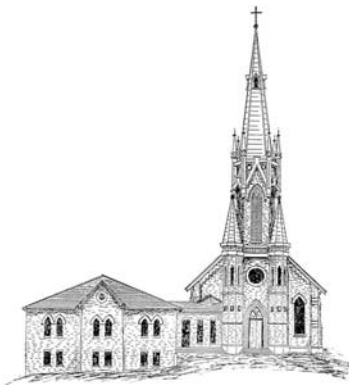


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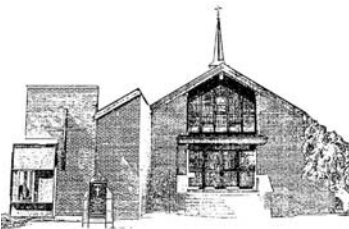
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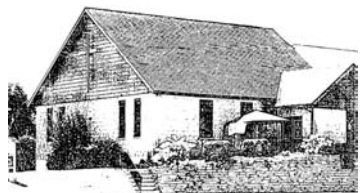
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Holy Family, Sauble Beach
Saturday 5:00 pm (July-Aug)
Sunday 9:00 am (Apr-Oct)



St. Stanislaus, Chatsworth
Sunday 9:00 am



St. Thomas Aquinas, Wiarton
Sunday 11:00 am

WEEKDAY MASSES

Owen Sound: Monday-Friday 9:00 am
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(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

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2nd Sunday in Ordinary Time January 17, 2021



January 18 - 24

- Mon** Margaret & Frank Adamic (Int)
Adam Parker (Int)
Constantine & Panagiota Nitsis +
- Tue** Pat McMillen (Int)
In Thanksgiving
Mr. Duke +
- Wed** Aaron Zavitz+
Anita Shills (Int)
Anne Dalla Vicenza +
- Thu** Ernie Schiarizza (Int)
Vern Finlayson +
Hilde Effinger +
- Fri** Ida & Christian Gruber +
Steven Deneau +
Spiritual, Physical & Mental health of Staff and
Residents of Central Place

Saturday – January 23

Bill & Marilyn Schinbein (Int – 69th Anniversary)
Helen Charlton +
Pro Populo

3rd Sunday in Ordinary Time – January 24

John Brawley +
Frank Beirnes +
Mary Catherine Garrette (Int)

From the Hamilton Diocese Prayer Calendar

This week we pray for:

- Mon Fr. Zygmunt Baranowski
Tue Fr. Sam Restivo
Wed Youth Ministers
Thu Fr. David Perrin
Fri Fr. Robert Bulbrook
Sat Fr. Timothy Higgins

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

Patience People! *a woman's perspective*

We've been spending a lot of time together, my husband and I. When there's a pandemic on, there aren't a lot of options. I've discovered he sucks in air through his teeth when he's engrossed in a project – annoying? It was, but after 11 months, I hardly notice any more. He begins to tell me something, but he's building a fire in the wood stove at the same time, so a quick little story turns into a lengthy 20 minute, huge-quiet-gaps-in-between ordeal. Let's not get him started on all the annoying things I am capable of doing and saying – fortunately, we can laugh...and we do, and that's a blessing.

So many people are complaining these days and it's easy to join in. But heaping negativity on top of restrictions and closures - is this helpful? I think it brings us all down, makes

us listless and lethargic and completely unproductive. Not only does this make the unpleasantness worse – it's unhealthy. We are in a pandemic – have you ever been in a pandemic before? No. None of us have. No one knows quite what to do – infectious diseases experts, government officials – they're all flying by the seat of their pants, trying to figure this out. It's complicated, ever-changing and, at times, deadly. Our complaining only makes it worse.

So what are some of the coping strategies we might try, to help us get through this in a healthier manner? Well first and foremost – we have lots of time to pray. Everyone needs prayer – our frontline workers; the elderly; those with addictions and mental illness; priests and ministers and all who are alone and frightened. Let us pray. We also have time to call people, to see if we can help them in any way...picking up groceries or medications, just talking to them on the phone. Get out and walk, read a good book, learn a new language. Watch movies or shows that make you laugh – laughing, especially during these difficult times, is very important.

If we search for the good, the positive in every day, I guarantee we will find it. My daughter-in-law posted on social media the other day how proud she was of her children – 'they griped and complained before Christmas about returning to virtual classes, but every morning, they are there, present and attentive and ready to get their assignments done.' Good for them, and good for her – for seeing the positive and sharing it. My other son and his wife embarked on a fitness campaign which they soon discovered made a huge difference not only in their physical health, but in their mental health as well – win/win.

Instead of complaining about the 'buy 2 for \$4 / buy 1 for \$3,' the new practice all the grocery stores have adopted – get the two instead of one and see if there's anyone in the checkout who might need that extra bag of onions or potatoes...or maybe bring them down to OSHaRE.

Sitting around complaining will not help us – sitting and praying will. Then let's get out and do some good.

Margery Frisch

In the Parish

The Knights of Columbus Fr. Granottier Council 2092 & Assembly would like to reach out to all parishioners of St Marys and the Missions who may be suffering through these challenging times. We are ready to assist however we can. You can call 519 270 9535 anytime. *We Will Leave No Neighbor Behind.*



In the Community

Time to Register for Kindergarten for September 2021 - those born in 2017 (Junior Kindergarten) and those born in 2016 (Senior Kindergarten), if not already registered in JK. Please call St. Basil's Catholic School at 519-376-9370, the Catholic Education Centre at 519-364-5820, or visit www.bgcdsb.org for more information on how to register.

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* *In the Diocese* *

2nd Sunday of Ordinary Time - A good vocation prayer to say every day from the time we are young until we are in our golden years is found in today's first Scripture reading: "Speak Lord, for your servant is listening". Just try it with sincerity, starting today and, if you think God is calling you to a Church vocation, contact Fr. Michael King, Director of Vocations, Diocese of Hamilton, call 905-528-7988 ext. 2246, or email: vocations@hamiltondiocese.com, <https://hamiltondiocese.com/vocations/>

Answering the Call to Priesthood - a new series has begun, hosted by **Father Michael King**, Director of Vocations and Priestly Formation at the Diocese of Hamilton. Each episode will feature an interview with a Diocesan priest and explore their journey towards priesthood.

[Answering the Call to Priesthood - Diocese of Hamilton \(hamiltondiocese.com\)](https://hamiltondiocese.com/answering-the-call-to-priesthood)

Appointment of Auxiliary Bishop for the Diocese of Hamilton - His Grace, Archbishop Luigi Bonazzi, Apostolic Nuncio to Canada, has announced that **Reverend Father Wayne Lawrence Lobsinger** has been appointed Auxiliary Bishop of the Diocese of Hamilton by His Holiness, Pope Francis.



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Auxiliary Bishop-elect Wayne Lobsinger was born on December 1, 1966, in Kitchener, Ontario. After studies at St. Jerome's University and St. Peter's Seminary, he was ordained to the priesthood by Bishop Anthony Tonnos, on May 7, 1994, at the Cathedral of Christ the King, Hamilton. Bishop-elect Lobsinger has served the Diocese of Hamilton as Associate Pastor and pastor in Hamilton, Kitchener, Halton Hills, Kincardine, Waterdown, and St. Ann Parish, Ancaster, where he currently serves. During this time, Bishop-elect Lobsinger has served on the Diocesan College of Consultors, the Diocesan Episcopal Board, the Canadian Federation of Presbyteral Councils and as Chairman of the Diocesan Council of Priests, Chaplain for the Legion of Mary, and Spiritual Director at St. Peter's Seminary, London.

The episcopal ordination is expected to take place at the Cathedral Basilica of Christ the King, in early February 2021.

Re: Start - A Separation and Divorce Recovery Program - will resume once again in early 2021 - We invite you to look on the Diocesan website www.hamiltondiocese.com to see the programs offered and for dates and registration.

Struggling After an Abortion? Either your own, or someone else's? Do you feel alone, emotional, or angry? Project Rachel is available to help. This confidential service allows people to work through their feelings on an individual

basis, with a trained counsellor, and find hope and healing. Please contact us at 905-526-1999 or toll free at 1-888-385-3850.

A Walk Through Fratelli Tutti - 'Fratelli Tutti': With these words, Saint Francis of Assisi addressed his brothers and sisters and proposed to them a way of life marked by the flavour of the Gospel. In his simple and direct way, Saint Francis expressed the essence of fraternal openness that allows us to acknowledge, appreciate and love each person, regardless of physical proximity, regardless of where he or she was born or lives." - the words of Pope Francis in his latest encyclical, *On Fraternity and Social Friendship*. Join us on Wednesday, January 27th for a 90 minute Zoom webinar to walk through this beautiful document. Written by Pope Francis and presented by Mrs. Teresa Hartnett, Director of the Family Ministry Office - register online at www.hamiltondiocese.com or by calling 905-528-7988 ext. 2249.

Catechetical Correspondence Courses - Programs available for children from Kindergarten through to High School not currently receiving religious instruction. Preparation for First Communion and Confirmation for children not in Catholic Schools is also available. Families work through the programs at home. Contact Monica in the Catechesis Office at 905-528-7988, ext. 2238 or check out our website at www.hamiltondiocese.com and click on the Catechesis Office for more information, printable registration forms or to register online.

Anniversary Mass 2021 - The Anniversary Mass scheduled for June of 2021 has been cancelled due to restrictions and concerns around COVID-19. We invite you to register your 25, 40, 50, 60 and 60 plus years Anniversary starting in January on the Diocesan website. We will send you the certificate you would have received from Bishop Crosby at the Mass.

For the Sick, our fellow parishioners and family members who are in need of our prayers: for - Mike Adams, Pat McIntyre, Paul Baggett, Lynn Gilmour, Rosaleen Engel, Brenda Richter, Maynard Dietrich and Bradley Bishop, **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 September, we will begin our list anew.



Donations received in the week of Jan. 10, 2021

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Chatsworth	380
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