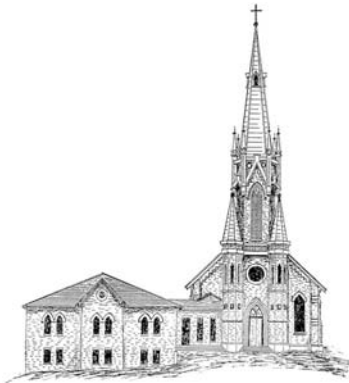


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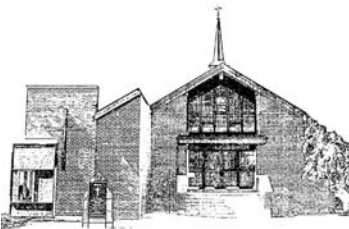
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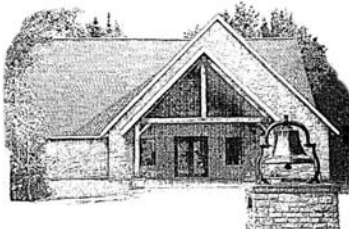
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**St. Mary of the Assumption
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Saturday 5:00 pm
Sunday 9:00 am, 11:00 am



St. Vincent, Meaford
Sunday 11:00 am



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



St. Mark, Lions Head
Saturday 9:30 am

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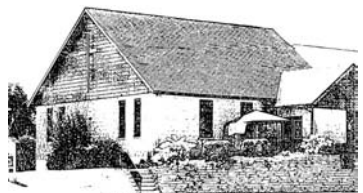
St. Mary of the Rosary, Hepworth
Sunday 9:00 am (Nov-Mar)



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



St. Stanislaus, Chatsworth
Sunday 9:00 am



St. Thomas Aquinas, Wiarton
Sunday 11:00 am



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

WEEKDAY MASSES

Owen Sound: Wednesday-Friday.....9:00am
Tuesday, Thursday.....7:00pm

OFFICE HOURS

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

ADORATION

9:30am - 10:30am in Owen Sound on Fridays

BAPTISMS

Baptisms take place following Sunday Mass. Please contact the parish office. A date for baptism will be set after the parents meet with a priest.

CONFESSIONS

30 minutes before all Masses or by appointment.

WEDDINGS

Please contact the parish office one year before the desired date of marriage.

FUNERALS

When a loved one passes away, please contact the funeral home you have chosen to serve you. Funeral arrangements at the church will be coordinated through the Funeral Home.

NEW PARISHIONERS

Welcome to your parish! You will find registration forms at the back of the church. Please fill one out and put in the collection basket.

2nd Sunday of Easter
April 12, 2026



Apr 13 to Apr 19

No Monday Mass

Tuesday, April 14

No Tuesday Morning Mass

7:00 pm Special Intention

Wednesday, April 15

9:00 am Tillie Maine (Int)

Lee Manor Special Intention

Thursday, April 16

9:00 am Bernadette Lewis (Int)

7:00 pm Jeremy Fleming +

Friday, April 17

9:00 am Brenda Lee (Int)

Saturday, April 18

9:30 am Lion's Head – The Dunning Family (Int)

11:30 am Tobermory – Special Intention

5:00 pm Owen Sound –

Anne McNeil (Int)

Lane MacDermid (Int)

Stephen Kim (Int)

Pat Wilson (Int)

Ryszard Kotlarz (Int)

Wayne Vacheresse +

Sunday, April 19

9:00 am OS – Mikyle Romanowich (Int)

11:00 am OS – Kenneth Rankin +

9:00 am Chatsworth – Frank Beirnes +

11:00 am Meaford – Catalina Saladino +

9:00 am Sauble Beach – Bishop Emeritus Douglas Crosby (Int)

11:00 am Wiarton – Pro Populo

1:00 pm Cape Croker – Mass

From the Hamilton Diocese Prayer Calendar

This week we pray for:

Mon. Rev. Ross Campbell

Tue. Most Rev. Joseph A. Dabrowski, C.S.M.A.

Wed. Permanent Deacons

Thu. Grandparents & the Elderly

Fri. Rev. Moices Caballero

Sat. Most Rev. Wayne Lobsinger

* **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***

The Pope's Prayer Intentions for April

For priests in crisis

Let us pray for priests going through moments of crisis in their vocation, that they may find the accompaniment they need and that communities may support them with understanding and prayer.

In the Parish

Update from Holy Family Catholic Church, Sauble Beach

In February, Holy Family Church submitted a grant application to the ExCorde Foundation, Diocese of Hamilton. In March, we learned that we were granted \$75,000.00. This money will be allocated to three projects: The repair and painting of the ceiling and walls in the Sacristy and all the rooms within the Priests' Cottage, the excavation and building of a much-needed accessible ramp entry into the church and the landscaping required once the ramp is finished. All work will be completed as soon as possible. We extend a special thanks to the ExCorde Foundation, Diocese of Hamilton for their financial assistance with these three important initiatives. The donation is very much appreciated by all regular, seasonal parishioners and summer visitors.

Congratulations and welcome – We would like to acknowledge the 3 candidates and 3 catechumens who were baptised and confirmed at the Easter Vigil. May God bless each of you and may you be filled with the gifts of the Holy Spirit.



Registration for Confirmation - Confirmation registration is currently being accepted for children in grade 7 and up. The registration form is on the parish website, or you can also pick one up at the parish office. The **deadline** to have your registration in is **Friday, April 17th**.



Divine Mercy Sunday – The Second Sunday of Easter is Divine Mercy Sunday. Please join us at 3:00 pm this Sunday in Owen Sound for Divine Mercy Hour where we will pray the Chaplet of Divine Mercy together.



Knights of Columbus - The Knights of Columbus invite you to their monthly breakfast this **Sunday, April 12th after the 9 am and 11 am Masses** at St. Mary's Church, in the Parish Centre. A donation is appreciated with proceeds going towards K of C projects.



Parish Gift Shop – We have many new items in the gift shop if you are looking for crucifixes, Rosaries, prayer books, bibles, and Sacramental gifts. Please drop by during



office hours (Tuesday – Friday 9 am - 5 pm, we are closed for lunch) and have a look.



“He is Risen” car magnets are available for \$5. They can also be placed on your fridge or other metal objects. They measure 16 cm x 16 cm. If you are at a Mission Church and would like to purchase one, please call the parish office.

* *In the Community* *

The Chai Life Cabaret - The Beth Ezekiel Synagogue (in partnership with the Southern Georgian Bay Jewish Community) invites you to step into The Chai Life Cabaret, an evening of song, storytelling and music to delight the hearts and the soul on **Saturday, April 25th**, 2026 at 7:30 pm.

You'll sing, you'll dance, you'll laugh, you'll KVELL! Visit St. George's Hall for an unforgettable, quirky cabaret fundraiser. Your emcee, comedienne Melanie Rosen will welcome a captivating cast, including songstress Stevie Vallance & pianist John McLelland, Voyageur Storytellers, the celebrated Amanda Martinez (with a special virtual Ladino offering), Cantors Paula Baruch and Charles Osborne, Caryn Colman, Sue Piltch, Aly Boltman, Michael Den Tandt, and cultural ambassador extraordinaire Rabbi Steve Schonblum.

Plus, the event will feature a silent auction and a special era-spanning posthumous tribute to everybody's favourite Bubbi, Ruth Gorbet.

To purchase tickets, visit: [The Chai Life Cabaret - At St. George's Hall - The Historic Roxy Theatre](#)

* *In the Diocese* *

The Diocesan Wedding Anniversary Mass – Are you celebrating your 25th, 40th, 50th, 60th, or 60+ Wedding Anniversary in the year 2026? You are cordially invited to join Bishop Dabrowski and couples from across the Diocese of Hamilton for a Wedding Anniversary Mass on Sunday, May 31, 2026 at the Cathedral Basilica of Christ the King in Hamilton at 1:30 pm. (Space allows room for Anniversary couples only - those married 60 years or more may bring one guest if you require assistance). Registration is found under Upcoming Events on the home page at [hamiltondiocese.com](#) or call the Family Ministry Office at 905-528-7988 ext. 2249.



Marriage Tip - All people have busy times in their lives when they seem to need more hours in a day than the actual twenty-four hours allows! It is essential then that we stop long enough to ask ourselves what really matters to us and then to ensure we adjust our schedules accordingly. A spouse should not be on the short end of receiving your time and attention (nor should your family). Set up a date night regularly, be sure to eat at least one meal (even if it is early morning breakfast) together most days, take time to

pray together and attend church together. Life is hectic but sacrificing time with the one you love will not help you get more done, it will only help to distance you from the one you need most.

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 catechesis@hamiltondiocese.com. To learn more about the Catechetical Correspondence Program, please visit: <https://bit.ly/DOHCCC>

World Youth Day Seoul 2027 - The young people of the world have begun their preparations to meet with the Holy Father, Pope Leo XIV at the 41st International Celebration of World Youth Day, Seoul, South Korea. To learn more about this pilgrimage of faith, visit: <https://wydseoul.org/en> . Join us in praying for all young people discerning their participation from our Diocese.

Vocations – “As the Father has sent me, so I send you.” Will you respond to God's call to be sent as priest, deacon, sister or brother? 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 at hamiltondiocese.com/vocations/

For the Sick, our fellow parishioners, family members and friends who need our prayers: Tim Nuttall, Colleen Wright, Robert Pointon, Dawn Phippen, Juras Chester, Melissa Shular, Anne MacDonald, Boguslaw Zielinski, Helen Hunter, Bill Schinbein, Bruno R, Brad F, Joanne & Noel Price, Edith Fries, Mary Lou Watson, Durelle, Frances, Jo Germann, Regina Makuch, Julie Donnelle, Kennedy Curtis, Sue Paquette, Allan Graff, Les Highfield, James Gamble, and Matt Bell. **We pray to the Lord.**



Donations received Apr 5, 2026

Owen Sound	\$ 9, 117
Sauble Beach	1, 198
Meaford	2, 381
Warton	2, 176
Hepworth	229
Chatsworth	313
Tobermory	58
Lion's Head	349
	<u>\$ 15, 821</u>

Budgeted offerings required to date: \$ 163, 520
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May God bless you for your generosity.

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