

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 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.

THE MOST HOLY TRINITY SUNDAY

Worship This Week

June 16 – 22, 2014

Monday

7:00 am + David Baggey – *the Baggey Family*

Tuesday

7:00 pm + Lori Bassani – *the Voll cousins*

Wednesday

7:00 am + Donald Magnus – *Jean Schekene*

Thursday

7:00 am - Int. of Deacon Justin Ruiss – *Gayle Cunningham*

Friday

★ NO MORNING MASS

★ 7:00 pm + Barbara O'Connell – *Colette Dokis*

Saturday (memorial – St. Aloysius Gonzaga)

9:00 am - Int. of Roby & Samra Semre – *Elizabeth Habtay*

Solemnity of the Most Holy Body & Blood Of Christ

Deuteronomy 8:2-3, 14-16; 1 Corinthians 10:16-17; John 6:51-59

Sat. 5:00 pm - Int. of Denise Tully Remillard – *Frank & Yvette*
+ Jerry Snidr – *Agnes*

Sun. 9:30 am - Int. of the Parishioners of St. Mark's

11:30 am + Jerry Detzler – *Donna Leinhardt*

Offertory Collections

June 7/8, 2014

Envelope Users	\$ 3,547.00
Loose monies	\$333.60
TOTAL SUNDAY OFFERINGS	\$ 3,880.60
Mortgage Fund	\$ 310.00

Thank you for your generosity!



SPIRIT CREW

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

■ LAST FAITH SHARING: Friday, June 20th from 7-9 p.m.

Please come and join us for our last evening of faith and fellowship before the summer! Remember your bible, a journal and a free will offering for the snack that will be provided. Please let us know if you will be attending! – Email **Lisa** at lmaenpaa@primus.ca, or **Christine** at cutting_abcd@rogers.com.

■ WONDERLAND TRIP: Saturday, June 28th

Any Youth interested in attending this fun, annual full-day event are asked to complete a **permission form** located on the Spirit Crew Bulletin Board and return to the Spirit Crew Mailbox located on the back wall of the narthex. **Deadline for handing in your permission forms and money is Sunday, June 22nd.**

INVITE A FRIEND TO COME ALONG WITH YOU AND SHARE IN THE FUN!! More details about this event can be found on the Spirit Crew Bulletin Board.

DON'T FORGET TO BRING IN YOUR OUTER MILK BAGS and drop them in the milk crate in the narthex. We need 700 in order to make a sleeping mat for victims of natural disaster in Haiti and other countries. Thanks for your support!

LITURGICAL ROLES

June 21 & 22	SAT. 5:00 PM	SUN. 9:30 AM	SUN. 11:30 AM
Altar Servers:	V./P./J. Miller	R./K. Ertel D. Bristol	B./B. Starr K./N. Starr
Commentator:	J. Simone	H. Chang	J. Petrovich
Lector:	M. Dufresne	J. Deneau	P. Masbad
Ushers:	A./T. Montag	F./B. Seaward	B. Voisin F. Sawaya
Gift Bearers:	Miller	Cerantola	Maenpaa
Eucharistic Ministers:	C. Dokis K. Friesen L. Macedo F./Y. Tully	S. Cerantola B./A. Cutting H. Kress M. Lynch	K./T. Boettger B./S. Markides C./K. Dignam

★ PLEASE SIGN-UP FOR JULY & AUGUST on the sheets posted on the blackboard in the narthex. Thank you!

Ladies' Potluck ... ALL LADIES OF THE PARISH are invited to St. Mark's C.W.L. Potluck Dinner **this Thursday, June 19th** at 6:00 p.m. in the Church Hall. It will be a fun evening and a great opportunity to get to know more about the C.W.L. organization and all it offers!

Vacation Bible Camp (ages 5-10)

St. Mark's will again be offering Bible Camp, every morning from 9 am to 12 noon, during the week of **July 7th – 11th** for children ages 5 to 10. Cost is \$30/child, or \$25 each for 2 or more children per family. **Registration will take place after the 9:30 and 11:30 Masses on June 15, 22, 29 and July 6th.** Don't miss out on the fun – it's going to be an awesome week!

Youth and adult volunteers are needed. Any hours spent volunteering will be eligible for high school community service hours. If you are interested please contact either:
- **Barb Denomme** (519-884-3389) denomme123@rogers.com
- **Greta Dunlop** (519-742-9888) gretadunlop@hotmail.com.

Swing Into Fall Golf Tournament!

St. Mark's would like to organize a **Best Ball Golf Tournament** for **Saturday, Sept. 20th** with a Shotgun Start at 8:30 a.m. **Cost per player is \$85** for 18 holes, cart and dinner. (If you wish to attend the DINNER ONLY cost is \$30.) Please announce your interest to play by signing up on the table in the narthex, or by contacting Cathy at cathy.gelsinger@yahoo.ca or **519-954-5734** and leave a message (please provide your name, contact information and number of golfers in your message). Friends are welcome!!

St. Mark's has a Prayer Network

Are you in need of prayer? If you are experiencing loss, sadness, illness or grief, if you are struggling with questions of faith or have a particular concern, please let us know. **We have a dedicated group of people who will pray for your request.** You can email your request to stmarkprayers@gmail.com. Your request for prayer can be anonymous if you prefer.

LOOKING FOR FAITH-FILLED INTERCESSORS... If you have a heart for prayer and would like to pray for the confidential needs of others, please send an email to stmarkprayers@gmail.com.



A Prayer for Father's Day

God our Father, in your wisdom and love you made all things. Bless our fathers, that they may be strengthened as Christian fathers. Let the example of their faith and love shine forth. Grant that we, their sons and daughters, may honor them always with a spirit of profound respect. Grant this through Christ our Lord. Amen.



St. Vincent de Paul News...

We would like to thank St. Mark's Spirit Crew (youth group) for their donation of \$868.85 raised at their 30-Hour Famine. Thank you! Donations received in our June white box collection were \$394.20. Our conference has been very busy the last few months. The number of families we service has increased each month: 30 families from Jan. to Feb., 40 in March, 45 in April, then 51 in May. As a result, our shelves are getting low on food. We have placed a bucket in the church lobby for those who are able to assist us – we are especially in need of tuna, pasta sauce, tomatoes, vegetables and cereal. Thank you for your continued support!

Daily Mass – A gift that summer can give us...

No doubt, the cold icy conditions in winter and the extra time needed to get to work make it difficult and downright inconvenient to get to daily Mass. On the other hand, the warm days of summer and the early rising of the sun may very well mean that we are up a little earlier, are less rushed to get off to work and are even more anxious to get out of the house.

Have you considered starting your day with early morning Mass? A family friend of mine, once retired, decided to help kill time by going to daily Mass. He now goes to Mass nearly every day, but with a somewhat altered attitude. His love and appreciation for the sacrifice of Jesus, the Eucharist and God's works has deepened his faith so much that even when he travels he looks eagerly for a Catholic Church so that he can attend daily as well as Sunday Mass. He can't, as it were, live without God's daily bread.

To all who are able – consider coming out to Mass at least once over and above the Sunday obligation. Remember, it's not about feelings, it's about eternity. – Fr. Don

Interested in Becoming Catholic? (16 yrs. and older)

If you or anyone else that you know is truly interested in at least inquiring – let us know and fill out the form below and return it to the church as soon as possible.

**I AM INTERESTED IN BECOMING CATHOLIC.
PLEASE CONTACT ME AT:**

NAME: _____
 ADDRESS: _____
 PHONE: _____
 EMAIL: _____

C.W.L. Corner ...



MARK YOUR CALENDAR!

- **Thursday, June 19:** Summer Potluck (see page 1)
- **Saturday, Sept. 13:** Wine Tour (MEMBERS ONLY!)
- **Thursday, Oct. 2:** Mass at the Carmelite Monastery

MISSON TALK at St. Joseph Church (Kitchener) on **Tuesday, June 17th** after the 7pm mass in the hall. Speaker: Comboni Missionary Fr. Guido Oliana. Fr. Oliana is visiting the Comboni Community during the months of June and July. He served for 25 years in Uganda and Kenya and also worked in Chicago with the Comboni Missionary seminarians. He is currently in South Sudan as a full-time lecturer of theology in the Major Seminary of Juba. All are welcome to attend.

ANNUAL NOVENA TO ST. ANN (at St. Ann's Parish in Hamilton) **Friday, July 18th to Saturday, July 26th** (the Feast of St. Ann and St. Joachim). Mass each day at 7:00 p.m. Novena Prayers will be offered for those in attendance. During the Novena confessions will be heard each night after Mass with the exception of the closing Mass. Preaching the Novena this year will be Fr. Joe Durkacz. Bishop Douglas Crosby, OMI will offer the Closing Mass of the Novena. Light reception following the closing Mass at St. Ann's School Gym. For more info, please call the parish office at 905-544-0488. All are welcome to this longstanding and blessed event.

Chapel Adoration – Let's all get on board...

We have the greatest of blessings (aside from receiving the Eucharist at Mass) in our parish – perpetual adoration. The Lord waits for us to come and pay Him a visit. Where else can we have the Creator Himself all to ourselves, for a whole hour or even more if we wish? Have you committed yourself to an hour every week before the Blessed Sacrament? If not, then do so right now. Fill out the form below and drop it in the collection basket. We can't afford not to come and be with Him.



Chapel Adoration Sign-Up

I wish to commit to praying one hour every week before our Eucharistic Lord on: (please check...)

- Mon. Tues. Wed. Thur. Fri. Sat. Sun.

from: _____ AM / PM to: _____ AM / PM

- I am flexible and can fill in vacant hour(s)
 I am available for early morning hour(s) (11PM - 7AM)

Name: _____
 Phone: _____
 Email: _____

Thank you everyone for coming to pray before the Lord.
 Thank God for allowing us to be in His holy presence!

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