

St. Mark Catholic Parish

55 Driftwood Drive, Kitchener, Ontario N2N 3A2 • 519-571-9200 • www.stmarkcatholicparish.org

PASTOR: Fr. Don Sanvido
DEACON: Mr. Basil Markides
SECRETARY: Mrs. Pam Olinski

LORD'S DAY MASSES
Saturday at 5:00 PM
Sunday at 9:30 AM and 11:30 AM

WEEKDAY MASSES
Mon., Wed., Thu., Fri. at 7:00 AM
Tuesday at 7:00 PM
Saturday at 9:00 AM

CONFESSIONS
Saturday 9:30–10:30 AM & 3:45–4:45 PM
or by appointment.

ANOINTING OF THE SICK: First Tuesday evening of the month at the 7:00 p.m. Mass. No prior notice necessary.

ADORATION CHAPEL
Perpetual Adoration: Spots open, see Chapel
Divine Mercy: Fridays 3:00 PM
Our Lady's Rosary: 1st Saturday at 10:00 AM
Benediction: 1st Sunday at 7:00 PM

WELCOME NEW MEMBERS: We invite you to register. Please fill out a form from the church lobby and drop it off at the parish office. Please call if you would like Father to bless your home.

BAPTISM: Infant baptism is celebrated on the 2nd Sunday of the month at 1:30 PM. A Preparation Meeting is held on the Wednesday evening preceding the baptism. Please fill out a form from the church lobby and drop it off at the parish office at least one month in advance. You will then be contacted by a member of the Baptism team.

CHILDREN'S LITURGY OF THE WORD
October through May at the 11:30 AM Mass. Two separate drop-in programs for K-1 & Gr. 2-3. No need to register.

HOSPITAL VISITATION: Please advise the office of area hospital admissions to request a pastoral visit or the Sacrament of the Sick.

FIRST FRIDAY VISITS: Father will bring Communion to the sick on the 1st Friday of the month. Please call the office to schedule a visit.

NATURAL FAMILY PLANNING:
Instructions by appointment. Call 519-742-3979 or nfp@golden.net.

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL: White Box Collection on the last Sunday of the month. Call 519-571-8485 for information on food distribution.



"... The seed is sprouting and growing ..." (Mark 4:27)

MASS INTENTION REQUEST FORM

To have a Mass celebrated for a living or deceased loved one, please fill out this request form, place it in a plain envelope marked "Mass Intention," and drop it in the Sunday collection, or slip it under the door of the parish office if it is closed. Your intention will be printed in the bulletin and announced at the beginning of Mass.

Mass cards are available at the parish office during office hours, or you can find them already signed in the church lobby and in the adoration chapel.

If you prefer to make arrangements in person, you may do so during office hours, or over the phone. There is no charge for Mass intentions. The Bishop suggests an offering of \$10 per Mass.

I would like to have _____ Mass(es) celebrated for
HOW MANY?

the intentions of *(living)* **OR** the repose of the soul of *(deceased)*

NAME OF LIVING OR DECEASED PERSON(S)

Please choose your preferred way of setting the date for this Mass:

The date of the Mass does not matter.

OR

The exact date does not matter, but I would prefer one of the following:

- | | |
|--|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> 7:00 AM on a Weekday | <input type="checkbox"/> 5:00 PM on a Saturday |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 7:00 PM on a Tuesday | <input type="checkbox"/> 9:30 AM on a Sunday |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 9:00 AM on a Saturday | <input type="checkbox"/> 11:30 AM on a Sunday |

OR

I would like the Mass to be on this specific date*: _____

* Please keep in mind that our ability to accommodate a request for a specific date (especially for a weekend) can be difficult without sufficient notice. For this reason, we recommend submitting requests for weekend Masses a few months in advance.

Requested by: _____

Daytime Phone Number: _____

We will attempt to contact you by phone if we are unable to accommodate your request.

SECOND SUNDAY OF EASTER

Worship This Week: April 13 – 19, 2015

Monday

7:00 am - Int. of Mike & Kathleen Dineen – M./E. Lawlor

Tuesday

2:30 pm - MASS AT LANARK HEIGHTS

7:00 pm - Int. of Samram and Robele

Wednesday

7:00 am + Moira Pohl – *Bernard Crawley*

Thursday

7:00 am + Gaynell Dowling – *Julie Burkholder*

1:15 pm - MASS AT ST. DOMINIC SAVIO SCHOOL

Friday

7:00 am + David Baggey – *Baggey family*

Saturday

9:00 am + Isidore & Constance – *M. & L. Fernando*

Third Sunday of Easter

Acts 3:13-15, 17-19; 1 John 2:1-5; Luke 24:35-48

Sat. 5:00 pm + Deceased Members of the Cimermancic Family

Sun. 9:30 am + George Winklemaier – *Terry*

11:30 am - Int. of the Parishioners of St. Mark's

Offertory Collections Good Friday & Easter Weekend

Sunday envelopes.....	\$ 3,688.00
Easter (pink) envelopes.....	\$ 4,959.00
Loose monies	<u>\$ 1,904.30</u>
TOTAL SUNDAY OFFERINGS	\$ 10,551.30
Mortgage Fund.....	\$ 770.00
Good Friday envelopes (to Church in the Holy Land)	\$ 1,578.00
Share Lent	\$270.00

Thank you for your generosity!

SPIRIT CREW

St. Mark's Ministry for Youth (Grade 6 and Up)

■ **YOUTH ALPHA FILM SERIES: (Grades 6 to 12 welcome)**

Every other Friday from 7-9 p.m. Includes video, small group discussion. Snack provided. Contact Andrea at 519-577-8553 or andreaappelman@hotmail.com.

April 24 ... Does God Heal Today?

May 8 ... What About The Church and Telling Others?

May 22 ... Celebration Dinner

■ **COMMUNITY SERVICE EVENT AT ONTARIO CHRISTIAN GLEANERS WAREHOUSE – Friday, April 17th (P.A. Day) 8:00 AM - 12:30 PM (approx.)**

All High School youth are invited. If you are interested in attending, please pick up a permission form from the Spirit Crew Bulletin board. **Deadline for handing your forms in is Monday, April 13th.** For details see the Spirit Crew Bulletin board or email Christine at cutting_abcd@rogers.com.

■ **OVERFLOW YOUTH CONFERENCE – May 15-17 (long weekend)**

All youth in Grade 8 through High School are invited to attend this event at **Waterloo Recreational Memorial Complex**. This will be a weekend full of events to help us connect with other youth from surrounding areas. Please see Spirit Crew bulletin board for details.

LITURGICAL ROLES			
April 18 & 19	Sat. 5:00PM	Sun. 9:30 AM	Sun. 11:30 AM
Altar Servers:	V./P./J. Miller	R./J. Henri	B./B./K./N. Starr
Commentator:	M. Dufresne	L. Rye	T. Boettger
Lector:	J. Robinson	G. Rye	K. Phillips
Ushers:		F./B. Seaward	B. Voisin J. McCullough
Gift Bearers:	Weber	Cerantola	McCullough
Eucharistic Ministers:	C. Dokis G. Balm C. Baumtrog A. Bendia	T. Angel/C. Haid S. Cerantola B. Coutinho B. Cutting	C./K. Dignam R./P. Masbad

Today is Coffee Sunday!
Join us in the Hall after Mass today
for fellowship and refreshments.



Tickets go on sale this weekend for our MAY 3rd MOTHER'S APPRECIATION BRUNCH! Tickets \$7 per person, available after weekend Masses only until April 26th. Don't delay!

At this time I would like to thank all who worked on preparing for and ministering during Holy Week.

I thought the liturgies went well, and for me "well" means the following – organized and flowing without being so structured so as to impose a rigidity that deters us from prayer and contemplation. I guess if we all do our part and recognize that it flows into a greater whole, then what is supposed to get done, does get done – leaving room for the Holy Spirit.

Special thanks to those who did the meditation on the Way of the Cross on Good Friday evening. This, too, was very inspirational and was for God's glory. Our director stated that there should not be any applause and that all accolades be given to The One who is most deserving.

God Bless, and Happy Easter. ... *Sanvido*

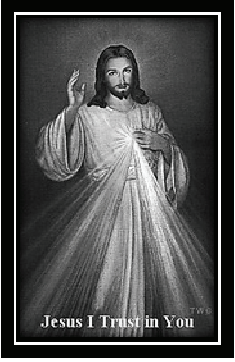
Gr. 7 Confirmation Preparation Sessions

For all Grade 7 students and parents, Sundays from 12:45 – 1:30 p.m. Currently on break due to Easter. **Please come for our final class on April 19th** for the topic: *The Sacrament of God's Mercy*.

CCFC Coin Cans ... If you have taken a *Canadian Food for Children* coin can, please be sure to **return it to the church by Sunday, April 12th** so it can be collected and forwarded to the organization. Thank you for your generous support.

Who is the Man of the Shroud?

NOW AVAILABLE: 8" X 10" photo reproduction of the face of "The Man of the Shroud" corpus, currently on exhibit at the *Pontifical Institute Notre Dame of Jerusalem Centre* in Jerusalem, Israel. Copies (suitable for framing) have been made for those who may want one, and are available after weekend Masses. **No charge, but a donation to our Mortgage Fund would be appreciated.** Each photo includes a short, written history. *For more information please contact Laurie Brookes at 519-576-1488 or Edwina Weiss at 519-954-5669.*



**TODAY IS
Divine Mercy Sunday**

Sunday, April 12, 2015

3:00 P.M.

- Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament
- Chaplet of the Divine Mercy
- Quiet Prayer
- Benediction

All are most welcome to attend.

If you are unable to join us, you may wish to pray the Divine Mercy Chaplet at home, using an ordinary rosary...

1. Begin with: The Sign of the Cross, 1 Our Father, 1 Hail Mary and The Apostles Creed.

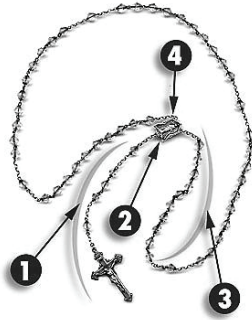
2. Then on the Our Father Beads say the following:

Eternal Father, I offer You the Body and Blood, Soul and Divinity of Your dearly beloved Son, Our Lord Jesus Christ, in atonement for our sins and those of the whole world.

3. On the 10 Hail Mary Beads say the following: *For the sake of His sorrowful Passion, have mercy on us and on the whole world.*

(Repeat step 2 and 3 for all five decades).

4. Conclude with (three times): *Holy God, Holy Mighty One, Holy Immortal One, have mercy on us and on the whole world.*



ADULT FAITH EVENINGS at St. Anne's Parish, Kitchener

- April 22** "Church History" with Fr. Tataryn
- April 29** "The Mass" with Very Rev. Wayne Lobsinger
- May 6** "The Sacraments" with Fr. Robson
- May 13** "Mary" with T.B.A.
- May 21** "Heaven/Hell/Sin" with Fr. Anang

All are welcome. Start time is 7:00 p.m. If you have any questions, please contact Lynda at St. Anne's Parish: 519-745-5302 or email stannesfamily@gmail.com.

DIOCESAN WEDDING ANNIVERSARY MASS

Are you celebrating your 25th, 40th, 50th or 60th, or 60+ Wedding Anniversary in the year 2015? On **Sunday, June 7, 2015** at 1:30 p.m. Bishop Douglas Crosby will celebrate the Diocesan Wedding Anniversary Mass at the **Cathedral Basilica of Christ the King** in Hamilton. (Space allows room for Anniversary couples only - those married 60 years or more may bring 1 guest if assistance is required). **Please register by May 1st** to be sure your name is included in the program. Details and registration forms are available on the poster on the bulletin board in the narthex, or go to www.hamiltondiocese.com.

C.W.L. CORNER ...



• SUN. MAY 3rd – Mothers' Appreciation Brunch:

Keep the date and bring your appetites! The C.W.L. in combination with the Knight of Columbus will be hosting our annual Mother's Brunch following the 11:30 Mass. Menu will include scrambled eggs, sausages, muffins, hash brown, fruit, juice, coffee/tea. **Tickets on sale at all weekend Masses from April 11–26, \$7/person. Advance sales only.** Crowning of Mary will take place before the meal. Volunteers are needed to assist with clean up. Please sign-up at the C.W.L. table in the narthex.

• WED. JUNE 17th – Speaker Dave Levac

Have you ever wondered what goes on in the Legislative Assembly on Ontario? Dave Levac, Speaker of the Legislative Assembly of Ontario, will be visiting St. Marks. Mr. Levac will not engage in party politics, he will only discuss his role as Speaker and the workings of the Ontario Legislature. More details to follow.

VEGAS NIGHT – Hosted by the Maryhill Knights of Columbus **Saturday, April 18th** at the **Bridgeport Rod & Gun**, 1229 Beitz Road, R.R.1, Breslau. Doors open at 7 p.m., fun begins at 8 p.m. Free Admission - fast food available. Beautiful quilts and generous prizes. Arrive early for a good seat. All proceeds go to charity and will be announced that night. A light lunch will be served at the end of the evening. *Mike Runstedler 519-648-3394 or Doug Zinger 519-648-2939.*

CURSILLO 2015 – We all know God, but how many of us truly know God on a personal and intimate level? A 3-day Cursillo weekend, which is a short review of Christianity, is designed to help you on that journey. If you are over 18 years of age, and are open to a closer relationship with our God and Saviour, consider a Cursillo weekend: **Men's Weekend: April 23-26 / Women's Weekend: April 30 - May 3** For more information, see the church bulletin board, speak with a "Cursillista" in your parish, visit www.cursillohamilton.org, or contact: *Marg & Doug Weber: marg.weber@sympatico.ca 519-747-5937* *Fr. Ray Reitzel, C.R.: rayreitzelcr@live.com 519-725-1445*

WAKE UP THE WORLD!

Youth Rally in honour of the Year of Consecrated Life, hosted by the Diocese of Hamilton for young adults 18 - 35 years of age. **Sunday, May 3rd** from 9:00 a.m. to 5:30 p.m., **Ancaster, Ontario.** FREE ADMISSION !!! Lunch included if you REGISTER BY April 19th. Visit www.hamiltondiocese.com/wake-up-the-world or contact *Sr. Teresa Joseph, SOLI at srteresajoseph@solisisters.ca*

STROKE RECOVERY K-W

– Have you or someone you know been affected by stroke? Reconnect, meet stroke survivors, caregivers, and others interested in recovering from stroke. Come share your stories of hope! **Wed. April 15** (third Wed. of every month) at 7:00 p.m. at **The Village of Winston Park**, 695 Block Line Rd. (lower-level, Tillsley Dr. entrance). *1-800-263-3463 ext.7702 or Rick Guzik at 519-745-2597.*

PILGRIMAGE TO SHRINES IN QUEBEC

Join us on a 6-day Pilgrimage, **August 3 - 8, 2015**, with spiritual director Fr. George Nowak, C.R. We depart at 6:30 a.m. from St. Mary's Church, Kitchener to visit Cap-de-la-Madeleine, St. Anne de Beaupre, Sacred Heart Shrine, Beauvoir and St. Joseph's Oratory. **Price is \$750/single, \$675/double and \$650/triple.** Please see the poster on the bulletin board or call *Erna at 519-743-1030.*

DR. GORDON K. W. LAM
Family Dentist
Laurentian Hills Plaza
(Westmount & Ottawa) 519-745-2333
NEW PATIENTS WELCOME

Fitzgerald Motors
3 Locations!
150+ Vehicles In Stock
Sales • Service • Cleaning
www.fitzgeraldmotors.com
519-579-4995

ARC Angels
SACramentals
215 Lancaster St. W.
519.744.8330

CONESTOGA Place
& **Conestoga**
Food Services Ltd.
Delicious Food • Excellent Service
Guaranteed Satisfaction
Catering for all occasions for over 35 years.
Let us serve you today!
519-578-1030



CHARTWELL
BANKSIDE TERRACE
retirement residence

CALL TODAY
to book your personal visit and complimentary lunch.
71 Bankside Dr. 226-336-8941
CHARTWELL.COM

Smart advice to grow your wealth
Studies* show that clients of financial advisors tend to start saving earlier and have higher net worth.
With **The Plan by Investors Group™**, I can help you save tax and better weather unpredictable markets.
Call now, we can help.

JEROME FREIBURGER CFP, CPCA
Division Director
jerome.freiburger@investorsgroup.com
(519) 886-2360 ext. 351
The Plan by Investors Group™
Investors Group Financial Services Inc.


SUPERIOR MEMORIALS
Established 1908
528 Victoria St. N.
beside Weston's Bakery
519-745-6136


DR. WILLIAM SEHL
DENTAL SURGEON
187 Erb St. W. at Dietz Ave.
(519) 884-2363


OVERLAND RMC
HEATING, AIR CONDITIONING & GAS FIREPLACES
Call us for a free quote today!
www.overlandheating.ca 1-888-837-6837


Jan Mielcarek
Painting
Drywall & Household Repairs
Tel: 519 570 0986
Cell: 519 505 0987
jrmielcarek@rogers.com

PATRICK J. KRAEMER, LAWYER
Personal, Real Estate and Business Law
Duncan, Linton LLP
45 Erb St. E.
519-404-5027
pkraemer@kwlaw.net

THE PERFECT SPOT TO ADVERTISE YOUR BUSINESS!

TO ADVERTISE IN THIS SPACE PLEASE CALL 1-800-268-2637

ERB & GOOD
FAMILY FUNERAL HOME
Family Owned Since 1946
171 King St. S. Waterloo
519.745.8445
www.erbgood.com


S&R LANARK PLACE
SENIORS LIVING
"It's All About Choice"
2 Months Free Trial Stay


PHARMASAVE
Prescription Delivery • Medication Reviews
Easy Prescription Transfers • Medication Compliance Packaging
10% Seniors Discount Everyday
12-450 Westheights Dr. 519-584-7484

COLDWELL BANKER
PETER BENNINGER REALTY, Brokerage
Independently Owned and Operated
HANNA LEPISZ
Sales Representative
Years of Experience
Friendly Hassel Free Service
519-742-5800

Furnished Suite
Cable & Phone
No Obligation
Call or Drop In
44 Lanark Crescent
519.743.0121


Henry Walser FUNERAL HOME LTD.
AN INDEPENDENT FAMILY - OWNED FUNERAL HOME
507 FREDERICK ST. (at expressway)
519-749-8467


turn to the experts
REITZEL HEATING & AIR CONDITIONING
665 Superior Drive, Waterloo Ont N2V 2C8
519-884-3510

- Commercial • Radiant Heaters
- Industrial • Gas Furnaces
- Residential • Air Conditioning