



Our Lady of the Assumption

Roman Catholic Church

Mission ~ St. John the Evangelist, Keene, Ontario



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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

Keene, Ontario
Sunday 10:30 a.m.

Weekday Holy Mass Schedule:

Our Lady of the Assumption

Monday, Wednesday, Thursday, Saturday 8:00 a.m.
Tuesday 6:30 p.m. for the first two Tuesdays
of the month and 8:00 a.m. for all others
Friday 7:00 p.m.

Adoration and Benediction

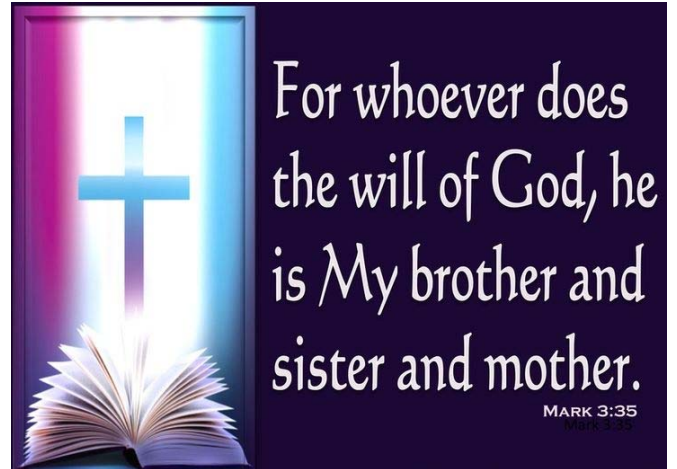
Every Friday from 6:00 to 7:00 p.m.
followed by Holy Mass at 7:00 p.m.

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.**



*10th Sunday in Ordinary Time
June 10, 2018*

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

Knights of Columbus:

▶ Grand Knight: Peter Clancy
(705)748-3075

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: 7:30 – 8:00 a.m. & 4:30 – 4:50 p.m.
Sunday: 8:00 – 9:00 a.m.

You may also ask Father at **ANYTIME**

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. Call 705-741-1018.



MASS INTENTIONS

June 11 – June 17

MONDAY, June 11
St. Barnabas, Apostle
 8:00 a.m. ~ Special Intention
 Maria Marrocco

(Family)

TUESDAY, June 12

6:30 p.m. ~ Special Intention

WEDNESDAY, June 13

St. Anthony of Padua, Priest & Doctor
 8:00 a.m. ~ Special Intention

THURSDAY, June 14

8:00 a.m. ~ Tricia & Alex

(Ironside Family)

FRIDAY, June 15

6:00 p.m. ~ Adoration & Benediction

7:00 p.m. ~ Katie Linnen

(Loretta Lane)

SATURDAY, June 16

8:00 a.m. ~ For the living & deceased members of the parish of St. Menard's, Couteau Station

SUNDAY, June 17 *Father's Day*

11th Sunday in Ordinary Time

5:00 p.m. (Sat.) + Anne Gostola

(Richard & Jane Driscoll)

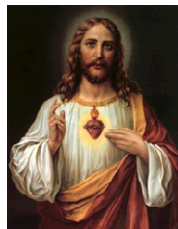
9:00 a.m. + Don Keating

(Family)

10:30 a.m. ~ Missa Pro Populo

The month of June is dedicated to the Sacred Heart by Holy Mother Church. Heart of Jesus, Symbol of Love

The Church, governed and taught by the Holy Spirit, has approved and recommended devotion to the Sacred Heart of Jesus. In our age of religious indifference, when fervour and charity have grown cold, Jesus exhibits to the world His Sacred Heart as the symbol of God's infinite love - the symbol of His own generous self-sacrificing love for men.



Jesus shows His Divine Heart as a furnace whose burning rays of love are able to reanimate faith and rekindle love in hearts grown cold and ungrateful.

But why His *Heart*? Because in every language, in every age, the heart is regarded as the natural symbol of love and affection. What more natural and expressive symbol is

there, then, of the excessive love of Jesus than His Sacred Heart? The *direct* and *material object* of devotion to the Sacred Heart is the *real, physical Heart* of Jesus - the Heart of flesh, the living and loving Heart of our Blessed Lord; the Heart that beat in His Divine breast at the moment of the Incarnation; the Heart that loved us during the life of Jesus on earth, that poured forth its blood to the last drop on Mount Calvary; the beatified Heart now glorious in Heaven and still dwelling among us in the Blessed Sacrament; the Heart ever united to the Person of the Divine Word, to whom is due supreme homage and adoration.

We the Christians are the true Israel which springs from Christ, for we are carved out of His heart as from a rock. – St. Justin Martyr (d. 165)

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<http://www.sistersofcarmel.com/devotion-to-the-sacred-heart-of-jesus.php>

11th Sunday in Ordinary Time

June 16, 2018

LAY MINISTRY

Eucharistic

Lector

Gift Bearers

Saturday 5:00 p.m.

Rose Rabishaw

Colleen Petersen

Roddy Turpin

Sunday 9:00 a.m.

Mary Pat Goodridge

Sarah Grills

Bob & Ruth O'Brien

10:30 a.m.

Anna Marie Bolin

Nathan Tower

Raphael & Casandra Dunne

St. Joseph's School Otonabee Student Reunion

Assumption Hall, Keene Road, Otonabee

Saturday Sept. 15, 2018 from 10 a.m. – 4 p.m.

Mass, viewing of school, BBQ, ball games

Pictures displayed by decades in hall

Requesting former students & teachers to bring pictures to share.

FOOD CUPBOARD AT KEENE UNITED CHURCH

Thurs. June 14: 12 -2 p.m., & 4 – 6 p.m.

Donations of goods can be dropped off at Three Roads Farm or at the back of the Church.



Office Hours

Office hours will be slightly different next week. The office will be open Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday from 9:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.

C.W.L. News



To support and encourage high school graduates, the CWL again this year will present two bursaries of \$200 each to one boy and one girl in Assumption Parish. To be eligible for this bursary, the students must be graduating from high school this spring, continuing their education at a post secondary institution and be actively practising their faith in this Parish. Application forms are available at the back of Assumption & St. John churches. Please complete and submit according to directions on form. The deadline for submission is July 31. If there are any questions, call Diane at 742-9625.

THE HOLY FAMILY PRAYER PROGRAM:



Features an image of the Holy Family. Each Knights of Columbus jurisdiction received several Holy Family images, which will be the centerpiece of prayer services conducted in churches and council meeting places throughout the Order. We will have the Holy Family Icon at Immaculate Conception Church until June 13th. All are invited to join K of C on June 13th at 7:00 pm for a time of prayer for our families. Holy Family Prayer booklets and prayer cards will be available.

Vacation Bible School

Save the date: Vacation Bible School will run from **August 13 – 17**. Details will be made available soon.



Retreat for Girls

Hearts Set Ablaze Retreat June 15-17, for girls 11-15 years of age, led by the Sisters of Our Lady Immaculate at Camp Bucze, Barry's Bay, ON. A weekend of faith, friendship, prayer, and fun! The cost is \$75 and applications can be downloaded at <http://solisisters.ca/youthretreats.html> Questions about the retreat may be directed to Sr. Mary Augustine smaryaugustine@solisisters.ca

Retreat at Our Lady of Mount Carmel (Based on the teachings of Blessed Marie-Eugene of the Child Jesus)

Where: Our Lady of Mount Carmel Parish, Hastings
When: **Saturday July 14th**
What: The Spiritual Day of Reflection is a time to LISTEN, for private REFLECTION, opportunities for CONFESSION, and MASS.
Time: 10 am – 4:30 pm (see flyer for details)
COME FOR ALL OR PART OF THE DAY – If you plan to attend or need information please call (705-696-2254) or email: frjdevereaux@gmail.com

Church Cleaning Ministry



Please find the church cleaning sheet on the glass religious article case at the back of OLA church. Once a week, one month at a time, we need cleaners to vacuum, dust mop and do general dusting.

PRAYER TO ST. ANTHONY IN ANY NECESSITY



I salute you, St. Anthony, lily of purity, ornament and glory of Christianity. I salute you, great Saint, cherub of wisdom and seraph of divine love. I rejoice at the favours Our Lord has so liberally bestowed on you. In humility and confidence I entreat you to help me, for I know that God has given you charity and compassion, as well as power.

I ask you, by the love you felt toward the Holy Infant Jesus as you held Him in your arms, to tell Him now of the favours I seek through your intercession. (*Mention your petition*)

O glorious favourite of God, in humble reverence I petition you to grant me what I so urgently ask for, and I will make known your goodness and holiness, thereby to honour and glorify Him who has so greatly blessed you. Amen.

Feast Day: June 13

Holy Land Pilgrimage – November 4th – 18th, SAVE the DATE! GREAT ITINERARY

We invite you to join us as we visit holy sites, historical sites and experience the culture in Israel. We will do this in the context of our faith with Mass and prayer.

Pilgrimage leaders are *Father Devereaux* (Chancellor/Judicial Vicar – Diocese of Peterborough) and *Deacon Randy Matters* (Deacon, Diocese of Hamilton, and President & Founder of Shifra Homes Inc). Travel Coordinator *Claire Waxman* of Talk of the Town Travel. Please refer to website www.pilgrimdeaconrandy.com for further updates and information as available, or contact Fr. Devereaux at 705-696-2254/ frjdevereaux@gmail.com
TOUR PRICE IN CAD: \$3999.00 per person

ESTATE PLANNING/END OF LIFE ISSUES

Join us **Sunday, June 10th**, 12 noon at St. Alphonsus Liguori Parish Hall, 810 Frank St. (at Ford) for an informative seminar.

Speakers: Sr. Mary Rowell, PhD (Sisters of St. Joseph)

Stephen P. Kylie, Lawyer

Seminar will include presentations and a Q & A period.

Need for having to update Wills and Powers of Attorney for Property and Personal Care
Advanced healthcare directives (POA-Personal Care)
Legal and moral issues around hydration, nutrition, organ donation, “brain death” treatment continuation, assisted dying, euthanasia, etc.
Free seminar. Lunch provided.

Thank you for your generosity
Offertory June 3: Env: \$1912.50 + Loose
\$571.00 + P.A.P. \$710.00 = \$3193.50 Heat
\$158.00
St. Vincent de Paul \$153.50

the month, Mass will be celebrated at St. Mary of the
Visitation Church, Campbellford at 12:30 pm.
You are most welcome to attend

Lector Ministry
We are in need of additional readers for the Saturday
evening Mass. Please let Fr. Michael know if you feel
called to volunteer in this capacity. Thank you.

Special Collection for 2019

The only change to the P.A.P. schedule for special
collections for 2019 is as follows:
Other Lenten Charities or D&P: March 15th
Good Friday and Easter: April 15th
There are no changes for the remainder of the year.

Volunteer needed to assist with the hall



The parish is in need of someone who
would be responsible for the running
of the hall. Please ask
Fr. Michael for details.

Eucharistic Adoration

Spend Some Time with Jesus

There is Eucharistic adoration at the
Church each Friday beginning at 6:00 p.m.
In addition, St. Alphonsus Adoration
Chapel is open seven days a week,
Monday to Saturday, 7 a.m. to midnight and
Sunday from noon to midnight. Drop in for five
minutes or spend an hour with Jesus.
Our church is open during the day for anyone who
wishes to visit Jesus present in the tabernacle.



Readings:

June 10: 10th Sunday in Ordinary Time

1st Reading: Genesis 3: 8 – 15

Psalm 130

2nd Reading: 2 Corinthians 4: 13 – 5: 1

Gospel: Mark 3:20 – 35

June 17: 11th Sunday in Ordinary Time

1st Reading: Ezekiel 17: 22– 24

Psalm 92

2nd Reading: 2 Corinthians 5: 6 – 10

Gospel: Mark 4: 26 – 34

Latin Tridentine Mass
Mass will be celebrated on the First and Last Sundays
of the month at 1:00 pm and every Saturday morning at
Our Lady of Mount Carmel, Hastings at 8:30 am.
All other Sundays of

Holy Father's Intentions: June

Universal – Social Networks

That social networks may work towards that inclusiveness which
respects other for their differences.

After Abortion Canadian Helpline

Second Chance Ministry 905-430-7990

We offer support to those struggling with emotional and
psychological effects of abortion, sometimes known as post
abortion trauma or post abortion syndrome.

Angelina@SecondChanceMinistry.ca

Quo Vadis (Where are you going?)

Quo Vadis brings together young men (18-35yrs.)

who are on the journey toward the answer to the
question 'what is my vocation?' We will begin with
Mass or adoration, discussions, questions and prayer
followed by lunch at noon. Join us on **June 23rd from
10:00 a.m. to Noon** at the John Paul II House.

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

Looking for a quiet place to pray and spend some time
with God?

Stop by the Adoration Chapel located off the main
parking lot behind St. Alphonsus Liguori Church.

It is open 7am to 11pm Monday to Saturday and
12noon to 11pm on Sunday. Stop by for 5
minutes, one hour, two hours...

If you would like to commit to one hour a week,
please call Bernadette at 705-742-3055.



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23rd from 10:00 a.m. to Noon** at the John Paul II House.

Summer Camp

Chilawee Trails has overnight week long camps for girls in
August for girls ages 9-14. Located in Barry's Bay it offers
sports, daily Mass, swimming, rosary, crafts, confessions,
canoe, and drama - a week of fun, friendship and faith
awaits!

Registration opens in March. Consider helping campers
from low-income families. For more info: chilaweetrails.ca.

The Compassionate Community Care

(CCC) helpline is a national service for
people who are seeking advice, help & support regarding euthanasia &
assisted suicide prevention, and all end-of-life
treatment issues or concerns. They can be reached
toll free at 1-855-675-8749 ... The number operates
7days a week, 24 hours a day from coast to coast.
www.CompassionateCommunityCare.org



MAKE A ' LIFE ' DIFFERENCE.

Prayer does have power. Join us this Saturday morning from 10:00 am to 11:00 am across from the Peterborough hospital. Come singly or as part of a group. We need you to participate in our **sidewalk prayer vigil for the unborn.** Defend life and be part of this public witness against the horror of abortion. **Paul 741- 4000 or Tom 243-4133**

ROSARY FOR LIFE ON THURSDAYS

Come and join in praying the 15-decade Rosary (Joyful, Sorrowful, Glorious) for the sanctity and protection of life from abortion, euthanasia and assisted suicide, followed by the Memorare and St. Michael's Prayer. **Thursdays at 3:00 p.m. at Sacred Heart Church.**

Project Rachel

Project Rachel offers accompaniment, counselling, personal presence and support, and other services at any time they are needed by women or men. They also offer weekend retreats which provide opportunity for women who have suffered from an abortion experience to find healing, forgiveness and reconciliation. Are you hurting as a result of an abortion? Healing is possible. Please contact them for upcoming dates, in confidence, by telephone at 416 629 8264 or by e-mail projectrachel@stmarysrefuge.org.
<http://www.stmarysrefuge.org>



Chalice is a ministry of the Catholic Community, creating and nurturing relationships of life and love. To find out how Chalice Helps go to website
<http://www.ccare.ca/>

The Diocese of Peterborough parishes have twinned, in support of the Archdiocese of Keewatin-Le Pas. All parishes are able to accept donations for the Archdiocese of Keewatin-Le Pas along with the ability for parishioners to donate online on the Diocesan website at:
<https://www.peterboroughdiocese.org/en/get-involved/donate.aspx>

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"The Mass is the most favourable occasion to speak with the eternal Father, because then we offer Him His only Son as a victim for our salvation. Before celebrating, reflect on the sufferings of your Redeemer, commune peaceably with Him, even in the midst of dryness; carry to the altar the needs of the entire world." **St. Paul of the Cross**

"A saint is not someone who never sins, but one who sins less and less frequently and gets up more and more quickly."
– Bernard of Clairvaux

The greatest deception, and the deepest source of unhappiness, is *the illusion of finding life by excluding*

God, of finding freedom by excluding moral truths and personal responsibility. (St. Pope John Paul II)

St. Anthony Mary Claret:

The Christian who desires to follow Jesus carrying his cross must bear in mind that the name "Christian" means "bearer or imitator of Christ" and that if he wishes to bear that noble title worthily, he must above all do as Christ charges us in the Gospel; we must oppose or deny ourselves, take up the cross, and follow him.

St. Jean-Marie Vianney, the Cure of Ars once asked one of his parishioners who spent hours in adoration of the Blessed Sacrament, "My good father, what do you say to our Lord in those long visits you pay Him every day?" "I say nothing to Him," was the man's moving reply; "I look at Him and He looks at me."

"All the good works in the world are not equal to the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass because they are the works of men; but the Mass is the work of God. Martyrdom is nothing in comparison for it is but the sacrifice of man to God; but the Mass is the sacrifice of God for man."
St. John Vianney, Cure d'Ars

Clearly, what God wants above all is our will which we received as a free gift from God in creation and possess as though our own. When a man trains himself to acts of virtue, it is with the help of grace from God from whom all good things come that he does this. The will is what man has as his unique possession. **St. Joseph of Cupertino**

Flower Committee

Volunteers needed to help with flower decor for the Assumption Church Sanctuary for 2018. Volunteer weeks are negotiable. If interested please call Judy at 705-740-2062 or Joanne at 705-313-6750.



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