# St. Mary of The Assumption and Missions

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> St. Mary of the Assumption Owen Sound Saturday 5:00 pm

Sunday 9:00 am, 11:00 am

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### PASTORAL TEAM

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St. Mary of the Rosary, Hepworth Sunday 9:00 am (Nov-Mar)



Holy Family, Sauble Beach Sunday 9:00 am (Apr-Oct)



St. Vincent, Meaford Sunday 11:00 am

St. Thomas The Apostle, Tobermory Saturday 11:30 am



St. Mark, Lions Head Saturday 9:30 am

# WEEKDAY MASSES

Owen Sound:	Monday-Friday	9:00 am
	Tuesday, Thursday	$7{:}00~\mathrm{pm}$

### DIVINE MERCY OWEN SOUND

Friday 3:00 pm - 4:00 pm

### **OFFICE HOURS**

Tuesday-Friday 9:00 am-12 noon; 1:00 pm-5:00 pm

### **CONFESSIONS**

30 minutes before all weekday and the Lord's Day Masses.

### **NEW PARISHIONERS**

Welcome to your new parish! You will find registration forms at the back of the Church. Fill one out and drop it in the collection basket.



St. Stanislaus, Chatsworth Sunday 9:00 am



St. Thomas Aquinas, Wiarton Sunday 11:00 am



President Vicki Lee 226-668-1063

### Meetings

1st Wed. of the month Rosary at 6:15 pm Meeting at 7:00 pm



# KNIGHTS OF **C**OLUMBUS

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St. Mary's, Cape Croker Sunday 1:00 pm

# **Third Sunday of Easter**

April 14th, 2024



Apr 15 to Apr 21

Mon 9:00 am Grace for Stephen Kim (Int) Private Mass: Charles Scott King +

Tue 9:00 am Bud Jones + 7:00 pm Alicja Hryciuk +

Wed 9:00 am Leo Rivait +

Lee Manor: Deanie Warmington +

Thu 9:00 am Stephen Rovers + 7:00 pm Nicholas MacArthur (Int)

Fri 9:00 am Mikyle Romanowich (Int)
Private Mass: Kenneth Rankin +

### Saturday - April 20

9:30 am Lion's Head – Sandi Burke + 11:30 am Tobermory – Matthew Borden + 5:00 pm Owen Sound – Eber Willis +

### Sunday - April 21

9:00 am OS – Cliff O'Neill +

11:00 am OS – Bernadette Lewis & Marek
Powichrowski (Int)

9:00 am Chatsworth – William & Alice D'Silva +

11:00 am Meaford – John Keith & Shirley Besley +

9:00 am Sauble Beach – George Suplat +

11:00 am Wiarton – Doris Bechtel +

1:00 pm Cape Croker – Pro Populo

# From the Hamilton Diocese Prayer Calendar This week we pray for:

Mon Rev. Peter Tuyen Nguyen Tue Rev. Edward Pierre Luc, S.J.

Wed St. Kateri Tekakwitha, Protectress of Canada

Thu Most Rev. Wayne Lobsinger

Fri Rev. David Wilhelm Sat Rev. Scott Whitfield

\* Sacrament of Anointing & Communion to the Sick: Available upon request. Please call the office. \*

# From the Saints:

"Now let the heavens be joyful; let earth her song begin;

Let the round world keep triumph, and all that is therein!

Let all things seen and unseen their notes of gladness blend,

For Christ the Lord has risen, our Joy that hath no end!"

St. John of Damacus

# \* In the Parish \*

Holy Spirit Conference - Come together to celebrate Pentecost on the weekend of May 17 and 18 here at Saint Mary's in Owen Sound, as we join remotely a powerful Pentecost Conference hosted by the Diocese of Hamilton and the CCRSO. Friday night and Saturday will be filled with praise, music, fellowship, food, and great talks by Bishop Scott McCaig and Peter Herbeck. Check out the flyer in to-day's bulletin for further details. You can register by calling the parish office at 519-376-0778 or by sending an e-mail to stmaryowensound@hamiltondiocese.com

### Knights of Columbus Awards & Bursaries -

Applications for Awards and Bursaries are being accepted



by the Knights of Columbus, Granotier Council 2092. Students who are members of St. Mary's & the Missions and are currently enrolled in post-secondary school should send their letter of application along with proof of enrolment and

current term marks. The ideal candidate will demonstrate an awareness of the aims and activities of the K of C, as well as show previous involvement in community endeavors sponsored by the K of C prior to graduating from secondary school. Applications close **April 21**. Apply to: Awards/Bursary Committee, c/o Knights of Columbus, 770 6<sup>th</sup> St. E. Owen Sound N4K 3G1 or drop them off at the parish office.

**Cursillo** - What is CURSILLO? Cursillo is an encounter WITH ONESELF, WITH CHRIST, WITH OTHERS that can



last your lifetime. Through friendship, one journeys to the Father through Christ, with the help of Mary and all the saints, bringing your brothers and sisters along with you. Ultreya

meets on the 2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Saturday each month at 9:00 am sharp in St. Mary of the Assumption Parish Centre, Owen Sound. Enjoy a Coffee at 8:45 am. Everyone is welcome. Like Jesus said, "Come and See" John 1: 39. Contact: Mary Ann Kirkconnell. <a href="mailto:rmkirkconnell@gmail.com">rmkirkconnell@gmail.com</a> 519 379 9858 or Pauline Mc Grath <a href="mailto:pauline\_mc\_grath@hotmail.com">pauline\_mc\_grath@hotmail.com</a> 905 702 3963.

Men's 83rd Hamilton Diocese Cursillo Weekend at Kkottdongnae Foundation of Jesus Orton, Ontario, booked for **April 25**<sup>th</sup> **to April 28**<sup>th</sup>, **2024**.

Women's 83rd Hamilton Diocese Cursillo Weekend at St. Ignatius Deemerton Retreat Centre, Mildmay, Ontario. Is booked for **May 30**th to June 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2024.

If you are 18 years or older, we invite you to come and experience a fun spirit filled weekend.

Catholic Women's League - The St. Mary of the



Assumption Catholic Women's League will be selling raffle tickets on a Prayer Basket after all Masses this weekend and next. The draw will take place after the 11 am Mass on April 21st.

Proceeds from the raffle will go towards CWL community projects.

# \* In the Community \*

**Safe 'n Sound -** Safe 'n Sound is a not-for-profit organization in Owen Sound that gives those at risk of homelessness and those who are homeless a place to go



where they may access basic needs, as well as support, advocacy, and referral. Safe n' Sound needs sleeping bags, tents & blankets to help keep their participants warm. If you have any of these items, and

would like to donate them, you can drop them off at Safe 'n Sound at 310 8th Street East or call Janice at 519-370-2038.

**March for Life –** Anyone interested in attending this year's March for Life on **May 8 – 10** in Ottawa?

The current plan is to travel to Ottawa on Wednesday, May 8 and take in the screening of Unthinkable, a pro-life Mass and the Candlelight Vigil. The Rally and March on Parliament Hill is followed by the Rose Dinner Gala on Thursday May 9.

Friday, May 10 we drive home. If this, or something similar interests you, please call Mary Beth at 519-371-5497.

# \* In the Diocese \*

### Third Sunday of Easter - April 14, 2024 -

What could convince someone to turn to God? The story that God became human? The story that Jesus cured the sick? The story that Jesus forgave sin? The story that Jesus rose from the dead? Or the story of the witness of your own life! If you have the continuing inclination that God is calling you to be a priest, religious or deacon, call Fr. Mark Morley, Director of Vocations, Diocese of Hamilton at 905-528-7988, email vocations@hamiltondiocese.com or visit the website: hamiltondiocese.com/vocations/

Healing after Abortion - Day of Prayer and Healing for Women, April 20th - The Sisters of Life are hosting a Day of Prayer and Healing for women seeking healing after abortion. The day is an opportunity to experience the loving mercy of God and the joy of healing in Christ, in a confidential and sacred space. It will include a witness of mercy, a Scripture reflection, personal prayer, opportunity for Sacramental Confession, and the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass. There is no fee for the day, lunch will be provided. CONTACT: The Sisters of Life PHONE: 416-463-2722

EMAIL: toronto@sistersoflife.org

WEB: <a href="https://sistersoflife.org/what-we-do/hope-healing-after-abortion/">https://sistersoflife.org/what-we-do/hope-healing-after-abortion/</a>

# 350th Anniversary Pilgrimage to Quebec -

This year marks the 350th Anniversary of the founding of the Catholic Church in Canada, with the establishment of the Archdiocese of Quebec. To mark this occasion, a Diocesan pilgrimage has been planned to take place from July 13<sup>th</sup> – July 17<sup>th</sup>, 2024.

The pilgrimage will include a visit to the Cathedral Basilica of Notre Dame in Quebec City and the Holy Door, visits to the sites made famous by the saintly founders of the Canadian Church, visits to St. Anne de Beaupre, Notre-Dame-du-Cap in Trois Rivieres, Notre Dame Basilica and St. Joesph's Oratory in Montreal.

The five-day pilgrimage will include guided tours exploring Quebec's religious and cultural heritage and will be led by Monsignor Murray Kroetsch, Vicar General and Chancellor of the Diocese of Hamilton. Registration deadline is **April** 30<sup>th</sup>.

For more information, please contact Matthew Trafford at the Office for Evangelization and Catechesis. Tel. 905-528-7988, x2339. Email: <a href="mailto:catechesis@hamiltondiocese.com">catechesis@hamiltondiocese.com</a>

For the Sick, our fellow parishioners and family members who need our prayers: Dennis Solomon, Colleen Warmington, Marie Beckberger, Rob Zaltron, James Gamble, Cheryl Watters, Lincoln Hogan, Maciej Zielinski, Lydia Foch, Alwyn D'Silva,

Joan West, Colleen Wright, Andrew Gambal, Mike Adams, Bernadette Lewis, Lyn Hannigan, Becki Knisley, Tom McDonnell, Sharon Cantlon, Brad Cahoon, Ben Meissner, Helen Hunter, Felix Poole, Matt Bell, Eunice Blom, Arnold Hodgkinson, and Mike Couture. **We pray to the Lord**.

Donations received the week of Apr 6/7, 2024		
Owen Sound	\$ 4, 666	
Sauble Beach	715	
Meaford	3, 406	
Wiarton	938	
Hepworth	211	
Chatsworth	569	
Tobermory	236	
Lion's Head	<u>488</u>	
<b>\$ 11, 229</b>		
God bless you for your generosity.		

"Thus it is written, that the Christ is to suffer and rise from the dead on the third day, and that repentance and forgiveness of sins is to be proclaimed in his name to all nations, beginning from Jerusalem. You are witnesses of these things."

Luke 24. 46-48

### Prayer to St. Kateri Tekakwitha

Oh, Saint Kateri, Lily of the Mohawks, your love for Jesus, so strong, so steadfast. Grant that we may become like you. Your short and painful life showed us your strength and humility. Grant that we may become forever humble like you. Like the bright and shining stars at night, we pray that your light may forever shine down on us, giving light, hope, peacefulness, and serenity in our darkest moments. Fill our hearts, Saint Kateri Tekakwitha with your same love for Jesus and grant us your strength and courage to become one like you in Heaven. Amen

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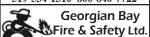
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