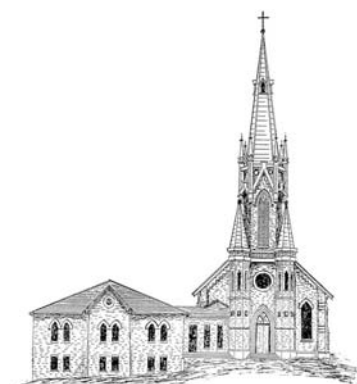


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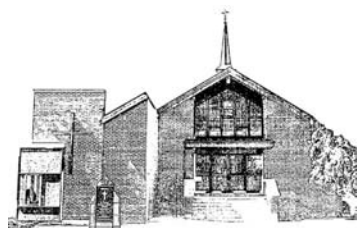
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**St. Mary of the Assumption  
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Saturday 5:00 pm  
Sunday 9:00 am, 11:00 am



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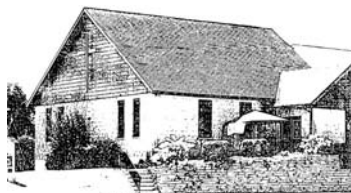
**St. Mary of the Rosary, Hepworth**  
Sunday 9:00 am (Nov-Mar)



**Holy Family, Sauble Beach**  
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

## WEEKDAY MASSES

Owen Sound: Monday-Friday ..... 9:00 am

Tuesday, Thursday ..... 7:00 pm

Sauble Beach: 1st, 3rd, 5th Wed. of the month ..... 7:00 pm  
(Apr-Oct)

Hepworth: 1st, 3rd, 5th Wed. of the month ..... 7:00 pm  
(Nov-Mar)

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

# The Presentation of the Lord

## February 2, 2020



February 3 - 9

- Mon 9:00 am – Alexander Hall (Int)
- Tue 9:00 am – Charles Vince +  
7:00 pm – Hank Huitema (Int)
- Wed 9:00 am – Len Keffer +
- Thu 9:00 am – Jacob DeNardo (Int)  
7:00 pm – Ignatius Lee (Int)
- Fri 9:00 am – Kate Rodman (Int)  
10:30 am Errinrung – Teresa Boland +

### Saturday – February 8

- 9:30 am Lion’s Head – Nicole St Pierre +
- 11:30 am Tobermory – Mass
- 5:00 pm Owen Sound – Jean Fairly +

### 5<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time – February 9

- 9:00 am Chatsworth – Fred & Edith Fries (Int)
- 9:00 am Hepworth – Pro Populo
- 9:00 am OS – Harry Kazarian, Jr. +
- 11:00 am OS – Rick Zottl +
- 11:00 am Warton – Danutra & Piotr Suwala +
- 11:00 am Meaford – Richard Dunning +
- 1:00 pm Cape Croker – Mass

### From the Hamilton Diocese Prayer Calendar

#### This week we pray for:

- Mon Fr. Michael Isabelle
- Tue Fr. Martin Mikulski
- Wed Missionaries
- Thu Fr. Antonio Cunha
- Fri Fr. Lourdy Dorismond
- Sat Fr. Ross Campbell

\* **Sacrament of Anointing & Communion to the Sick:**  
Available upon request



February 3 - 9

- Tuesday – Seniors’ Cards ..... 1:00 pm
- Wednesday – CWL General Meeting ..... 7:00 pm
- Thursday – Teaching Thursdays ..... 7:30 pm
- Friday – Divine Mercy Devotion ..... 3:00 pm
- Saturday – Ultreya ..... 9:00 am

### From the Pastor’s Desk:



Teaching Thursdays - is my latest brainchild. The idea is to offer an opportunity for ongoing Catechesis for the members of our parish. Thursday is also a special day, because it commemorates the institution of the priesthood, so what better day than Thursday for people to gather with their priests in order to discuss, study, and deepen their knowledge of the faith. I'm hoping that this will become an ongoing feature in our parish, so that there will be no need to advertise. In time everyone will know that on Thursday evening, after the 7pm Mass, there

is a meeting of the family of God, with the priest. Depending on the turnout we may need a small committee to help with setup, treats, drinks, etc. But for now, we'll just get started and see how it goes. The first meeting was on Thursday, January 30, at which I shared my experience from the pilgrimage to the Holy Land. This week we will begin the study of the Catechism of the Catholic Church, and see how that goes. I'm always open to input about themes and topics that our people are interested in. I hope that our parishioners will take advantage of these gatherings.

**Catholic Young Adults of Owen Sound** - is another initiative which is being born in our parish. The idea is to bring together young Catholics between the ages of 18-35 and create a place of support and learning of the riches of our faith, focusing specifically on topics that are of interest to young adults. We seem to have quite a few young teachers in our Catholic schools, so I'm hoping that this may be a good way for them to connect with others and find our church a great place to be. Catholic Young Adults will meet once a month, every 2nd Friday of the month, at 7pm in the parish hall of St. Mary's Owen Sound. Our first meeting will be on **February 14<sup>th</sup>** (Valentine's Day), and I will speak on the topic of love, romance, and intimacy from the Catholic Church's perspective. Spread the word, and let's pray for a good turnout.

*Fr. Wojtek*

### \* In the Parish \*

St. Mary's CWL News - There will be a General Meeting Wednesday February 5<sup>th</sup>, at 7:00 pm in the Parish Hall. All Ladies of the Parish are Welcome.

Teaching Thursdays - an opportunity to come together as a parish family and explore the depth of our Catholic teachings with our priests. These gatherings will follow our Thursday evening Mass from 7:30 to 8:30. Please come for Mass and stay for the presentation.

First Reconciliation & First Communion - the first meeting for Reconciliation is **Saturday, February 8<sup>th</sup>** 9am-10am. **Who is this sacraments for?** In order to receive the sacrament of 1st Reconciliation and 1st Communion a child has to be a Baptized Catholic over the age of 7, who has not yet received these sacraments, and who is deemed by the parish priest as properly prepared for these sacraments. Permission of both parents is required for the child to receive these sacraments.

Catholic Young Adults will meet once a month, every 2<sup>nd</sup> Friday of the month, here at St. Mary's, beginning Valentine's Day - **February 14<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 pm** - to bring young adults from ages 18 - 35 together to create a place of support and learning of the riches of our faith, focussing specifically on topics of interest to young adults.

Catholic Charities wants your old Christmas cards - just the tops, to cut up and use for the tags for next year's Giving Tree. You can drop them off at the office. Thank you.

K of C Social - Saturday **February 15<sup>th</sup>**, after the 5 pm Mass, **at the Columbus Centre** - meet, greet,



talk, dance, play cards - whatever. Just a social Light refreshments provided. Anything else you bring yourself. Welcome to Knights & ladies, younger Knights and families - ANYBODY who wants a fun, inexpensive evening out.

The Knights of Columbus - will "Kick Off" the annual "40 Cans for Lent" fundraiser by again hosting a "Solidarity" Chili Supper on Saturday February 29<sup>th</sup> at 6.30 pm in the Columbus Centre, 770 6th St East. Tickets will be available after all Owen Sound Sunday Masses during February or may also be purchased at the Church Office during business hours Ticket Prices are: Adults \$10, Children ( 10 & Under ) \$5, Family ( 2 Adults : 2 Children ) \$25. All Proceeds from this supper and the "Forty Cans For Lent" project will be donated by the Knights "Food For Families" program and St Mary's Catholic Charities, to the needy through OSHaRE, Safe 'n Sound and local Food Banks.



**\* In the Community \***

Save the Date - February 17<sup>th</sup>, the 3<sup>rd</sup> Annual Soup Market, with numerous local chefs competing for the title of 'Best Soup in Town', proceeds to Safe 'N Sound. More info to come.



**\* In the Diocese \***

Consultation on Medical Assistance in Dying - The Canadian Department of Justice is having a Medical Assistance in Dying consultation, since the government is considering expanding the euthanasia law to those not dying. Let the government know that as a Catholic, you believe that the current safeguards and eligibility requirements need to be increased not lessened. You will be given the opportunity to provide written comments about the safeguards, the morality of the directives, and other factors of Canada's euthanasia law. This is your chance to influence how we move forward in this country with MAID. Please make your voice heard by filling out the survey at <https://www.justice.gc.ca/eng/cons/ad-am/index.html>.

Women's Silent Retreat - Deemerton Retreat Centre. Dates: February 6<sup>th</sup> to 9<sup>th</sup> and May 7<sup>th</sup> to 10<sup>th</sup>. Cost of weekend is \$275. Please call to book: Margaret - 519-778-6828, or 416-729-3554. [www.stignatiusdeemerton.ca](http://www.stignatiusdeemerton.ca)

Bible Sunday - Pope Francis has established the Third Sunday in Ordinary Time as Bible Sunday. This year it will be observed on Sunday, **January 26, 2020**. Order forms for Bibles will be available at the back of each of our churches for parishioners who wish to purchase a Bible. We pray that our observance of Bible Sunday will deepen our gratitude for the Word of God and inspire us to root our lives more firmly in the Word of God.

Diocesan Wedding Anniversary Mass **June 14, 2020** - Are you celebrating your 25th, 40th, 50th, 60th, or 60+ Wedding Anniversary in the year 2020? If you are, you are cordially invited to join couples from across the Diocese of Hamilton for a Wedding Anniversary Mass on Sunday, June 14, 2020 at the Cathedral Basilica of Christ the King at

1:30 pm. (Space allows room for Anniversary couples only - those married 60 years or more may bring 1 guest if you require assistance). See posters at the back of the churches for information on how to register for the celebration, or you can go to [www.hamiltondiocese.com](http://www.hamiltondiocese.com). for more information.

**\* In the Province \***

Calling All Girls: a Special Evening for Mothers and Daughters 2020. Date and Time: Friday, March 27<sup>th</sup> from 7:00 PM - 10:00 PM. Location: Le Tréport Banquet Hall, 1075 Queensway East, Mississauga. Annual Evening for Mothers and Daughters. for girls of High School & University age. Sponsored by Dynamic Women of Faith, with women authors and speakers. For more information check out their website: <https://www.eventbrite.ca>.



Dynamic Women of Faith Conference in the Archdiocese of Toronto. Keynote speakers include Colleen Carroll Campbell, Kimberly Hahn. Lunch Included. Saturday, March 28<sup>th</sup>, 9:00 AM - 4:00 PM. Le Tréport Banquet Hall, 1075 Queensway East, Mississauga, ON. For more information: <https://www.eventbrite.ca>.

For the Sick, our fellow parishioners and family members who are in need of our prayers: for Roberta Faria, Maddy Schwoob, Don Heenan, Horst Schuetz, Eileen Fortney, Doreen Raco, Helen Meyer, Caroline Fitzpatrick, Scott Fitzpatrick, Steven Scott, Shelley Curley, Patricia McMillan, Karl Fortney, Shannon Daultrey, Marjorie Forcier, Arthur Diaz, Sherri Maine, 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.** *If you or a loved one are in need of prayer, please call the office. Each year - beginning in September - we will begin our prayer list anew.*



<b>Donations from January 25 / 26, 2020</b>	
Owen Sound	4,915
Meaford	930
Warton	724
Hepworth	527
Chatsworth	434
Tobermory	270
Lion's Head	231
Sauble Beach	228
	<b>\$ 8,259</b>
<b>Weekly cost to run the parish \$11,734</b>	
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