#### Grade 9 Information Session - St Thomas Aguinas Catholic Secondary School

St. Thomas Aquinas Catholic Secondary School invites you to attend our: Grade 9 Information Night for all interested Grade 8s & their families Tuesday, January 13th,2026 From 6:30 – 8:00 pm 260 Angeline Street South, Lindsay

#### **Knights News**

We are promoting "Coats for Kids" - a Knights of Columbus Ontario program that provides coats for children. We will have coats available for Girls and Boys (toddlers to grade 2) in sizes 4 to 7 . If you know of any family/child in need please contact the Parish Office or any member of the Knights of Columbus. "IN SERVICE TO ONE, IN SERVICE TO ALL"

#### Looking for Children's Activities - Hall Gathering Room

For more information, please call 705-878-4117

Sunday Morning Coffee after Mass on the first Sunday of the month is a highlight - catching up with neighbours and friends. And, we love the energy of all the children who join us! Parish Council is looking for donations of games, toys, non-messy craft activities for the kiddos. If you are purging your homes to get ready for Christmas, think of the Hall's growing 'toy box.' Thank you!

#### Job Posting - Diocese

The Roman Catholic Diocese of Peterborough is seeking a part-time (22 to 30 hour/ 4 - 5 days work week) Stewardship and Development Officer at the Diocesan Pastoral Centre in Peterborough. The position is a thirty (30) month contract position with expectations it will become a permanent position for the right candidate. The Stewardship and Development Officer reports to the Capital Campaign Coordinator and the Director of Finance, Property and Administration and is responsible for providing administrative and stewardship support needed to undertake a major Capital Campaign in the Diocese of Peterborough. The ability to work in a team environment is essential to this role. The successful candidate will work with the Campaign Coordinator, a Campaign steering committee, a professional fundraiser, and pastors and parishioners in parish settings.

St. Luke's Talent on Display - This Weekend

Children's Christmas Concert -Sunday, November 30, 2025 2 pm

Parish Registration & Volunteer Forms are available at the church entrance.

THE DIOCESE OF PETERBOROUGH THE WEEK OF DECEMBER 1, 2025

#### **PASTOR**

Rev. Israel Oruebi, Administrator FrIsraelOruebi@ peterboroughdiocese.org

#### **SACRAMENTS**

Contact us for information about: Communion - Hospital/ Home

Anointing of the Sick

**Baptisms** 

Marriages

**Confessions:** 

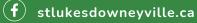
Saturday at 4 pm
Any time by appointment

#### CONTACT

Office Hours: Friday 12-4 pm Administrator: Rose Hartin











# ST. LUKE THE EVANGELIST

### WELCOME

We welcome all who come to worship at St. Luke's. We pray you find peace, hospitality and friendship with us. No matter who you are or where you are on life's journey, the doors of our Parish and our hearts are open to you.

I rejoiced with those who said to me, let us go to the house of the Lord. Psalm 122:1



## MISSION STATEMENT

The people of St. Luke's Parish strive to love and serve God and humanity through prayers and action, nourished by the sacraments and the Word of God.

## **SCHEDULE**

Mass	Time	Intentions	Requested By
Mon., Dec. 1	8:30 AM	Children of the Parish	School Advent Service
Tue., Dec. 2		No Mass	
Wed., Dec. 3 Adoration 4 pm	5:00 PM	Sick of the Parish	
Thu., Dec. 4	8:30 AM	Bob Ashmore	Clayton & Rosemary Connell
Fri., Dec. 5	8:30 AM		
Sat., Dec. 6	5:00 PM	People of the Parish	
Sun., Dec. 7	9:00 AM	Colleen Dow	Bob & Rose Hartin

Lectors Saturday MA O'Connell Eucharist Ines Couto

**Sunday** Adam Ranger **Counters** Mike & Berly Connell, Mary Herlihey

Dec. 7 Cafe Cathie Morrissey Greeter John Lajeunesse

Altar Servers Sunday Chelsea & Lana O'Neill, Myra Taylor & Charlize Ranger

#### Parish Stewardship

Last Week's Offertory	\$1,432.00	<b>Building Fund Donations</b>	\$0
Automatic Deposits (15 <sup>th</sup> & 30th)	\$2,951.33/ month	Building Fund Total	\$35,430.22

Thank you for your support!

E-Transfer to office@stlukesdowneyville.ca

#### LITURGY LEADERS

Parish Council	Cathie Morrissey	705-344-9345
Finance Committee	Bob Connell	705-740-6754
Music	Joan Herlihey	705-799-7346
Counters	Rose Hartin	705-799-5980
Children's Liturgy	Jaclyn Giffen	705-799-6943
Eucharistic Ministers	Cathie Morrissey	705-799-6943
Lectors	Margret Ann O'Connell	705-799-5320

#### 2025 SCHEDULE



# PARISH NEWS

#### Prayers for the Sick of the Parish

Jason Bell, Sr. Lillian Ferguson, Andy Lepage, Fr. Ron Meyer, Joe O'Neill, Msg. Jim Scott, Angela Staples, Tawny Young. Please also pray for St. Luke's parishioners who are in nursing or retirement homes. If you wish to include someone in our prayers, please contact the parish office.

#### St. Luke's School News

As we begin this Advent season, a season of waiting and preparation for the birth of Jesus at Christmas, the staff and students at St. Luke will be gathering every Monday at 9:05 am for an Advent service. These services will be led by our student council members and each week will highlight a specific theme: hope, peace, joy, and love. Our student council will also be collecting donations of toys for the Lindsay Kinsmen Toy Drive during the first week of Advent, personal hygiene items during the second week of Advent and canned food items for the third week of Advent. Any and all donations are greatly appreciated and can be dropped off at the school office anytime! Thank you for your continued support. St. Luke CES school is looking forward to attending and watching some of our students preform in the "Jack and the Beanstalk" Panto at Globus Theatre on Thursday, December 4.

Missals - Upcoming Year - Available in the back of the church.

Christmas Carrolling Cancelled - at St. John's Anglican Church in Dunsford on Nov. 30.

#### Come One, Come All! - Social Club

It's Happening in the Hall on Wednesday, December 3 (1 - 4 pm). Come and join us for a few hours of fun social time, visits with your neighbours and friends, a game of cards and more!

#### Whats's Going On?

Children's Christmas Concert - Nov 30 @ 2 pm School Advent Services - Dec 2, 8, 15 @ 9 am Afternoon Social Club - Dec 3 @ 1 pm Progressive Euchre - Dec 5 @ 7pm Community Cafe - Dec 7 @ 10 am School Christmas Mass & Concert - Dec 18 @ 6 pm Mass for Ancestors - Bicentennial - Dec 30 @ 5 pm Grade 9 Info Night - STA - Jan 13 @ 6:30 pm

#### **PARISH GROUPS**

Knights of Columbus	Adam Ranger	519-709-9612
Parish Hall	Jessica Carroll	705-341-1641
Funeral Reception	Mary Jane Connell	705-793-2013
Cemetery Board	Patricia Herlihey	705-799-7301
Hearts & Shamrocks	Office	705-799-6943
Prayer Group	Jan Murtha	705-799-5110
Caretaker	Mary Jo Connell	705-799-6389

#### **SCHOOLS**

St. Luke Elementary Principal Rebecca Brady (705) 799-5265 St. Thomas Aquinas Principal Matt Bowen (705) 878-4117 PVNCC School Board Trustee Mary Ann Martin (705) 799-1617