. They will also clear off your data and give a charitable donation receipt. Empty toothpaste tubes, toothbrushes, and floss containers can be deposited in the drop-off bin at Green-Up. Printer ink cartridges, dry pens and markers can be recycled at Staples. Old clothing or fabric that is not reusable drop off at the Material Recycling Facility at 390 Pido Rd. Tires can be dropped off at Canadian Tire. They will be recycled into rubber surfaces for playgrounds.

**There will be no Week Day Masses on Tue., Wed., Or Thurs., Nov. 7-8-9 due to the Priests' Annual Study Days**



St. Peter's Cemetery - Peterborough  
A new columbarium has been installed in the cemetery.  
Other grave options also available.

**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.

**INDIGENOUS RECONCILIATION FUND**

A Catholic Commitment to Healing and Reconciliation



The Indigenous Reconciliation Fund is a critically important effort in support of the path of healing and reconciliation between the Catholic Church and Indigenous Peoples.

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SPECIAL COLLECTION  
November 18-19, 2023

To donate and learn more, visit:  
[www.peterboroughdiocese.org](http://www.peterboroughdiocese.org)

**32<sup>nd</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time**


LAY MINISTRY  
4:00 p.m. (Sat.)  
Sun 9:00 a.m.  
10:30 a.m.

Eucharistic Minister  
Colleen Petersen  
Bob O'Brien  
Anna Marie Bolin

Reader  
Joanne Bolton  
Patrick Lynch  
Rose Wornhoff

**Nov. 11 - 12, 2023**

Gift Bearers  
Greg & Jean Hall  
Al & Val Collicutt  
Bonnie & John Kuharski




**RELIQUARY TOUR**  
FOR ST. ANDRE BESSETTE

Nov. 11-12	Cathedral - Peterborough
Nov. 13	St. Michael's - Cobourg
Nov. 14	St. Joseph's - Bowmanville
Nov. 15	St. Peter's - Parry Sound
Nov. 16	Our Lady of Lourdes - Cardiff
Nov. 17	St. Anne's - Peterborough

**Radio Maria Fundraising Dinner**  
RADIO MARIA CANADA DINNER DANCE GALA Friday November 17th, 2023 Venu Event Space (Riveria) 2800 Hwy 7 Vaughan, ON Founded in Italy in 1983, today Radio Maria is broadcasted in 87 countries, all thanks to the generosity of our listeners as we do not have commercials. Twenty-four hours a day, in English, Italian, and Spanish, we broadcast the Holy Mass, the Liturgy of the Hours, the Rosary and other devotions together with the Catholic doctrine and human formation on a variety of topics. Purchasing tickets for \$120.00 per person including a \$60.00 tax receipt • Purchasing a table for 10 (\$1,200.00) • Making a tax-deductible monetary donation to Radio Maria Canada • Donating an item(s) to be used for raffle prizes.


**Holy Land Pilgrimage February 2024**  
Pre-Lenten pilgrimage to the Holy Land from February 1-10, 2024 with Father Bill Moloney as the spiritual leader. See Nazareth, Tiberias, Bethlehem & Jerusalem. Full biblical, sacramental and music program. Enquires: Kitty McGilly, 416-400-2478 or email: [kmcgilly@rogers.com](mailto:kmcgilly@rogers.com).




Next C.W.L. Meeting will be on Nov. 7<sup>TH</sup> at 1:00 p.m. *Please note the time change.*

**St. Martin of Tours Concert--Ennismore**  
Parish's Patronal Solemnity Concert on the Solemnity of Saint Martin of Tours on Saturday November 11<sup>th</sup>. Holy Mass begins at 5pm. The concert with the family Rhythm & Grace will begin at 6:00 pm.

**ANNUAL POLISH DINNER AT IMMACULATE:**  
On Saturday, **November 18<sup>th</sup>** at 6:00 p.m. come and enjoy a fantastic feast of roast pork & gravy, mashed potatoes, red beet dish, cole slaw and delicious Polish desserts, in Immaculate's parish hall (386 Rogers Street). Adult tickets are \$25, children 5-12 are \$15 and children under 5-years are free. Email [office@immaculatepeterborough.ca](mailto:office@immaculatepeterborough.ca) to reserve your tickets...**they sell out fast!**



**POP CAN TABS**  
Don't forget your can tabs. They will help someone in need. Your help is appreciated.



A clothing drive is underway. If you have unwanted winter clothing, boots, jackets, toques, scarves, mitts, gloves, sweaters etc, please bring them to the church.

Do not be concerned if there are tiny rips or tears or if the item needs washing. That's because part of the program called Ready for Home involves having the participants go through the donations and make any little repairs. And also deciding if things need washing again or not. It's a skills-training program as well as a system of getting marginalized people warm and ready for winter.

The items will then go to PATH (Peterborough Action for Tiny Homes) and be given to the marginalized in Peterborough. Any questions contact Roddy Turpin 705-939-1145.



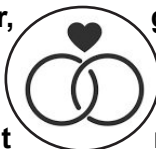
**REMEMBRANCE DAY**  
**SATURDAY 11TH NOVEMBER 2023**

**Thank you for your generosity!**  
**October 29, 2023:** Offertory \$2,030.00  
Fuel \$20.00; World Missions \$145.00



**Operation Christmas Child**  
Please return your filled shoe box by the weekend of **November 11-12.**

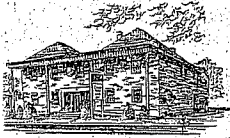
**Marriage Tip 134**  
With the hectic days that are part of family life, especially for those with children, couples can forget to spend time alone with each other. Research has shown that time for just the two of you is a proven way to keep your marriage healthy and happy. So make time for the two of you: cook together, go for a walk together, share a coffee, eat dinner once in awhile when the kids are already in bed – the possibilities are endless, but it must be deliberate, or time slips by and the benefits of together time are lost. When we connect, our love grows.



(From: Teresa Hartnett,  
Family Ministry Office, 905-528-7988 ext. 2250)

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