

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.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.



2ND Sunday of Lent February 25, 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: 3:15 – 3:45 p.m.

Sunday: 8:15 – 8:45 a.m.

You may also book an appointment with Msgr. at ANYTIME

Second Sunday of Lent

February 25, 2024

MASS INTENTIONS Feb. 26 - Mar. 3

MONDAY, February 26 8:00 a.m. ~ Special Intention

TUESDAY, February 27 8:00 a.m. ~ Special Intention (Family)

WEDNESDAY, February 28 8:00 a.m. ~ Joey Craigen (Friends)

THURSDAY, February 29 8:00 a.m. + Cal Clements (Joe & Judy Lukes)

FRIDAY, March. 1
6:00 p.m. - Adoration & Benediction
6:30 p.m. - Stations of the Cross
7:00 p.m. ~ In reparation for the outrages, offences & Blasphemies against Christ in the Holy Eucharist and insults to the Immaculate

Heart of Marv

SATURDAY, March 2 No morning Mass

SUNDAY, March 3 *3RD Sunday of Lent* 4:00 pm (Sat.) ~ Missa Pro Populo

9:00 a.m. + Rita Walsh (Juanita Dyment)

10:30 a.m. (Keene) + Frank Doris (The Bolin Family)

Lenten Retreat: Forgiveness

March 9 at La Verna, 10-3:30 pm, \$30.00 and preregistration is required. <u>laverna@capuchins.ca</u>

KEENE LIONS CLUB

Keene Lions St. Patricks Day Celebration on Sat March 16 from 2-8pm in the Keene Lions Den. Live music and DJ. Beef Irish Stew meal available for \$5.

All are welcome to join in the fun.

3RD Sunday of Lent

LAY MINISTRY 4:00 p.m. (Sat.) Sun 9:00 a.m. 10:30 a.m. Eucharistic Minister Joanne Bolton Valerie Collicutt Julie Davis <u>Reader</u> Mary Anne Burnie Bob O'Brien Anna Marie Bolin

LENTEN FOOD DRIVE

We thank you for you donations to the Lenten food drive. It continues until Palm Sunday, a week today. While the following items are still being collected: peanut butter, mac & cheese, canned tuna, pork & beans, canned vegetables, canned plain pasta sauce, canned tomatoes, dry pasta (elbows and spaghetti), and condensed soup (veggie, tomato, mushroom, chicken noodle) with a best before date after September 30th, 2024 monetary donations are also welcomed. Cash, including collection jars at Keene General Store and Three Roads Farms; Cheque, (payable to 'Keene United Church' and in the memo line 'OSM Food Cupboard'). Mail to Keene United 17, Keene **K0L** Church, P.O. Box ON 2G0; Etransfer, treasurerkuc@nexicom.net, and in the comment section, 'OSM Food Cupboard' and your civic mailing address for the receipt); Charitable receipts will be issued for donations over \$20. Any donation large or small will be deeply appreciated. Thank you for supporting families, experiencing a lack of food in our communities, through the OSM Food Cupboard.

FOOD DRIVE

formed.org

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

Fridays During Lent

Adoration and Benediction - 6:00 p.m.

Stations of the Cross - 6:30 p.m.



Development and Peace CARITAS CANADA

REAPING OUR RIGHTS

Walking Pilgrimage Close To Home: Wednesday, May 1st @ 9 a.m. Call Ruth Ciraulo 705 201 3256 to sign up . # of participants limited to 10

Meet at Beavermead Parking Lot at Ashburnham entrance (walking route map on bulletin board inside main church doors)

Mar. 2 - 3, 2024

<u>Gift Bearers</u> Roddy Turpin & Peter Clancy Terri & Marlene Fitzgerald Bonnie & John Kuharski







Project Rachel at the Refuge is offering a retreat April 19-21, 2024, for women who are suffering the effects of abortion. We have been offering Project Rachel retreats for more than fifteen years. At our retreats, we welcome women whose pain has been silenced and denied by the world. See our web site (stmarysrefuge.org/rachel), and phone or e-mail us in confidence, at 289 691 6840 or projectrachel@stmarysrefuge.org.



Lift Jesus Higher Rally---March 2, 2024

This year's Lift Jesus Higher Rally will take



place on March 2, 2024, from 9am-5:30pm at the Metro Toronto Convention Centre, Toronto. This year's theme is both relevant and hopeful: TAKE HEART: By His Wounds We Are Healed. Ticket sales are online this year and should be ordered at the website, www.ljhr.ca

Thank you for your generosity!

February 18, 2024: Offertory \$2,020.00

Fuel \$10.00; C.N.L. 125.00

Reflection on Stewardship

In Jesus, there's no middle ground: He's either the Messiah or a fraud. Likewise, our commitment to Him demands no middle ground; we must be all-in. During Lent, reflect on your dedication. Are you fixed on heaven or looking back? Scripture offers Abraham as an example. Despite God's extreme test, Abraham surrendered fully and was greatly blessed. Let this Lent be a time to go all-in as disciples, receiving the abundant blessings of wholehearted love for God.

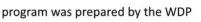
La Verna Ministries

Discover Franciscan Spirituality: A Spiritual Formation Program at La Verna, 820 Frank St., Peterborough. Events from February through to November all dates have the option of zoom or onsite attendance. Registration required at <u>laverna@capuchins.ca</u> (2 weeks notice). Donation.

World Day of Prayer

World Day of Prayer will be celebrated across

the world on first Friday in March. The



Committee of Palestine. The theme this year "I Beg You... Bear With One Another in Love" Ephesians 4:1-3

Locally the service will be at Our Lady of the Assumption

Church at 1:30 p.m. on Friday the 1st of March.

Everyone is welcome. Social time to follow.

City-Wide Lenten Mission

The Cathedral is hosting a city-wide Lenten Mission entitled "Our Pledge of Future Glory" presented by Fr. Juan Diego Sutherland and Fr. Luke Joseph Leighton of the Franciscan Friars of the Renewal. The mission will be offered at 11:00am and at 7:00pm each of the three days - pick the time each day that works with your schedule! The Mission will run Monday, March 11th - Wednesday, March 13th. Admission is free but free will offerings are greatly appreciated. The mission will also be live-streamed each day. Please see poster for further details.

PETERBOROUGH ACTION FOR TINY HOMES (PATH)

On Tuesday, March 5, 2024 at 1:30 p.m. in the Assumption Hall, Marion Burton will be making a presentation on PATH. Their mission to provide homes to individuals experiencing chronic homelessness. Their plan is for housing to be located at 385 Lansdowne St. E.

All members of our Parish and their friends are invited to hear about this program and perhaps how we can be of help to the homeless of our community.

Each Friday night at 6:30 pm is the Stations of the Cross at Our Lady of the Assumption Church. The CWL is doing the Stations on the 1, 3, and 5 Fridays. I thought, while the Knights no longer operate, we as men of the parish could take on task for the second and 4th Fridays. If interested, just show up and I will designate a Station or two depending on the number of men who attend. Mass follows at 7. Hope to see you this Friday.

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.



LIVESTREAM LINKS FOR SUNDAY MASSES

Second Sunday in the Season of Lent

Starting on February 24, 2024, at 5:00 p.m. https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=H5NfPIN75Pk

Third Sunday in the Season of Lent

Starting on March 2, 2024, at 5:00 p.m. https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=NOzSKU2SMEk

Fourth Sunday in the Season of Lent Starting on March 9, 2024, at 5:00 p.m.

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=bgn10qi82qU

Fifth Sunday in the Season of Lent

Starting on March 16, 2024, at 5:00 p.m. https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=JoKY3BfaSe8

350th Anniversary of the Apparitions of the Most Sacred Heart of Jesus

Beginning December 27, 2023 (1st Apparition to St. Maragret Mary Alacoque) His Excellency Bishop Daniel Miehm has decreed Plenary & Partial Indulgences in celebration of this devotion. Please see the decree here on our webpage: https://www.peterboroughdiocese.org/JubileeSacredHeart/

Sacred Heart, Peterborough, Sacred Heart, Trout Creek, and Sacred Heart Mission, Harwood/Baltimore are the designated parishes. All parishes will be holding events marking the Jubilee.

Beginning on May 30th, 2024 is a Novena to the Sacred Heart which will end on June 7th, the Feast Day of the Sacred Heart of Jesus, with Veneration of Relics, a short talk, and Mass beginning @ 5:30 p.m. to commemorate this Feast Day.

To conclude the Jubilee, Bishop Daniel Miehm will be with us to celebrate Mass on the **Feast of the Sacred Heart of Jesus on June 27, 2025.**

Canadian Conference of Catholic Bishops Journey through Lent Video Series

SECOND SUNDAY IN THE SEASON OF LENT

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Y71KY1yidyI









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MONDAY 11:00AM & 7:00PM Nourished by Word and Sacrament presented by Fr. Luke Joseph

TUESDAY 11:00AM & 7:00PM

Renewed in Mercy: "Behold I make all things new." presented by Fr. Juan Diego

WEDNESDAY 11:00AM & 7:00PM

Transformed by Grace: "He heals the broken hearted." presented by Fr. Luke Joseph

> Offered twice daily by the Franciscan Friars of the Renewal

FR. LUKE JOSEPH LEIGHTON, CFR.







MARCH 11-13, 2024 Cathedral of St. Peter-in-Chains

Free Admission Free will offerings welcome

411 Reid St. Peterborough, ON

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