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 9:30-10:30AM & 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 bulletin board **Divine Mercy:** Fridays 3:00 PM Our Lady's Rosary: 1st Saturday at 10 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 6 weeks in advance.

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.

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

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

NAME OF LIVING OR DECEASED PERSON(S)

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The date of the Mass does not matter.

The exact date does not matter, but I would prefer one of the following: 7:00 AM on a Weekday 5:00 PM on a Saturday \square

- 9:00 AM on a Saturday
- **7:00** PM on a Tuesday
- 9:30 AM on a Sunday 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 26 - July 2, 2017

Monday

7:00 am - Int. of St. Mark's Catholic Women's League

<u>Tuesday</u>

- ***** 7:00 am Int. of Tammy & Tim Bellingham F. Musclow
 6:00 PM Graduation Mass with St. Dominic Savio's Gr. 8's
- Wednesday
 (MEMORIAL ST. IRENAEUS)

 7:00 am
 - Int. of Gary & Pat Attack Mary Jo Flood
- Thursday (SOLEMNITY ST. PETER & ST. PAUL) * NO MASS TODAY
- <u>Friday</u>, July 1st **CANADA'S 150TH BIRTHDAY** 7:00 am + Tony & Ruth Hayek – Ylanda

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Saturday

9:00 am + Veronica Sheehan – Mark & Eleanor Lawlor

13TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

- 2 Kings 4:8-12a, 14-16; Romans 6:3-4, 8-11; Matthew 10:37-42
- <u>Sat</u>. 5:00 PM Int. of Jane Petrovich Marcella Tomlinson
- Sun. 9:30 am Int. of the Parishioners of St. Mark's
 - 11:30 am Int. of Brian Flood Mary Jo Flood

Offertory Collections	<u>June 17/18, 2017</u>
Sunday envelopes	\$ 2,614.00
Sunday loose	\$ 405.60
Sunday pre-authorized debits (MONTHLY AMOUNT x12	÷52) <u>\$ 1,294.15</u>
TOTAL SUNDAY OFFERINGS	\$ 4,313.75
Mortgage envelopes	\$ 250.00
Sunday pre-authorized debits (MONTHLY AMOUNT x12	÷52) <u>\$ 257.19</u>
TOTAL MORTGAGE OFFERINGS	\$ 507.19
June 4 th First Communion Mass	\$ 482.45
Thank you for your generosity!	

LITURGICAL ROLES				
July 1 & 2	Sat. 5:00PM	Sun. 9:30 AM	Sun. 11:30 AM	
Altar Servers:	B./C. Morgan	Can you help?	N./A. Gallagher	
Commentator:	B. Burns	J. Flanigan	I. Kangaloo	
Lector:	M. Serschen	V. De Vries	O. Sirju	
Ushers:	L. Macedo R. Phillips	B. Coutinho J./K. Culley-Snyder	Can you help?	
Gift Bearers:	Weber	Rye	Can you help?	
Eucharistic Ministers:	K. Friesen L. Macedo C. Dokis	M. Walser R. Groothuis J. Detzler	B./S. Markides F. Kangaloo	
	C. Dokis		F. Kangaloo	

★ <u>JULY, AUGUST & SEPT</u>.... 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!

Today is White Box Sunday

The St. Vincent de Paul Society has placed a White Box in the narthex this weekend (June 24/25) for anyone wishing to make a donation.

Meetings & Events This Week

DATE	TIME	ROOM	<u>EVENT</u>
Mon. June 26	7:00 pm	(H)	Alcoholics Anonymous
Tue. June 27	10:00 am	(J)	Wisdom & Acts of Mercy (DVD series)
	6:00 pm	(CH)	Grade 8 Graduation Mass (St. Dominic)
Wed. June 28	7:00 pm	(B)	Women's Prayer Group
Thu. June 29	6:00 pm	(M)	Legion of Mary
	6:00 pm	(L)	S.M.Y.C.A. (St. Mark's Young Catholic Adults)
<u>Fri. June 30</u>	6:00 am	(L)	Men's Group
	6:00 pm	(H)	booked
Meeting Rooms:	CH = Church	H = Ha	all B = Basement

M = St. Matthew Room J = St. John Room L = St. Luke Room

From the Pastors Desk



Dear people of St. Mark's Parish,

Most of what I wish to express will have been said at the Sunday Masses. It has been a wonderful five years here at St. Mark's Parish, and your prayerful support and otherwise has been outstanding. I will surely miss you.

There are a few names I will mention, but not in the bulletin, so as not to cause any embarrassment.

I will be relocated to St. John Brebeuf Parish in Erin, Ontario. Drop by anytime – just let me know by phone if it's for lunch or even a game of golf (I hope I'll be able to play by summertime).

Fr. Steve Murrin will begin his administration of the parish at 12 noon on Wednesday, June 28th. My work as pastor of St. John Brebeuf will commence at the same time (a throwback to the Gary Cooper/Grace Kelly western, "High Noon" – at that very moment, that very second in time, I think I turn into a pumpkin, or I stop being something and I get to be something else – holy smokes!). Back to Fr. Murrin … He's a very friendly, talented and capable man. I know this because he more or less succeeded me at St. Basil's in Brantford and the people spoke highly of him. So I know you are getting a good priest and I know you will welcome him with open arms – as a priest and as a brother in Christ.

Thanks to you, we're leaving our parish facilities in pretty good shape. Father will generate the parish in ways that I did not or could not. God bless him in his new parish.

Arrivederci amici. Dio vi benedica sempre. Prega per me. (Goodbye friends. God bless you always. Pray for me.)

- Padre Don Sanvido

We offer our sympathy and prayers to the families and friends of:

Shirley Jewer, wife of Arnold, mother of Shirley, Jolene & Keith;

Gloria Williams, mother of Colette, Rita and Yvonne;

and **Joe Lembo**, father of Tina, Maria and Anthony.

Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon them. May they rest in peace. Amen.

Vacation Bible Camp (ages 5-10)

St. Mark's will be offering Bible Camp, every morning from 9 am to 12 noon, during the week of **July 24th – 28th** for children ages 5 to 10. Don't miss out on the fun – it's going to be an awesome week! Cost is \$30/child, or \$25 each for 2 or more children per family. **Registration takes place in the narthex after the 9:30 and 11:30 Masses during the month of June.** Youth and adult volunteers are needed. Any hours spent volunteering will be eligible for high school community service hours. Interested volunteers may contact Barb Denomme at 519-884-3389 or <u>barbdenomme@gmail.com</u>. A volunteer sign-up sheet is also available in the narthex.

The Diocese wants your input!

What supports do families need from the Church? What are the pressures they face in their day to day lives? What are the challenges, joys, highs and lows in families today? Where do they seek support when it is needed? Where do they see the role of the Church in their lives and in helping them cope with everyday life issues and events?

The Diocese of Hamilton, through the Family Ministry Office, wants to hear from you on these topics. You can do this in two ways:

1. Attend our Symposium for Families being held on September 23rd, 2017 beginning with Bishop Crosby saying Mass at 9:30 and ending at 4 p.m.

2. Fill in the on line survey posted on the website beginning June 28 $^{\rm th}$ at:

http://hamiltondiocese.com/offices/family-ministry/symposium-on-family The more people who engage in both these events the greater the knowledge we will gather. Family matters - help us discover how the Diocese can help you in the most important role of family. For more information call 905-528-7988 and ask for Teresa (ext. 2250) or Wendy (ext. 2241).

POSITIONS AVAILABLE AT MARIAN RESIDENCE

The Sisters of Our Lady Immaculate wish to publicize the following hiring positions available at the Marian Residence in Cambridge:

- Summer Cook (temporary)
- Nursing (permanent part-time)
- Personal Support Worker (PSW) (temporary)
- Cleaning (permanent)
- Cleaning (part-time)

Interested candidates please contact Sister Michael Daniel, the administrator at 640 Hillview Road, Cambridge, Ontario N3H 5H3 for details, or call for an appointment at 519-653-0363.

C.W.L. News

Congratulations to Mary Collins and her guest Bonnie Kent, prize winners at the wonderful "Spring Into Summer Supper." Five other ladies also left the dinner with our pretty table centre pieces. Thank you to all



who attended, especially Fr. Don, who despite his significant pain, graciously celebrated Mass to start our evening beautifully. It was our pleasure to have Fr. Don join us for dinner, affording us the opportunity to visit with him through the evening and personally wish him well as he prepares to take on his new assignment. Good food, great wine, wonderful company with lively conversation and lots to look forward to with keen anticipation when we reconvene in September! Stay tuned for all the details but in the meantime, mark your calendars!...

- Sept 17 Vocations Mass *Blessed Sacrament, Burford* Sept 21 – Parish Council General Meeting
- Sept 30 League Development Day St. Joseph, Guelph
- **Oct 19** Parish Council General Meeting
- **Nov 16** Parish Council General Meeting

Please don't forget our commitment to Eucharistic Adoration in the chapel every Sunday afternoon from 4-5 and sign up on the sheet on the CWL table in the Narthex if you can help. Have a safe and blessed summer. Kim Friesen, President

GREAT MONTH OF JULY NOVENA FOR THE MOST PRECIOUS BLOOD

<u>OF JESUS CHRIST</u>: July 1-9 in honour of the 9 Choirs of Angels; July 13-15 in honour of the Holy Trinity; July 20-31 for the New Israel. Begins with Exposition of Blessed Sacrament at 3 pm – 7 pm (weekdays); 10 am – 1 pm (Sat. & Sun.) at St. Joseph Church Rectory Chapel, Kitchener.

43RD ANNUAL PILGRIMAGE TO THE SHRINES OF QUEBEC

Aug. 7 – 12, 2017. We will visit Cap-de-la-Madeleine, Ste.-Anne-de-Beaupre, St. Joseph's Oratory, etc. Spiritual Advisor: Fr. Jerome Mascarenhas, OCD, PP of St. Aloysius Church, Kitchener. For more info please contact Rose Gunn at 519-744-5923 or <u>rosejqunn@qmail.com</u> or Erna Spoenlein at 519-743-1030.

<u>CHRISTIAN FAMILY HOLIDAY INC./CAMP KUMUNTOME</u> – If you haven't booked your week yet, or know someone who would benefit from a week at camp, email for more info: kumuntome@gmail.com. For info on how to register visit <u>www.campkumuntome.ca/registration</u>. Don't let finances deter you and your family from a fun-filled relaxing family retreat – all families deserve a vacation together! Available Weeks: Aug. 6-11 and Aug. 27-Sept. 2.

<u>SUMMER STAFF AT CAMP KUMUNTOME</u> – Still searching for an Aquatics Director for the summer. If you or someone you know has a minimum of Bronze Cross and would enjoy a summer at a faith-based Camp, please have them contact Barbara Daly for more information. 519-635-2604 or at bmdaly@me.com.

<u>CURSILLO 2017</u> – 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 18 years of age, and are open to a closer relationship with our God and Saviour, consider a Cursillo weekend: **Women: Oct. 12-15 Men: Oct. 26-29** For more information speak with a "Cursillista member" in your parish, or Google cursillohamilton.org, or contact:

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