



MASSES OF THE WEEK

Monday, October 9 – Ferial: Weekday
9:00a.m. ó All Holy Souls

Tuesday, October 10 – Ferial: Weekday
7:30a.m. – Florrie Lonsdale, Enza Comisso, Intentions of Jack & Peggy McGarry (64th Wedding Anniversary)
6:30p.m. – Living & Deceased CWL Members

Wednesday, October 11 – Ferial: Weekday
7:30a.m. – Antonio & Philomena Bendo, Intentions of the Healy Family, Intentions of the Butt Family

Thursday, October 12 – Ferial: Weekday
7:00p.m. – Deceased Members of the Shea & Walinga Families, George Zygmuntowicz, Christopher Kerr

Friday, October 13 – Ferial: Weekday
7:30a.m. – Anne Louise, Deceased Members of the Lowe Family, Living & Deceased Members of Helen Hilker

Saturday, October 14 – Ferial
5:15p.m. ó Aaron Racelis, Anthony Ippolito, Steven Michael Leung

Sunday, October 15 – Twenty-Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time
9:00a.m. & 11:00a.m.

Stewardship of Treasure:

Thank you for your gift of \$14,680.65 in support of your parish community in gratitude for God's blessings.

+We offer our prayers and sympathy to the families of Brian Flaherty, Anton Semlak, Helen Kaye Clarke and Angelo Dal Bello. May they and all our loved ones be at peace with God.

PARISH NEWS

GUELPH MEN'S PRAYER GROUP

What Man is You+ prayer group will meet Saturday at 7:15a.m. until 8:30a.m. in the Newstead Room in our Parish Hall.

FROM THE PASTOR'S DESK: "THE BEATITUDES"

Blessed are those who are convinced of their basic dependency on God, whose lives are emptied of all that doesn't matter, those for whom the riches of the world just aren't that important. The kingdom of God is theirs.

Blessed are those who know that all they are is a gift from God, and so they can be content with their greatness and their smallness, knowing themselves and being true to themselves. For they shall have the earth for their heritage.

Blessed are those who wear compassion like a garment, those who have learned how to find themselves by losing themselves in another's sorrow. For they shall be satisfied.

Blessed are the merciful, those who remember how much has been forgiven them, and are able to extend this forgiveness into the lives of others. For they too shall receive God's mercy.

Blessed are those whose hearts are free and simple, those who have smashed all false images and are seeking honestly for truth. For they shall see God.

Blessed are the creators of peace, those who build roads that unite rather than walls that divide, those who bless the world with the healing power of their presence. For they shall be called sons and daughters of God.

ALTAR SERVERS

We are recruiting new Altar Servers for all Masses. Students in grade four and above are eligible to serve. A date for a training session will be announced soon. If interested please contact Gary or Laurie at hartfisch@rogers.com or call them at 519-766-9941.

CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE

Welcome all ladies of the parish to our October 10th general meeting. Mass will be at 6:30p.m. Included will be input on our Bazaar. Prayer for the Homeless. Anyone needing 50/50 tickets, please contact Diane at 519-821-6858. Ticket stubs and returns may be returned via the offertory basket with CWL on the envelope. Thank you for your support.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

From the moment of our founding in 1882 charity has been the first principle of the Knights of Columbus. We are Catholic men of faith and men of charitable action. We are very fortunate to have a local Parish Council and each year our members support various charities and contribute service hours to the community and parish. If you would like to be part of an international organization of nearly 2 million Catholic men whose principal work involves helping others in need, we would like to meet you and invite you to join us. Contact Mark Sammut at 519-836-6214 or mark.sammut@rogers.com.

MINISTRY OF COMPASSION

Please join us for a Memorial Mass on Thursday, November 2nd at 7:00p.m. at the Basilica to honour your loved ones who have died in the past year or those whose anniversary you are remembering. Refreshments and hospitality to follow. Check our Basilica website for an update from the newly formed Ministry of Compassion team (formerly Grief and Bereavement).

SACRAMENT OF CONFIRMATION

The Enrollment Ceremony for those being Confirmed in November will take place at all our Masses next weekend. This is an indication of the candidates asking for this sacrament and for the parish community to offer their prayerful support.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS 2510

The Knights of Columbus 2510 are having an exemplification for new members to be admitted to the 4th degree on Sunday, October 22nd at the Basilica of Our Lady at 12:30p.m.

OTHER NEWS***SUNDAY SMILE!***

Sign on the back of a Septic Tank Truck: Caution – this truck is full of political promises.

VOCATION SEEDS

Listen for the voice of God. Are you being called to be a priest, deacon, or religious? If God is calling you contact Father Michael King, Director of Vocations and Priestly Formation of the Diocese of Hamilton at 1-905-528-7988 or email: mking@hamiltondiocese.com.

PARENTING TIP OF THE MONTH

In order to feel confident and connected, children need to feel that they belong. Their sense of belonging comes, in large part, from how they connect to their families. Do they spend time together having fun, do they participate in chores and contribute to the household, do they have a sense of family values and traditions? As parents we need to be diligent in making sure our children feel a secure attachment with the family unit, so they can thrive when they venture away from us. (Diocesan Family Ministry Office. 1-905-528-7988 ext. 2250).

CENTENARY OF FATIMA

This year marks the 100th anniversary of the Fatima appearances of our Lady. Join us next Saturday at St. Thomas the Apostles Parish Centre Road Waterdown from 10a.m. to 2p.m. Pack a lunch. Day begins with Mass, a Marian procession while praying the Rosary; Stations of the Cross and quiet time in the Marian Garden.

MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION WORKSHOP

- Saturday, October 14th 9:30a.m. to 12noon at St. Anthony Daniel Parish Kitchener
- Monday, October 16th 6:30p.m. to 9p.m. at St. Clement Parish Cambridge
- Saturday, October 21st 1:30p.m. to 4p.m. at St. Joseph Guelph

MINISTERS OF THE WORD WORKSHOP

- Saturday, October 14th 1:30p.m. . 4p.m. St. Anthony Daniel Parish Kitchener
 - Saturday, October 21st 9:30a.m. to 12noon at St. Joseph Church, Guelph
 - Monday, October 23rd 6:30p.m. to 9p.m. at St. Clement Parish Cambridge
- Cost for both ministries is \$10. Registration forms on the Information Desk.

COMMUNITY EVENTS

- GWSA education series continues Tuesday, October 10th at 10a.m. in Room 3 at the Evergreen Seniors Centre. The topic is: %Smart Sleep Tips+
- A Retreat in Daily Life starting October 10th at 7p.m. for seven Tuesdays. No fees; limited space; contact Marion Auger at marion.auger@sympatico.ca
- Ushers & Greeters Dinner Wednesday, October 11th at 5:30p.m.
- Oct. 29th at 3p.m. Esprit Chamber Choir offers a concert in support of Hospice Wellington at All Saints Lutheran Anglican Church, 210 Silvercreek Parkway, Guelph. Tickets \$30. (\$15 for youth 12-21 and disabled). Call 519-821-7710.
- Big Sisters Fashion Show & Tea Sunday, Oct. 29th \$35. Ticket at Meadow Acres in Petersburg. Call 519-634-5479.

MICHAEL HOUSE PREGNANCY CARE CENTRE

We are looking for a new Executive Director. Job description and required qualifications may be found on one of our church bulletin boards or on the Information Desk. Apply to employment@michaelhouse.ca, attention Ms. Wendy Clayson by October 15th.

RETROUVAILLE

STRESS IN YOUR MARRIAGE: Retrouvaille is a program for married couples that feel bored, disillusioned, frustrated or angry in their marriage. Most couples don't know how to change the situation or even communicate with their spouse about it. Retrouvaille can help. For confidential information about or to register for the program beginning with a weekend on November 3rd please call 1-905-664-5212 or email: hamiltonretrouvaille1@cogeco.ca.