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2018

Fr. Toby Collins, C.R. - Pastor
Fr. Daniel Lobsinger, C.R. - Associate Pastor
Fr. Joseph de Viveiros, C.R. - Assisting Priest

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 6 months**. 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. 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
3:00 pm (Traditional Latin Mass)
(Children's Liturgy Sept. - June at 11:00 am)

Weekday Masses and Devotions

Please Refer to the Schedule Inside Bulletin

Confession

Thursday : 11:30 am - 12:00 pm
Saturday: 4:00 - 4:30 pm
and By Appointment

Eucharistic Adoration - Thursday mornings 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 9:30 am.

Rosary - Monday to Friday after Mass.

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, 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*

THIRTY-FIRST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



Welcome to St. Mary's Parish

We extend you a warm welcome and pray that you feel at home. To register with St. Mary's please complete a Registration form – either online on the parish website, or by using the form provided at all church doors.

MASS INTENTIONS November 6 - 11, 2018

Tuesday – ferial

Philippians 2.5-11 Luke 14.15-24

8:00 am For Deceased Members of the Lyco Kelly Family

Wednesday – ferial

Philippians 2.12-18 Luke 14.25-33

8:00 am For Ania Lisewska

Thursday – ferial

Philippians 3.3-8a++ Luke 15.1-10

11:00 am Eucharistic Adoration

11:30 am Confession until 12:00 pm

12:10 pm †Sr. Barbara Frank

Friday – The Dedication of The Lateran Basilica

Ezekiel 47.1-2, 8-9, 12 John 2.13-22

8:00 am For Sanduni Costa

Saturday – St. Leo the Great

Philippians 4.10-19 Luke 16.9-15

8:00 am For the Gift of Faith

4:00 pm Confession until 4:30 pm

THIRTY-SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME REMEMBRANCE DAY

1 Kings 17.10-16 Hebrews 9.24-28 Mark 12.38-44

††Adam & Annie Roussy, For the Souls in

5:00 pm Purgatory & Unremembered Souls, †Lawrence Belliveau, †Patrick Cresswell

Sunday

8:00 am Our Parishioners

For Living & Deceased Members of the

9:15 am Schmorleiz, Krause & Ulrich Families, †Josef Sigmund

(Bilingual German/English Mass)

11:00 am For All Living & Deceased Veterans

3:00 pm †Nancy Norton

(Traditional Latin Mass)

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Often Christians are criticized because there is a gap between what we believe and how we operate or there is a gap between what we say and what we do. Unfortunately, that criticism is absolutely true. In all Christians there is a gap between what we believe and how that translates into our praxis, i.e., a gap between who we are called to be and who we actually are.

In today's Gospel Jesus make the identification between our love for God and our love for our neighbour. They are indeed not two different things but two sides of a coin. One cannot exist without the other. In the 1st Letter of John, 4:20, the point is made even stronger: *"Those who say, "I love God," and hate their brothers or sisters, are liars; for those who do not love a brother or sister whom they have seen, cannot love God whom they have not seen."*

Every Christian would say that he or she loves God but many of us bear anger, or hatred or resentment of judgement towards one of our sisters or brothers in Christ. Jesus calls us to the greater and the world challenges us to be people of integrity. If we say we love God then we need to express that love for God with love for all of God's children. This is not optional. It is at the very heart of who we are called to be and do as Christians.

Jesus remakes the point in Matthew 25 with the parable of the sheep and the goats. When to the sheep on his right he says: *"Truly, I tell you, just as you did it to one of the least of these who are members of my family, you did it to me."* Then he says to the goats on his left: *"Truly I tell you, just as you did not do it to one of the least of these, you did not do it to me."* If we are wise disciples we will not use the gap as a battering ram upon ourselves but rather use it as the impetus to grow as more authentic disciples. Always realizing that the Christian journey is not about arriving at perfection in this life but about being on the road towards it.

Written by: Fr. Joseph de Viveiros, C.R.

VOCATION SEEDS

"To love Him with all the heart and with all the understanding, and with all the strength" and "to love one's neighbour as oneself" are the greatest commandments. If you feel that God is calling you to serve Him as a priest, religious or deacon, call, Fr. Michael King, Vocation Director, Diocese of Hamilton 1-905-528-7988 x2246, email: vocations@hamiltondiocese.com or visit www.HamiltonVocations.com.

OFFERTORY – October 28, 2018

Sunday Envelopes	\$4,232.50
Sunday Loose	\$611.40
Sunday Pre-Authorized (\$3,515.00/4wks)	\$878.75
Building & Maintenance	\$120.00
B & M Pre-Authorized (\$1,095.00/4wks)	\$273.75
World Mission Sunday	\$70.00

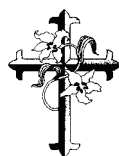
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COMING UP AT ST. MARY'S

November:

3/4:	All Masses	Building & Maintenance Collection
6:	10:00 am	SVDP Food Hamper Program
	8:00 pm	Living Sober Group
7:	7:00 pm	Marienchoir Rehearsal
8:	1:00 pm	German Men's & Ladies' Group
	7:00 pm	Choir Rehearsal
10:	9:00 am	Catechesis of the Good Shepherd
	10:00 am	Diocese of Hamilton Youth AGM
11:	12:00 pm	CWL General Meeting
13:	10:00 am	SVDP Food Hamper Program
	8:00 pm	Living Sober Group
14:	7:00 pm	Marienchor Rehearsal
15:	1:00 pm	Parish "Town Hall" Meeting
	6:00 pm	Parish "Town Hall" Meeting
	7:00 pm	Choir Rehearsal

NOVEMBER REMEMBRANCE



During November, we pray for the souls of our beloved dead. Everyone is invited to inscribe the names of their loved ones in our Book of Remembrance, located in front of the Blessed Virgin Altar.

ST. MARY'S CWL GENERAL MEETING



Sunday, November 11th following 11 am

Mass. Please join us, in the Lower Hall, for a bite of lunch, (soup and beverages provided - if you wish, you may bring your own brown bag sandwich). November is a time of Remembrance, so we will be celebrating a Memorial Liturgy to remember our Deceased Members - from this year and including all those who passed away in previous years. Please join us for this special time of prayer, fellowship and reflection! FYI - just a gentle reminder, that for our December meeting, gifts for the Mom's and babies (ages 0 - 2) from Marillac Place, will be collected. As always, many thanks for your kindness and generous support!

PARISH TOWN HALL MEETING

Thursday, November 15th either at 1 pm or at 6 pm. In an effort to help us dream about our present and future as a parish, all parishioners and staff are invited to attend one of two "Town Hall" style meetings. We hope to discuss ways that we can better use our time and space in worship and service of God. We have invited the Chancellor of the Diocese of Hamilton to be with us for this important discussion on the life of our parish. We look forward to seeing you there. Fr. Toby.

WHAT'S HAPPENING IN OUR AREA

DIOCESAN NEWSLETTER SUBSCRIPTION

The Pastoral Offices of the Diocese of Hamilton offer a wide range of workshops and educational opportunities during the course of the year. These activities and events are open to all interested parishioners throughout the Diocese. If you would like to keep informed regarding these opportunities for growing in your faith, you are invited to subscribe to a weekly online newsletter by going to the Diocesan Website www.hamiltondiocese.com and click the "Subscribe to our Newsletter" button on the right side of the homepage. Your email address will be used solely to provide you with Diocesan Newsletter and will never be shared with any third party. Their resources and workshops are "cutting edge" and are prepared by people with a high level of training. They go beyond the scope of any single parish and have been a huge help to me along the way. Please consider subscribing and taking advantage of these resources. Thank you, Fr. Toby.

CAPITAL CAMPAIGN FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

Over the next 2½ years, the Diocese of Hamilton will be conducting the One Heart, One Soul Capital Campaign to raise money for every Parish in the Diocese and for shared ministries. Answers to Frequently Asked Questions will appear in Parish bulletins regularly. A compilation of all questions that have been published will be available throughout the campaign at oneheartonesoul.ca.

What is a capital campaign?

A capital campaign is an effort to raise money in a fairly short time (three to five years) to pay for a significant project or build up an endowment or heritage fund for future use. For a Catholic Diocese or Parish, this refers to gifts and pledges over and above a parishioner's regular giving to the Sunday collection. Parishioners who make pledges to the Diocese of Hamilton's campaign will have three years to fulfill their commitment.

Who will be asked to give?

Over the course of the campaign, every parishioner in every Parish in the Diocese will be asked to make a sacrificial gift.

When will the campaign take place?

Campaign preparations are ongoing, and the active campaign will take place in four "waves," beginning with a pilot wave that will begin in February 2019. The campaign will conclude when the last wave finishes in early 2021.

Why do the campaign in waves instead of all at once?

With nearly 120 parishes in the Diocese, it will be more effective to break up the campaign into smaller pieces over time, to give each Parish as much support and direction as possible from the Diocese and the Parishes' consultant, the Steier Group. It also provides options as parishes are assigned to waves. For some Parishes, conducting the campaign in an early wave will allow them to get started on needed projects. Other Parishes will need more time to weigh what projects need to be a priority and to prepare for the campaign.



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