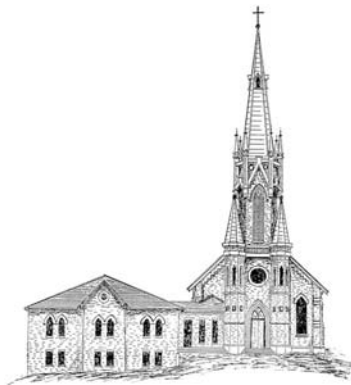


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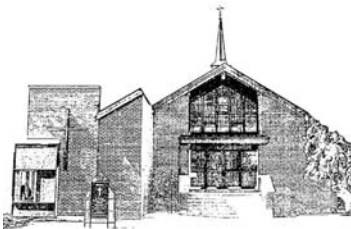
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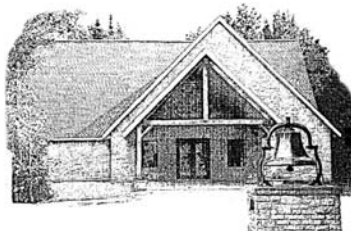
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Sunday 11:00 am



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



St. Mark, Lions Head
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Sunday 9:00 am



St. Thomas Aquinas, Wiarton
Sunday 11:00 am

WEEKDAY MASSES

Owen Sound: Monday-Friday 9:00 am
Tuesday, Thursday 7:00 pm

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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.



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

21st Sunday in Ordinary Time

August 27th, 2023

Mass Intentions  **Aug 28 to Sep 3**
FOR THE WEEK

Mon 9:00 am Darlene Myatt & Family (Int)
Private Mass: James & Ilona Allan +
Private Mass: For all the souls in Purgatory

Tue 9:00 am Jonathan Fleming (Int – Healing)
7:00 pm Andrew Gambal (Int)
Private Mass: Richard & Regina Makuch &
Family (Int)

Wed 9:00 am Leah Kim (Int)
Private Mass: Stanley Kosior (Int)
Private Mass: Blessed Mothers' Intentions

Thu 9:00 am Betty Brunsdan (Int)
7:00 pm Elizabeth Dunning (Int)
Private Mass: L.J. McKenna & Family (Int)

Fri 9:00 am Val Munn (Int)
Private Mass: Dorothy Badregon +
Private Mass: Terry Conroy +

Saturday – September 2

9:30 am Lion's Head – Catherine Grace +
11:30 am Tobermory – For the living & deceased
Members of the Nolan &
DeMarchi Families
5:00 pm Owen Sound – Lane MacDermid (Int)
Private Mass – Marianne MacArthur (Int)

Sunday – September 3

9:00 am OS – Mark Strong +
11:00 am OS – Pro Populo
9:00 am Chatsworth – Alisia Hryciak +
11:00 am Meaford – Elizabeth Dunning (Int)
9:00 am SB – Brad MacArthur +
11:00 am Warton – William Wegman +
1:00 pm Cape Croker – Mass

From the Hamilton Diocese Prayer Calendar

This week we pray for:

Mon Rev. Jeffery Oehring
Tue Rev. Patras Samuel Masih
The Passion of St. John the Baptist
Wed Our Parish Community
Thu Rev. Andrew Quarshie
Fri St. Giles
World Day of Prayer for the Care of Creation
Sat Rev. Charles Jordan

* **Sacrament of Anointing & Communion to the Sick:**
Available upon request

From the Pastors Desk:

Dear Parishioners,



This past Tuesday we celebrated another great feast, The Queenship of Mary. This feast commemorated Mary's coronation, being Crowned Queen of Heaven and Earth.

It is no coincidence this feast falls exactly eight days after the Assumption. What the Assumption begins, the Queenship completes. The Assumption brought Mary, body and soul, into heaven. The Queenship revealed why the reason God brought Mary into heaven in such a spectacular way was in order to make her queen over all.

I like to imagine the angels and saints greeting Mary in heaven on the day of her assumption. Their joy is accompanied by wonder as they wonder why she was given such a special grace. I then imagine their quizzical faces change to joy as they witness Jesus place a crown upon Mary's head. They understand now that Mary's role in salvation does not end with her life on earth, but rather continues for all eternity. She will forever be our Queen. Even after Christ comes again and there is a new heaven and a new earth, after we have been in heaven 10,000 years (God willing), and so many things we thought were important have passed away, even then Mary will still be our Queen.

Fr. David

* In the Parish *

Save the Date - St. Michael's Cemetery Mass - Mass will be celebrated at St. Michael's Cemetery at 10:30 am, Saturday September 23rd, 2023.

This year marks the 175th Anniversary of the arrival of the first settlers in the Irish Block. This community went on to build a church, open the first Catholic cemetery in Grey Bruce and receive their education in a Catholic school – SSS#7. Descendants of this community are among the faithful supporters of St. Mary's and the Missions. Plan to celebrate and give thanks.

Choir Practice - St. Mary's Choir will resume practice on Wednesday Sept 13 at 7pm.



This wonderful ministry and very special community within this larger parish community, is open to all, no

audition required.

We particularly need female voices to boost our melody section, but we will welcome anyone, male and female. The choir practices every Wednesday 7-8:30, and sings/song leads at 11am Mass.

We hope you will consider joining and if you have ever thought that one day you would, perhaps now is day.

For further information, please contact Corry or Don, outoftheloft@gmail.com or after Mass.

FORMED – FORMED is a Catholic streaming service, bringing beautiful and faithful Catholic content to parishes, families, and individuals around the world. Our Parish has subscribed to FORMED for one year. If you would like a free one year subscription you can: Go to signup.formed.org, type "Owen Sound" and click on St Mary's and the Missions and click "Next", then type your name and your *personal email address* and click "Sign Up."

You can also download the free [FORMED](#) app.

Altar Servers Needed – Are there any children ages 8 and up who are interested in becoming altar servers? If so, please contact Corry LaPointe at outoftheloft@gmail.com

St. Mary's Catholic Charities – Our emergency food bank is in need of: pasta sauce, canned fruit, peanut butter and canned soup. If you are able to help by donating any of these items it would be greatly appreciated. Please place them in the green tote in the foyer of the Church. Thank you.

St. Mary's & the Missions Travel Mug Sale –



Throughout the summer our parish travel mugs will be \$10 each. If you know of anyone who would like to have a memento of our parish, make sure you tell them about these practical travel mugs. All proceeds go to the Rectory building fund. They can be purchased at the parish office and at all

Churches.

** In the Diocese **

Twenty - first Sunday in Ordinary Time - "For who has known the mind of the Lord?" Sometimes our mind is not necessarily the mind of the Lord. If God is calling you to serve as a priest, deacon, sister or brother, or consecrated virgin, contact Fr. Mark Morley, Director of Vocations, Diocese of Hamilton at 905-528-7988, email vocations@hamiltondiocese.com or visit the website: hamiltondiocese.com/vocations/

Diocesan Marian Days – The Diocesan Marian Days are scheduled on the first Saturday of the month from July to October 7, 2023, at the Basilica of Our Lady Immaculate in Guelph. The day starts with Confessions at 9:00 a.m. followed by Holy Mass at 10:00 and a Rosary Procession at 11:00 a.m. Guided Tours of the Basilica are available during lunch from 12:00 to 1:00 p.m. Holy Hour and Marian Catechesis start at 1:00 p.m. followed by the closing Benediction at 2:00 p.m. All are invited to join! Please bring a lunch. Contact the Basilica for more information: (519) 824-3951.

Marriage tip of the month - When we say "I do" during our marriage vows we are really saying "I will". I will love this person even in moments when they may feel unlovable. I will not look for a 50/50 split in what we do, but will be a partner who will give more, and sometimes have to take more, depending on the circumstances of our lives. I will look to find a solution instead of winning. I will spend time with you so we stay connected and in love. I will remember the commitment I made to be faithful and seek to make you a better person and accept your attempts to do the same for me. Marriage, taken as an action word, continues to grow and thrive despite the challenges life may throw at you and it produces a love that strengthens as the years pass. From: Family Ministry Office, 905-528-7988 ext. 2250.

For the Sick, our fellow parishioners and family



members who are in need of our prayers:

Joan West, Greg Taylor, Sue Paquette, Colleen Wright, Andrew Gambal, Mike Adams, Bernadette Lewis, Lyn Hannigan, Becki Knisley, Marlene Ryerson, Tom McDonnell, Sharon Cantlon, Brad Cahoon, Ben Meissner, Helen Hunter, Yvette Fournier, Felix Poole, Matt Bell, Maynard Dietrich, Eunice Blom, Arnold Hodgkinson, Landon Archer, and Mike Couture. **We pray to the Lord.**

Donations received from the weekend of August 19th & 20th were unavailable at the time of printing.

God bless you for your generosity.

He said to them, "But who do you say that I am?" Simon Peter answered, "You are the Christ, the Son of the living God."

Matthew 16. 15-16

A good person is soft and flexible to each good thing and separates evil from himself or herself.

St. Hildegard of Bingen

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