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Sunday 9:00 am, 11:00 am

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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. Vincent, Meaford

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

WEEKDAY MASSES Owen Sound: Monday-Friday 9:00 am

Tuesday, Thursday 7:00 pm

Sauble Beach: 1st, 3rd, 5th Wed of the Month 12:30 pm

(May - Oct)

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.



St. Stanislaus, Chatsworth Sunday 9:00 am



St. Thomas Aquinas, Wiarton Sunday 11:00 am



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Meetings 1st Wed. of the month



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

Ascension of the Lord

May 29, 2022



May 30 to June 5

Mon 9:00 am Jeremy Fleming +

Private Mass: Special intention to the souls in purgatory

Tue 9:00 am Scott Misener +

7:00 pm Deanna McKenna (Int)

Wed 9:00 am Mike Maine +

12:30 pm in SB: Alice Lamers +

Thu 9:00 am R.A. McBride (Int) 7:00 pm In Thanksgiving

Fri 9:00 am Mary Ann Schill (Int – 80th Birthday) Private Mass: In Gratitude

Saturday - June 4

9:30 am Lion's Head - Susan & Family (Int)

11:30 am Tobermory - Darrin +

5:00 pm Owen Sound - Edith Hodgson +

Sunday - June 5

9:00 am OS - Mark Strong +

11:00 am OS – Nick & Norma Amirault (Int – 60th Anniversary

9:00 am Chatsworth – Robert Taggart (Int)

11:00 am Meaford – Angelo Nitsis (Int)

9:00 am SB - June Peet +

11:00 am Wiarton - Pro Populo

1:00 am Cape Croker - Blessed Mothers' Intentions

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

Mon Rev. Tim Theriault

Tue Rev. Msgr. Martin Vallely
Wed Barnabite Fathers (C.R.S.P.)
Thu Rev. Paul Patrick, O.M.I

Fri Rev. Robert Sims

Sat Rev. Godwin Pinto, O.C.D.

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

From the Pastors Desk:

Our Catholic Gifts of the Holy Spirit Part 1 The Season of Easter ends with the Solemnity of



Pentecost, honouring the third person of the Holy Trinity. In honour of the Holy Spirit I now share a reflection on the gifts of the Holy Spirit. The Seven gifts of the Holy Spirit are gifts which the Holy Spirit gives to people to further their sanctification and help complete and

perfect the virtues of those who receive them.

Here are the names of the seven gifts, as given in the Catechism of the Catholic Church, along with a description of each gift, as defined by St. Thomas Aguinas in the Summa Theologica:

- Wisdom- The gift of wisdom perfects a person's speculative reason in matters of judgment about the truth.
- Knowledge- The gift of knowledge perfects a person's practical reason in matters of judgment about the truth.
- Counsel The gift of counsel perfects a person's practical reason in the apprehension of truth and allows the person to respond prudently, moved through the research of reason.
- Fortitude -The gift of Courage allows people the firmness of mind [that] is required both in doing good and in enduring evil, especially with regard to goods or evils that are difficult.
- Understanding Also called "Common Sense."
 The gift of understanding perfects a person's speculative reason in the apprehension of truth. It is the gift whereby self-evident principles are known.
- Piety Piety is the gift whereby, at the Holy Spirit's instigation, we pay worship and duty to God as our Father.
- Fear of the Lord -This gift is described by Aquinas as a fear of separating oneself from God. He describes the gift as a "filial fear," like a child's fear of offending his father, rather than a "servile fear," that is, a fear of punishment. Also known as knowing God is all powerful.

Aquinas says the first four of these gifts (wisdom, understanding, knowledge, and counsel) direct the intellect, while the other three gifts (fortitude, piety, and fear of the Lord) direct the will toward God. In some respects, the gifts are similar to the virtues but a key distinction is that the virtues operate under the impetus of human reason (prompted by grace), whereas the gifts operate under the impetus of the Holy Spirit; the former can be used when one wishes, but the latter operate only when the Holy Spirit wishes. The former are like the oars of a boat; the latter, the sails.

Fr. Wojtek Kuzma

* In the Parish *

Mass Intentions Update - We have been receiving many questions recently regarding when Mass Intentions requests will be available for our Churches once again. Our Priests' are offering as many as they are able and at this time we still have over 300 Mass intentions requests to be said. We are told by the Diocese that a Mass intentions must be celebrated within a year of the request being made. As stated previously, if you wish to request a Mass intention at this time, they will all be forwarded to the Diocese to be celebrated somewhere in our Diocese. Your loved one is still receiving the benefit of the prayers offered. Thank you for your patience as we work through our Mass intentions requests.

Rosary Vigils continue Wednesdays at 6:30 pm at St. Thomas Aquinas in Wiarton and 7:00 pm at St. Mary's in Owen Sound. Please come and join us in praying the Rosary for the peoples of Ukraine and Russia.

The greatest method of praying is to pray the Rosary ' - Saint Francis de Sales

Love 101: A woman's perspective on family and faith written by Margery Frisch continues to be available



for pre-order until the end of May. Margery has complied her bulletin pieces from her time with us into a book as a fundraiser for the rectory building project. If you are interested in purchasing it, the book is \$25 and you can e-transfer Margery at macfrisch@gmail.com or order through the Parish office. We have a "proof" copy of Margery's book at the office, if anyone

would like to have a sneak peek!

Knights of Columbus - After all of todays' masses, the Knights of Columbus will have Membership Information



Packages available for you to take home and read. These packages will answer all your questions and if they don't, all the contact information is there so you can find the answers

you seek. All it takes to be a Knight is to be male, over 18, and a practical Catholic!

* In the Community*

Grey Bruce Pregnancy Centre's annual virtual Baby



Bottle Campaign runs from Mother's Day to Father's Day. The Grey Bruce Pregnancy Centre is a support ministry for moms and families for unexpected pregnancies and for those who are in need through the early years.

Ways you can support the 2022 Campaign include: 1. Etransfer to gbpreg.finance@gmail.com, 2. Canada Helps Canadahelps.org donate by credit card, 3. Mail a cheque to 259 10th Street East, Owen Sound, N4K 1S4, 4. Call their office at 519-371-2004 to give by credit card, 5. Pray for our families, consider volunteering on our Board of Directors or as a volunteer in the Centre. Thank you for your faithful support!

* In the Diocese *

Ascension of the Lord - The Lord said, "...you will be my witnesses in Jerusalem, in all Judea and Samaria, and to the ends of the earth." Pray for an increase of vocations to the ordained and consecrated life. If God is calling you to be a priest, religious or deacon, contact Bishop Wayne Lobsinger, Director of Vocations and Priestly Formation, Diocese of Hamilton by phone (905-528-7988), email vocations@hamiltondiocese.com or visit the website: www.hamiltondiocese.com/vocations/

PARENTING TIP OF THE MONTH - As the buds begin to sprout and the weather allows us to head outdoors more often, take some time to discuss the importance of God's created world with your children. Point out the connectedness of each of us to nature and our dependence on it to survive. Help them understand that every person is tasked with being a steward of God's world. Explain how we can each participate in caring for nature and remind them that when we each do our part, nature thrives and so do we. From: Family Ministry Office; 905-528-7988 ext. 2250.

members who are in need of our prayers: for — Alice Ertel, Matthew Fitzsimmons, Fernando, Shane Fleming, Dalyce Kinderwater, Maynard Dietrich, Lyn Hannigan, Anne Loisel, Karen Ellis, Matt Bell, Pete & Edna Van Aalst, Sharon Cantlon, Carolyn & Noah, Arnold Hodgkinson, Cor Van Schie, Doug Woolway, Kim Chegahno, Gordon Dion, Glenda Emma Dupont, Colleen Warmington, Mike Couture, Madelyn van Veen, Collin Rier, Phyllis Cooper, Barry Beatty, Marc Hilker, Marilyn Schinbein, Mike Adams, Pat McIntyre and Brenda Richter, **We pray to the**

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Lord.

When he had led them out to the vicinity of Bethany, he lifted up his hands and blessed them. While he was blessing them, he left them and was taken up into heaven.

Luke 24: 50-51

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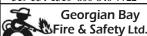
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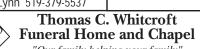


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