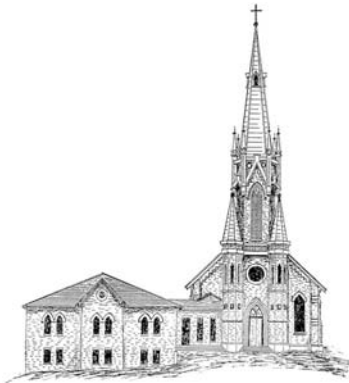


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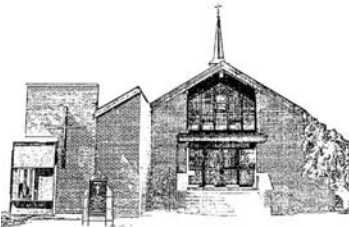
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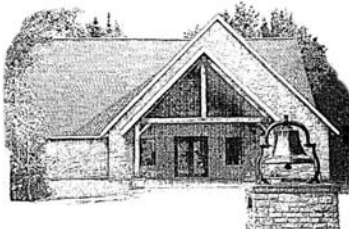
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Saturday 5:00 pm
Sunday 9:00 am, 11:00 am



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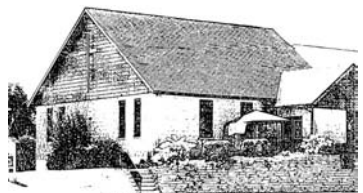
St. Mary of the Rosary, Hepworth
Sunday 9:00 am (Nov-Mar)



Holy Family, Sauble Beach
Sunday 9:00 am (Apr-Oct)



St. Stanislaus, Chatsworth
Sunday 9:00 am



St. Thomas Aquinas, Wiarton
Sunday 11:00 am



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

WEEKDAY MASSES

Owen Sound: Wednesday-Friday.....9:00am
Tuesday, Thursday.....7:00pm

OFFICE HOURS

Tuesday-Friday 9:00am - 12 noon; 1:00pm - 5:00pm

ADORATION

9:30am - 10:30am in Owen Sound on Fridays

BAPTISMS

Baptisms take place following Sunday Mass. Please contact the parish office. A date for baptism will be set after the parents meet with a priest.

CONFESSIONS

30 minutes before all Masses or by appointment.

WEDDINGS

Please contact the parish office one year before the desired date of marriage.

FUNERALS

When a loved one passes away, please contact the funeral home you have chosen to serve you. Funeral arrangements at the church will be coordinated through the Funeral Home.

NEW PARISHIONERS

Welcome to your parish! You will find registration forms at the back of the church. Please fill one out and put in the collection basket.

12th Sunday in Ordinary Time

June 21, 2026



June 22 to June 28

Monday, June 22

11:00 am Healing Mass at St. Mary's Church,
Neyaashiinigiing (formerly Cape Croker)

Tuesday, June 23

No Tuesday Morning Mass

7:00 pm Glory to the Lord in the Blessed Sacrament

Wednesday, June 24

9:00 am Joseph Boudoir +

Thursday, June 25

9:00 am Don Duggan +

7:00 pm Bob & MaryAnn Kirkconnell (Int)

Friday, June 26

9:00 am Charles & Pauline Nolan +

Saturday, June 27

9:30 am Lion's Head – Holy Souls in Purgatory

10:30 am Hepworth Cemetery Mass – Sam McLaughlan +

11:30 am Tobermory – Richard Family (Int)

5:00 pm Owen Sound –

Bernice Chittendan +

Edmund Blanchard +

Alexandra Murray (Int)

Matt Bell & Melissa Shular (Int)

Paul Nicholson (Int)

Angel De Villa (Int)

Special Intention

In Thanksgiving

Sunday, June 28

9:00 am OS – Charlie, Dan, & Joe O'Neill (Int)

11:00 am OS – Pro Populo

9:00 am Chatsworth – Sandra Beirnes (Int)

11:00 am Meaford – Marie & Bill Kent +

9:00 am Sauble Beach – The Kim Family (Int)

11:00 am Wiarton – Earl & Marian Hoffman &
Patrick Ryan +

1:00 pm Neyaashiinigiing – Mass

From the Hamilton Diocese Prayer Calendar

This week we pray for:

Mon. Rev. Hyunjik (John) Yang

Tue. Rev. Stefano Lee

Wed. **The Nativity of St. John the Baptist**

Thu. Disabled Persons

Fri. Rev. Brendan McGrath

Sat. Most Rev. Douglas Crosby, O.M.I.

* **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***

The Pope's Prayer Intention for June

For the values of sports

Let us pray that sports be an instrument of peace, encounter, and dialogue among cultures and nations, and that they promote values such as respect, solidarity, and personal growth.

This week we say farewell & thank you to Fr. Francis Ahuekwe, and we welcome Fr. Paul Niesiobedzki. May God bless them both as they begin their ministry in their new parishes.

From Fr. Paul Niesiobedzki:

As many of you remember, I was a seminarian intern here from 2017-2018. Bishop Douglas Crosby ordained me a priest of the Diocese of Hamilton on May 6, 2023, and sent me as Associate Pastor to St. Gabriel's Parish in Burlington for two years before reassigning me as Associate Pastor at our diocesan Marian Shrine, the Basilica of Our Lady Immaculate in Guelph, from which I commuted here every weekend to assist with Masses for three months this past winter. It will be a privilege to return to Owen Sound to assist Fr. John and to serve you as Associate Pastor.

In Christ,

Fr. Paul N

In the Parish

Farewell social for Fr. Francis Ahuekwe – As you know, Fr. Francis will be moving to St. Joseph Parish in Guelph on June 24th. We will be having a social after each Mass in Owen Sound on the **weekend of June 20/21** and everyone is invited! This is an opportunity to see Fr. Francis before he moves, wish him well and thank him for his guidance and leadership.

Cemetery Mass to be celebrated at St. Mary's, South Bruce Peninsula - Mass will be celebrated at St. Mary's Cemetery in Hepworth on **Saturday, June 27th at 10:30 am**. Everyone is invited, especially those who have relatives and friends resting there. It is a rain or shine event so you are reminded to bring an umbrella and a lawn chair.

Altar Serving Ministry - We invite children ages 8 and up to join this wonderful ministry. We have a very real need to grow our numbers and hope you will consider volunteering. Please contact Corry at outoftheloft@gmail.com. Once we have new volunteers, a training session will be scheduled.

Also, if any adult would like to be trained as a server to assist when needed, please contact Corry. Let us pray for a good response.

A big thank you to all who presently serve. You are most appreciated and we are filled with gratitude for you.

Bereavement Grief Support: Circle of Comfort – What: Circle of Comfort, Where: St. Mary’s Parish Centre, When: August 1st to September 7th (6 consecutive Mondays), Time: 10.00 am to noon. To register please email: armada4a@gmail.com, phone number 519-371-3052 (leave an informative message). Limited to 6 participants. Bring your own non-alcoholic beverage and snack. Facilitator is Fely Clarke. This is a grief support group for any stage of bereavement, whether you are recently bereaved or for a length of time.

****In the Community****

Community Healing Mass – St. Mary’s Parish in Neyaashiinigamiing invites you to a Community Healing Mass this **Monday, June 22, 2026 at 11:00 am**. The presider of the Mass is Fr. Bert Foliot, Jesuit of the Society of Jesus, Martyrs’ Shrine, Midland. Fr. Bert will bless everyone during the Mass with relics of St. Kateri Tekakwitha and the Canadian Martyrs. They will also be an opportunity for Confessions before Mass. Lunch at St. Mary’s Parish Hall at 12:00 pm and a sharing circle on grief and how God helps us with it at 12:30 pm. Please come out as we help and support each other in the grief and loss of our loved ones.



Grey Bruce Pregnancy Centre Annual Baby Bottle Campaign 2026 - **Thank you** so much for filling up the baby bottles for the Grey Bruce Pregnancy Centre. Please return your bottle today—or drop it off at the Centre. If it is more convenient to donate online, please go to our website, www.gbpreg.ca and follow the links. Thank you!



****In the Diocese ****

Devotion to the Sacred Heart: A Way of Life - Devotion to the Sacred Heart of Jesus is more than a set of prayers; it is a way of life. It teaches us patience, generosity, forgiveness, and compassion in a world often marked by division and indifference. This month, consider simple practices such as praying as a family, performing acts of charity, or spending time in Eucharistic adoration or quiet prayer.

We invite you to say at the beginning of each day this prayer;

O Jesus, through the Immaculate Heart of Mary, I offer you my prayers, works, joys and sufferings of this day for all of the intentions of your Sacred Heart, in union with the holy sacrifice of the Mass throughout the world, in thanksgiving for your favours, in reparation for my sins, for the intentions of all my family and friends, and in particular for the intentions of the Holy Father, Amen.

Additional prayers and resources for the Month of the Sacred Heart of Jesus are available on the Diocesan website: www.hamiltondiocese.com/sacredheart

Parenting Tip of the Month - Loving guidance and care for children by parents is a foundational principle of our Catholic teachings. In June we celebrate the Sacred Heart of Jesus, whose love and care taught us how to live and love in our lives. As summer approaches take some time to relax into the season with purpose. Show how to love by your interactions and activities: pray together daily, attend Mass even when you are away, read together, take time for hiking, have a family games nights, spend time preparing and cooking as a family, etc. Teaching how to love with the heart of Jesus happens through interaction and will help create loving, confident, healthy children.

Vocations – “Have no Fear.” Considering a ministerial vocation is not popular, but it may be what God is calling you to. If God is calling you to the priesthood, diaconate or consecrated life, contact Fr. Mark Morley, Director of Vocations, Diocese of Hamilton at 905-528-7988. Email vocations@hamiltondiocese.com or visit the website at hamiltondiocese.com/vocations/

For the Sick, our fellow parishioners, family members and



friends who need our prayers: Gabriel Beggar, Natasha, Bill Griffith, Doug Okrafka, Ray Botten, Ryszard Kotlarz, Tim Nuttall, Colleen Wright, Robert Pointon, Juras Chester, Melissa Shular, Anne MacDonald, Boguslaw Zielinski, Helen Hunter, Bill Schinbein, Bruno R, Brad F, Joanne & Noel Price, Edith Fries, Mary Lou Watson, Durelle, Frances, Jo Germann, Regina Makuch, Julie Donelle, Kennedy Curtis, Sue Paquette, James Gamble, and Matt Bell. **We pray to the Lord.**

Donations received June 13/14, 2026

Owen Sound	\$ 5, 676
Sauble Beach	1, 348
Meaford	985
Warton	937
Hepworth	229
Chatsworth	1, 068
Tobermory	241
Lion’s Head	<u>649</u>
	\$ 11, 133

Budgeted offerings required to date: \$ 280, 320
Received offerings to date: \$ 257, 128

May God bless you for your generosity.

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St. Ephrem



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