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WEEKDAY MASSES

Sauble Beach: 1st, 3rd, 5th 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.

Tuesday, Thursday 7:00 pm

1st, 3rd, 5th Wed. of the month 7:00 pm

2nd, 4th Wed. of the month 7:00 pm



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



St. Thomas Aquinas, Wiarton Sunday 11:00 am



Sunday 9:00 am





Owen Sound Saturday 5:00 pm

Sunday 9:00 am, 11:00 am



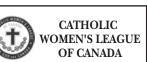
St. Vincent, Meaford Sunday 11:00 am



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



St. Mark, Lions Head Saturday 9:30 am



President Maggie Lutz 519-376-9557

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Meetings 1st Wed. of the month



770 6th St. East - 519-372-0537 Meetings:

Every 2nd Monday – 7:30 pm; Mass: 7:00 pm GRAND KNIGHT Dave Whelan - 519-377-5169 email: daveandsuewhelan@yahoo.ca

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

Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord

March 28, 2021



March 29 - April 4

Mon 9:00 am – The Corkery Family (Int) Private Masses: Private Intention

Laurie & Dianne McKenna (Int)

Tue 9:00 am - Frank Beirnes +

Private Mass: Souls in Purgatory **7:00 pm** – Fr. Emmanuel Ogboli (Int)

Wed 9:00 am – Margaret McGrath +
Private Masses: Fred Fries +

June Peet +

Holy Thusday - Mass of the Lord's Supper

7:00 pm – Christine & Roland (Int)

& Fr. Pawel (Int)

Good Friday - Liturgy of the Lord's Passion

3:00 pm – Owen Sound Meaford

Wiarton

7:00 pm – Stations of the Cross + Confession, OS

Holy Saturday - April 3

11:00 am – Blessing of the Easter Food, OS7:00 pm - Easter Vigil Mass – Richard Stadler + Owen Sound

Easter Sunday - Resurrection of the Lord

9:00 am Lion's Head – Matthew Walsh (Int)

Sauble Beach – Anne Dalla Vicenza + Chatsworth – Helena & Francis Toth +

Owen Sound - Wladvslawa Chmielewska +

11:00 am Owen Sound - Pro Populo

Wiarton - Julius & Catharina van Aalst +

Meaford - Doreen Schell Doyle +

Cape Croker - Clarence Solomon & Family

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

Mon Fr. Ranjan D'Sa

Tue Fr. Maria Joseph Ahilan Alphonse Wed Sisters of St. Joseph of Canada

Holy Thursday Good Friday Holy Saturday

* Sacrament of Anointing & Communion to the Sick:

Available upon request

From the Pastor's Desk:

We are entering into the silence and stillness of Holy Week. There is something very special for us to consider here above and beyond the darkness and sadness of the events which we commemorate. In the midst of the betrayal, suffering, and death of Jesus our Lord, we recognize

sacredness and holiness that surround these events. How can such darkness of humanity's treatment of God be identified with holiness? Why do we call this week "holy"? The obvious answer points to the effects of Christ's suffering as expiation for our sins and a pathway to salvation. That should certainly always be in the forefront of how we view Holy Week. But there is also an opportunity to reflect on the suffering itself which Jesus endured. I would like to propose that holiness associated with this week does not come about as Christ's suffering concludes on Easter Sunday, but rather, it is part and parcel of each event we honour this week. Christ's experience of betrayal, suffering, and death was shrouded in holiness because of his perfect union with the Father and His obedience to the Father's will. Every moment of Christ's life, every joy and sorrow, even the experiences of darkness and pain were part of the mystery of holiness. I invite you to reflect on the holiness of this week in relation to our own lives. How can our entire life become holy? We should not have to wait for all the troubles of the world to end before we can experience holiness. Just as Jesus' experience of the events of Holy Week were already sacred and united to God, so too should our life be. Every moment, every experience, every trial and misfortune that make up our journey to the Father should already be experienced as holy. May the celebrations of this Holy Week help us to experience God's holy presence in each sacred moment of our lives.

Fr. Wojtek Kuzma

*In the Parish *

Stations of the Cross – Fridays throughout Lent at 7:00 pm. Come and pray with us.

What is 40 Cans for Lent? It is a program designed to



help fight hunger. An opportunity to take a small sacrifice and turn it into a big difference in the lives of others. The Program Is

Simple. Donate one can or package of food or \$1 per day during the 40 days of Lent. Drop off your cans at St Mary's Church Owen Sound. Cheques should be made out to: Owen Sound K of C Council 2092 Charitable Trust They may be dropped in the collection baskets at St Mary's Church, left in the church office or mailed to Knights of Columbus at 770 6th St East, Owen Sound, N4K 1G7. A tax receipt will be issued for all cash/cheque donations. Food products will be distributed by St Mary's & Missions Catholic Charities. All money raised will be distributed by the Knights of Columbus Council 2092, to OSHaRE, Safe 'N Sound and Local Food Banks in Meaford, Wiarton and Chatsworth (please indicate your preference on you cash or cheque donation).

Come Early – Because our churches are still limited to 1/3 capacity, we suggest that our parishioners plan to arrive at our Triduum and Easter Masses early. It's possible, especially at our mission churches, that people outside of our area may arrive to celebrate with us. We don't want to turn our own parishioners away, but it will be first come, first seated.

Please Note Revised Easter Sunday Schedule:



Holy Week:

Holy Thursday - April 1st

Commemorating the institution of the sacrament of the Priesthood and the Eucharist

7:00 pm Mass of the Lord's Supper - Owen Sound

Good Friday - April 2nd

Liturgy of the Lord's Passion 3:00 pm Owen Sound Wiarton Meaford



7:00 pm Stations of the Cross + Confessions Owen Sound

Holy Saturday - April 3rd

11:00 am -Blessing of Easter Food (OS Parish Hall)

7:00 pm - Easter Vigil Mass - Owen Sound

Easter Sunday

- Resurrection of the Lord - Masses April 4th

9:00 am - Lion's Head Sauble Beach Chatsworth Owen Sound 11:00 am - Owen Sound Wiarton Meaford

Cape Croker



* In the Diocese *

Passion (Palm) Sunday - Blessed are those who come in the Name of the Lord! Blessed are they who live their lives in the Name of the Lord! If you think God is giving you the blessing of a call to be a priest, religious or deacon for His Church, contact Fr. Michael King, Director of Vocations, Diocese of Hamilton, call 905-528-7988 ext. 2246, or email: vocations@hamiltondiocese.com,

Diving Deeper into Fratelli Tutti - Fratelli Tutti is an Encyclical letter written by Pope Francis to "all people of good will." Let's dive a little deeper into its meaning and content over a five session series during Lent. Join us on Zoom for one or all of these 90-minute sessions: Mondays, March 1, 8, 15, 22 and 29 (afternoon session 1:30 - 3:00 pm or evening session 7:00 - 8:30 pm) Registration is required. Please contact the Family Ministry Office if you

are interested in registering: 905-528-7988. No charge to participate.

Anniversary Mass 2021 Registration - The Anniversary Mass scheduled for June of 2021 has been cancelled due to COVID-19 restrictions. We invite you to register your 25, 40, 50, 60 and 60 plus years of marriage on the Diocesan website at www.hamiltondiocese.com, simply click on the Anniversary Mass icon on the home page. We will send you the certificate you would have received from Bishop Crosby at the Mass. If you have questions contact familyminstry@hamitondiocese.com.

Share Love.



Share Lent: Keeping Canadians Committed – Did you know that advocacy by **Development and Peace** members resulted in several schools, parishes and municipal offices across Canada giving up bottled water?

Join our *Share Love, Share Lent* campaign to celebrate the many ways in which Canadian Catholics show that they care for social, economic and

environmental justice. To help make a difference, **get your** MP to commit to building back better from the pandemic. Learn more at devp.org/lent.

For the Sick, our fellow parishioners and family members who are in need of our prayers: for – Yvette Fournier, Ann Loisel, Marilyn Schinbein, Glenn Juniper, Mike Adams, Pat McIntyre, Paul Baggett, Lynn Gilmour, Brenda Richter, Maynard

Dietrich and Bradley Bishop, **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 September, we will begin our list anew.

Donations received in the week of March 21, 2021 Owen Sound \$ 4,060 Sauble Beach 651 Meaford 580 Wiarton 513 Chatsworth 515 Hepworth 203 Tobermory 91 Lion's Head 288 \$ 6.901 God bless you for your generosity.



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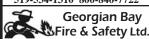
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