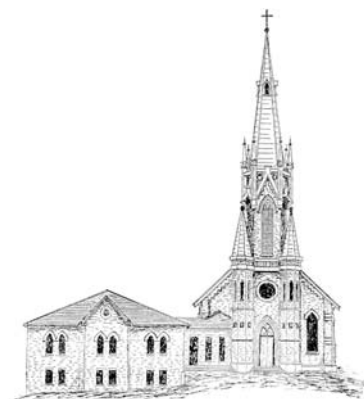


St. Mary of The Assumption and Missions

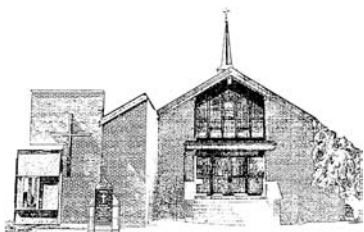
554 15th Street East
Owen Sound, ON N4K 1X3
Tel: 519-376-0778

~ 1854 ~

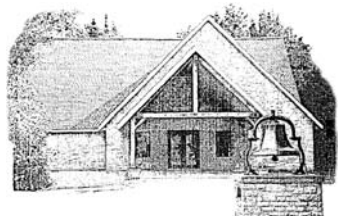
Email: smm@bmts.com
www.stmarysandthemissions.ca



**St. Mary of the Assumption
Owen Sound**
Saturday 5:00 pm
Sunday 9:00 am, 11:00 am



St. Vincent, Meaford
Sunday 11:00 am



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



St. Mark, Lions Head
Saturday 9:30 am

PASTORAL TEAM

PRIESTS

Pastor

Fr. Wojciech Kuzma wkuzma@hamiltondiocese.com

Associate Pastor

Fr. James McSharry jmcsharry@hamiltondiocese.com

PERMANENT DEACON

Deacon Philip Dwyer ptdwyer@gbtel.ca

SEMINARIAN INTERN

Matt Gunnarson mgunnarson@hotmail.ca

ADMINISTRATION

Secretary: Margery Frisch smm@bmts.com

Bookkeeper: Amy Harrison churchfinance@hotmail.com

Cemeteries Manager
Angela Corrigan cemeteriesofstmarys@gmail.com

Groundskeeper: Bill van Trigt

MUSIC AND LITURGICAL MINISTRIES

Corry LaPointe and Don Buchanan outoftheloft@gmail.com



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



Holy Family, Sauble Beach
Saturday 5:00 pm (July-Aug)
Sunday 9:00 am (Apr-Oct)



St. Stanislaus, Chatsworth
Sunday 9:00 am



St. Thomas Aquinas, Warton
Sunday 11:00 am

WEEKDAY MASSES

Owen Sound: Monday-Friday 9:00 am
Tuesday, Thursday 7:00 pm
Sauble Beach: 1st, 3rd, 5th Wed. of the month 7:00 pm
(Apr-Oct)
Hepworth: 1st, 3rd, 5th Wed. of the month 7:00 pm
(Nov-Mar)
Meaford: 2nd, 4th Wed. of the month 7:00 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 in the pews. Fill one out and drop it in the collection basket.



**CATHOLIC
WOMEN'S LEAGUE
OF CANADA**

President Phyllis Ross
519-376-4496

Past President Angela Rankin
519-376-8143

Meetings
1st Wed. of the month



**KNIGHTS OF
COLUMBUS**

770 6th St. East – 519-372-0537

Meetings:
Every 2nd Monday – 7:30 pm;
Mass: 7:00 pm

GRAND KNIGHT
John Rossiter – 519-372-0724

INSURANCE AGENT
Carlos Diaz – 519-500-0947

CATHOLIC SCHOOLS

École St-Dominique-Savio
519-371-0627

St. Basil's School
519-376-9370

Notre Dame Catholic School
519-371-0161

St. Mary's High School
519-376-4278



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

2nd Sunday in Ordinary Time

January 20, 2019



January 21 - 27

- Mon** 9:00 am – Wilf Myatt +
Tue 9:00 am – Fr. Wojtek Kuzma (Int)
7:00 pm – Ken Grimoldby +
Wed 9:00 am – Ida & Christian Gruber +
7:00 pm Meaford – Jenny Otis (Int)
Thu 9:00 am – Fr. James McSharry (Int)
7:00 pm – Anne Campbell (Int)
Fri 9:00 am – Phil White +
10:30 am - Central Place – Marion Veroni +
Saturday – January 26
9:30 am Lion’s Head – Special Intention
11:30 am Tobermory – Mass
5:00 pm Owen Sound – Jane Rose Muiise +
3rd Sunday in Ordinary Time – January 27
9:00 am Chatsworth– Mass
9:00 am Hepworth – Pro Populo
9:00 am Owen Sound – Slawa Radlinski +
11:00 am Owen Sound – Madeline Woods +
11:00 am Wiarton – Earl & Marian Hoffman +
11:00 am Meaford – Bohdan Artymko (Int)
1:00 pm Cape Croker – Mass

From the Hamilton Diocese Prayer Calendar

This week we pray for:

- Mon Fr. Felix Nwatu
Tue Fr. Czeslaw Kolasa
Wed Discalced Carmelite Fathers
Thu Fr. Ranjan D’Sa
Fri Fr. Louis Lenssen
Sat Fr. Alessandro Tirelli

* Sacrament of Anointing & Communion to the Sick:

Available upon request

* Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament:

Every Friday from 9:30 am to 4:00 pm

What's Happening January 21 - 27

- Tuesday – Senior Cards 1:00 pm
Wednesday – Prayers & Squares 9:30 am
Friday – Divine Mercy Devotion 3:00 pm
Saturday – Ultreya 9:15 am

From the Pastor's Desk:

Earlier this week I saw a post on facebook informing everyone of the good news: “Spring is only 60 days away”. Now that we are deep into the winter months the desire for warmer weather continues to grow. I must admit that winter grows old for me very quickly, and the prospect of warmer weather coming in a couple of months is very attractive. The months of January and February are long and cold, it seems like the world is asleep, and it can lead us to feel like we just want to sleep. An analogy can be made here to our life of faith. We go through these slow and sleepy seasons in our spiritual life that can become a bit discouraging. Traditionally we call those slow times desolation, a slow period in our life of faith. These can be manifested with lack of enthusiasm for prayer, loss of appetite for spirituality and

for God, and irritation in our relationships. Hopefully there are some things we can do to combat spiritual winters. First, we should remember that “spring is only 60 days away”, or, in other words, that desolation is always followed by consolation, and that this period of dryness in our life of faith will pass. Just as night is always followed by day, winter is always followed by spring, so too desolation is always followed by consolation. We have no choice but to go through these periods in our life, because they too are necessary for our spiritual growth. While we are in the midst of the wintery spiritual slowness we are encouraged to push ourselves and stay active: continue to pray even if it is difficult, continue to reach out to people even when we don't feel the need to do so, etc. Another help during the winter of the spirit is to remember what we did last summer and plan what we will do next summer. I love watching some videos from my motorcycle trips during the dead of winter, it always lifts me up and helps me get excited and begin to prepare for the spring. Similarly in our spiritual life, while in desolation it is good to remember moments of consolation, sharing stories when we felt great closeness with God, reading inspiring literature about the saints, etc. For most of us this is not our last winter, and this is not our last desolation. God is working in our souls even when we don't feel Him, so we must keep the hope alive because “spring is only 60 days away”.

Fr. Wojtek Kuzma

A Seminarian's Thoughts:

If you've been shocked by the story of Marcial Maciel and his congregation, the Legion of Christ, imagine my reaction. Here I was, just shy of my eighteenth birthday, having just left Legion, and Fr. Slattery, the Irish priest, is telling me all this on our front porch. It's difficult to process when something you believed in so strongly turns out to be a façade. The Legion had been my family for four years. I truly felt that I had lost a father figure in Maciel. He had betrayed us and lied to us. That doesn't change the fact that my time with the Legion was very positive. To this day I count those four years as some of the best in my life, both spiritually and intellectually. But I was sure glad I was out, having heard the full truth of the matter from a priest I trusted. By God's providence and Fr. Slattery's courage and my parents' cooperation, I was out. “The truth will set us free,” I remember saying to him that evening, still in shock.

The irony was that this holy priest's example is the reason I had wanted to join the Legion in the first place. Fr. Slattery himself would end up departing the congregation later that summer. He had attempted to get out as many young men as possible before they got sucked into the system. But he knew it was only a matter of time before his superiors would catch up to what he was doing and banish him to some backwater country or even expel him.

So, I was out. I was free. But I was about to turn eighteen, and I had no job, no money, no driver's licence. What was I supposed to do now?

Matt

In the Parish

St. Mary's & the Missions Prayer Ministry – the Prayer Ministry of our parish will begin the New Year with a

new schedule, meeting on the 1st, 3rd and 5th (if applicable) Thursday of each month, at 5:00 pm in the Lorraine Paterson room with a pot-luck meal, followed by prayer, study, praise and worship.

CWL Membership now due - \$25. You can put an envelope in the collection basket with your name, address, phone number and you payment. It's that easy!



Alpha Begins Tuesday, January 29th - Reserve your spot now for this series of interactive sessions exploring the basics of the Christian faith. Each session looks at a different question and is designed to create conversation. There's no pressure, no follow-up and no charge; it's just an open, informal and honest space to explore and discuss life's big questions together. 10 week course, beginning January 29th 6:00 - 8:30 pm, in St. Mary's Parish Hall - dinner provided. Please reserve ahead: call 519-376-0778 or email smm@bmts.com for further information call Allan Gordanier at 519-378-8307



*** In the Community ***

Week of Christian Unity – January 18 to 25. 2019 **Warton Interchurch Group** We as God's people have gathered this year to pray, to praise, to proclaim and to participate in the life of this community. We have gathered from many traditions: Anglican, Baptist, Community of Christ, Lutheran, Partners in Harvest, Presbyterian, Roman Catholic, Salvationist, United. We have gathered from our houses of worship, coming together throughout the year during Lent, Advent, Good Friday. We have gathered monthly to discuss and dream as an inter-church group about what God is calling us to do and be: to feed the hungry, shelter the homeless and comfort the afflicted. We are the Warton Interchurch Group, working, praying and proclaiming together.

Coldest Night of the Year – Walk with us! The Coldest Night of the Year is a family-friendly walk that raises money for charities serving hungry, homeless and hurting people in our community. **Save the date - February 23rd**. in Owen Sound, the event is hosted by Safe 'N Sound Residence. Go to www.cnoy.org, where it says *Time*, click on *location* and find Owen Sound, for more information, to volunteer, or to form a team of walkers – you'll find all the info there. Or call 519-470-7233, they'll be happy to answer all questions.

Mission Thrift Store - in 2018 \$360,000 was donated from our location to the Bible League Canada! Many local people have found help in our aisles. Organizations in our town are equipped practically to do what they do well because of our support. Please pray with us for 2019; we are asking God to provide volunteers, specifically in the Receiving, Shoe and Toy Departments. Our volunteer opportunities are time flexible. There are many practical business positions we'd happily train



interested people for. Please call (519)416-7780 and speak to Mary Anderson, or Karen Earls.

*** In the Diocese ***

Catechetical Correspondence Courses Programs available for children from Kindergarten through to High School not currently receiving religious instruction. Preparation for First Communion and Confirmation for children not in Catholic Schools also available. Families work through the programs at home. Contact Monica in the Catechesis Office at 905-528-7988, ext. 2238 or check out our website at www.hamiltondiocese.com and click on the Catechesis Office for more information, printable registration forms or to register online.

Diocesan Wedding Anniversary Mass - Are you celebrating your **25th, 40th, 50th, 60th, or 60+ Wedding Anniversary in the year 2019?** If you are, you are invited to join couples from across the Diocese for a Wedding Anniversary Mass on **Sunday, June 9, 2019** at the Cathedral Basilica of Christ the King at 1:30 pm. Refer to the poster in the church, or go to www.hamiltondiocese.com to register.



There is Hope after an Abortion - Are you struggling with an abortion decision – either your own, or someone else's? Do you feel alone, emotional, or angry? Project Rachel is a ministry of healing for any person suffering pain or problems from an abortion experience. This confidential service allows people to work through their feelings and find hope and healing. Please contact us at 905-526-1999 or toll free at 1-888-385-3850.

For the Sick, our fellow parishioners and family members who are in need of our prayers: for Rosaleen Engel, Marilyn Schinbein, Becki Knisley, Joanne LaFlamme Talbot, Terry Gurica, Marlene Lukie, June Peet, Mike Adams, Sharon Cantlon, Tom McDonnell, Maureen McTeague, Vern Finlayson, Fred Fries, Josh Cahoon, and Sean McTeague, - **We pray to the Lord.** *We are rebuilding our prayer list. If you or a loved one are in need of prayer, please call the office. Each year, at this time, we will begin our list anew.*



Donations for Jan 12-13, 2019.	
Owen Sound	\$ 4,775
Meaford	1,002
Warton	603
Chatsworth	586
Hepworth	418
Lion's Head	316
Sauble Beach	212
Tobermory	109
	\$ 8,021
Weekly cost to run St. Mary's & the Missions \$11,130	
Ask us about PAR – Pre-Authorized Remittance, an easy, convenient way to donate to your church.	

NAPA
AUTOPRO
McGregor Automotive
 Family owned for over 35 years
We Promise to take care of your vehicle
 760 10th St. W. 519-371-2232

Sutton Sound Realty Inc., Brokerage
 Locally Owned and Independently Operated
Bill McFarlane Broker of Record
 519-377-7627
 bill@billandernie.com www.billmcfarlane.ca
Ernie Coates Broker
 519-375-1901
 ernie@ernieandbill.com www.ErnieandBill.com

PHARMASAVE
 Sally Mina
 Pharmacist / Owner B.Sc. Phm R.Ph
 Certified Diabetes Educator
PHARMASAVE SALLY'S PHARMACY
 1565 16th St. E.
 226-664-2144
 sallyspharmasave@gmail.com

Curley's Carpentry
 Homes • Additions • Siding
 Cottages • Renovations
 Concrete • Cabinets
 Quality Building
Mike Curley 519-371-9467
BENEDICT ELECTRICAL
 Contracting Limited
 Commercial • Industrial • Residential
 ECRA/ESA Lic #7001508
519-371-5611
 www.BenedictElectrical.ca

Downs & Son Funeral Home
 145 Queen St. W., Wepworth
 519-935-2754
 downsandsonfuneralhome.com
George Funeral Home
 430 Mary St., Warton
 519-534-0240
 georgefuneralhome.com

Brian E. Wood Funeral Home Ltd.
Brian Wood, Funeral Director
 250 14th St. W. Owen Sound 519-376-7492
 www.WoodFuneralHome.ca

The Pet Feed Mill
 Owen Sound's Oldest
 Discount Pet Food Centre
 1299 16th St. E. 519-371-1661

Central Place Retirement Community
 855 3rd Ave. E.
 519-371-1968
 info@cpretirement.ca
 www.cpretirement.ca

DFS Desmarais Financial SERVICES INC.
Rachel Desmarais
 CFP, EPC, CHS, CLU, CCS
 Financial Planner
519-416-1600
 345 8th St. E. Suite 208
 desmaraisfinancial.ca

Bruce-Grey Catholic District School Board
Let Your Light Shine
 Visit our website for more information www.bgcdsb.org
 BruceGreyCatholicDSB @BGCDSB

SULLIVAN'S BUTCHER SHOP
"For Meat You Can't Beat"
 641 Berford St., Warton
 519-534-3074
 arn0805@aol.com

Forcier Deakin GREY BRUCE LAW
Michael A.G. Forcier B.A., LL.B.
Greg A. Deakin B.A., LL.B.
 712 2nd Ave. E. Owen Sound 519-372-0722
 GreyBruceLaw.ca

SANDERSON MONUMENT
 Est. 1872
"Professional Monument Specialists"
Stephen Peyton
 981 2nd Ave. E.
519-372-3317
 www.SandersonMonument.ca

Top Notch Restaurant & Motel
 Warton
 Good Homemade Food
 Sunday Brunch
 Special Events Welcome
 (up to 100 People)
 519-534-1310 800-840-7722

AERUS
 ELECTROLUX sales and service since 1924
 Repairs to most vacuum makes
 966 2nd Ave. E.
519-376-2424
 www.aerusonline.com

What We Have, We Will Share
OSHARE
 Owen Sound Hunger & Relief Effort
 890 4th Ave. E. 519-376-3899

FORKLIFT SPECIALISTS
 O'DONNELL ENTERPRISES
 519-599-5238
 Flesherton, ON
 www.odonnell-lift.ca

CENTURY 21
 In-Studio Realty Inc.
 927 2nd Ave E, Owen Sound
 Locally owned and independently Operated

JESSICA MCILWRICK Sales Representative 519.859.8511
 MARK BARBOSA Sales Representative 519.808.8774
 CINDY SHANKS Sales Representative 519.270.5141
 MIKE SEILER Owner / Broker of Record 519.375.6585

Designs By Brenda Florist
 Warton 519-534-9817
 Pike Bay 519-793-3817

Owen Sound Volkswagen
 RR#5 Sunset Strip
 519-372-2020
 519-372-0083
 www.owensoundvw.ca

Steve Davis Roofing Ltd.
519-376-2086
 www.SteveDavisRoofing.ca

Thomas C. Whitcroft Funeral Home and Chapel
"Our family helping your family"
 Sauble Beach 519-422-0041 toll free 1-866-694-0041 Warton Chapel 519-534-5341
 www.whitcroftfuneralhome.com

1095 1st Ave W Lucien Berthier
 Owen Sound Brewmaster
Twin County Brew
 Brew Beer & Wine On Site
 Mon-Fri 11-6 519-371-BEER
 Sat 9-3 (2337)

Good HEALTH MART
Be Healthy! Be Strong!
 955 10th St. W., Owen Sound 519-371-3002

Steven T. Feige, DD
 Denture Specialist
 550 10th St. Hanover 519-364-3223
 1383 16th St. E. Owen Sound 519-370-0111
 contact@feigedenture.ca

Rafael Gavrilov Sydenham Denture Clinic
 1000 2nd Ave. E. 519-371-1117 • www.SydenhamDentureClinic.com

BASIC AND ADVANCED FOOT CARE \$30.00
 Fungal, corns, callous, ingrown toenails & nails trimmed.
 Joan Deacon 519-377-7792.
 Clinic open Louisa Street, Warton.
 Certified Footcare Nurse RPN

foto art EST. 1978
 CAMERA & FRAME SHOP
1 Hour Processing
 842 2nd Ave. E. 519-376-4592
 www.fotoart.ca

FOODLAND
 Fresh food. Friendly neighbours.
Bill and Elizabeth Graham
 Owners and friendly neighbours
 We Deliver • 519-376-8871

GREY BRUCE TREE SURGEONS
 Problem Tree Removal,
 Stump Removal, Trimming
Les Fry 1-800-851-8426
 Cell 519-372-7178

BYRONS SOUND speech & hearing
 Brian Morassutti Audiologist
 Greystone Office Centre
 345 8th St. E. Ste. 101 Owen Sound
519.376.4174
 soundspeechnhearing.com

THE FABRIC Centre
 Sewing Machine Sales & Service
 Yarn - Quilt Supplies - Blinds
 112 9th Street East
519-376-6243

Odd Jobs Bob
 Carpentry & Home Repairs
519-373-7077

Quality and Service
COLL DRYWALL
 Boarding • Taping • Renovations
 Plaster Repairs • Decorative Ceilings
 Sean 519-986-1529

Compliments of **GOODYEAR**
McARTHUR TIRE
 Complete Mechanical Service
 1066 3rd Ave. E.
519-376-3520

Miller Waste Systems
 2085 20th Ave. E. Owen Sound
519-372-1855

Wakeford & Company
 Chartered Accountants & Management Consultants
Bert Wakeford B.Comm., CPA, CA
519-376-9292

CLANCY BUILDERS LIMITED
 Custom Builders
519-376-0637
 tclancy@clancybuilders.ca
 www.ClancyBuilders.ca