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> St. Mary of the Assumption Owen Sound

Saturday 5:00 pm

Sunday 9:00 am, 11:00 am

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#### PASTORAL TEAM

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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. Vincent, Meaford Sunday 11:00 am

Saturday 11:30 am

St. Thomas The Apostle, Tobermory



St. Mark, Lions Head Saturday 9:30 am

#### WEEKDAY MASSES

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

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

Sauble Beach: 1st, 3rd, 5th Wed of the Month 12:30 pm

(May - Oct)

#### **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**

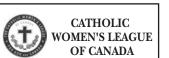
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St. Stanislaus, Chatsworth Sunday 9:00 am



St. Thomas Aquinas, Wiarton Sunday 11:00 am



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> Meetings 1st Wed. of the month



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

# **Corpus Christi**

June 19, 2022



June 20 to June 26

**Mon 9:00 am** In honour of God the Father Private Mass: Conversion of sinners

Tue 9:00 am Frank Beirnes + 7:00 pm Monica Marchand +

Wed 9:00 am Stanislaw Sobczuk + 12:30 pm in SB: Kenneth Munn (Int)

Thu 9:00 am Betty Brunsden (Int) 7:00 pm Natasha (Int)

Fri 9:00 am Steven Fortney +
Private Mass: Adoration of the Precious Blood
of Jesus

#### Saturday - June 25

9:30 am Lion's Head – Rosie Hunt + 11:30 am Tobermory – Bill & Marie Kent + 5:00 pm Owen Sound – Fr. Greg Merkley (Int)

#### Sunday – June 26

9:00 am OS – Rick & Pauline McLellan (Int)
11:00 am OS – All Bishops, Priests' & Religious living & deceased
9:00 am Chatsworth – Atie Huiteman +

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9:00 am SB – Lina Pedro & Maria Monteiro + 11:00 am Wiarton – Earl & Marian Hoffman + 1:00 pm Cape Croker – Pro Populo

# From the Hamilton Diocese Prayer Calendar

#### This week we pray for:

Mon Rev. Edward Henhoeffer
Tue Rev. Joe S. Selvanayagam
Wed Comboni Missionaries (M.C.C.J)

Thu Rev. William Foote
Fri Rev. Michael Isabelle
Sat Rev. Luc Payette

\* Sacrament of Anointing & Communion to the Sick:

Available upon request

# From the Pastors Desk:

### **Corpus Christi**

#### When and how to receive Communion. If we



sincerely believe that what we receive at the end of Mass is truly the Body and Blood of Christ, not a symbol, but real Jesus, then what should follow is a good examination of how we celebrate this

great gift of Jesus Himself.

- 1. Get rid of serious sin first. The teaching of Christ and the Church has been consistent from the very beginning until today that no one who is in grave sin is to approach the table of the Lord. And so we are called to examine our lives before we come to Mass and see if we are able to receive Holy Communion. And if we find that we have broken one of God's commandments we are to first receive forgiveness in the Sacrament of Confession.
- 2. Arrivals and departures. As much as possible trying to arrive on time and not leaving before the final blessing. As much as possible. I know that there are legitimate circumstances when sometimes we might have to do this. But when we make this a habit what are we telling God? One hour a week is too long, I have things to do, I gave you what you wanted, or almost what you wanted, I am better than many others, what else do you want. That is hardly an attitude of gratefulness for what Christ gives us. Why not make an effort to come a few minutes early to prepare for Mass and stay a few minutes after Mass to thank God for this gift.
- 3. Eucharistic Fast. The Church asks us to prepare for the Eucharist even before we come. Just as we would prepare for meeting Christ in person. One of the ways we do this is by keeping a Eucharistic Fast. This means that we are to refrain from food or drink (with the exception of water and medication) for one hour before the Eucharist. Chewing gum not only breaks the fast, but is also very inappropriate at Mass and limits our participation.
- 4. Conscious and Active participation. Our entire Mass is celebrated in such a way so as to prepare us for the worthy reception of Holy Communion. This is why active participation is so important, and by active participation, the Church asks us to sing together, pray together, listen together (but not to chew gum together). If you don't know the prayers, we have books available in every seat to help you learn. And if you try you will know them very quickly. As you probably know Mass does not change that much from week to week.
- **5. Receiving Communion**. When it is time to receive Holy Communion let us take great care to receive respectfully. When a minister says the "The body of Christ" the response should be one of faith and conviction "Amen", and not "thanks" or "ok" or "good stuff", but AMEN which means "I believe that this is Jesus, I believe that He is here for me, and I desire Him in my life". Our interior disposition should

be reflected by our external actions of great love and respect.

The greater the gift, the greater the responsibility to use it properly and with most respect. The gift of the Most Holy Eucharist is the greatest treasure we possess. May we never grow indifferent when it comes to Our Lord present in the Eucharist, but treasure that Gift by the way we celebrate every Mass.

Fr. Wojtek Kuzma

## \* In the Parish \*

**Cemetery By-Law Notice -** Cemeteries of St. Mary's and the Missions are proposing Cemetery By-Law revisions. Copies of the proposed By-Laws are available at the office for review. Questions or comments can be directed to Lynn Curley, Cemetery Manager 519 379 5537.

Rosary Vigils continue Wednesdays at 6:30 pm at St. Thomas Aquinas in Wiarton and 7:00 pm at St. Mary's in Owen Sound. Please come and join us in praying the Rosary for the peoples of Ukraine and Russia.

The greatest method of praying is to pray the Rosary '- Saint Francis de Sales

The Catholic Women's League will be at all Masses this weekend for a Father's Day fundraiser called "Nuts about Dad". They will have small Father's Day gifts that any he purchased for

Father's Day gifts that can be purchased for a donation for that special Dad or Father figure. All proceeds will go to the Catholic Women's League to hole fund projects in the Church and the

figure. All proceeds will go to the Catholic Women's League to help fund projects in the Church and the community. Thank you in advance for your support.

# \* In the Diocese \*

Body and Blood of Christ - Jesus has given us His Body to eat and His Blood to drink so as to nourish us on our journey towards the Kingdom. May we be faithful to him on our journey as a married, single, ordained or consecrated person. If God is calling you to be a priest, religious or deacon, contact Bishop Wayne Lobsinger, Director of Vocations and Priestly Formation, Diocese of Hamilton by phone (905-528-7988), email <a href="mailto:vocations@hamiltondiocese.com">vocations/</a> or visit the website: <a href="mailto:www.hamiltondiocese.com/vocations/">www.hamiltondiocese.com/vocations/</a>

National Rosary for the Family – The Canadian Conference of Catholic Bishops Standing Committee is hosting the first ever National Rosary for the Family, to be held on **Sunday**, **June 19**<sup>th</sup>, starting at 3 p.m. EST. Families from across Canada are invited to a live and virtual "Rosary for the Family". Featuring different families and voices from across the country, it is an

opportunity to gather in prayer with other faith-filled Catholics. Please go to Diocesan of Hamilton website <a href="https://hamiltondiocese.com/">https://hamiltondiocese.com/</a> under upcoming events to register.

PARENTING TIP OF THE MONTH - Summer days are upon us, a perfect time to unwind a little and spend some quality time as a family. Playing outdoor and indoor games, walking in nature, having water balloon fights and taking time to thank God for our many blessings are all ways to build relationships with each other. Children need to be well connected to their family in order to feel safe, secure and important. Time together is the best way to build these significant bonds.

**Bishop Farrell Library Open House** on the weekend of June 25<sup>th</sup> 2:00 – 5:00 and June 26<sup>th</sup> 10:00 – 3:00. Located at 698 King St. West, on the beautiful grounds of the Cathedral Basilica of Christ the King. Learn about The Saint John's Bible and the Library resources. Free books available!

For the Sick, our fellow parishioners and family members who are in need of our prayers: for – Ben Meissner, Matthew Fitzsimmons,

Fernando, Shane Fleming, Dalyce Kinderwater, Maynard Dietrich, Lyn Hannigan, Anne Loisel, Karen Ellis, Matt Bell, Pete & Edna Van Aalst, Sharon Cantlon, Carolyn & Noah, Arnold Hodgkinson, Doug Woolway, Kim Chegahno, Gordon Dion, Glenda Emma Dupont, Colleen Warmington, Mike Couture, Madelyn van Veen, Collin Rier, Phyllis Cooper, Barry Beatty, Marc Hilker, Marilyn Schinbein, Mike Adams, Pat McIntyre and Brenda Richter, **We pray to the Lord**.

Donations received June 11/12	
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Jesus said to them, "Very truly I tell you, unless you eat the flesh of the Son of Man and drink his blood, you have no life in you. Whoever eats my flesh and drinks my blood has eternal life, and I will raise them up at the last day. For my flesh is real food and my blood is real drink. Whoever eats my flesh and drinks my blood remains in me, and I in them. John 6: 53-56

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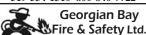
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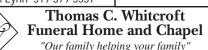


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