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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



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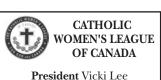
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St. Mary's, Cape Croker Sunday 1:00 pm



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Meetings

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

# 16<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time

July 20th, 2025



Jul 21 to Jul 27

Mon 9:00 am Judith Macaya & Family +

Private Mass: Jim & Faye Staples (Int)

Private Mass: Gail Strathy (Int)

Private Mass: Anne & Bill Curran (Int)

Tues 9:00 am Margaret Krzyczkowski +

**7:00 pm** Marc Renee & Joe Lehman (Int) Private Mass: Thomas (Int – Healing)

Private Mass: LJ & D McKenna & Family (Int)

Wed 9:00 am Denise Gariepy (Int)

Private Mass: Josh & Jerrick (Int)
Private Mass: Darlene Lee +

Private Mass: Leanne McKenna (Int)

Thu 9:00 am Julius & Catharina van Aalst +

7:00 pm Maria Magdalena (Int – Healing)

Private Mass: Cindy Dormer (Int) Private Mass: Nora Dunning (Int)

Fri 9:00 am Hayley Nuttall +

Private Mass: Abigail Walsh, all family, friends,

neighbours & enemies (Int)

Private Mass: Bozenka Wichert (Int – Birthday)

Private Mass: Roni +

#### Saturday - July 26

9:30 am Lion's Head – Brenda Hushley +
11:30 am Tobermory – Ma & Pa van Kasteren +
5:00 pm Owen Sound – Shirley Brennan +
Private Mass – Robert Blair Fox (Int)

#### Sunday – July 27

9:00 am OS - Ivan Romanowich (Int)

11:00 am OS - Bill McAullliffe +

9:00 am Chatsworth - Joanne Perry +

9:00 am Meaford - Dolores M. Muffet +

9:00 am Sauble Beach – Jonathan Fleming (Int) & Jeremy Fleming +

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. David Mowat, C.R.

Tue. Rev. Harry Reitzel, C.R.

Wed. Society of Christ, S.Chr.

Thu. Rev. Raymond Reitzel, C.R.

Fri. Rev. Florian Stasinski, C.R.

Sat. Very Rev. Aleksander Mazur, S.A.C

# \* 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\*

## Prayer Corner:

## The Necessity of Prayer

If you would suffer patiently the adversities and miseries of this life, be a person of prayer.

If you would gain power and strength to overcome the temptations of the enemy, be a person of prayer.

If you would mortify your will with all its affections and lusts, be a person of prayer.

If you would understand the cunning devices of Satan, and defend yourself against his deceits, be a person of payer.

If you would live joyfully, and with sweetness walk in the path of penitence and sorrow, be a person of prayer.

If you would drive out the troublesome gnats of vain thoughts and cares from your soul, be a person of prayer.

If you would sustain your soul with the richness of devotion, and kept it ever full of good thoughts and desires, be a person of prayer.

If you would strengthen and confirm your heart in the pilgrimage with God, be a person of prayer.

Lastly, if you would root out from your soul every vice and in their place plant the virtues, be a person of prayer, for in this is obtained the unction and grace of the Holy Spirit who teaches all things.

And besides all this, if you would climb to the height of contemplation, and delight in the sweet embraces of the Bridegroom, exercise yourself in prayer, for this is the way by which the soul mounts up to contemplation and to the taste of heavenly things.

You see, then, of how great virtue and power is prayer, and for proof of all that has been said (to say nothing of Holy Scripture) let this now be sufficient assurance that we have seen and heard, and see, day by day, many simple persons who have attained to all these things above mentioned and to others greater, through the exercise of prayer.

St. Bonaventure

## \*In the Parish\*

Call to Ministry - St. Mary's and The Missions have many important, essential, ministries that help make our Liturgies and Celebrations as beautiful as can be. Our beloved Parish relies and depends on parishioner volunteers, to come forward and 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 <a href="mailto:outoftheloft@gmail.com">outoftheloft@gmail.com</a>, or see her after the weekend Masses.

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 potential new volunteers.

Jubilee Pilgrimage of Hope – A jubilee pilgrimage of hope to Greece and Turkey will be taking place at the



end of September into October. Join Fr. John Schnurr as he leads a spiritual journey following the travels of Saint Paul the Apostle. Starting on September 30<sup>th</sup>, spend 11 days visiting the first churches around the Aegean

Sea to experience the first evangelization of the Gentiles. For more information, please see the poster in the foyer or contact Jennifer Downs at <a href="mailto:rcpilfrimages@gmail.com">rcpilfrimages@gmail.com</a> or by phone 905-466-8396.

# \* In the Community\*

Safe 'N Sound - Safe 'N Sound is in need of several items to help their Participants this month. If you have any



reusable water bottles you can spare, sunscreen and aloe, tarps, bras, or first aid supplies (bandages, polysporin etc.)

they would greatly appreciate them. Items can be dropped off in the green bin in the foyer of St. Mary's Church or brought down to Safe 'N Sound at 310 9<sup>th</sup> Street East, Owen Sound. More information can be found on the website <a href="https://www.safensoundgreybruce.ca/">https://www.safensoundgreybruce.ca/</a>

## \* In the Diocese \*

World Day for Grandparents and the Elderly – World Day for Grandparents and the Elderly (WDGE) 2025 will be celebrated on Sunday, July 27, 2025, close to the Feast of Saints Anne and Joachim, grandparents of Jesus (July 26). The theme is "Blessed are those who have not lost hope." (cf. Sirach 14:2). Let us take this opportunity to uplift grandparents and the elderly, cherishing them as blessings in our faith community!

Parenting Tip of the Month - Our children learn from their parents and family, more than from any other source. They are watching more than listening, so be aware of your own actions so you can influence them positively. They also judge themselves according to how we treat

them: love, respect and dignity should be at the base of all we say and do with them. So, spend time with them, have fun together and see how healthy and strong they will become! (From: Teresa Hartnett, Family Ministry Office; 905-528-7988 ext. 2250)

Vocations – We are like Martha. There's plenty to be anxious about but only one thing that is required of us. For five minutes today be like Mary, rest with Jesus and ask Him what He requires of you. If God is calling you, to be a priest, religious or deacon, 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: 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, Stan Juras, 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.

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May God bless you for your generosity.			

But Martha was distracted by her many tasks; so she came to Jesus and asked, "Lord, do you not care that my sister has left me to do all the work by myself? Tell her then to help me."

But the Lord answered her, "Martha, Martha, you are worried and distracted by many things; there is need of only one thing. Mary has chosen the better part, which will not be taken away from her. "

They who carry God in their heart bear heaven with them wherever they go.

Luke: 10: 40 - 42

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