# St. Mary Our Lady of the Seven Sorrows Roman Catholic Church

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Under the Guidance and Administration of the Religious Fathers of The Congregation of the Resurrection www.resurrectionist.ca

#### **JUBILEE OF MERCY**

December 8, 2015 - November 20, 2016



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 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 - <u>unless</u> 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 details regarding marriage, contact the parish office <u>at least</u> 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

### Mass Schedule and Intentions This Week June 5 - 12, 2016

#### Monday - St. Norbert

1 Kings 17.1-6 Matthew 5.1-12

**No Mass** 

#### Tuesday - ferial

1 Kings 17.7-16 Matthew 5.13-16

No Mass

#### Wednesday - ferial

1 Kings 18.20-39 Matthew 5.17-19

No Mass

#### Thursday - St. Ephrem

1 Kings 18.41-46 Matthew 5.20-26

No Mass

#### Friday - ferial

1 Kings 19.9a, 11-16 Matthew 5.27-32

No Mass

#### Saturday - St. Barnabas

Acts 11.21b-26; 13.1-3 Matthew 10.7-13

**No Morning Mass** 

4:00 pm Confessions

#### THE ELEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

2 Samuel 12.7-10, 13 Galatians 2.16, 19.21 Luke 7.36-8.3

5:00 pm †Ronald McHugh

**Sunday** 

8:00 am †Chuck Sobering

9:15 am †Robert Haas, †Bernhard Didio, †Frieda

Mausser

11:00 am Our Parishioners

#### VERY IMPORTANT NOTICE!!!

<u>PLEASE NOTE:</u> There will be NO weekday or Saturday 8 am Masses from June 6<sup>th</sup> - 11<sup>th</sup> and 13<sup>th</sup> - 18<sup>th</sup>. Fr. George and Fr. Paul will be attending a retreat and Plenary Chapter for the Congregation of the Resurrection. All Saturday 5 pm and Sunday Mass times remain as usual.

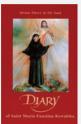
"O God, from whom all good things come, grant that we, who call on you in our need, may at your prompting discern what is right, and by your guidance do it." If you feel God's call to the priesthood or consecrated life, visit vocationculture.ca for more information.



Pray the Rosary Daily

#### **DIVINE MERCY MEDITATION**

#### **Your Bridegroom**



<u>Meditation</u>: Now you shall consider My love in the Blessed Sacrament. Here, I am entirely yours, soul, body, and divinity, as your Bridegroom. You know what love demands: one thing only, reciprocity ... (Diary, 1770)

My Daughter, My favor rests in your heart. When on Holy Thursday I left Myself in the Blessed Sacrament, you were very much on My mind

(Diary, 1420).

**My Prayer Response:** Lord Jesus, than You for total and humble love in giving Yourself to me in the Eucharist. Help me and those who receive You in Holy Communion to respond with "reciprocity." May our "yes" to You be *total*, *free*, *faithful*, *and fruitful* – like the vows of marriage!

(Courtesy of Lighthouse Catholic Media)

#### Coming Up at St. Mary's

June 4/5:	All Masses	Building & Maintenance Collection
June 6-11:	NO WEE	KDAY MASSES
June 7:	8:00 pm	Living Sober Group
June 8:	7:00 pm	Marienchor Rehearsal
June 9:	1:00 pm	German Men's and Ladies Group
	7:00 pm	Choir Rehearsal
	7:00 pm	Bible Study
June 12:	12:00 pm	CWL General Meeting
June 13-18	B: NO WEE	KDAY MASSES
June 14:	8:00 pm	Living Sober Group
June 15:	7:00 pm	Marienchor Rehearsal
June 16:	7:00 pm	Choir Rehearsal
	7:00 pm	Bible Study
June 18/1	9: All Masses	St. Vincent de Paul Collection
		Speaker from Chalice
June 19:	10:15 am	German Congregation Social
	2:00 pm	German congregation Picnic

#### ST. MARY'S CWL GENERAL MEETING



Sunday June 12<sup>th</sup>, immediately following the 11 am Mass. This will be our <u>last</u> meeting before the summer "break", and in keeping with tradition, it's our <u>Annual Pot Luck Lunch</u>, and <u>Baby Shower</u>

<u>for Birthright!</u> Please join us, in the Lower Hall, as we welcome summer with Prayer, fellowship and refreshments! Beverages will be provided but please remember to bring, not only your FAVOURITE food(s), but your plates and cutlery as well. Looking forward to seeing you there!!

#### CHALICE

<u>Weekend of June 18<sup>th</sup>/19<sup>th</sup>.</u> Deacon Neil Devereaux will be speaking to us about the work of Chalice, a Catholic Child Sponsorship agency. Sponsorship provides education, nutrition and health care to over 49,000 children in 15 developing countries. For more information visit: www.chalice.ca.

#### MULTICULTURAL FESTIVAL

June 25<sup>th</sup> and 26<sup>th</sup>. St. Mary's will be hosting a booth for the 5th year in a row! 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 labelled "Multicultural Festival" at the church doors, or contact the parish office. We can't do it without you!

#### PILGRIMAGE TO SHRINES IN QUEBEC

Monday, August 1<sup>st</sup> - Saturday, August 6<sup>th</sup>. Join us for our 42<sup>nd</sup> Pilgrimage to Cap-de-la-Madeleine, St. Anne de Beaupre, Sacred Heart Shrine, Beauvoir and St. Joseph's Oratory. Our own Fr. Paul Szymanowski, CR will accompany the group as Spiritual Director. For more information please see the poster on the bulletin boards or contact Rosie, 519-744-5923 or Erna 519-743-1030.

#### OFFERTORY: May 28 - 29, 2016

Sunday Envelopes (187)	\$3,916.00		
Loose Donations	\$	447.60	
Building & Maintenance Fund	\$	90.00	
Debt Fund Donations	\$	50.00	
Wildfire Emergency Relief		\$1,960.30	

THANK YOU FOR YOUR GENEROUS SUPPORT!

#### **Events in Our Area**

### CLUB WILLOWELLS, 40 BLUE SPRINGS DRIVE, WATERLOO KW RIGHT TO LIFE DESSERT & COFFEE EVENING

Thursday, June 9<sup>th</sup> at 6 pm. A PowerPoint presentation, "Contraception Cracking the Myths" - Prof. Janet Smith will be shown (in part) and is available free of charge to any teacher, instructor, group leader or anyone interested in changing the contraceptive culture to one that is healthy and loving, creating solid relationships. Our Annual General Report (AGM) will be distributed and all our Volunteers will be honoured. Everyone is welcome. Call KW Right to Life if you plan to attend. 519-746-5433 or email jane@kwrtl.ca.

#### MARYMOUNT CEMETERY, GUELPH MEMORIAL MASS

**Saturday, June 11<sup>th</sup> at 11 am.** Most Rev. Daniel Miehm, Auxiliary Bishop of Hamilton, will be our Celebrant. All are welcome. For more information, please call Dominic at 519-836-8814 or visit www.thecatholiccemeteries.ca.

#### ST. TERESA OF AVILA CHURCH, ELMIRA **27<sup>TH</sup> ANNUAL GARDEN PARTY**

**Friday, June 17<sup>th</sup>.** Enjoy our Community BBQ in the hall from 5 – 8 pm with sausages, hamburgers, hot dogs, french fries, sauerkraut, fried onions, all condiments and a healthy option of salad and veggies & dip, as well as hot & cold beverages. There will also be an Outdoor Snack Booth with chips, soft drinks, fresh made popcorn and candy. Lots of fun for young and old - bingo, penny table, silent auction, bouncies, tombola, video games, play area for children 5 and under and much more. Come enjoy an evening of food and fellowship. Fun starts at 5 pm and ends with fireworks at 9:30 pm. All are welcome!

### ST. ANTHONY DANIEL, KIT. TO MARTYRS' SHRINE, MIDLAND PILGRIMAGE

**Saturday, June 18<sup>th</sup>.** To celebrate the 50th anniversary of St. Anthony Daniel Parish, there will be a Pilgrimage to the Shrine of their Patron Saint. Travel by coach to Midland, leaving the church at 8 am and be back by 6 pm. Martyrs' Shrine has been designated as a "Holy Door" church during the Year of Mercy, declared by Pope Francis. Tickets \$40 including transportation and admission to the Shrine. Please call the parish office, 519-893-6960 for tickets.

#### PARENTING TIP OF THE MONTH

All children, especially young children, thrive when parents set boundaries and expectations. Knowing what is and is not acceptable, understanding the limits of what is tolerable and sensing their parents are in charge provides children with a sense of confidence and higher self-esteem. When parents take on a leadership role their children are calmer and the family flourishes.

#### MARRIAGE TIP OF THE MONTH

Before a couple begins to parent, they first have a relationship with each other. We know that the best gift parents can give their children is a strong and healthy relationship. Time together as a couple is an excellent way to strengthen your bond – it ensures that love continues to flourish, that you don't lose your connection to each other as husband and wife and shows your children that you love spending time together. Make spending time as a couple a priority and you will soon see the value it has in your lives.

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