



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.**

The Spirit descended upon Him like a dove and the voice
of the Father thundered: This is My beloved Son, with
whom I am well pleased.



Baptism of the Lord
January 13, 2019

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

January 14 – January 20

MONDAY, January 14

8:00 a.m. ~ Special Intention

TUESDAY, January 15

8:00 a.m. ~ Special Intention

WEDNESDAY, January 16

8:00 a.m. ~ Special Intention

THURSDAY, January 17

St. Anthony

8:00 a.m. + Jimmy Leyden

(Joe & Judy Lukes)

FRIDAY, January 18

6:00 p.m. ~ Adoration & Benediction

7:00 p.m. ~ Catherine Leonard

(Anne Sheridan)

SATURDAY, January 19

8:00 a.m. + Hallam & Angela Welch

(Family)

SUNDAY, January 20

2nd Sunday in Ordinary Time

4:00 p.m. (Sat.) + Special Intention

9:00 a.m. + Audrey Goodfellow

(Catherine & Ed Stevenson)

10:30 a.m. ~ Missa Pro Populo

Christian Unity 2019

Ecumenical prayer service for the week of Christian unity (January 18-25) will be held on **Tuesday,**

January 22, 2019, 7:00 pm at St. John's

Anglican Church, Peterborough. His Excellency

Bishop Miehm will provide the homily with the

theme "Justice and only justice shall you pursue."

The website for further information:

<https://www.peterboroughdiocese.org/en/index.aspx>

Baptismal Preparation

Baptismal preparation classes will run

on Sunday, January 20th and

Sunday, January 27th from

2:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m.



Peterborough Mission –

March 18th, 19th & 20th

Bishop Gary Gordon of Victoria Diocese in British Columbia will deliver a Lenten Mission for all parishes in Peterborough and surrounding area **Mon to Wed, March 18th – 20th.** The mission will be given at the

Cathedral of St. Peter-in-Chains. Once again this mission is for all parishes. There will be three separate presentations and each will be shared twice on the same day. **Bishop**

Gordon will speak at 11 a.m. and then give the same talk at 7 p.m.

Plan to attend and be sure to invite and encourage every Roman Catholic that you know.

Fiat Retreat

Fiat: Young Women's Retreat from Jan 18-20

Young women between the ages of 18 and 35 are invited to a retreat at the Villa St. Joseph in Cobourg. The retreat will be focused on St.

Therese's Little Way. Rides are available from Peterborough. Register

at www.ptbovocations.ca/fiat For more information contact Sr. Mary Catherine, SOLI

at srmarycatherine@solisisters.ca

St. Joseph Dinner



Please join us for the 3rd Annual St. Joseph Dinner in support of Peterborough Campus Ministry. The Catholic community at Trent University, Sacred Heart College and Sir Sanford Fleming

College needs support. The dinner will take place Sat.

Feb. 2, 2019 at Personal Touch Banquet Hall (1135 Lansdowne St.). Cocktail hour at 5:30, Dinner at 6:30.

Our guest speaker is National Post columnist Fr.

Raymond De Souza. Tickets are \$100 each and are eligible for a \$50 charitable tax receipt. They can be

purchased online at www.ptbovocations.ca/dinner or by calling [705-874-1871](tel:705-874-1871)

Knitting resumes this Wednesday, **Jan 16th**

at 1:30 p.m. in the hall. For more information call Gladys at 705-748-6438.

2nd Sunday in Ordinary Time

January 20, 2019

LAY MINISTRY

Eucharistic

Lector

Gift Bearers

Sat 4:00 p.m.

Rose Rabishaw

Mary Anne Burnie

Leon & Trish Dorff

Sun 9:00 a.m.
10:30 a.m.

Judy Lukes
Julia Davis

Bob Holland
Liam Doris

Dolly Kylie & family
Sue & Tom Livings

C.W.L. News



Feed the Hungry

The CWL is again providing a meal at the One Roof Community Centre. It will be on February 9th at 5 p.m. Anyone wishing to contribute scalloped potatoes, or desserts or to volunteer to serve that evening, please call Joanne at 705-313-6750 or Anna Marie at 705-742-8249.

The CWL is drafting its budget for 2019. If you have any suggestions of groups that we should support in 2019, please contact Judy Lukes at 705-740-2062 or Anna Marie Bolin at 705-742-8249 by January 28th. The budget will be finalized at the February 6th general meeting.

Annual Camp Northern Lights Collection

Camp Northern Lights had a successful year in 2018 thanks to your generosity to our annual special collection for the camp. This year Camp Northern Lights collection will be on the **Feb 9th/10th**. Special envelopes will be available. The Camp provides a wilderness camping experience for children from local areas as well as a leadership experience for high school students as volunteer counsellors. Your camp donation will be added to your parish church tax receipt. Please be sure to print your information including your parish envelope number clearly on the special camp collection envelope. Please make all cheques payable to the parish and reference Camp Northern Lights on the memo line on the cheque. For further information call Randy Riel at 872-7343. Thank you for your support.

Quo Vadis? (Where are you going?)

Quo Vadis brings together young men (18-35 years old) who are on the exciting journey toward the answer to the question 'what is my vocation?'

Quo Vadis meetings take place on Saturday mornings at JPII House beginning at 10:00AM either with Mass or with adoration and finish with lunch at noon.

The date of the next meeting is Jan 26th.

Church Cleaning Ministry

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



Thank you for your generosity

Offertory Dec 25th Env. \$3342.00 + Loose
\$1,062.00
= \$4,404.00 Fuel \$45.00

Dec 30th Env \$1739.00 + Loose \$276.00 +
P.A.P. \$720.00 = \$2,735.00 St. Vincent de
Paul \$5.00

Christmas \$190.00

Jan 6th Env \$2392.00 + Loose \$241.00
=\$2633.00

Fuel \$264.00 St. Vincent de Paul \$489.00
Christmas \$40.00

ST ANNE'S KNIGHTS EUCHRE

TOURNAMENT & FUNDRAISER: Join us for a special evening **Friday, January 18 at 7 pm in the Parish Hall** for Progressive Euchre, Cash Prizes, 50/50 Draw & a light lunch with tea & coffee. Admission is only \$10 & all proceeds to be donated to St Anne's Renovation Fund. Please support this worthy cause & a night of fun!!

BACK BY POPULAR DEMAND— "ROY ORBISON MUSICAL TRIBUTE"

performed by Ian Roy in St Anne's Parish Hall. Mark **Friday, February 8 from 7 pm to 9 pm** on your calendars. Tickets are only \$10 & can be purchased from Steve Casey 741-0278, Mike Condon 745-0356 or ask any Knight or the office. Limited tickets printed so get yours "early" & don't be disappointed as we will sell out fast!!!

JANUARY IS A LONGGGGGGGG MONTH:

Beat the January blues by attending a fantastic roast beef dinner in the Immaculate Conception Parish Hall on Sat. January 26th. Social hour at 5:30 with dinner to follow at 6:30. There are a limited number of tickets. Adult: \$15 Under 12: \$8 Call the parish office @ 742-5466 to book your tickets.

Development & Peace Share Lent Workshop

Saturday, January 26, St. Anne's Parish Centre
This Lent Pope Francis invites us to build a culture of encounter – a culture of mercy and compassion. Begin your journey toward Easter by joining us at the Share Lent Workshop on Sat. Jan. 26, St. Anne's Parish Centre, 859 Barnardo Ave. 9:00 am Registration & Coffee, 9:30 to 2:30 pm workshop. Take this opportunity to learn to walk together in solidarity with our brothers and sisters and then share this experience with your individual parishes by bringing the Share Lent Campaign back home. For further information email kstaunton@cogeco.ca

Administrative Assistant/Bookkeeper

St. Anne's Peterborough is seeking an administrative assistant and bookkeeper; full-time approximately 30 hours weekly. Candidate must be proficient in Quick Books Software, Church Watch Software etc. Resume and cover letter to be emailed to office@stannespeterborough.ca or drop off at the office before **January 15, 2019**.

Pilgrimage to Hungary, Poland, Austria, Czechia
11-day Pilgrimage with the spiritual leadership of Father Stephen DeCarlo, Associate Pastor of St. Mary's Lindsay. Budapest, Vienna, Prague, Czestochowa, Auschwitz and more (Itinerary on bulletin board at the back of the church).

SHHH It's a SECRET SURPRISE birthday party!!

Fr. Peter Seabrooke will be 75 years young, **Sun. Jan 27th**. There is a SURPRISE party that day at St. Anne's Parish, Peterborough. It will be a drop in gathering between 2:00 p.m. and 4:00 p.m. with a "short roast" at 3:00 p.m. All are invited to attend; but let's try to keep it a secret as Fr. Peter loves surprises. If you have any questions, suggestions, stories etc. please call Fr. Bill Moloney at 768-0844.

Pilgrimage to Spain (Itinerary is on notice board)
A13-day Pilgrimage to Spain-- with the spiritual leadership of Father Eric Mason, Associate Pastor of St. Joseph Parish, Bowmanville. Sept. 1st to 13th. Walk through the footsteps of our Blessed Mother in Montserrat, Zaragoza and Covadonga. Pray at the convent of St. Teresa in Avila and the Cathedral of St. James in Santiago de Compostela. We'll see the most vibrant European capitals of Barcelona and Madrid. Enjoy authentic Spanish cuisine. We invite you for a trip of a lifetime that will enrich your faith and stay treasured in your heart for ever!!! Holy Mass will be celebrated in both the Ordinary Form and Extraordinary Form of the Roman Rite. An information meeting will be held at the St Joseph Parish Knight's Hall on Jan 17 at 7:00 pm.

Way of the Cross - Help Needed

For fourteen years, the Way of the Cross through Downtown Peterborough on Good Friday has touched hearts and demonstrated the greatest act of God's love for all people thanks to the help of a dedicated team. This year, help is most needed to maintain and repair the costumes used annually in the celebration. Anyone experienced and capable with making or repairing clothing (tailors, seamstresses, etc.) are invited to be part of the team that will ensure the success of this year's Way of the Cross. Those able to help care for the costumes or in any other way are asked to contact Fr. Craig at info@wotc.ca or 705-400-7888.

Tip Toe Through the Tulips Tour

Immaculate Conception has a bus tour to Ottawa for the Tulip Festival on Sat, May 11th. Bus departs from Sear's parking lot at 8 a.m. We will visit the By-ward Market to wander and browse the quaint booths, artisans and markets. Then off to Major Hill Park to enjoy over 1 million tulips. At 2:30 p.m. we will take the Guided Rideau Canal Cruise. At 4 p.m. we will visit Commissioner's Park to walk through the tulips, visit numerous booths with the opportunity to purchase tulips. At 5 p.m. we will travel to and dine at Swiss Chalet. We will return to Peterborough at 9:30 p.m. The cost is \$125 per person. Numbers are limited. Please call 705- 742 5466 to reserve your tickets.

Daughters of St. Paul---Toronto

Join the Daughters of St. Paul in discerning religious life for women 18-33, every 2nd Wed 6:30- 9:00 pm, 3022 Dufferin St. Toronto. Email Sr. Helena Burns, fsp if attending, srhelenaburns@gmail.com

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.

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.

Are you interested in knitting for a good cause?

We will be knitting on 2nd, 3rd, and 4th Wed of the month. For further information, phone Gladys at 705-748-6438.

2019 Women's Lenten Retreat

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

Readings:

Jan 13: Baptism of the Lord

1st Reading: Isaiah 40:1 – 5, 9 – 11
Psalm 104

2nd Reading: Titus 2: 11 – 14, 3: 4 – 7

Gospel: Luke 3: 15 – 16, 21 – 22

Jan 20: 2nd Sunday in Ordinary Time

1st Reading: Isaiah 62:1 – 5

Psalm 96

2nd Reading: 1 Corinthians 12: 4– 11

Gospel: John 2: 1 – 12

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

Holy Father's Intentions: January

Young People and the Example of Mary

That young people, especially in Latin America, follow the example of Mary and respond to the call of the Lord to communicate the joy of the Gospel to the world.

Eucharistic Adoration

Spend Some Time with Jesus

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**

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



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



FOOD CUPBOARD AT KEENE UNITED CHURCH

Thurs. Jan 10th: 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.

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



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

Sacred Heart College Winter 2019 Course Offerings

*CAT 3002H Between Heaven and Earth: Adventures in Catholic Thought- Part II with

Dr. Lathangue, Wednesdays 2:30-5:20 pm

*FND 1005H Introduction to the New Testament, Dr. Finbow, Tuesdays 7:00-9:50 pm

*SCH 1002H Elementary Latin- Part II Fr. Mason Tuesdays and Thursdays 12:30-1:50 pm

*SCH 1008H Ideas of Love- ONLINE- Dr. Lathangue

*SCH 2002H Common Good in a Fractured World: Introduction to Philosophy, Part II,

Dr. Lathangue, Tuesday 2:30-5:20 pm

*SCH 3104H Abrahamic Conversations: Judaism, Christianity, and Islam in Dialogue,

Dr. Lathangue, Thursday 2:30-5:20 pm

*SCH 3111H Subduing the Earth: Ideas of Nature and Their Consequences,

Dr. Wybrow, Wednesday 7:00-9:50 pm

*CAT 2205H Pivotal Players in Catholicism: St. Thomas Aquinas,

Rev. Dr. Ayala, Mondays 2:30-5:20

Classes run January 7th - April 5th at Sacred Heart College. \$400 for Credit and \$125 for Audit