

**Petition to the Parliament of Ontario**

**WHEREAS** the legacy of Pope John Paul II reflects his lifelong commitment to international understanding, peace and the defence of equality and human rights;

**WHEREAS** his legacy has an all-embracing meaning that is particularly relevant to Canada's multi-faith and multicultural traditions;

**WHEREAS** as one of the great spiritual leaders of contemporary times, Pope John Paul II visited Ontario during his pontificate of more than 25 years and, on his visits, was enthusiastically greeted by Ontario's diverse religious and cultural communities;

Therefore, we, the undersigned, petition the Parliament of Ontario to grant speedy passage into law of the private member's bill by Oak Ridges MPP Frank Klees entitled, "An Act to proclaim Pope John Paul II Day."

<b>Print Name</b>	<b>Address</b>	<b>Postal Code</b>	<b>Signature</b>

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***Garfield Dunlop, MPP, Simcoe North, P.O. 2320, Orillia, L3V 6S2 or 14 Coldwater Rd. W. Orillia, or***

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