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IN 2017 WE CELEBRATE

The 160th Anniversary of Our Parish

The building of the first church extended from 1854 to 1856, and the assignment of a residing Pastor the following year, officially marked the establishment of the Parish

The Centennial of the Apparition of Our Lady of Fatima

We are asked to do penance and pray the Rosary for the conversion of sinners and for peace in the world



Father George Nowak, CR - Pastor

Father Paul Szymanowski, CR - Associate Pastor

Parish Office Hours

Monday to Thursday: 8:30 am - 4:30 pm
Closed for lunch: 12:00 pm - 12:30 pm
Friday: 8:30 am - 1:00 pm

Parish Registration - We encourage everyone who regularly attends St. Mary's to become a registered parishioner. Forms are located at all doors of the church, the parish office and our website. Please inform the office of any changes of address or telephone number.

Baptism and Marriage - Church policy requires that the Sacraments be performed in the parish located closest to you geographically - unless you are registered and regularly attend elsewhere. At St. Mary's, the Sacraments are available to **registered, regularly attending parishioners only**. Baptism is celebrated on the second Sunday of the month. Please contact the parish office at least 1 month prior to your preferred date. For parishioners inquiring about marriage, contact the parish office at least one year before the preferred date.

Priesthood and Religious Life - Is God calling you to Religious Life as a Brother, Deacon or Priest? Learn about the life and ministry of the members of the Congregation of the Resurrection by visiting www.resurrectionists.ca/vocations or contact Fr. Toby Collins, CR, Vocation Director, at 226-989-1057 or crvocations@gmail.com. All enquires are confidential.

Most Holy Sacrifice of The Mass

Saturday: 5:00 pm
Sunday: 8:00 am 9:15 am (German/English) 11:00 am
(Children's Liturgy Sept. - June at 11:00 am)

Weekday Masses and Devotions

Please Refer to the Schedule Inside Bulletin

Confession

Saturday: 4:00 - 4:30 pm
Weekdays: Before Daily Mass

Rosary - Monday to Friday after Mass

Eucharistic Adoration - Thursday mornings from 11:00 am - 12:00 noon and each First Saturday of the month, beginning with Mass at 8:00 am, followed by Adoration until 12:00 noon.

Quiet Time for Prayer and Reflection - The church is open weekdays between 12 noon and 1:00 pm or by appointment for those who wish to pray.

Visits to the Sick - Please notify the parish office to arrange for Confession, Holy Communion and/or Sacrament of the Sick. If you enter the hospital, be sure to indicate your religion and parish on the patient registration form.

Let Us Pray For One Another - If you or someone you know is in need of prayer, the members of our Parish Prayer Network will gladly pray for you. Contact the parish office to add your intention to the Prayer List.

Bulletin Announcement Deadline: Monday's by 4:00 pm.

*In your kindness, please remember St. Mary's Church
in your estate plan and when recommending
expressions of sympathy*

FIFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



Welcome to St. Mary's Parish!

We extend you a warm welcome and pray that you feel at home. If you are new to St. Mary's, please introduce yourself and consider becoming a member of our Parish Family by completing a registration form.

Mass Schedule and Intentions February 6 - 12, 2017

Monday - St. Paul Miki & Companions

Genesis 1.1-19 Mark 6.53-56

12:10 pm Intentions for Andrew Olinski

Tuesday - ferial

Genesis 1.20-2.4a Mark 7.1-13

7:30 am Morning Prayer

8:00 am ††Jack and Cornelia Cresswell

Wednesday - St. Jerome Emiliani and St. Josephine Bakhita

Genesis 2.4b-9, 15-17 Mark 7.14-23

7:30 am Morning Prayer

8:00 am Intentions for Janet Ferrier, Intentions for Sylvia Keresztes

Thursday - ferial

Genesis 2.18-25 Mark 7.24-30

11:00 am Eucharistic Adoration

11:50 am Chaplet of Divine Mercy

12:10 pm For Vocations to the Congregation of the Resurrection, †Doris, †Frank and †Grace Hartleib, Intentions for Brigitta Bierhals

Friday - St. Scholastica

Genesis 3.1-8 Mark 7.31-37

7:30 am Morning Prayer

8:00 am Special Intention

Saturday - Our Lady of Lourdes and Our Lady's Saturday

Genesis 3.9-24 Mark 8.1-10

8:00 am Intentions of the Costa Family

4:00 pm Confessions

SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Sirach 15.15-20 1 Corinthians 2.6-10 Matthew 5.17-37

5:00 pm Intentions for Ron and Alice Paleczny, ††Rose and Rita Schiebel

Sunday

8:00 am Our Parishioners

9:15 am †Rudolf Senger, †Stephanie Mausser

11:00 am Intentions for the Donors to Our St. Vincent de Paul

"You are the light of the world." Are you willing to let your light shine as a priest, deacon, brother or sister? If you think God is calling you to a Church vocation visit vocationculture.ca for more information.

COMING UP AT ST. MARY'S

February:

4/5:	All Masses	Building & Maintenance Collection
7:	8:00 pm	Living Sober Group
8:	7:00 pm	Marienchor Rehearsal
9:	1:00 pm	German Men's and Ladies Group
11/12:	All Masses	Seminary Education Collection
12:	12:00 pm	CWL General Meeting
14:	8:00 pm	Living Sober Group
15:	7:00 pm	Marienchor Rehearsal
16:	7:00 pm	Choir Rehearsal
18/19:	All Masses	St. Vincent de Paul Collection
19:	10:15 am	German Congregation Social
21:	11:00 am	St. Vincent de Paul Meeting
	8:00 pm	Living Sober Group
22:	7:00 pm	Marienchor Rehearsal
23:	7:00 pm	Choir Rehearsal
27:	5:30 pm	CWL Executive Meeting
28:	8:00 pm	Living Sober Group

Thank You

We would like to express our heartfelt thanks and gratitude to Marie Galloway, Lorraine Missere, Edna Ball, Gerda Reiding and Helga Berger, members of our Collection

Counting team, who have decided to retire. Your many years of service to St. Mary's is greatly appreciated!

2016 INCOME TAX RECEIPTS

Receipts are still available at the main doors of the church for pick-up. **PLEASE take yours whether you need it or not!** Any receipts not picked up by February 13th will be mailed out. Help us save postage costs! Thank you.

CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE GENERAL MEETING



Sunday, February 12th, following 11 am Mass.

Please join us for a bite of lunch in the Lower Hall (soup and beverages provided - you may wish to bring your own brown bag sandwich). Hart and

Marilyn Bezner will share with you their long-standing connection with Mexico, specifically Baja California and their involvement with the Church there - their talk will be accompanied by pictures. You will be pleased to know that St. Mary's Church has provided encouragement to the Church in Baja. Don't miss this special presentation - looking forward to seeing you there! Gentle reminder for League members that your Membership Fee is due - many thanks to all who have already paid!

43RD ANNUAL PILGRIMAGE

Depart - Monday, August 7th and return Saturday, August 12th. Plan to join us for our pilgrimage to the Shrines of Quebec. Pricing details will be available soon. For reservations contact Rose Gunn, 519-744-5923 or rosejgunn@gmail.com or Erna Spoenlein 519-743-1030.

OFFERTORY: January 28 - 29, 2017

Sunday Donations (175 env)	\$5,704.20
Loose Donations	\$ 334.70
Initial Donations	\$ 40.00
Building Fund Donations	\$ 65.00

THANK YOU FOR YOUR GENEROUS SUPPORT!

WHAT'S HAPPENING IN OUR AREA

St. Louis Parish, Waterloo

EUCARIST DVD STUDY

Begins Monday, February 6th at 7:30 pm. Join us as we delve into the "source and summit" of our Faith with Fr. Robert Barron's DVD-based program. This spiritual study will give you a deeper understanding of the precious gift of Christ's body, blood, soul and divinity that you can receive at each and every Mass. The program is free, but there is a cost for optional materials.

St. John's Church Hall, Kitchener

SHARE LENT

Wednesday, February 8th at 7 pm. All are welcome to an information meeting regarding the Development and Peace Share Lent campaign.

Maryhill Heritage Community Centre Complex

VALENTINE DINNER

Saturday, February 11th. 2 sittings - 5 pm and 7 pm. Join us for a Rolled Rib Dinner. Cost: adult \$17.50, children 7-12 \$10, 6 years and under free. Sponsored by the Maryhill K of C and St. Boniface CWL. For tickets please call Mary 519-822-9287, Tim 519-648-3952 or Doug 519-648-2939. Advance tickets only!!

Blessed Sacrament Parish, Kitchener

ANNUAL VALENTINE CARD PARTY

Monday, February 13th. Doors open at 5:45 pm. Cost is \$10. Supper of salad and buns, selection of Chili's and Chowders, and other "Comfort Foods", Desserts, Coffee/Tea and treats served throughout the evening. Door Prizes, Raffles and a 50/50 Draw. Tickets available by calling 519-742-5061. Bring your own cards or other games. Sponsored by Blessed Sacrament CWL.

Metro Toronto Convention Centre

LIFT JESUS HIGHER RALLY

Saturday, March 4th, 9 am - 5 pm. Inspired talks by Sr. Ann Shields, Peter Herbeck and keynote guest speaker Bishop Scott McCaig. Powerful witnesses of personal and family healing from David Patterson and Gemma MacDonald. The adult High Mass (with Sunday readings) will be celebrated by Cardinal Thomas Collins, and Bishop Scott McCaig will celebrate with the youth. There will be a separate youth event (13-18 years) with great music, dynamic talks and inspirational skits. Tickets: \$25 for adults and \$15 for youth and can be purchased on www.lift-jesus-higher-rally.ca or contact us at 1-416-251-4255 or 1-905-833-0360. Write: Catholic Renewal Ministries, PO Box #177, King City, Ontario, L7B 1A5. Email: info@lift-jesus-higher-rally.ca.

STRESS IN YOUR MARRIAGE? – RETROUVAILLE

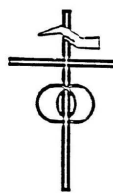
This program is for married couples that feel bored, disillusioned, frustrated, or angry in their marriage. Some experience coldness. Others experience conflict in their relationship. Most don't know how to change the situation or even communicate with their spouse about it. For confidential information, or to register for the program beginning with a weekend March 24th, please call 1-905-664-5212 or email: hamiltonretrouvaille1@cogeco.ca or visit www.retrouvaille.org.

14TH ANNUAL PRIESTHOOD & CONSECRATED LIFE DINNER

Thursday, May 11th. For details call Margaret, 1-905-628-5682 or visit celebrationprl.wixsite.com/dinner or email celebrationprl@gmail.com. Sponsored by The Serra Club of Hamilton.

Cathedral Basilica of Christ The King, Hamilton

WEDDING ANNIVERSARY MASS



Sunday, June 25th at 1:30 pm. Are you celebrating your 25th, 40th, 50th, 60th or 60+ wedding anniversary in 2017? Join Bishop Douglas Crosby as he celebrates the Diocesan Wedding Anniversary Mass. Space allows room for anniversary couples only, however those married 60 years or more may bring 1 guest.

Please register by Sunday, June 1st. Details available on the poster at the main entrance bulletin board of the church.

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