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Owen Sound Saturday 5:00 pm Sunday 9:00 am, 11:00 am ~ 1854 ~

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St. Mary of the Rosary, Hepworth Sunday 9:00 am (Nov-Mar)



Holy Family, Sauble Beach Sunday 9:00 am (Apr-Oct)



St. Vincent, Meaford Sunday 11:00 am

St. Thomas The Apostle, Tobermory Saturday 11:30 am



St. Mark, Lions Head Saturday 9:30 am

# WEEKDAY MASSES

Owen Sound:	Monday-Friday	9:00 am
	Tuesday, Thursday	$7{:}00~\mathrm{pm}$

#### DIVINE MERCY OWEN SOUND

Friday 3:00 pm - 4:00 pm

#### **OFFICE HOURS**

Tuesday-Friday 9:00 am-12 noon; 1:00 pm-5:00 pm

#### **CONFESSIONS**

30 minutes before all weekday and the Lord's Day Masses.

#### **NEW PARISHIONERS**

Welcome to your new parish! You will find registration forms at the back of the Church. Fill one out and drop it in the collection basket.



St. Stanislaus, Chatsworth Sunday 9:00 am



St. Thomas Aquinas, Wiarton Sunday 11:00 am



### KNIGHTS OF **C**OLUMBUS

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Meetings: Every 2nd Monday - 7:30 pm; Mass: 7:00 pm GRAND KNIGHT

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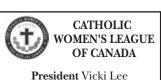
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St. Mary's, Cape Croker Sunday 1:00 pm



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Meetings

1st Wed. of the month Rosary at 6:15 pm Meeting at 7:00 pm

# 21st Sunday in Ordinary Time

August 24th, 2025



**Aug 25 to Aug 31** 

Mon 9:00 am Thanksgiving to God the Father

Tues 9:00 am Luke (Int) 7:00 pm Mary Pat Healy +

Wed 9:00 am Mary Ellen McBride, all family, friends, Neighbours, & enemies (Int) Lee Manor Mass: Tammy Willis (Int – Healing)

Thu 9:00 am Julius & Catharina van Aalst + 7:00 pm Ted Huitema + Private Mass Maria Auguste Francisco +

Fri 9:00 am Anna Szakall (Int)

#### Saturday - August 30

9:30 am Lion's Head – In praise and thanksgiving For Blessings received

11:30 am Tobermory – The deceased relatives & Friends of the De Marchi Family

5:00 pm Owen Sound – Grace for Leah Kim Private Mass – Lorraine O'Bright +

#### Sunday - August 31

9:00 am OS - Susan Romanowich (Int)

11:00 am OS - Mathew Eckert +

9:00 am Chatsworth - Cathy Garrett +

9:00 am Meaford - Richard Dunning +

9:00 am Sauble Beach - Alex & Dorothy Erdman +

11:00 am Wiarton – Rosemay Melett (Int – 100<sup>th</sup> Birthday)

1:00 pm Cape Croker - Pro Populo

# From the Hamilton Diocese Prayer Calendar This week we pray for:

Mon. Rev. Robert Wong, S.J.

Tue. Rev. Philip Shano, S.J.

Wed. Ursuline Sisters, o.s.u.

Thu. Rev. Wieslaw Berdowicz, S.Chr.

Fri. The Passion of St. John the Baptist

Sat. Very Rev. Valentine Onwunjiogu

\* Sacrament of Anointing & Communion to the sick: Available upon request. Please call the office. \*

\*Adoration is every Friday starting at 9:30 until 10:30 am\*

### \*In the Parish\*

Call to Ministry - St. Mary's and The Missions have many important, essential, ministries that help make our Liturgies and Celebrations beautiful. Our Parish relies and depends on parishioners to volunteer to serve in these various ministries.

Yes, there is a commitment to this service, and our



busy lives might make it difficult to add another commitment but imagine if we didn't have these volunteers. Please consider becoming a ministry volunteer. The more we have, the fewer times you will be scheduled.

There are a few ministries particularly in need of recruitment. If you think you would like to learn more about these ministries and perhaps offer your services, please contact Corry Lapointe outoftheloft@gmail.com, or see her after the weekend Masses. We will be having a Call to Ministry Day on September 27<sup>th</sup> and 28<sup>th</sup> where you can learn more about the different ministries in our parish.

Altar Server - Ages 8 and up to serve at the Mass Music Ministry – Choir members Minister of The Word – To read at Mass

Extraordinary Minister of Communion – Help distribute Communion at weekend Masses

Children's Liturgy – Aid the children in understanding the Gospel reading for the week.

Ushers – To assist parishioners & help with collection

Thank you to all present volunteers and welcome to all potential new volunteers.

Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults (RCIA) Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults is a program for



adults who wish to become Catholic. The process includes weekly meetings for about 6 months to study, experience, and integrate the

beauty of our Catholic faith. The journey culminates at the Easter Vigil, when those preparing are received into the Catholic Church. This program is offered every year, beginning in the fall. If you or someone you know is thinking about becoming a Catholic, please contact the parish office to make an appointment to speak with Fr. John.

### \* In the Diocese \*

Young Adults Night in September - Young Adults Night - Hanover Fr. Mark Morley invites all

young adults (ages 20s and 30s) of our diocese to attend an evening of prayer, fellowship and praise music in support of your vocations on Saturday, September 6th at Holy Family Parish (352 - 10th Avenue, Hanover, Ontario). The Young Adults Night will begin with a Holy Hour (7:00pm-8:00pm) in the church and will continue in the school with a social with food (8:00pm-8:30pm), praise night with vocations testimony (8:30pm-9:30pm), and Compline (9:30pm). Sponsored by the Vocations Office of the Diocese Hamilton: https://hamiltondiocese.com/vocations/ For more information, please contact: vocations@hamiltondiocese.com

Frassati Leadership Program - Calling all those entering Grade 10 in September 2025! Are you looking to grow in your faith? Do you want to explore what it means to be a Catholic leader? **The Frassati Leadership Program** may be for you. Join us as we reflect on the foundations of Catholic leadership and foster opportunities for you to grow in your own faith and leadership skills. For more information and to register please visit: <a href="https://hamiltondiocese.com/office/pastoral-offices/youth-ministry/frassati/">https://hamiltondiocese.com/office/pastoral-offices/youth-ministry/frassati/</a>

Did you know... Children in our parishes benefit from the Catechetical Correspondence Program each year for ongoing religious education and preparation for the Sacraments. We need volunteers to support the program! If you are willing to accompany these children in their learning journey, please reach out to the Office for Evangelization and Catechesis at <a href="mailto:catechesis@hamiltondiocese.com">catechesis@hamiltondiocese.com</a>. To learn more about the Catechetical Correspondence Program, please visit: <a href="mailto:https://bit.ly/DOHC CC">https://bit.ly/DOHC CC</a>

Adult Faith Formation Through VLCFF - The Diocese of Hamilton is proud to partner with Dayton University's Virtual Learning Community for Adult Faith Formation (VLCFF) to offer certificate programs for ministry and enrichment for adult faith formation. We are currently taking enrollment for the Youth Ministry Certification Program and the Catechist Formation Program for the Diocese of Hamilton, which begins in September 2025. Three- and five-week eseminars are also available at a discounted rate for all adults in the Diocese looking to further their learning. For more information about our programs, and how to register, visit us at <a href="https://www.hamiltondioceselearns.com">www.hamiltondioceselearns.com</a>

Vocations – The Lord is calling people from the East and West and from North and South as priests, deacons, sisters and brothers. Are you one of them? If God is calling you contact Fr. Mark Morley, Director of Vocations, Diocese of Hamilton at 905-528-7988, email vocations@hamiltondiocese.com or visit the website: hamiltondiocese.com/vocations/

For the Sick, our fellow parishioners, family members and friends who need our prayers: Peter Myatt, Stephen LaCroix, Lorraine Sprung, Omar Durelle, Doug Okrafka, Ida Foch, James Hachey, Dorothy Hachey, Jamie Hill, Pat McMillan, Becki Knisley, Anne Cahoon, Tina Hill, Joan Frizzell, Julie Hunter, Helen Hunter, Mike Ruth, Forbes Symon, Gabriela Berger, Melissa Shular, Edith Fries, Anne MacDonald, James Gamble, Joann & Noel Price, Valma & Francis Wright, John Rossitter, Doug Shular, Matt Bell, Kenny Dunkley, Marek Powichrowski, Bernadette Lewis, Marlene Burnett, Jerry Couture, Marcia Couture, Paul Burt, Rosanne Lipskie, Cecile Renaud, Robert Pointon, Rob Hillyer, Sharon Richard, Fr. Bill Scanlon, Bill Schinbein, Felix Poole, Arnold Hodgkinson, and Mike Couture. We pray to the Lord.

Donations received the week of Aug 9/10, 2025, and Aug 16/17, 2025				
Owen Sound	\$ 5, 230	\$ 4, 640		
Sauble Beach	2, 032	1, 678		
Meaford	1, 719	1, 262		
Wiarton	925	1, 079		
Hepworth	236	276		
Chatsworth	518	413		
Tobermory	287	422		
Lion's Head	464	<u>487</u>		
	\$ 1 <del>1, 411</del>	\$ <b>10</b> , <b>257</b>		
May God bless you for your generosity.				

Jesus said to them, "Strive to enter through the narrow door; for many, I tell you, will try to enter and will not be able."

Luke: 13: 24

"If love Jesus, I ought to resemble Him. If love Jesus, I ought to love what He loves, what He prefers to all else: humility."

St. Peter Julian Eymard

"One just soul can obtain pardon for a thousand sinners."

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