



# 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.

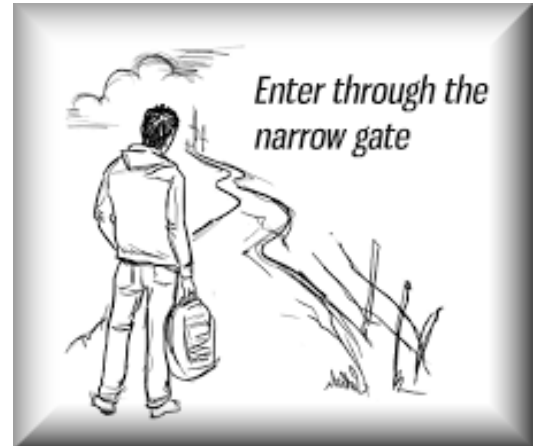
### **NEW PARISHIONERS—**

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.



**21<sup>ST</sup> Sunday Ord. Time**  
**August 24, 2025**

**Parish Office:** Phone: (705) 741-1018

**Office Administrator:**

**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: 4:15 – 4:45 p.m.**

**Sunday: 8:15 – 8:45 a.m.**

**You may also book an appointment with Msgr.  
at ANYTIME**

**MASS INTENTIONS****AUGUST 25 - 31**

MONDAY, August 25

8:00 a.m. ~ For rain for farmers & crops  
And to replenish wells  
(Roddy Turpin)

TUESDAY, August 26

8:00 a.m. ~ Special Intention  
(Family)

WEDNESDAY, August 27

*St Monica*

8:00 a.m. ~ Missa Pro Populo



THURSDAY, August 28

*St Augustine*8:00 a.m. ~ Maureen & Rob Newby  
(The Marrocco Family)

FRIDAY, August 29

*The Passion of John the Baptist*

6:00 p.m. Adoration &amp; Benediction

7:00 p.m. ~ Special Intention



SATURDAY, August 30

No morning Mass

SUNDAY, August 31

**22<sup>ND</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time**5:00 p.m. (Sat.) ~ Mary Pat & Terry Goodridge  
On Their 50TH Wedding  
Anniversary9:00 a.m. ~ Dean Scott  
(Pat Scott)

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

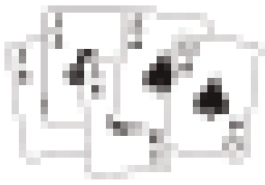
**Blood Pressure Clinic Kawartha Home Care**Free blood pressure clinic available every  
Monday 10-12/1-3 p.m. at 320 Water St.  
Unite 72, Peterborough,  
Kawartha Home Care Clinic.**POP CAN TABS**Don't forget your can tabs. They will  
help someone in need. Your help is  
appreciated.**2025 YEAR OF 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)**Upcoming Couples Program**Retrouvaille weekend, for couples  
who are struggling, Hamilton,  
October 17-19, 2025.<https://helpourmarriage.org/>Registration: [1013r@helpourmarriage.org](mailto:1013r@helpourmarriage.org)**Note From C.W.L.**Molly Farace is the recipient of the CWL  
bursary for 2025. May God's blessing be  
upon her as she furthers her education.Grade 8 students from St. Patrick &  
Monsignor O'Donoghue Schools were given Christian  
Living Awards as they proceed unto high school.**FISH/CHICKEN FRY**Keene Lions are having a Fish/Chicken Fry on  
Friday Sept 5th @ the Keene Lions Den from  
4-6pm. Chicken and One Piece Fish Dinners are  
each \$13.00 and a Two Piece Fish Dinner is \$17.00.  
Each meal includes meat, fries, cold drink, bun  
and coleslaw**St. Mary's Lindsay---Bi-Centennial Celebration**  
August 31st at 11am at St. Mary's Lindsay, Bishop  
Miehm and Father Tom will be offering mass in  
celebration of the 200-year anniversary of the  
Peter Robinson Settlers. Jubilee stickers are also  
available for your passports. Join us after Mass  
for light refreshment in the parish hall. For  
information, please call the parish office  
705-324-4828 or visit [www.stmaryslindsay.ca](http://www.stmaryslindsay.ca)**22<sup>ND</sup> Sun. Ord. Time****August 31, 2025**

	<u>Eucharistic Minister</u>	<u>Reader</u>	<u>Gift Bearers</u>
5:00 p.m. (Sat)	Colleen Petersen	Roddy Turpin	Craig & Carol Kelly
Sun. 9:00 a.m.	Noreen Malloy	Bob O'Brien	Barb Lynch & Anne Coughlin
10:30 a.m.	<b>Anna Marie Bolin</b>	Fern Hogan	Bonnie & John Kuharski



## Cards

## Resume

**Tues. Sept. 9<sup>TH</sup>, 2025**


### Wedding Photo Challenge

Our Lady of Assumption Parish is celebrating its 75th anniversary this July. To celebrate we are doing a 75 wedding photo challenge. We want wedding photos (hopefully 75 or more). They must be taken in the church or on the steps outside. We will accept whatever size you have, but prefer 4 x 6, these can be digital, scanned, a copy, or give me the original and I can make a copy for you. We need a picture submission form to be completed and attached to the picture. A box for the pictures & form copies are at the back of the church. The form will also be in the bulletin. If you have any questions please call Barb Lynch 705-927-4356. Deadline for pictures submission is end of August, this allows us time to prep them for a display for viewing.

If you know anyone that was married here in our parish, please pass this request on.

For submission of digital copies please send to email address [wppg.clancy@sympatico.ca](mailto:wppg.clancy@sympatico.ca)

Thank you for your help & participation.



Hearing a call to a VOCATION to serve the church as a priest or religious brother/sister?

Contact Fr. Stephen DeCarlo at:  
[vocations@peterboroughdiocese.org](mailto:vocations@peterboroughdiocese.org)

Facebook & Instagram: @PTBOVocations

### **Baptism:**

Please speak with Msgr. Michael about this after any of the Masses. An interview and a preparation course is required.



**Celebrating the Canonization of  
Carlo Acutis & Peir Giorgio Frassati**  
Saturday September 6 at the Cathedral of St. Peter-In-Chains, 5 pm Mass with blessings of relics of Carlo Acutis. 6:30 pm reception at the Knights of Columbus Hall. Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament 7:30 pm – 9:00 pm in honour of our two new saints!

### **Jubilee Mass at the Cathedral**

#### **SAVE THE DATE---OCTOBER 4, 2025**

Saturday October 4 a Jubilee Mass at St. Peter-In-Chains celebrating diocesan groups and lay movements. 10:30 am Mass, with lecture and potluck. Watch for details coming soon!

### **Douro Doings 2025**

Please join us in Douro for the 95<sup>th</sup> Douro Doings! September 1 at Douro Park. 10 Km run, children's games, entertainment, classic car show, slow pitch. Roast beef dinner and famous quilt raffle held at St. Joseph's parish hall.



### **Thank you for your generosity!**

**August 17, 2025: Offertory - \$2055.00**

Vocations & Campus Ministry - \$5.00

Fuel Fund - \$5.00



### **Beef & Pork Supper**

Saturday, **September 20** 3:30 to 7:00 p.m.

Tickets will be available next weekend.

Adults - in advance \$25. at door \$30.

Children 6 to 12 \$10.

### **Volunteers**

Anyone wishing to help at the supper

Please sign up next weekend or

contact Wanda at 905-930-4416

### **Bakers Wanted**

At the supper we will be offering  
homemade desserts.

Starting next week, we will be asking  
any parishioners who wish to bake to sign up.



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