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**Pastor: Monsignor Michael Heffernan C.F.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.

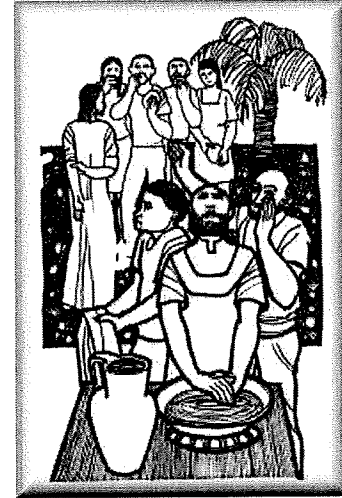
**NEW PARISHIONERS—**

**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.



**Twenty-Second Sunday O.T.**  
**September 1, 2024**

Parish Office: Phone: (705) 741-1018

Office Administrator: Nicolas Bryenton

**Office Hours: 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:** Parishioners must contact the Parish  
 Office 12 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: 4:15 – 4:45 p.m.**

**Sunday: 8:15 – 8:45 a.m.**

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

**MASS INTENTIONS**

**SEPTEMBER 2-8**

MONDAY, September 2  
8:00 am + Mickey Gilbert  
(Pat & Sandra Lynch)

TUESDAY, September 3  
**St. Gregory the Great**  
6:30 pm + Fr. Damian Smullen  
(Al & Val Collicutt)



WEDNESDAY, September 4  
8:00 am + Mickey Hynes  
(Jim & Marg Traynor & family)

THURSDAY, September 5  
8:00 am Special Intention

FRIDAY, September 6  
6:00 pm Adoration and Benediction  
7:00 pm In reparation for the outrages, offences & blasphemies against Christ in the Holy Eucharist and insults to the Immaculate Heart of Mary

SATURDAY, September 7  
No morning Mass

SUNDAY, September 8  
**Twenty-Third Sunday OT**  
5:00 pm (Sat.) + Frank & Lina Mauro  
(Estate of Lina Mauro)

9:00 a.m. + Maria Gauthier  
(Hank & Claudette Vanderploeg)

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

Plan to attend the Historic 94<sup>th</sup> Douro Doings Labour Day Monday Sept. 2, All the Great Events at the Douro Park 205 Douro 2nd Line Douro.

\*Car & Truck Show All Day \*Snack Bar on site for Breakfast & Lunch.

\* Entertainment \*Weekend Fast Ball & Slow Pitch tournaments,

\*10k Run at 10 am, \*11 am Frog Jump \*12 pm Children's Races followed by the Tug of War.

**At St. Joseph's Parish Hall Douro** 299 County Rd 8, \*Roast Beef Dinner & Entertainment

3-6pm Adult \$20.00 Children 6-12 \$10.00 5 & under FREE, Please bring your own dinner plates and cutlery to reduce waste.

\*Entertainment, Famous Quilt Raffle and other raffles.

**CWL NEWS**

The next CWL meeting will be on **Tuesday, September 3rd** at 7:00 p.m., following the 6:30 mass.

**formed.org**

Sign up under our parish for free. This website has many materials like daily reflections to help us grow in our faith all during the year.

**2025 YEAR OF JUBILEE**

Preparation of the Diocese for 2025

Praying for the 2025 Jubilee Year

[www.peterboroughdiocese.org/Jubilee2025](http://www.peterboroughdiocese.org/Jubilee2025)

"Teach Us to Pray" - Living the Year of Prayer in Preparation for Jubilee 2025

[www.peterboroughdiocese.org/TeachUstoPray](http://www.peterboroughdiocese.org/TeachUstoPray)

**POP CAN TABS**



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

I'm proudly announcing my support of **Hospice Peterborough** through my participation in **Hike for Hospice!** I want to support families and friends who have lost loved ones, while bringing in much-needed funds to ensure programs and services continue to be available, *and at no-cost*, in our community.

This year's Hike for Hospice is happening September 22, 2024 at Millennium Park in Peterborough. If you want to learn more about, or join me in participating please visit [www.easypledge.ca/hospice-peterborough](http://www.easypledge.ca/hospice-peterborough).

Sincerely, Jean Hall (parishioner)

**23<sup>rd</sup> Sunday of Ordinary Time**

LAY MINISTRY

Eucharistic Minister

Reader

Gift Bearers

5:00 p.m. (Sat.)

Colleen Petersen

Joanne Bolton

Sharon Hunt & Roddy Turpin

Sun. 9:00 a.m.

Mary Pat Goodridge

Gladys Fowler

Lou & Shirley Leveck

10:30 a.m.

Aileen Doris

Rose Wornoff

Tom & Sue Livings

**September 7-8, 2024**

## Reflections on The Our Father--Year of Prayer 2024

Videos and reflection guide for the recently concluded webinar series titled "**A Great Symphony of Prayer: The Our Father as a Programme of Life**" delivered by Dr. Josephine Lombardi (St. Augustine's Seminary). This webinar series for the Year of Prayer 2024 in anticipation of the Jubilee Year 2025 will be followed by another series in fall 2024. A registration link for the fall series will be sent once it is available.

In English: [cccb.ca/ourfather](http://cccb.ca/ourfather)

## Thank you for your generosity!

**August 25, 2024:** Offertory - \$2235.00

Vocations & Campus Min. - \$15.00

Fuel - \$70.00

If anyone is planning to fill a shoebox for Operation Christmas Child, now is a great time to buy school supplies while they are on sale.

## St. Joseph's Oratory Celebration 2024

Saint Joseph's Oratory of Mount Royal is announcing 2024 as the 4<sup>th</sup> centenary of the dedication of Canada to Saint Joseph. A 7<sup>th</sup> month celebration (March 10-Oct 19) will be welcoming additional pilgrims. You may plan a parish/diocese pilgrimage by contacting the reception and pilgrimage office of the Oratory.

<https://www.saint-joseph.org/en/place-of-welcome/pilgrimages-to-the-oratory/>

## Blood Pressure Clinic Kawartha Home Care

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



## Assumption Parish Beef & Pork Supper

Saturday, **September 28th**, 3:30 to 7p.m.

Tickets will be available next weekend after Mass.

Adults: in advance \$25, at the door \$30.

Children 6 – 12 \$10

## Bakers wanted!

At our parish supper we will be offering homemade desserts.

Starting next weekend, we will be asking parishioners to sign up to supply desserts.

## Volunteers

Anyone wishing to help at the supper, please sign up next weekend or contact Wanda Clancy at 705-930-4416

## Annual Thanksgiving Food Drive

The annual Thanksgiving Food Drive to support the Otonabee-South Monaghan (OSM) Food Cupboard, in Keene, will start next weekend (Sept. 7/8) and continues until

Sunday, October 6th.

The following items are being accepted:

*peanut butter*

*mac & cheese*

*canned tuna*

*pork & beans*

*canned vegetables*

*plain pasta sauce (cans please)*

*canned tomatoes*

*dry pasta (elbows and spaghetti)*

*hearty (chunky) soup (beef and chicken),*

*condensed soup (veggie,*

*tomato, mushroom, chicken noodle)*

*toilet paper*

*paper towels, and facial tissue.*

All items should have the best before date after March 31st, 2025.

Any donation large or small will be deeply appreciated. Thank you for supporting families, experiencing a lack of food in our communities. The Food Cupboard serves Otonabee-South Monaghan Township and Hiawatha First Nation.



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Below you will find our top recommendations. We pray that these resources will draw you and your family closer to our Lord and the Good News of our Faith.

**PRIMARY RECOMMENDATIONS (0 TO 8 YEARS OF AGE):**

Francis and Friends! | DRAWING CLOSER TO GOD | The Saints!

**JUNIOR/INTERMEDIATE RECOMMENDATIONS (9 TO 12 YEARS OF AGE):**

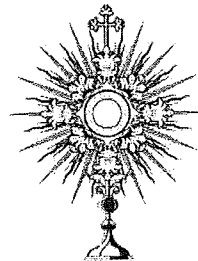
CATHOLIC HEROES OF THE FAITH | Robin Hood | YAN DEFEATES

**SENIOR/HIGH SCHOOL RECOMMENDATIONS (13+ YEARS OF AGE):**

SEARCH | BLINDSIDE | MADE FOR GREATNESS | WHO AM I TO JUDGE?

## SONShine Family Adoration

On the third Friday of every month at 9:30am (after the 9:00am Mass) we invite families with young children to come for an hour (or so) of Adoration to St. Alphonsus Liguori Church, 1066 Western Ave., Peterborough. It is geared towards young families so that our smallest members can feel free to move around, visit and learn about Jesus in their own way. The Blessed Sacrament is even placed on a table at their level to adore Him.



## FORMED.org

An updated diocesan webpage for FORMED.org is now ready for viewing. The team from Augustine Institute has guided us through resources for school-aged children and teens and a webinar on the Sacred Heart of Jesus for the month of June. Please take some time to watch and share with others. Let myself or Dawn know what other webinars you might like to see from FORMED.org, both Dora and Don are more than happy to help us be more familiar with this fantastic resource!

<https://www.peterboroughdiocese.org/en/life-and-faith/formed-org.aspx>

## St. Peter's Cemetery---Peterborough

Contrary to popular belief, St. Peter's Cemetery in Peterborough is **NOT FULL!** There are several burial options available. There are single plots, double plots, the Cremation Garden, and 2 Columbarium. Attached list of price points which will suit all budgets. For more information, please contact Alexis Robertson: [Stpeterscemetery@bellnet.ca](mailto:Stpeterscemetery@bellnet.ca) or by phone :705-742-9951.

## "Unlocking Hope: Highlights from the International Interfaith Symposium on Palliative Care."

This video demonstrates the profound discussions and shared aspirations that emerged from the recent symposium organized by the Canadian Conference of Catholic Bishops and the Pontifical Academy for Life, along with other key partners, in Toronto, 21-23 May 2024.


You will also find below links to videos summarizing the symposium's highlights.

In English: <https://youtu.be/lje22ZWsUH4>

In French: <https://youtu.be/AjfftNnExC8>

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