



BLESSED SACRAMENT PARISH



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SUNDAY MASSES: Saturday – 5:00 p.m. (Ayr) 7:00 p.m. (Kitchener) Sunday 8:15 a.m. – 10:00 a.m. – 11:45 a.m.

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PASTORAL CARE (SICK/ELDERLY):

If you know someone who is sick, please call the church office

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY:

Church door collection on the last Sunday of each month.

CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE:

Judy Knight – 519-894-5599

LEGION OF MARY:

Lisa Cleasby – 519-572-2618

PARISH VISITATION MINISTRY:

Connie Voll – 226-988-4181

PRAYER SHAWL MINISTRY:

Alannah LeJeune - 519-500-4534

SACRAMENT OF PENANCE:

Saturdays – 11:00 a.m.

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION:

Wednesdays 1:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m.

Thursdays 6:00 p.m. – 9:00 p.m.

1st Friday of the month until 10:55 p.m.

BLESSING OF EXPECTANT PARENTS:

First Sunday of the month after each Mass.

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM:

Please call the office for a meeting.

SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE:

Please call the office for a meeting.



SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

ANNOUNCED MASSES FOR WEEK OF May 23, 2022

Holiday Monday – NO Mass

Tuesday 9:00 a.m. †Dec'd Family Members
– Manuel & Otilia Pinto

Wednesday 9:00 a.m. †Edel Quinn

Thursday 9:00 a.m. †Maeve Murray
– Kathleen Murray

Friday 9:00 a.m.

†Segundino Navarro Sr.- Family

†Josephine Deitner – Reitzel Family

†Renka Horvat – Janko Horvat

†Henry Sunga – Maligaya Family

Int. of Eric Kubica – MaryEllen Kubica

Int. of Pat Goetz – Mike & Veronica Brennan

Souls in Purgatory

Saturday Ayr 5:00 p.m. †Joseph Tomasicchio
– Joey Tomasicchio

7:00 p.m. Int. of Deacon & Nancy Devereaux
– 45 Years!!

Sunday 8:15 a.m. Int. of Liz Kruse
– Smith Family

10:00 a.m. †Patricia McMahon
– Maureen & Michael McMahon

11:45 a.m. For the People

EVENTS FOR THE WEEK

Monday

No Mass

Office closed for Holiday Monday

Tuesday

Legion of Mary Mass & Crowning 6:30 p.m.

Wednesday

Adoration 1:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m.

Thursday

Adoration 6:00 p.m. – 9:00 p.m.

Legion of Mary 7:00 p.m. Meeting Rm

Friday

John Sweeny School Confirmation 7:00 p.m.

Saturday

J. Sweeney School 1st Communion 1 & 3 p.m.

Confessions 11:00 a.m.

HAPPY ANNIVERSARY

*The priest continues the
work of redemption here
on earth...*



*The priesthood is the love of the
heart of Jesus.*

*Happy 24th Anniversary
Father Larry*

ROSARY DURING THE MONTH OF MAY

Please join the Legion of Mary in honouring our Blessed Mother Mary by praying the Rosary on **Sunday, May 29 at 11:15 a.m.**

MASS WITH CROWNING OF MARY



The Legion of Mary invites you to a Mass with Crowning of Mary on Tuesday, May 24

6:30 P.M. ROSARY

7:00 P.M. MASS/ CROWNING

Reception will follow after.

A REMINDER FROM OUR MONEY COUNTERS:

Please take the time write the dollar amount of your offering in the space provided on your envelope each week.

Thank you.

GARAGE SALE!!!



In the Church Basement on Sunday, May 29th from 9 am to 1 pm. Hosted by 45th Kitchener and 1st Stanley Park "Seeonee" Cubs. Proceeds will go to One Tree Planted, a global tree planting initiative. Lots of great deals, and you'll be helping the environment at the same time!

DIOCESAN EVENTS

INDIGENOUS RECONCILIATION FUND

If you still wish to donate to the Indigenous Reconciliation Fund envelopes are available in the lobby on the lost and found table this weekend. Any cheques can be made out to Blessed Sacrament Parish as we will collect the money and send one cheque on to the diocese, as we do with other special collections. **** Please note that your name is needed on the envelope so that we can credit you for the donation.** Read Bishop Crosby's message and Frequently Asked Questions on our website. Thank you for being part of this important step towards building relationships, healing and reconciliation.

ACCOMPANYING FORWARD – AN AFTERNOON WITH ROY PETITFILS

May 27 at 1 pm for a virtual conversation about accompanying young people as they try to navigate their new realities and their mental health. Roy is a Catholic author, speaker and psychotherapist with more than 25 years of experience ministering to youth and young adults in parishes, dioceses, and schools. Registration can be on our Diocesan website under Youth Ministers Events and Resources.

ANGER ICEBERG WORKSHOP

Getting Angry is only the tip of the Iceberg. Anger is a secondary emotion. Understanding the cause of anger is the first step to managing it. This Workshop will identify the causes of anger and explore our own beliefs and patterns of response. Learn how to respond to anger on a day-to-day basis in a healthy, constructive, and creative ways. Saturday, June 11, 2022 Led By Anna Racine. Cost: \$65 (includes lunch) 9:30am-3:30pm. Presenter bio at www.annaracine.org Register at 905 356 4113 x4200 OR reservations@carmelniagara.com

RESTART

Starting over after separation or divorce with support, care and tools for your journey. We invite you to our upcoming zoom sessions one on Thursday, June 9th starting at 7 p.m. Check out the Diocesan website at:

<https://hamiltondiocese.com/offices/family-ministry/divorce-separation.php> to register and find out more detail. If you have questions, call the Family Ministry Office at 905-528-7988 ext. 2249.

REEL JUSTICE FILM FESTIVAL

May 26, 2022 7:00 PM – 9:00 PM for our last screening of the season, He Named Me Malala. This documentary provides an intimate portrait of Nobel Peace Prize Laureate Malala Yousafzai, who was targeted by the Taliban and severely wounded by gunfire as a 15-year-old. She miraculously survived and is now a leading campaigner for girls' education globally as co-founder of the Malala Fund. The Reel Justice Film Festival is a partnership between Development & Peace and the Bishop Farrell Library & Archives. Visit us online at <https://reeljusticefilmfestival.wordpress.com/> To register!

WEDDING ANNIVERSARY MASS 2022 REGISTRATION

The Wedding Anniversary Mass, which would normally have been scheduled for June of 2022, will not occur this year due to the continued concerns around COVID-19. We invite you to register your 25, 40, 50, 60 and 60 plus years of marriage on the Diocesan website at <https://hamiltondiocese.com/> and we will be happy to send you the certificate you would have received from Bishop Crosby at the Mass. The Wedding Anniversary Mass is listed on the home page under Upcoming Events.



LOCAL EVENTS

CYO CAMP BRÉBEUF IN ROCKWOOD, ON IS HIRING

They are looking for teenagers and young adults as camp counsellors for this summer. Please visit www.campbrebeuf.ca/employment for more information.

BABY BOTTLE CAMPAIGN FOR MARILLAC PLACE



Blessed Sacrament Parish is proud to participate in the Baby Bottle Campaign, in support of Marillac Place. Please provide your support through our virtual campaign by donating online or sending a cheque directly to Marillac Place. www.marillacplace.ca/donate/ Thank you so much for your support. For more information please call (519)571-0722 x 202, or visit www.marillacplace.ca Thank you for your continued support

DOMESTIC CHURCH FAMILY RETREAT

When: June 24 - 26, 2022. Friday evening to Sunday evening.

Where: St. John Paul II Retreat Centre, Port Burwell

Topic: Engaged and sacramentally married couples seeking to grow in holiness together and want to learn more about the Domestic Church.

Highlights: Sports and activities for children and youth. Food and lodging included. Time with your spouse to encounter God. Time for prayer and adoration. Fun for the whole family.

Cost: \$400 per family.

Contact: Marta & Jacek, 519 896 8979, domestic.church.ontario@gmail.com

OUT-SPOK'N, FOR AFFORDABLE HOUSING BIKE-A-THON.

June 11th Weekend - Menno Homes Out-Spok'n XII for Affordable Housing bike-a-thon. A

"hybrid" event to raise funds for a very real need. Hikers, recreational bikers, and avid cyclists can join us on the Kissing Bridge Trail or choose your own route. Construction has begun at our Spruce lawn project and your support is making it possible. For more details visit www.mennohomes.com

THE KITCHENER KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS NEED YOUR HELP

Santa's elves are back after taking some time off and are anxious to begin creating K of C Christmas remembrances with their hallmark Nativity Scenes, snowmen, angels and Christmas trees. To aid in construction, they are requesting donations of any plywood that may be taking up space and is not needed. All plywood sizes with a minimum of 12" X 24" will be accepted. Santa's elves will be at K of C House 797 Guelph Street on Saturday June 18 from 9:00 am to 4:00 pm to receive your plywood donations. Please help the Knights of Columbus get back into the Christmas Spirit to support their charitable works.

FEAST OF OUR LADY OF MOUNT CARMEL MASS

The Carmel of St. Joseph Guild invites all members, families and friends to attend the Feast of Our Lady of Mount Carmel mass to be held Sunday July 17, 2022 at 2.00 pm at St Agatha Catholic Church 1839 Notre Dame Dr. St Agatha. The Rosary will precede the mass. The celebrant will be Rev. Bishop Crosby, Bishop of Hamilton. Reception with light refreshments to follow.

NEW TO OUR PARISH? YOU ARE MOST WELCOME

If you are new to our community or just visiting, welcome to Blessed Sacrament Parish. We encourage all new parishioners to register with the parish. Registration forms can be found on our website blessed-sacrament.ca

We are most happy to have you join our Parish Family.