St. Mark Catholic Parish

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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 $9:30-10:30\,\mathrm{AM}\ \&\ 3:45-4:45\,\mathrm{PM}$ 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 2^{nd} 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 $11:30\,\mathrm{AM}$ 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.

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I would like to have $\frac{1}{1000 \text{ MANY?}}$ Mass(es) celebrated for			
\square the intentions of (living) OR \square 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: ☐ 7:00 AM on a Weekday ☐ 7:00 PM on a Tuesday ☐ 9:00 AM on a Saturday ☐ 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.

Worship This Week:

June 20 - 26, 2016

Monday

7:00 am + Marilyn Bain - Pam Olinski

Tuesday (MEMORIAL – ST. ALOYSIUS GONZAGA)

7:00 PM + Vera Stryk - Stan Crha

Wednesday

★ 6:00 PM + Anastasia MacLean - in gratitude followed by Volunteers' Appreciation BBQ

Thursday

★ 6:30 PM + Jim Collins – Marilyn Dufresne

followed by Ladies' Potluck (hosted by C.W.L.)

<u>Friday</u> (SOLEMNITY – NATIVITY OF ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST)

7:00 am + Doug Nagle - Kathy Bumstead

<u>Saturday</u>

9:00 am + Simon Nolan - Brian & Marie Lynch

13th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

1 Kings 19:16b, 19-21; Galatians 5:1, 13-18; Luke 9:51-62

SAT. 5:00 PM + Letemplier Family -B. & C. Burns

SUN. 9:30 am - Intentions of the Parishioners of St. Mark's

11:30 am + Nancy Aldene Wilson – St. Mark's Knights of Columbus

Offertory Collections	June 11/12, 2016
Sunday envelopes	\$ 2,732.00
Sunday pre-authorized debits (MONTHLY AMOUNT x12÷5	52)\$ 1,409.42
Loose monies	<u>\$ 407.80</u>
TOTAL SUNDAY OFFERINGS	\$ 4,549.22
Mortgage envelopes	\$ 460.00
Mortgage pre-authorized debits (MONTHLY AMOUNT x1	2÷52) \$ 305.77
TOTAL MORTGAGE OFFERINGS	\$ 765.77
Thank you for your generosity!!	!

S.M.Y.C.A.

St. Mark's Young Catholic Adults (open to ages 19-35)

▶ END OF SEASON GATHERING: Sat. June 25th (6:30 – 10:30 p.m.) Come and celebrate the beginning of summer and the end of our first year of ministry at St. Mark's! Our evening will include praise and

year of ministry at St. Mark's! Our evening will include praise and worship, beginning at 6:30, followed by Benediction and a barbecue! RSVP on our Facebook event page (<u>StMarksYoungCatholicAdults</u>) or email us at <u>StMarksYoungCatholicAdults@gmail.com</u>. Please let us know if you have any food-allergy concerns that we should be aware of. We hope to see you there!



FR. FERNANDO'S MISSION APPEAL

Last weekend we welcomed Fr. Piyal Janaka Fernando from the diocese of Kurunegala, Sri Lanka, who spoke about his mission. **Today the SECOND COLLECTION will be taken up to assist Fr. Fernando in his mission's endeavours.**

Please use the envelope you received last week, or pick one up today in the narthex.

LITURGICAL ROLES			
JUNE 25 & 26	Sat. 5:00рм	Sun. 9:30 AM	Sun. 11:30 AM
Altar Servers:	C./B./T./G. Morgan	M. Haid M. McCullough	T. Shea N. Gallagher
Commentator:	M. Dufresne	B. Sawarna	K. Phillips
Lector:	M. Serschen	J. Flanigan	O. Sirju
Ushers:	K./T. Friesen	G./T. MacNeil	C. Dignam M. Monte
Gift Bearers:	Buchanan	Cerantola	Chacon
Eucharistic Ministers	C. Dokis G. Balm A. Bendia L. Macedo R. Landgraff	L. Reidel P./M-E. McCullough B. Coutinho A. Joseph S. Cerantola	B./C. Voisin E. Weiss D. SWeber B. Denomme
A HILLY AUGUST & CEPT CO. C. H. Cl. L. L.			

★ JULY, AUGUST & SEPT. ... Summer Sign-Up Sheets have been posted on the blackboard in the narthex for all ministers to sign up for the summer months. Please sign up as you are available. Thank you!

Attention ALL Parish Volunteers!!

Please sign up for your

VOLUNTEERS' APPRECIATION BAR-B-Q

FOR ALL WHO MINISTRY AT S

FOR <u>ALL</u> WHO VOLUNTEER IN <u>ANY</u> MINISTRY AT ST. MARK'S PARISH

<u>THIS WED</u>. JUNE 22nd ~ 6 to 9 p.m. FOOD ... BEVERAGES ... FUN ... LIVE MUSIC!

"Truly I tell you, whatever you did for one of the least of my brothers and sisters, you did it for me." MATTHEW 25:40

Attention Golfers!

We have finalized our plans for this year's golf tournament!

DATE: Saturday, September 10th

PLACE: Brookfield Golf Course, Cambridge

TIME: 9 a.m. Shotgun Start

COST: \$68 per person (18 holes with Cart, Steak Dinner)

\$25 per person (Dinner only)

DINNER: At the course starting around 2:30-2:45 p.m.

Steak, potatoes, salad, rolls, tea/coffee/dessert

REGISTRATION FORMS AVAILABLE IN THE NARTHEX: If you wish to

golf and/or join us for dinner, please fill out a form, include your payment and seal both in a plain envelope marked "GOLF" – drop it in the collection basket **no later than August 7th.** Please include the full names of all the players for whom you are paying. Questions can be directed to Cathy at cathy.gelsinger@yahoo.ca or to the parish office.

Baby Bottle Campaign for Marillac Place REMINDER: All bottles are due back to the church TODAY (June 18/19). Thank you for your support.



St. Vincent de Paul Society - Summer Food Supply

People often ask what food we need in the portable. As summer approaches, we are finding our shelves are more bare than usual. If you are thinking about buying, we are in need of the following: *tuna*, *canned meats*, *canned vegetables*, *canned fruits*, *kidney beans*, *chickpeas*, *pork and beans*, *cereal*, *peanut butter*, *jam*. Thank you for your ongoing support.

- St. Mark's Society of St. Vincent de Paul

Syrian Family Sponsorship Update

Through the Diocese of Hamilton, St. Mark's has been matched with a Syrian family of 6, expected to arrive in Canada in July. We look forward to welcoming them to our community!

• Furniture and household donation drive – coming to a close! If you selected an item from the dollhouse display, please bring it to St. Mark's this weekend (drop it off at the display, in the Narthex). For larger size items, please call Fiona Kangaloo at 226-808-4719 or email stmarkinkinddonations@gmail.com to arrange for pick up. Thank you for your continued support and prayers as we prepare to welcome this family!

No Summer Bulletins ... For the majority of the summer we will not be publishing a bulletin. Many people are away, not many groups meet during the summer, and during these months it is difficult to find enough material to fill a weekly bulletin.

Our website will be up-to-date with any important information (www.stmarkcatholicparish.org), and we will publish the weekly Mass schedule there, as well as on the church bulletin board. Brief verbal announcements will continue to be made after Mass.

For those who may not have access to a computer, we will publish a bulletin on June 26th (for the month of July) and July 31st (for the month of August) which will mainly include Mass times and intentions for those months. Regular bulletins will resume on September 4th.

If you wish to publish an announcement in either the June 26th or July 31st bulletins, please email the announcement to the parish office one week in advance of the publication date. Thank you!

CHRISTIAN YOUNG ADULTS OUTDOOR GROUP (Ages 20-40 yrs.) Do you enjoy the great outdoors? Come join us and invite your friends! The purpose of this group is to meet and have fellowship with other believers while celebrating God in an active outdoor environment. Our second group event will take place on Saturday, June 25th at 12 noon at Tews Falls, Harvest Road in Dundas. Please bring a snack. You can join our Facebook group for more information at Christian Young Adults Outdoor Group for upcoming events, or, contact Erin D'Arcy at (519) 721-7387 or info@darcysdogtraining.com.

Our Children's Liturgy Program ... is in need of some revamping. I am looking for up to 8 volunteers to help with the children's liturgy next Fall. You must be at least 18 years of age and have a desire and interest in teaching the young the Catholic faith – on their level, of course. I hope to meet with you and Rosemary (our current leader) to organize this during the summer months. I think we need a fresh approach and I have some ideas, and want to hear yours. I am asking people to pray about this and consider whether God would be calling or prompting you to help the souls of our little ones. Let me know by the end of June. Please remember that all volunteers must be screened and have a police check when working with youth. Please fill out this form and drop it in the collection. I will contact you sometime in early July. Thank you. – Fr. Don

NAME:	AGE:
ADDRESS:	
PHONE:	BEST TIME TO CALL:

Alternatively, you can send an email with the above information to stmark@rogers.com.

C.W.L. CORNER ...

• POTLUCK DINNER:

Thursday, June 23rd following 6:30pm Mass
CALLING ALL LADIES! Last call for Potluck Dinner
before summer break! Please bring your favorite dish and plate,
cutlery, cup. Coffee and tea will be available. If you have a game you
would like to organize, please contact Cathy at

would like to organize, please contact Cathy at cathy.gelsinger@yahoo.ca. Hope to see all you ladies there. And of course, bringing a friend and a bottle of wine is welcome and optional.

OPEN HOUSE at the MARIAN RESIDENCE RETIREMENT HOME 640 Hillview Rd., Cambridge on **Saturday, June 25th** from 1-4 p.m. Come for a tour, refreshments and meet the residents and Sisters.

EXCITING NEWS FROM CANADIAN FOOD FOR CHILDREN....

CFFC is participating in the July 1st Parade in Cambridge. All who are interested in supporting this well-deserving cause, please join us at Hamilton Street in (Preston) Cambridge no later than 12:00 noon (we will be placed in Section A). Help us collect baby clothes and hygiene articles from people watching the parade. Any questions, call Norbert & Mary Oberle at 519-622-0988. God Bless You. "Come walk with me," says Jesus.

NOVENA TO OUR LADY OF MOUNT CARMEL Are you troubled? Do you need spiritual support? The Sisters of the Carmel of St. Joseph will pray for you during the Novena to Our Lady of Mount Carmel, July 8th to 16th. You can participate in the Novena by sending your prayer intention slip with your name and address to: Carmel of Saint Joseph, 1127 Carmel-Koch Road, R.R. #1, St. Agatha, Ont. NOB 2L0

The Carmel of St. Joseph Guild invites all members, families and friends to attend the **FEAST OF OUR LADY OF MOUNT CARMEL MASS** to be held **Sunday**, **July 10**th at 2:00 p.m. at the **Monastery**. The Rosary will precede the Mass. The celebrant will be Msgr. Murray Kroetsch. Bishop Douglas Crosby has designated the double doors at the entrance to the chapel as the HOLY DOOR OF MERCY for this day.

8TH ANNUAL VACATION BIBLE / LEGO ROBOTICS CAMP: July 25- 29 at **St. Louis Church, Waterloo**. VBS in the mornings and Lego camp in the afternoons. Children (ages 5 -11) can be registered for half or full days. Fees are \$110 per child / \$185 per family. To register contact Kelly Krause at St. Louis Parish at 519-743-4101 or kkrause@hamiltondiocese.com.

ARE YOU A CATECHIST? If you pass on the faith (in children's sacramental prep, RCIA, your own family, adult faith groups, a Catholic school, correspondence courses, marriage prep, or other parish groups) ... then YOU are a catechist! Join us Sat. Sept. 17th at the Notre Dame Convent from 2:00 – 4:30 p.m. for our retreat, "Announcing the Mercy of God." Bishop Miehm is our keynote speaker. For more info or to register please visit www.hamiltondiocese.com and click on Year of Mercy Events, or call Monica at 905-528-7988, ext. 2238. There is no cost to attend but registration is required as space is limited.

THE CARMEL OF ST. JOSEPH LUNCHEON & CARD PARTY
Wed. Sept. 21st at St. Anthony Daniel Church Hall, 29 Midland Dr.
Kitchener, 12 – 4 p.m. Doors open at 11.30 a.m. Admission \$12.
Lunch & Door Prizes. Advanced tickets only! Contact Angie
Bateman at 519-569-7493 or anabateman307@gmail.com, OR Marilyn
Motz at 519-570-4441 or gmmotz@me.com. For more info please
contact Sheila at 519-743-6069 or sheilamathews2006@yahoo.ca.

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