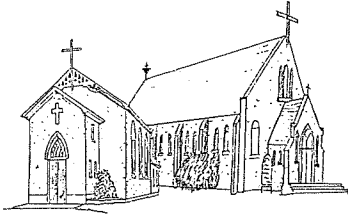




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**Pastor: Monsignor Michael Heffernan C.H.F.**

### 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

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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—

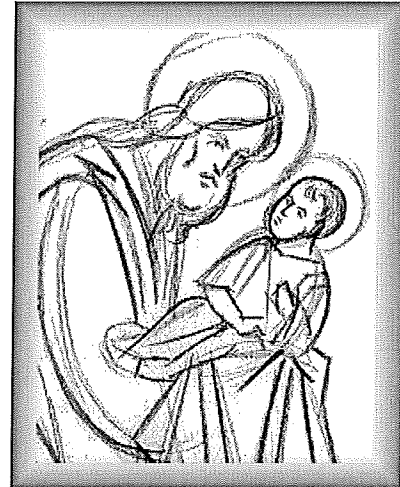
**Have you registered in our Parish?**

**“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.



## Presentation of the Lord February 2, 2025

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: 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**

**FEBRUARY 3 - FEBRUARY 9**

MONDAY, February 3  
8:00 a.m. Missa Pro Populo

TUESDAY, February 4  
6:30 p.m. Missa Pro Populo

WEDNESDAY, February 5  
*St Agatha*  
8:00 a.m. Missa Pro Populo

THURSDAY, February 6  
*St Paul Miki & Companions*  
8:00 a.m. Special Intention

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

SATURDAY, February 8  
No morning Mass

SUNDAY, February 9  
*Fifth Sunday OT*  
4:00 p.m. (Sat.) + Marg & Vern Keating  
(Tom & Jane Foley)

9:00 a.m. + Patti Simmons  
(Betty Clark)

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



**Indigenous Reconciliation Fund**

Applications for **ROUND 3** will open from **February 3 to March 20, 2025!**

If your parish is located near one of the entities listed below, please consider reaching out personally. Phone or visit and see if they are interested in this opportunity to apply for and receive funding for an Indigenous-led and managed project that achieves one or more of these purposes: healing for communities and families, culture and language revitalization; knowledge-sharing, heritage & traditions, and community building; and dialogues for promoting indigenous spirituality and culture.

- Hiawatha First Nation**
- Magnetawan First Nation, Britt**
- Alderville First Nation, Roseneath**
- Wahta Mohawks First Nation, Bala**
- Moose Deer Point First Nation, Mactier**
- Henvey Inlet First Nation, Pickerel**
- Shawanaga First Nation, Nobel**
- Wasauksing First Nation, Parry Sound**
- Curve Lake First Nation**
- Métis Nation of Ontario - Peterborough and District Wapiti Métis Council**
- Métis Nation of Ontario - Moon River Métis Council**
- Nogojwanong Friendship Centre**
- Parry Sound Friendship Centre**
- First Peoples House of Learning, Trent University**
- Indigenous Education Council - Fleming College**

**MORE INFORMATION & DETAILS:**  
[www.peterboroughdiocese.org/IRF](http://www.peterboroughdiocese.org/IRF)

**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)

**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.

**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.



**POP CAN TABS**



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

**Fifth Sunday Ordinary Time**

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

Eucharistic Minister  
Eileen Parry  
Noreen Malloy  
Julia Davis

Reader  
Jean Hall  
Judy Lukes  
Rose Wornoff

**February 8 - February 9, 2025**

Gift Bearers  
Roddy Turpin & Al Collicutt  
Joe & Cathy McGriskin  
Bonne & John Kuharski

## Stamp Collection: Final Call!

Dear Parishioners, This is the final call for this season's collection of used stamps for Development and Peace. The box will remain at the back of Our Lady of the Assumption Church till the weekend of February 8/9th. Thank you for the many contributions and please continue saving throughout the year. The box will be back again mid-November.

## Development & Peace

Create Hope: Reaping our Rights campaign in solidarity with the peasant farmers who feed the world and care for the earth. We are collecting signatures across the country and a delegation will take the signatures to Ottawa for our rights and legislation. To sign up visit [devp.org/act](http://devp.org/act). To become a member visit [devp.org/joinus](http://devp.org/joinus).

## CWL News

Please note that there will be **no Feb. meeting of the CWL**. Our next meeting will be held on **Tuesday, Mar. 12 at 1:30**.

## CWL Lenten Project

A huge thank you to those who have set aside or donated a gently used purse. During Lent we are asking parishioners to buy toiletries for the women helped by Crossroads Emergency Shelter. This shelter is a safe haven for women fleeing abusive relationships.

The following is a list of items we will be putting in the purses. We are listing them now so that people can take advantage of sales. If you wish you can fill a purse yourself or bring any donated items to our Apr. meeting where we will be filling the purses.

The following items would be most appreciated: deodorant, shampoo, soap, disposable razors, small pack of Kleenex, feminine products, toothbrush and toothpaste. Please ensure that products are unscented.

More information oaths project the first week of Lent. Thank you for supporting our CWL Lenten Project.

## Catholic Women's Conference

Dynamic Women of Faith is holding their yearly women's conference on Saturday March 22, 2025. Location: The Old Mill (Old Mill Subway Station), registration at 8:00 am and 9:00 am-4:00 pm for keynote speaker and special guests talks. Holy Mass will be celebrated at the end of the conference. Registration is required: <https://dynamicwomenfaith.com/>



## Thank you for your generosity!

January 26, 2025: Offertory - \$1965.00

Fuel Fund - \$55.00

## Jubilee Italian Pilgrimage October 24 to November 3, 2025


Are you thinking and planning of joining a Pilgrimage to Italy and Rome during this Jubilee Year of Hope? Come and join us. In this pilgrimage we will be visiting the Cities of Rome, Siena, Assisi, Florence and much more. Come and pray in footsteps of the Saints—like St. Francis and St. Clair of Assisi, St. Padre Pio, St. Catherine of Siena, St. Peter, etc. Fr. Roy Villas, Parish Priest of St. Joseph Parish, Bracebridge and CWL Diocesan Spiritual Advisor, is leading the said pilgrimage. 30 seats are allocated in this pilgrimage, so hurry up. Interested individual or group is advised to be reached out to **Fr. Roy Villas at 705-645-2294** to be included in the list.

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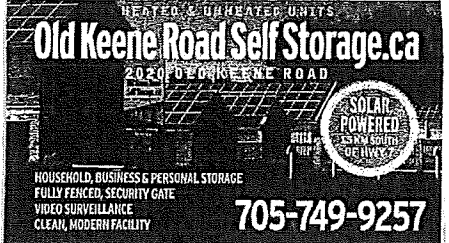
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