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YEAR OF THE CONSECRATED LIFE.

November 30, 2014 - February 2, 2016



Father George Nowak, CR
Pastor

Father Jason Catania
Priest in Charge,
The Sodality of St. Edmund, King and Martyr

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 - Welcome to newcomers in the Parish! Registration forms are available at all Church entrances, the parish office and our website.

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 details regarding marriage requirements, please contact the parish office at least 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, 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)
5:00 pm St. Edmund's Ordinariate Liturgy
(Anglican Use) Preceded by confession

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.

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

*Mass Schedule and Intentions
May 11 - 17, 2015*

Monday - ferial

Acts 16.11-15 John 15.26-16.4a

12:10 am For Deceased Members of the Kraftcsik Family

Tuesday - St. Nereus, St. Achilleus and St. Pancras

Acts 16.22-34 John 16.5-11

7:30 am Morning Prayer

8:00 am Intentions of Phil and Jackie LeBeau

Wednesday - Our Lady of Fatima

Acts 17.15, 22-18.1 John 16.12-15

7:30 am Morning Prayer

8:00 am †Clara Steuernol

Thursday - St. Matthias

Acts 1.15-17, 20-26 John 15.9-17

11:00 am Eucharistic Adoration

11:50 am Chaplet of Divine Mercy

12:10 pm For The Superior General of the CR, Intentions of Alex Laurette, Intentions of Herbert Reiko, †Marie Kloiber

Friday - ferial

Acts 18.9-18 John 16.20-23a

7:30 am Morning Prayer

8:00 am Souls in Purgatory

Saturday - ferial

Acts 18.23-28 John 16.23b-28

8:00 am Special Intention

4:00 pm Confessions

ASCENSION OF THE LORD

Annual Pope's Pastoral Works Collection

Monthly St. Vincent de Paul Collection

Acts 1.1-11 Ephesians 1.17-23 Mark 16.15-20

5:00 pm †Joseph Rektor and Deceased Family Members, Intentions of Rita and Roger Boudreau

Sunday

8:00 am Our Parishioners

9:15 am †Viktor Pomper, ††Otilia and Ferdinand Birl, ††Marie and Leslie Vadaslaki, †Bernhard Didio

11:00 am Intentions of Fr. George Nowak, CR

3:00 pm Mass of Thanksgiving on the 40th Anniversary of Ordination of Fr. George Nowak, CR

5:00 pm St. Edmund's Ordinariate Liturgy



Happy Mother's Day !

*May Mary,
the Mother of Christ,
ask her Son's blessings
for you.*

Here at St. Mary's

Tuesday: 7:00 pm Parish Finance Council Meeting
8:00 pm "AA" Living Sober Group
Wednesday: 6:00 pm Bible Study
7:00 pm Marienchor Rehearsal
Thursday: 1:00 pm German Men's & Ladies Group
7:00 pm Choir Rehearsal
Sunday: 10:15 pm German Congregation Social

BABY BOTTLE CAMPAIGN



Today is Mother's Day and we are proud, once again, to participate in the baby bottle campaign in support of Marillac Place. Marillac Place relies heavily on donations from our

community to keep its doors open. Volunteers will be handing out baby bottles at the back of our church today. Please support this important cause by filling it with your spare change and return it to the church on Father's Day. All proceeds from the campaign will go directly to the operations of Marillac Place. For more information call 519-571-3772, visit www.marillacplace.ca or send an email to businessmanager@marillacplace.ca.

PARISH FINANCE COUNCIL MEETING

Tuesday, May 12th at 7 pm in the Lower Hall meeting room.

MASS FOR ASCENSION THURSDAY

Thursday, May 14th, 7 pm. Solemn Mass according to the Anglican Use liturgy will be celebrated by the Sodality of St. Edmund, King and Martyr, at St. Mary's. Music will be provided by the Ensemble Sine Nomine. Confessions will be heard at 6:30 pm and a reception in the Lower Hall will follow the Mass. All are welcome!

NEPAL RELIEF COLLECTION

Next weekend, May 16th/17th. On April 25th, Nepal experienced a destructive 7.8 earthquake. Approximately 7 million people are affected in Nepal's 34 districts, leaving a million homeless and around 2 million children in need of assistance, with an estimated 400,000 buildings destroyed. Media reports that people and whole villages have been buried by landslides and avalanches triggered by the earthquake and aftershocks. The number of casualties is expected to become much higher as rescue teams try to make their way into more remote areas, causing over 6,000 deaths and numerous injuries. **Bishop Crosby has approved a collection to be taken up for relief efforts. Contributions will be matched by the Canadian Government until May 25th only. Therefore ALL donations must reach the parish by next weekend in order to meet this deadline.** Special envelopes are located at all doors of the Church. Thank you for your generosity and prayers for the people of Nepal.

MARY'S GARDEN

Now that the weather is improving, come take some time out of your busy schedule to come sit, admire, reflect and pray in our small oasis away from the hustle and bustle of city life.

PILGRIMAGE TO THE SHRINES IN QUEBEC

August 3rd - 8th. Join us on this 6 Day Pilgrimage with Spiritual Director Fr. George Nowak, CR. We visit Cap-de-la-Madeleine, St. Anne de Beaupre, Sacred Heart Shrine, Beauvoir and St. Joseph's Oratory. For more information contact Erna 519-743-1030 or Rosie 519-744-5923.

OFFERTORY: MAY 2nd/3rd, 2015

Sunday Donations (200 env)	\$4,526.00
Loose Donations	\$ 338.35
Building Fund Donations (103 env)	\$1,860.60
Debt Fund Donation	\$ 645.00
Needs of the Holy Land	\$ 30.00

In Our Area

ST. FRANCIS OF ASSISI PARISH, KITCHENER

"FROM CROSSES TO CRUCIFIXES"

A Priest's Journey from Protestantism into the Catholic Church presented by Father Jason A. Catania.
Wednesday, May 13th - Prayer Service 7 pm - talk 7:30 pm. Everyone Welcome!

KW RTL BUS TRIP FOR THE MARCH FOR LIFE

Thursday, May 14th 5:30 am. Last years attendance was 25,000 seeking personhood for the unborn. A bus leaves for Parliament Hill, Ottawa from behind Burger King, Fairway Road and Wilson Avenue. Seats \$60. Call 519-746-5433 or email jane@kwrtl.ca.

IN FRONT OF KITCHENER CITY HALL

ROSARY RALLY

Saturday, May 16th, 12 - 1 pm. Come pray with us, asking the Blessed Mother to intervene to her Son so He may help Canada and the world in these times of trial. For more information call Jaye, 519-742-6748.

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PENTECOST VIGIL

Saturday, May 23rd at 7:30 pm. Like the Apostles, let us gather in a darkened room, and pray that the Holy Spirit come upon us. Listen as salvation history is revealed to us in the Scriptures. And pray that we are open to the Spirit's gifts in our lives. For more information see www.stfranciskw.ca or call 519-745-7301.

PARENTING TIP OF THE MONTH

When children identify role models they look up to, they are often action heroes, including cartoon heroes, who have powers that are superhuman. Children need assistance to recognize true role models living amongst them; individuals a child can and should emulate as they mature. Good role models have clear values, willingly look to assist others with any need, are passionate about what they do, accept each person for who they are and are guided by the light of faith. Help your children identify role models in their lives and to discover the positive qualities these people possess and watch them thrive as they become inspired to develop similar qualities.

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