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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, C.R. - Pastor

Father Paul Szymanowski, C.R. - 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 regularly attending parishioners who have been registered at least 1 year. 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 registered parishioners inquiring about marriage, contact the parish office 1 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, C.R., 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:** Please email any announcements by 4:00 pm Monday to be included in the weekend bulletin.

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

#### THE MOST HOLY BODY AND BLOOD OF CHRIST (CORPUS CHRISTI)



#### 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 June 19 - 25, 2017

#### Monday - St. Romuald

2 Corinthians 6.1-10 Matthew 5.38-42

12:10 pm †Maria Forthuber

#### Tuesday - ferial

2 Corinthians 8.1-9 Matthew 5.43-48

7:30 am Morning Prayer 8:00 am In Thanksgiving

#### Wednesday - St. Aloysius Gonzaga

2 Corinthians 9.6-11 Matthew 6.1-6, 16-18

7:30 am Morning Prayer **8:00 am †Tony Hart** 

#### Thursday - St. Paulinus of Nola and St. John Fisher

2 Corinthians 11.1-11 Matthew 6.7-1511:00 am Eucharistic Adoration11:50 am Chaplet of Divine Mercy

12:10 pm For the Superior General of the Congregation

of the Resurrection, †Kay Graham

#### Friday - The Most Sacred Heart of Jesus

Deuteronomy 7.6-11 1 John 4.7-16 Matthew 11.25-30

7:30 am Morning Prayer

8:00 am Intentions of the Costa Family

#### Saturday - The Nativity of Saint John The Baptist

Isaiah 49.1-6 Acts 13.22-26 Luke 1.57-66, 80

8:00 am For the Protection of Christians

4:00 pm Confessions

#### TWELFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Jeremiah 20.10-13 Romans 5.12-15 Matthew 10.26-33

5:00 pm ††Aurea and Harold Cahill, †Miriam Bonnell

**Sunday** 

8:00 am Our Parishioners

9:15 am Deceased Members of the Kern Family,

†Alexander Pomper, †Ferdinand Staab, †Erwin Klingspon, In Thanksgiving for Fr. Wolfgang Weiss, SAC, †Josef Sigmund

11:00 am †Deloris Rittinger



# May God's wondrous love be yours today and always

#### **COMING UP AT ST. MARY'S**

June		
17-18:	All Masses	Monthly St. Vincent de Paul Collection
		Annual Mission Co-operative Speaker
18:	10:15 am	German Congregation Social
20:	11:00 am	St. Vincent de Paul Meeting
	8:00 pm	Living Sober Group
24-25:	All Masses	Mission Co-operative Collection
30:		PARISH OFFICE CLOSED
<u>July</u>		
1:	8:30 am	First Saturday Adoration until 12 pm
	8:30 am	Our Lady of Sorrows Devotions
1-2:	All Masses	Monthly Building & Maintenance Collection
3-7:		PARISH OFFICE CLOSED
13:	7:00 pm	Mass and Our Lady of Fatima Devotions
18:	11:00 am	St. Vincent de Paul Meeting
31:		PARISH OFFICE CLOSED

#### **Every Tuesday In July and August:**

8:00 pm Living Sober Group

August:

1-4:

5:	8:30 am	First Saturday Adoration until 12 pm
	8:30 am	Our Lady of Sorrows Devotions
5-6:	All Masses	Monthly Building & Maintenance Collection
7:		PARISH OFFICE CLOSED
13:	12:00 pm	Our Lady of Fatima Devotions following 11 am
		Mass

PARISH OFFICE CLOSED

18: PARISH OFFICE CLOSED

19-20 All Masses Monthly St. Vincent de Paul Collection

22: 11:00 am St. Vincent de Paul Meeting 26-27: All Masses Debt Fund Collection

#### RETURN OF BABY BOTTLES FOR MARILLAC PLACE

June 17<sup>th</sup>/18<sup>st</sup>. On Mother's Day, you generously accepted a Baby Bottle in support of Marillac Place. Thank you to all who took the bottles home. If you forgot to return your bottle (full or empty) this weekend, please contact Marillac Place, 519-571-3772, and make arrangements to return your bottle. Thank you.

#### ANNUAL MISSIONARY COOPERATIVE PLAN APPEAL

This weekend at all Masses. Sr. Ellen Anderson will speak with us about the work of the Missionary Sisters of the Holy Rosary. The community was founded in Ireland in 1924 to work with the women of Nigeria, West Africa. The Sisters are now an international community working in 9 countries of Africa and in Brazil. They are a strictly missionary group with no institutions in Canada or the US, and rely almost exclusively on funds provided through Mission Co-op and the generosity of the people back home to support their mission. They are deeply grateful for your contributions. The collection for Mission Co-op will be taken next weekend, envelopes are in your box sets and extras will be at all doors of the church. If you would like to learn more about the Sisters, please visit www.mshr.org.



This is the last bulletin of the season. Mass times, intentions and announcements will be posted on the bulletin boards and on our website. Please check regularly for new postings.

#### PARISH ANNIVERSARY PICTURE DIRECTORY

As part of our Parish 160<sup>th</sup> Anniversary, we would like to make a new Parish Picture Directory. Our staff will be taking the pictures and we will have it professionally printed. **NO personal information will be included other than your name under your picture**. We would like to include **ALL our parish families** as only about 1/3 participated in our last directory in 2007. So far only 4 families have indicated interest. Please contact the parish office, 519-576-3860 this coming week and reserve your time.

#### KITCHENER MULTICULTURAL FESTIVAL

Next Weekend, June 24<sup>th</sup> and 25<sup>th</sup>. This is our biggest evangelization outreach project of the year. We provide free Catholic resources, CDs, rosaries and pamphlets and share our faith with those who come by. To donate to this outreach please use the envelopes available at the church doors. We can't do it without you!

#### OFFERTORY: June 10 - 11, 2017

Sunday Donations (164 env)	\$3,542.00	
<b>Loose Donations</b>	\$ 375.95	
Multi-Cultural Festival Donations	\$ 40.00	
<b>Building Fund Donations</b>	\$ 155.00	
Pope's Pastoral Works Donations	\$ 25.00	

THANK YOU FOR YOUR GENEROUS SUPPORT!

#### WHAT'S HAPPENING IN OUR AREA

#### **FAMINE RELIEF FUND**

Bishop Douglas Crosby, OMI, Bishop of Hamilton and the President of the Canadian Conference of Catholic Bishops, together with other Christian, Jewish, Muslim, Sikh and Baha'i faith communities launched a national appeal to address the famines in South Sudan and the extreme food shortages in Yemen, Northeast Nigeria and Somalia.

We encourage parishioners to support this initiative and to make any donations <u>directly</u> to one of the recognized Canadian Charities listed below. Bishop Crosby is not authorizing a special collection for this purpose, however, contributions made to one of these agencies before June 30, 2017 will be matched by the Government of Canada. Donations after June 30<sup>th</sup> will also be most welcome.

The 3 organizations are:

**Canadian Catholic Organization for Development and** 

**Peace:** 1-888-664-3387 or

www.devp.org/en/famine-relief-fund

Aid to the Church in Need Canada: 1-800-585-6333 or

www.acn-aed-ca.org/iamstarving

**Canadian Jesuits International:** 1-800-448-2148 or www.canadianjesuitsinternational.ca/2017/06/05/famine-relief-appeal/

For more information about the relief work being done in the above-named countries, please see our Diocesan Website: www.hamiltondiocese.com

# Zehrs Laurentian Community Room 2nd Floor, Kitchener CANADIAN CENTRE FOR BIOETHICAL REFORM'S CANADA 150 TOUR

Friday, June 23<sup>rd</sup>. Refreshments at 6:30 pm - Presentation begins at 7 pm with Q & A to follow. On Canada's 150th Birthday, Canadians are faced with a stark choice: To celebrate our century-long heritage of protecting all human life, or celebrate our 48-year legacy of protecting only some human beings. Four million preborn Canadians will not celebrate Canada's 150th anniversary with us because they never had a birthday of their own. Canada's past was prolife. If you join with us to speak for these missing Canadians, Canada's future can be pro-life, too. Join Maaike Rosendal and CCBR Summer interns to hear how, together, we can end the killing of preborn children in our nation. Sponsored by KW Right to Life 519-746-5433 kwrtl@golden.net.

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