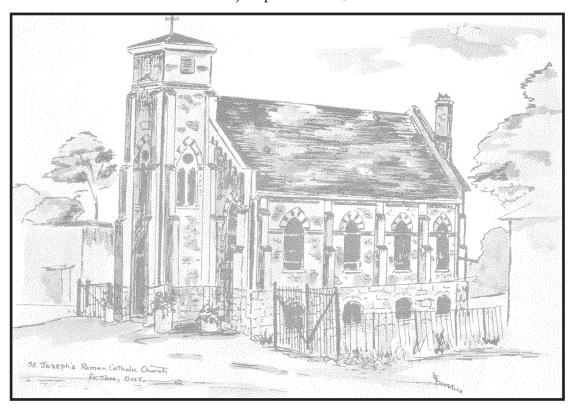
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SUNDAY MASSES:

Saturday 5:00 pm Sunday 9:00 am 11:00 am

EXPOSITION:

Friday 9:30 am - 10:30 am

PARISH ORGANIZATIONS:

Catholic Women's League Knights of Columbus St. Vincent Charities



BAPTISMS:

By arrangement with the pastor.

MARRIAGES:

By arrangement one year in advance.

CONFESSIONS:

Saturday 4:00 - 4:30 pm or by appointment.

SCHOOLS:

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WELCOME TO NEW PARISHIONERS

We invite you to register in our parish community by filling in a blue registration form.

A Word From Our Pastor:

As Father Mark is unable to publish a message this week, we turn to the Holy Father Pope Francis' message regarding the Holy Trinity.

Dear Brothers and Sisters,

Buongiorno

On this feast day in which we celebrate God: the mystery of the one God. And this God is the Father and the Son and the Holy Spirit. Three persons, but God is one! The Father is God; the Son is God; the Spirit is God. But they are not three gods: it is one God in three Persons. It is a mystery that Jesus Christ revealed to us: the Holy Trinity. Today we pause to celebrate this mystery, because the Persons are not adjectives of God, no. They are real, diverse, different Persons; they are not — as that philosopher used to say — 'emanations of God', no, no! They are Persons. There is the Father to whom I pray with the Our Father; there is the Son, who gave me redemption, justification; there is the Holy Spirit who abides in us and inhabits the Church. And this speaks to our heart because we find it encompassed in that expression of Saint John which summarizes all of Revelation: "God is love" (1 Jn 4:8-16). The Father is love; the Son is love; the Holy Spirit is love. And inasmuch as He is love, God, while being one alone, is not solitude but communion, among the Father, the Son and the Holy Spirit. Because love is essentially a gift of self, and in its original and infinite reality it is the Father who gives Himself by generating his Son, who in turn gives Himself to the Father, and their mutual love is the Holy Spirit, the bond of their unity. It is not easy to understand, but we can live this mystery, all of us, we can live it a great deal.

This mystery of the Trinity was revealed to us by Jesus himself. He showed us the face of God as merciful Father; he presented Himself, true man, as the Son of God and Word of the Father, the Saviour who gives His life for us; and He spoke of the Holy Spirit who proceeds from the Father and the Son, the Spirit of Truth, the Paraclete Spirit — we spoke last Sunday about this word, 'Paraclete' — meaning Consoler and Advocate. And when Jesus appeared to the Apostles after the Resurrection, Jesus invited them to evangelize "all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit" (*Mt* 28:19).

Today's celebration, therefore, makes us contemplate this marvelous mystery of love and of light from which we come and toward which our earthly journey is guided.

In the message of the Gospel and in every form of Christian mission, one cannot overlook this unity among us to which Jesus calls, following the unity of the Father, of the Son and of the Holy Spirit: one cannot overlook this unity. The beauty of the Gospel asks to be lived — unity — and witnessed in the harmony among us, who are so diverse! And this unity, I dare say, is essential to Christians: it is not an attitude, a manner of speaking, no; it is essential, because it is the unity that arises from love, from the mercy of God, from the justification of Jesus Christ and from the presence of the Holy Spirit in our hearts.

Mary Most Holy, in her simplicity and humility, reflects the Beauty of the Triune God, because she fully welcomed Jesus into her life. May she sustain our faith; may she make us worshippers of God and servants of our brothers and sisters.

Saint Peter's Square Trinity Sunday, 30 May 2021

THOUGHT OF THE WEEK:

"Find out how much God has given you and from it take what you need; the remainder is needed by others."

- St. Augustine

PRAYERS FOR THOSE WHO ARE ILL:

This week please pray especially for:

David Champagne, Cheryl Longstaff, Marie Zions



This week we pray especially for the following families:

Oke, Osman, Paisley, Palmateer, Pereira, Podsada

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DAY & TIME		MASS INTENTIONS (June 13 – June 19)	REQUESTED BY:
Tues	7:00 p.m.	Helen Klemencic	Suzanne Blanchet-Haffey
Wed.	9:00 a.m.	People of Ukraine	
Thurs.	7:00 p.m.	Indigenous People of Canada	
Fri.	9:00 a.m.	Peter Spencer	Spencer Family
	10:00 a.m.	School Mass	
Sat.	5:00 p.m.	Tony and Mary Gorjup	Gorjup Family
Sun.	8:30 a.m.	Deceased Fathers of Our Parish	
	10:00 a.m.	Pro populo	
	11:30 a.m.	Pro populo	



Only Lectors are serving until further notice. There may be a Sunday which has no Lector assigned. If you are a Lector and can fill in, it would be appreciated.





CONTACT PERSONS for CWL and K of C

Anyone interested in learning more about our parish Catholic Women's League or Knights of Columbus is invited to call the appropriate contact person:

CWL: Christie deSouza: 519-400-6012 cwl@lartist.com K of C: Sean Saunders: grand.knight.8050@gmail.com

Bulletins are available online at:

http://www.parishbulletins.com/bulletins/097

Sacraments of Baptism and Matrimony

Father Mark arranges all Baptisms and Marriages personally, by appointment. Please see Father after Mass to set a time for an interview. Marriages must be arranged one year in advance. Completion of a marriage preparation course is required. Application forms may be obtained from Father Mark.

Father's Day Special! The **CWL** would like to help you honour those special men in your life by offering a variety of home baked coffee cakes to bring home on Father's Day. The cakes will be ready to be picked up after each Mass on Father's Day weekend. Prices will vary according to size. Bon Appetit!!

MEETINGS

Mon. 6:00 p.m. Tops

Wed. 8:00 p.m. AA

Family Love: A Vocation and A Path to Holiness is the sixth and final talk for the Hamilton Diocesan Speaker Series celebrating the Year of Amoris Laetitia Family. Our guest speaker will be Most Reverend Daniel J. Miehm, Bishop of the Diocese of Peterborough and former Auxiliary Bishop of Hamilton Diocese. Bishop Miehm will look at how through the life of the family and the love shared by its members, children learn about themselves, and the seeds of their vocation are born. Every person is called to live in their family knowing the family itself is a call to an important vocation. Parents and children find their path to holiness with the vocation of the family. Join us Wednesday, June 15th from 7-8:30p.m. Check the Diocesan website at Speaker Series - Amoris Laetitia www.hamiltondiocese.com to register. information, contact Teresa Hartnett at:

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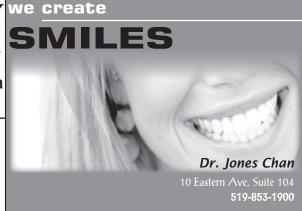
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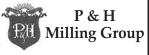
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