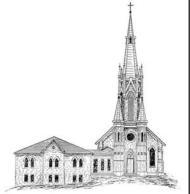
St. Mary of The Assumption and Missions

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St. Mary of the Assumption Owen Sound 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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> Meetings 1st Wed. of the month

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



Holy Family, Sauble Beach Saturday 5:00 pm (July-Aug) Sunday 9:00 am (Apr-Oct)



St. Stanislaus, Chatsworth Sunday 9:00 am



St. Thomas Aquinas, Wiarton Sunday 11:00 am



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PASTORAL TEAM

PRIESTS

Pastor Fr. Wojciech Kuzma **Associate Pastor** Fr. James McSharry

PERMANENT DEACON Deacon Philip Dwyer

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WEEKDAY MASSES

Owen Sound:	Monday-Friday Tuesday, Thursday	
Sauble Beach: (Apr-Oct)	1st, 3rd, 5th Wed. of the month	7:00 pm
Hepworth: (Nov-Mar)	1st, 3rd, 5th Wed. of the month	7:00 pm
Meaford:	2nd, 4th Wed. of the month	7:00 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 in the pews. Fill one out and drop it in the collection basket.



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770 6th St. East - 519-372-0537

Meetings: Every 2nd Monday – 7:30 pm; Mass: 7:00 pm

GRAND KNIGHT John Rossitter - 519-372-0724

INSURANCE AGENT Carlos Diaz - 519-500-0947 **CATHOLIC SCHOOLS**

Ècole St-Dominique-Savio 519-371-0627

> St. Basil's School 519-376-9370

Notre Dame Catholic School 519-371-0161

St. Mary's High School 519-376-4278

Passion (Palm) Sunday April 14 2019

Mass Intentions

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April 15 - 21

Mon 9:00 am - Frank Foch + Tue 9:00 am - Bob Hertel + 7:00 pm – Colleen Warmington (Int) Wed 9:00 am- Julie Donelle Int. & the Cashman Family Int. 10:00 am Lee Manor - Mass 7:00 pm Sauble Beach – Martha & Art Radbourne (Int) and a Parishioner's Intention Holy Thursday – Mass of the Lord's Supper

7:00 pm – Owen Sound - Fr. Pawel Zborowski (Int) Good Friday

3:00 pm Liturgy of the Lord's Passion - Owen Sound 3:00 pm Liturgy of the Lord's Passion – Tobermory

3:00 pm Liturgy of the Lord's Passion - Wiarton

3:00 pm Liturgy of the Lord's Passion - Meaford

7:00 pm Owen Sound - Stations of the Cross, Confession Holy Saturday

11:00 am – Blessing of the Easter Food – OS church hall

7:00 pm - Easter Vigil Mass- Nathan Chamberland (Int) Easter Sunday - April 21

9:00 am Chatsworth- Richard Dunning +

9:00 am Sauble Beach- Dolores McNamara (Int)

9:00 am Lion's Head - Rita Rudolph +

9:00 am Owen Sound - Antonia Kern +

11:00 am Owen Sound - Kenneth Rankin +

11:00 am Wiarton- Irma MacKnight & Family & Pro Populo

11:00 am Meaford – Irene Goode +

11:00 am Cape Croker – Dorothy & Ross Johnston (Int)

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

- Mon Fr. Paul Hrynczyszyn
- Tue Fr. Adam Wroblewicz
- Wed **Diaconate Formation Candidates**
- Thu Holy Thursday
- Fri **Good Fridav**
- Sat Fr. John Redmond
- * Sacrament of Anointing & Communion to the Sick: Available upon request
- * Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament: Every Friday from 9:30 am to 4:00 pm

What's Happening April 15 - 21

Monday – Choir 7:00 pm Wednesday - Prayers & Squares 9:30 am Good Friday – Stations of the Cross 7:00 pm Holy Saturday - Blessing of the Easter Foods 11:00 am

From the Pastor's Desk:

Holy Week is here! The journey of Lent comes to its climactic end this week. Passion Sunday is celebrated a week before Easter Sunday, and reminds us of the sacrifice of Jesus. We listen to the events that led to Christ's death

as the Church invites us to immerse ourselves into Christ's death, so that we may rise with Him on the third day. On Monday all priests will gather with our Bishop at the

Cathedral of Christ the King in Hamilton to celebrate the Chrism Mass. Priests will renew their promises before the Bishop, and oils will be blessed and distributed to all parishes for use in the sacramental ministry for the upcoming year. On Thursday we will recall and celebrate the institution of the sacraments of the Eucharist and the Priesthood with the Mass of the Last Supper at 7pm. On Good Friday we will honour Christ's death with Liturgies of Christ's Passion at 3pm, and Stations of the Cross at 7pm. On Holy Saturday we will decorate our churches and bless Easter food, and in the evening at 7pm we will celebrate the Easter Vigil Mass. Paschal candles will be blessed at this Mass and returned to all of our churches. We will also receive six adults into the Catholic Faith during this solemn Mass. Easter Sunday Masses will be celebrated throughout our parish with the focus on God's victory over death and sin. Please refer to the Holy Week schedule of liturgies and join us.

We welcome Fr. Ray Jackson who has arrived to spend a few weeks with us. Fr. Ray is a good friend to many of us, and at the age of 91 he continues to serve the Lord and His Church. Having grown up in Owen Sound Fr. Ray likes to visit a few times a year. After many years of serving as a Basilian priest in Mexico, Fr. Ray now lives in a retirement home for Basilians in Toronto. We are blessed by his presence and faithful example.

Fr. Wojtek Kuzma

A Seminarian's Thoughts:

The first year of seminary is what we call the Spiritual Year. Rather than plunging the men entering directly into studies, the idea is to give them a year focussed on the essentials: prayer and discernment. A man may have philosophy and theology degrees, but that is not going to make him a good priest. Without a deep and consistent prayer life, a priest will get himself into trouble sooner or later.

We were taught the Spiritual Exercises of St. Ignatius of Loyola, the founder of the Jesuits and one of the great spiritual masters. Every day we did a holy hour of Ignatian meditation, and every week we would meet with a spiritual director trained in the Exercises to review how our prayer was developing.

We also did charitable work. Each of us was assigned an apostolate where we would volunteer once a week. I was tasked with helping out at the Good Shepherd Centre in downtown Toronto. It was a fantastic experience. The Centre was a soup kitchen and a homeless shelter, and we had a clothing room downstairs where'd we hand out whatever clothing the men needed. In January we spent a whole month of immersion working at our apostolate. In my case, I lived with the brothers who ran the Centre and worked there six days a week.

We also had the blessing that year of travelling to the Holy Land for twelve days. We had been meditating everyday on the life of Our Lord in our daily meditation-now it would be brought to life. We walked in the same places where Our Saviour had walked, we saw where he preached, where he ate, where he died and was buried. It was a life-changing trip, and one I won't soon forget.

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Jesus remember me, when you come into your kingdom. Lk 23.42

Holy Week :

Holy Thursday – April 18th 7:00 pm Mass of the Lord's Supper – in Owen Sound 8:00 pm – 10:00 pm Eucharistic Adoration

Good Friday – April 19th

3:00 pm Liturgy of the Lord's Passion Owen Sound
3:00 pm Liturgy of the Lord's Passion Meaford
3:00 pm Liturgy of the Lord's Passion Tobermory
3:00 pm Liturgy of the Lord's Passion Wiarton
7:00 pm Stations of the Cross-Confessions Owen Sound

Holy Saturday – April 20th 11:00 am Blessing of Easter Food - Owen Sound hall 7:00 pm Easter Vigil Mass - Owen Sound

> Easter Sunday - Resurrection of the Lord -Masses April 21st

9:00 am - Chatsworth Sauble Beach Lion's Head Owen Sound 11:00 am - Owen Sound Wiarton Meaford

Cape Croker

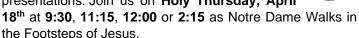


* In the Parish *

St Thomas Aquinas CWL will be having their second annual Spiritual retreat with Deacon Phil Dwyer on Saturday April 27th from 10:00 am to 2:00 pm. Bring your own Lunch. Coffee, Tea, Juice and muffins will

be provided. All are welcome to attend.

The Way of the Cross - We would like to invite the parish community to **Notre Dame's** presentation of the **Way of the Cross**. We will be hosting four presentations. Join us on **Holy Thursday, April**



Job Posting - Bill van Trigt has decided to retire as the groundskeeper at St. Mary's in Owen Sound. We will miss Bill's smile and presence, and we thank him for his faithful service. This means that we are looking for a part time groundskeeper to take Bill's place. Please contact the parish office by April 24, 2019, if you are interested and would like more information.

* In the Community *

Aveda Walk for Food & Water - April 26th, 5 km walk



begins at 4:00 pm. Come join us to raise money for **OSHaRE**. Register as an individual or as a team. <u>www.oshare.ca</u> for more information. **St. Mary's volunteers** at

OSHaRE have a team registered for the walk – St. Mary's, the Missionaries. Will you sponsor them? If approached by a team member, please be generous. Thank you.

Bereavement Support Group - Thursday 1:30 - 3p.m. starting April 11th - May 30. Sauble Family Health Clinic Board Room. 672 Main St. Sauble Beach. To Register, Please contact Nancy Forgrave - Bruce Peninsula Hospice 519-534-1260 X 5612.

Georgian Bay Concert Choir presents: Spring Concert, April 26th 7:30 pm at the Harmony Centre, 890 4th Ave E, Owen Sound. Tickets: \$25 adults, \$5 youth. Call 519-372-1364 for further details.

* In the Diocese *

The Good Friday Pontifical Collection - April 19,



2019 in support of the Holy Land. Each year, on Good Friday, our parish is called to support Christians in the Holy Land. Many Christians in the Holy Land depend on the collection for their lives.

Continue the Conversation - Parents, Grandparents, Young Adults, Pro-Life Supporters - Tuesday, April 16th, 7:00 pm, Knights of Columbus Centre Hanover. The Catholic School Board, in partnership with the Knights of Columbus, is sponsoring a workshop during the day with the grade 8 students from Hanover, Walkerton and Chepstow. *Made with Love, for Love, by Love*. The evening session at 7 pm is for parents, grandparents, and all those interested in knowing how to talk about pro-life issues with young people.

For the Sick, our fellow parishioners and family members

who are in need of our prayers: for Joan Hepburn, Paul Bagget, Doug Woolway, Coleen Warmington, baby Sutton and baby Kellen, Rosaleen Engel, Marilyn Schinbein, Becki Knisley, Joanne LaFlamme Talbot, June Peet, Mike Adams, Sharon Cantlon, Tom McDonnell, Maureen McTeague, Vern Finlayson, Fred Fries, Josh Cahoon, and Sean McTeague, -**We pray to the Lord**. We are rebuilding our prayer list. If you or a loved one are in need of prayer, please call the office. Each year, at this time, we will begin our list anew.

Donations for April 6 - 7, 2019			
Owen Sound	\$ 5,861		
Meaford	1,116		
Sauble Beach	906		
Chatsworth	729		
Wiarton	583		
Lion's Head	246		
Tobermory	171		
Hepworth	145		
	\$ 9,757		

Weekly cost to run St. Mary's & the Missions \$11,130

Have you considered PAR? (Pre-Authorized Remittance) it's easy and convenient and you can find the PAR form on our website, or call the office for more information.

