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

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### YEAR OF THE CONSECRATED LIFE

November 30, 2014 - February 2, 2016



Father George Nowak, CR Pastor

**Father Paul Szymanowski, CR** Associate 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 September 21 - 27, 2015

#### Monday - St. Matthew

Ephesians 4.1-7, 11-13 Matthew 9.9-13

12:10 am †Mervyn Boegel

#### Tuesday - ferial

Ezra 4.4-5; 6.1a, 6ad-8, 12b, 14-20++ Luke 8.19-21

7:30 am Morning Prayer **8:00 am †Anne Schmalz** 

#### Wednesday - St. Pius of Pietrelcina (Padre Pio)

Ezra 9.5-9 Luke 9.1-6

7:30 am Morning Prayer

8:00 am Chin Family Thanksgiving

#### Thursday - Bl. Émilie Tavernier-Gamelin

Haggai 1.1-8 Luke 9.7-9

11:00 am Eucharistic Adoration11:50 am Chaplet of Divine Mercy

12:10 pm For the Beatification of the Founders of

the Congregation of the Resurrection

#### Friday - St. Cosmas and St. Damian

Haggai 2.1-9 Luke 9.18-22 7:30 am Morning Prayer 8:00 am Souls in Purgatory

# Saturday - St. John de Brébeuf, St. Isaac Jogues and

#### **Companions**

Revelation 7.9-17 2 Corinthians 4.7-15 Luke 9.23-26

8:00 am Special Intention

4:00 pm Confessions

#### TWENTY - SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Numbers 11.25-29 James 5.1-6 Mark 9.38-43, 45, 47-48 Annual Needs's of the Canadian Church Collection

5:00 pm †Robert Evers, †Ed Boudreau, Special Intention

Sunday

8:00 am Thanksgiving for All Donors to the St.

Mary's Chapter of the St. Vincent de Paul

Society

9:15 am †Thomas Dechand, †Bernhard Didio,

†Eva, †Maria and †Paul Fath

11:00 am Our Parishioners

5:00 pm St. Edmund's Ordinariate Liturgy

# At St. Mary's This Week

Tuesday: 11:00 am St. Vincent de Paul Meeting

8:00 pm Living Sober Meeting

Wednesday: 7:00 pm Marienchor Rehearsal

Thursday: 7:00 pm Choir Rehearsal

#### **SPECIAL NOTE:**

#### ST. JEROME'S UNIVERSITY 150TH ANNIVERSARY MASS

Saturday, October 3<sup>rd</sup>. The Mass will be celebrated here at St. Mary's at 4 pm. There will be NO confession and 5 pm Mass that day.

#### THANK YOU!!!

We wish to extend a **HUGE THANK YOU** to all who helped make our Feast Day celebration a success! A special thank you to Bishop Ustrzycki and all the visiting priests, our amazing choir and the hard working ladies who organized the social.

#### OFFERTORY: SEPTEMBER 12 - 13, 2015

Sunday Envelopes (192) \$4,280.10
Loose Donations \$ 536.55
Building & Maintenance Fund (10) \$ 349.00
Debt Fund Donations \$ 35.00

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## Events in Our Area

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#### **SYMBOLON - THE CATHOLIC FAITH EXPLAINED**

Beginning Monday, September 21<sup>st</sup> at 7:30 pm. This is a vibrant, relevant and complete program to invigorate your faith. The 20 compelling sessions of this bold series guide through the breadth and richness of our Catholic faith using prayer, video teaching and discussion questions and a recommended Celebration of the Word of God. For more information, or to sign up, email stlouiswaterloo@hamiltondiocese.com or call 519-743-4101.

#### ST. MARK'S CHURCH HALL, KITCHENER

#### **FROM CROSSES TO CRUCIFIXES:**

**Monday, September 21<sup>st</sup> at 7 pm.** A Priest's Journey from Protestantism into the Catholic Church - A talk by Fr. Jason Catania. Everyone Welcome!

#### ST. MARK PARISH, KITCHENER

#### "KEYS TO LOVING RELATIONSHIPS"

**Tuesday evenings from 7 - 9:30 pm, starting September 22**<sup>nd</sup>. A ten week video-based program meant for anyone (married or single) who is looking for a more meaningful relationship with a spouse, family member or friend. The cost is \$45. For more information, please call the Family Ministry Office at 1-905-528-7988 ext. 2249.

#### ST. ANTHONY DANIEL PARISH LIFE CENTRE, KITCHENER

#### **CARMEL OF ST. JOSEPH LUNCHEON & CARD PARTY**

Wednesday, September 23<sup>rd</sup>, from 12 - 4 pm. Doors open at 11:30 am. Admission - \$12. Lunch & Door Prizes. Please note: All tickets must be reserved, paid for, and picked up before the event - no tickets at the door. Contact Sandi Farwell 519-894 4387 or sam.farwell@bell.net.

#### ST. TERESA OF AVILA CHURCH, ELMIRA

#### 50<sup>TH</sup> ANNIVERSARY OF ST. TERESA OF AVILA SCHOOL

Thursday, September 24<sup>th</sup> at 10 am. Calling all alumni!! We will begin with Mass at the Church. An Open House will take place from 5 - 8 pm at the school. Archives will be on display and there will be food trucks as well. Come and celebrate our anniversary! Everyone welcome!

#### ST. TERESA OF AVILA PARISH HALL, ELMIRA

#### **FISH FRY**

Friday, September 25<sup>th</sup>. Hosted by The Knights of Columbus Council 8192. There will be two sittings – 5 pm and 6:30 pm. Take out available at 6 pm. Cost is Adults \$15; Children (12 & under) \$8; and Take Out is \$15. Advanced tickets are available until September 23<sup>rd</sup> at St. Teresa of Avila Parish Office between 9 am and 1 pm or call 519-669-3387. Don't miss out on this popular annual dinner!

#### ST. BONIFACE CHURCH, MARYHILL

#### **HERITAGE DAY**

Sunday, September 27<sup>th</sup>. Join the Historical Society of St. Boniface and Maryhill Community for Mass at 10 am followed by a tour which will include where the First Mass was said in New Germany and continue to the 3 Wayside Crosses. Hot lunch of ham and scalloped potatoes, dessert and coffee or tea at the Maryhill Heritage Park Community Centre at 12 noon followed with a short program. Cost \$15 per person. Contact Diane Strickler (519) 648-2432 for more information. Advance tickets only.

#### NOTRE DAME CONVENT, WATERDOWN

#### A WALK THROUGH THE NEW TESTAMENT

Tuesday evenings starting September 29<sup>th</sup>. This course is geared to those who have participated in Foundations for Ministry, Theology for Ministry, Priest Prophet & King, or for any Lay Parish Ministers. The book for this course is A Walk Through the New Testament by Margaret Nutting Ralph. Her extensive knowledge of scripture will help us understand the original biblical author's intent, as well as to hear scripture as a living word. The course will be facilitated by Sister Mary Heather MacKinnon SSND. The cost is \$100 and includes the text. To register or for more information, contact Monica at 1-905-52807988 ext. 2238 or mverin@hamiltondiocese.com or www.hamiltondiocese.com.

#### Waterloo and Hamilton

#### **FOUNDATIONS FOR MINISTRY PROGRAM 2015-2016**

This "new and improved" course is designed to offer lay Catholics the opportunity to learn more about the foundations of our Catholic faith: Church history, scripture, morality, sacraments and prayer. This foundation is especially useful to parishioners who serve in a variety of ministries. The course will be offered starting in October. Contact Monica at the Discipleship & Parish Life Office, 1-905-528-7988, x 2238 or check out the Diocese website at www.hamiltondiocese.com for more information and for registration forms.

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