



# *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.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*

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.**



*32<sup>nd</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time  
November 11, 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. & 3:30 – 3:50 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**

**November 12 – November 18**

**MONDAY, November 12**

*St. Josaphat*

8:00 a.m. + Hallam & Angela Welch  
& Edgar & Rita Welch  
(Family)

**TUESDAY, November 13**

6:30 p.m. + Special Intention

**WEDNESDAY, November 14**

8:00 a.m. ~ Special Intention

**THURSDAY, November 15**

*St. Albert the Great*

8:00 a.m. + Special Intention

**FRIDAY, November 16**

*St. Margaret of Scotland*

*St. Gertrude*

6:00 p.m. ~ Adoration & Benediction

7:00 p.m. ~ Special Intention

**SATURDAY, November 17**

*St. Elizabeth of Hungary*

8:00 a.m. + Souls in Purgatory

**SUNDAY, November 18**

*33<sup>rd</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time*

4:00 p.m. (Sat.) + Mart O'Brien & deceased members of  
the Delaney Family

(Dorothy & Family)

9:00 a.m. ~ Missa Pro Populo

10:30 a.m. + Johanna Verhoeven

(Family)

**Red Wednesday** - Please pray for persecuted Christians around the World (wear red if you can)  
Scheduled date: **Wednesday, November 21, 2018**  
More information is available at Aid to the Church in Need Canada <http://acn-canada.org>

**Trip to Holy Land** - You're Invited! Fr. Gerardus, Pastor of St. Michael's Church in Cobourg will be leading a Pilgrimage to Holy Land on **March 3-11, 2019**. St. Michael's phone # 905-372-6844

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**The next meeting will be on Nov 17<sup>th</sup>.**

**Youth Retreat (Grades 8 – 12)**

Created: A Youth Retreat on Theology of the Body St. Alphonsus Parish Hall, **Nov. 16-18**, sponsored by Sacred Heart College.

Contact: Nicolas Du Bonnet, 705-745-8623

(ex. 204) [nicolas@stalphonsus.net](mailto:nicolas@stalphonsus.net)

**Carpenter's Cup Sports Edition**

High School aged young men are invited to the Carpenter's Cup Retreat - Sports Edition! The Carpenter's Cup brings young men together for a weekend of competition, meaningful talks and prayer. The retreat will take place November 23-25 at JPII House (820 Frank St. Peterborough) and you can register at [www.ptbovocations.ca/carpenterscup](http://www.ptbovocations.ca/carpenterscup). Early bird rates until Nov. 16. Call Fr. John for details: 705-874-1871

**Sisters in Christ Weekend Retreat for High School Girls on Theology of the Body**

**November 30-December 2** at Villa St Joseph in Cobourg (445 Monk Street) Early Bird Registration \$25(after Nov. 23: \$30) For more information or to sign up please contact Mother Parousia 745-7631 or email [m.parousia@servidoras.org](mailto:m.parousia@servidoras.org)

**St. Augustine, "One of the holiest works, one of the best exercises of piety that we can practice in this world, is to offer sacrifices, alms, and prayers for the dead" (Homily 16).**

**33<sup>rd</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time**

**November 18, 2018**

LAY MINISTRY

Eucharistic

Lector

Gift Bearers

Saturday 4:00 p.m. Colleen Petersen

Roddy Turpin

Cesare & Anne Mauro

Sunday 9:00 a.m. Mary Pat Goodridge

Gladys Fowler

Jim & Nora Zister



### C.W.L. News

The CWL **Snowflake Bazaar 2018** was a wonderful success due to the hard work and goodwill of so many. It is a community event which brings all ages together, to visit, shop and enjoy the event. We raised \$3396. for the good works of the CWL. The \$505 raised in Attic Treasures will be forwarded to Catholic Missions in Canada to help spread the Gospel message to remote areas in the Canadian north. Thanks to all who contributed in any way to the Bazaar.

**Ladies of the Parish** Mark your calendars.

**December 5<sup>th</sup>** is the date of the annual Christmas Luncheon.

### Knights of Columbus



Next meeting **Tues, Nov 13 at 7pm** following Mass.

Mark your Calendar for our Annual Parish Christmas Dinner **Sat, Dec 15<sup>th</sup>**. Tickets will be available soon for purchase.

### THE FASHION SHOW OF THE SEASON

Ladies get your gal pals together and come to Immaculate Conception Parish on Sunday, November 18<sup>th</sup>, for the 2<sup>nd</sup> Annual Fashion Show featuring the fabulous Fall/Winter collection from Alia n Tan Jay. Tickets are \$15. Light refreshments and a cash bar will be available. Door prizes, raffles and a silent auction on a beautiful painting. Please drop by the office to purchase your tickets Tue – Fri between 9:00am – 5:00 pm or call 742-5466 to order tickets.

### CHAIRS FOR SALE

Immaculate Conception Parish has 40 steel stacking chairs with cloth seats available for \$10 each. If interested in purchasing some or all please call 705-742-5466.

### MASS DURING THE PRIEST STUDY DAYS

Mass will be at Immaculate Conception Parish during the Priest Study: Mon, Nov 19<sup>th</sup> @ 5:00pm, Tue, Nov 20<sup>th</sup> @ 8:30am and Wed, Nov 21<sup>st</sup> @ 8:30 am.

**WORLD DAY OF THE POOR:** To celebrate the World Day of the Poor “Vinnie’s”, the Saint Vincent De Paul store, is giving a 10% discount on purchases with a donation of a non perishable food item. This is being offered Nov 12<sup>th</sup> to the 17<sup>th</sup>.

**Remembrance Day November 11**  
“Lest we forget”

- For all victims of war or terrorism;  
for refugees who seek safety and  
shelter; and for the families of our  
soldiers who have lost loved ones,  
we pray to the Lord.



### Sacred Heart Church Annual Christmas Turkey Supper

Delicious Turkey, Potatoes, Dressing and all the Trimmings. **Sunday November 25<sup>th</sup> at 5:00 p.m.**  
Tickets Adults \$18.00, Children (6-10) \$8.00 Tickets available by calling Jan at 705-868-6307

### St. Thomas More Christmas Bazaar

Annual Christmas Bazaar at St. Thomas More Parish  
**Saturday, November 17<sup>th</sup>** from 9:00-1:30 pm, at the **Millbrook Legion** on King Street.

Baked goods, Penny table, Crafts, Raffle, Religious articles and a Soup and Chili Lunch available.

**We look forward to seeing you!**

### 2019 Women’s Lenten Retreat

Manresa Jesuit Spiritual Renewal Center, Pickering, 2 Nights/3 Days: Mon, March 11<sup>th</sup> – Wed, March 13<sup>th</sup>.

Retreat Director is Father Henk van Meijel – director of Manresa Jesuit Spiritual Renewal Centre. Cost \$339 with transportation from Belleville or \$299 without transportation. Retreat is organised and escorted by Father Don Oberwarth, pastor of St Francis of Assisi, Frankford. For more information or to book please call 613-929-8390 or email [womenslentenretreat@gmail.com](mailto:womenslentenretreat@gmail.com)

### Development & Peace – Caritas Canada Fall Campaign – Share the Journey

This year, we invite you to share the journey, as Cardinal Tagle, President of Caritas Internationalis, reminds us, “We do not necessarily need to do extraordinary and extravagant things to make a difference in the lives of people. Small gestures, ordinary gestures, when done with sincerity, with the light of human understanding and compassion, can do extraordinary things.” Take time this week to truly encounter migrants and refugees through their stories. Read about the Hossein family, Patience Ubani, and Aysha at our website

[www.dev.org/en/education/fall2018/materials](http://www.dev.org/en/education/fall2018/materials)

Postcard signing will be **Nov.18**

### St. Luke’s Downeyville Fourth Annual Christmas House

**Tour: Saturday Nov 17<sup>th</sup> from 10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.** Cost \$20.00/person. Six new properties, one returning favourite and the parish hall. Passports may be purchased by contacting Mary Jane Connell 705-793-2013. Please note that the parish hall will be the reception area for our passport holders. For lunch, hearty homemade soup and a sandwich will be on sale from 11:00 a.m. until 2:00 p.m.

The bazaar will be held in the hall please join us to start your Christmas shopping or to purchase homemade baking. Tickets are on sale



Thank you for your generosity  
Offertory Nov 4<sup>th</sup> Env: \$1544.25 + Loose  
\$486.25  
+ P.A.P. \$720.00= \$2750.50  
Fuel \$217.00  
St. Vincent de Paul \$302.00

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.

**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/>

### 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**

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**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 7 days a week, 24 hours a day from coast to coast. [www.CompassionateCommunityCare.org](http://www.CompassionateCommunityCare.org)

### 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](mailto:Angelina@SecondChanceMinistry.ca)

### Project Rachel

Project Rachel offers accompaniment, counselling, personal presence and support, and other services at any time they are needed by

**Are you interested in knitting for a good cause?**  
**We will be knitting on 2<sup>nd</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup>, and 4<sup>th</sup> Wednesdays of the month. For further information, phone Gladys at 705-748-6438.**

**Holy Father's Intentions: November**  
Universal – In Service of Peace  
That the language of love and dialogue may always prevail over the language of conflict.

**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 15<sup>th</sup>  
Good Friday and Easter: April 15<sup>th</sup>  
There are no changes for the remainder of the year.

**Lector Ministry**  
We are in need of additional readers for the Saturday evening Mass and Sunday morning Mass at Our Lady of the Assumption. Please let Fr. Michael know if you feel called to volunteer in this capacity. Thank you.

**Readings:**  
**Nov 11: 32<sup>nd</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time**  
1<sup>st</sup> Reading: 1 Kings 17: 10 – 16  
Psalm 146  
2<sup>nd</sup> Reading: Hebrews 9: 24 – 28  
Gospel: Mark 12: 38 – 44  
**Nov 18: 31<sup>st</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time**  
1<sup>st</sup> Reading: Daniel 12: 1 – 3  
Psalm 16  
2<sup>nd</sup> Reading: Hebrews 10: 11 – 14, 18  
Gospel: Mark 13: 24 – 32

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

**Eucharistic Adoration**  
**Spend Some Time with Jesus**  
There is Eucharistic adoration at the Church each Friday beginning at 6:00 p.m.



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. The next retreat for women will be held from October 26 – 29. To register phone 416 629 8264 or e-mail [ProjectRachel@stmaryrefuge.org](mailto:ProjectRachel@stmaryrefuge.org)

### Church Cleaning Ministry

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



**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>**

### 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.

### FOOD CUPBOARD AT KEENE UNITED CHURCH

**Thurs. Dec 13: 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.



For those who have died that they may be given a place of rest and peace in God's eternal Kingdom

