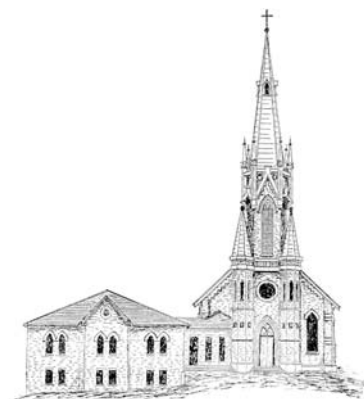


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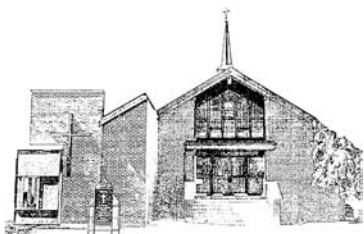
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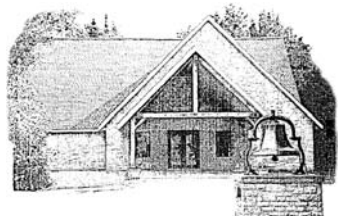
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**St. Mary of the Assumption  
Owen Sound**  
Saturday 5:00 pm  
Sunday 9:00 am, 11:00 am



**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)

**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.



**St. Stanislaus, Chatsworth**  
Sunday 9:00 am




**St. Thomas Aquinas, Warton**  
Sunday 11:00 am

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519-376-8143

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519-376-4278



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

# 33<sup>rd</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time

November 18, 2018



November 19 - 25

- Mon** 9:00 am – Chloe Willis (Int)
- Tue** 9:00 am – Mildred Hewitt +  
7:00 pm – Life Site News (Int)
- Wed** 9:00 am – Jane Rose Muise +  
10:00 am Lee Manor – Tony Rovers (Int)  
7:00 pm Hepworth – Eileen Fortney (Int)
- Thu** 9:00 am – Matt Gunnarson (Int)  
7:00 pm – James Sebesta +
- Fri** 9:00 am – Timothy Butson +  
10:30 am Central Place – B. McKenna (Int)
- Saturday – November 24**  
9:30 am Lion's Head – Mass  
11:30 am Tobermory – Chuck Sloat +  
5:00 pm Owen Sound – Joseph & Joan O'Neill +

- Christ the King – November 25**  
9:00 am Chatsworth – Lorena Batterman +  
9:00 am Hepworth – Pro Populo  
9:00 am Owen Sound – Slawa Radlinski +  
11:00 am Owen Sound – T. Way & Jackie McDonald +  
11:00 am Wiaraton – Earl & Marian Hoffman +  
11:00 am Meaford – Dr. Alexandra Collins (Int)  
1:00 pm Cape Croker – Mass  
3:00 pm Latin Mass – Fr. Brendan McGrath (Int)

## From the Hamilton Diocese Prayer Calendar

### This week we pray for:

- Mon Fr. Jerome Mascarenhas
- Tue Fr. Paul Jamroz
- Wed Society of the Sacred Heart of Jesus
- Thu Fr. Lawrence Parent
- Fri Fr. Francisco Cruz
- Sat Fr. Zygmunt Baranowski

- \* **Sacrament of Anointing & Communion to the Sick:**  
Available upon request
- \* **Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament:**  
Every Friday from 9:30 am to 4:00 pm

## What's Happening November 19 - 25

- Tuesday – Senior Cards .....1:00 pm
- Tuesday – RCIA .....7:30 pm
- Wednesday – Prayers & Squares .....9:30 am
- Wednesday – Choir .....7:00 pm
- Thursday – Prayer Ministry .....5:00 pm
- Friday – Divine Mercy Devotion ..... 3:00 pm
- Saturday – Ultreya .....9:15 am

### Looking into the Future *a woman's perspective*

In the spring, I went on a cruise with my two sisters. We were once five sisters, now we are three (our two brothers were not invited on this excursion). Joan is the oldest (by default) and so am I now the youngest. Our memories, for we talked endlessly of the past, are both sweet and sad. We had wanted to take this cruise ever since Patti's diagnosis, but timing was always off, especially with Patricia's treatments and checkups. It took four years since her death

to coordinate it all – and my two sisters are retired! They're busy women, busier than I.

As we moved about the ship, as we sat and talked, as we ventured out on excursions, I saw my future. Jean, the middle child, is hopelessly directionally challenged. She practically needed a string, attached to our cabin door, to find her way back...even after a week of going and coming. I mean, all of us McDonalds are directionally challenged, but Jean wins the prize, though it was not always thus.

Joan suffers a neuropathy that leaves her limbs feeling like lead weights by the end of the day, she could not walk too far, too fast and rested often – she used to walk three miles daily. It scared me a bit, to see my sisters in this gradual decline. Where will I be in five years...in nine?

We did have some lively discussions – with Jean leaning to the left, Joan to the right and me trying to balance things out in the middle. And we laughed and laughed and laughed – that was the best part, that we could be ourselves, express our views and still love and laugh.

Despite the failing limbs and bad memory, they are vital, active women and I hope to emulate them...in five and nine years? Jean's a writer, she's involved with a poetry group, a writers' group, a book club and, every week she brings Communion to the sick in hospital.

Joan had just returned from the Holy Land, less than two weeks before she packed up to join us on the cruise. She had another bag packed in her car so that, when we disembarked from the ship, she was off to the airport to fly to her daughter's for her grandson's graduation from high school. She, when she's home, is on the RCIA team and volunteers every Monday at the soup kitchen affiliated with her church. They live their lives and, most importantly, they live their faith in beautiful ways. Since I was a kid I have looked up to these two and, all these decades later, I still aspire to be like them. I am blessed to have these examples of strong lived faith in my life. The future looks good.

*Margery Frisch*

### *A Seminarian's Thoughts:*

The next step of my Legionary journey, the two-year novitiate, was an important step. The novitiate is a time of serious discernment for a man who wants to become a priest. It is especially a time of prayer and spiritual direction, to make sure one is on the path God wants him to be. There were some classes, like Latin and French, but no tests or essays, as intellectual formation was not the focus. We played sports every other day and had physical education the other days. We even made an outdoor ice rink in our parking lot in the winter, which I helped out with, as I had grown up with my dad making one for us in our backyard.

Life as a novice was even stricter than in the minor seminary. We could never visit home or even leave the property (with the exception of Saturday hikes, my favourite). We were only allowed to phone home three times a year, although we would still write weekly letters. Our parents could visit once a year, but even then we had to stay on the grounds. Basically it was a mini-experience of cloistered religious life. All this may sound miserable, but I very much enjoyed it. Not only the close friendships of my brothers, but the sense that we were soldiers training for the battle and had a very important role to play in the Church. The Legion was my family, and this is where God wanted

me to be. I was entirely convinced of that. But the Lord was standing on the pitching mound winding up, and that curveball was coming. My life was about to change dramatically.

Matt

### \*In the Parish \*

**Cemeteries Fall Collection** - Thank you to all parishioners who made generous contributions to the recent special collection. Donations will continue to be received throughout the month of November. In this year of favour Bishop Crosby has committed to match your gift dollar for dollar,

**Cemetery Board Receiving Tenders** - Tenders to open and close graves and prepare marker and monument foundations at St. Mary's Cemetery in Hepworth, South Bruce Peninsula are now being received. Complete Tender Packages are available at the Parish office during regular business hours from Tuesday to Friday. Completed tenders must be received by 5 pm, Thursday November 29, 2018. Inquiries should be directed to Cemeteries Manager, Angela Corrigan: [cemeteriesofstmarys@gmail.com](mailto:cemeteriesofstmarys@gmail.com)

**The 2018-2019 Missals are here** – the *Living with Christ* Missals are in. They're available in the church office, during office hours - \$5 each. We'll also be selling them before and after Mass on the weekends of November 17/18 and 24/25. As always, lectors will receive a complimentary missal.



**St. Mary's & the Missions Properties** - For those parishioners who have key access to church property in any of our eight churches, please contact the Parish office before the end of November and give your name, the property you have key access to and the reason you need it. Thank you.

**Advanced Care Planning** – On Thursday, November 22<sup>nd</sup>, at 7:30 pm, in St. Mary's Church hall, Fely Clarke will present *Advanced Care Planning*. She will guide us through the planning and decision making that should take place in our families before challenging times occur. This engaging and short workshop is meant to open communication as to how we wish to be looked after when we cannot look after ourselves. By opening the dialogue now, we will be able to handle difficult situations in the future, without added stress or guesswork. Come, listen and learn, you'll be happy you did.

**St. Mary's CWL Christmas Bazaar** - Saturday, November 24<sup>th</sup>. Doors Open from 10:00 am to 2:00 pm Lunch, Craft Table, Bake Table and Prizes to be won. Tickets are on sale for 50/50 Draw and Christmas Food Basket after all masses until the weekend of Nov 17/18 All the proceeds from these two Raffles will go to: Owen Sound Regional Hospital Foundation (for Mental Health Initiatives) and the Grey Bruce Pregnancy Centre.

**St Thomas Aquinas CWL** will be having there last of the year General Meeting on Wednesday November 21<sup>st</sup> at 5:00 pm. Chilli/ Rolls and refreshments will be served. So don't miss this one! All Welcome!



**Turkey Dinner** – St. Thomas Aquinas CWL is hosting a 'Turkey' Dinner/ Silent Auction on Sunday November 25, from 12:00 -2:30 pm in the Church Hall. Tickets are \$15.00 each, Children under 10 Free. R.S.V.P. Brenda Polillo at 226.974-1647 or email, [bpolillo024@gmail.com](mailto:bpolillo024@gmail.com)

### \* In the Community \*

**G.B.H.S. Warton Hospital Auxiliary** is seeking volunteers to sell H.E.L.L.P. Lottery tickets at the Warton Foodland store, Wednesday, Thursday or Friday. Hours are flexible and no experience necessary. An application can be picked up from the Auxiliary, at Foodland, or the Hospital Gift shop. For more information, please contact the Auxiliary President, Tammy Thurtell at [tthurtell@msn.com](mailto:tthurtell@msn.com), or 1-705-931-2176.

**The Emergency Phone Line** for Y Housing needs your help. Seven days a week, from 4:30 pm to 10:00 pm, volunteers man the phone line, assisting those in need of temporary shelter in Owen Sound and surrounding area. Just a couple of days need to be filled. You don't have to leave your home, call forwarding is used to assist with this work. Please call Safe 'n Sound at 519-470-7233 for more information. Please help if you can.

### \* In the Diocese \*

**The Catholic Women's Leadership Foundation** (CWLF) is accepting applications for their 2019 Leadership Program for Canadian Catholic women. The Program will be facilitated by the Providence School of Transformative Leadership and Spirituality, Saint Paul University, Ottawa. For more information about CWLF, the Leadership Program, and to complete an application form visit: <http://cwlfcanda.ca>

**For the Sick**, our fellow parishioners and family members who are in need of our prayers: for Marilyn Schinbein, Becki Knisley, Joanne LaFlamme Talbot, Terry Gurica, Marlene Lukie June Peet, Mike Adams, Sharon Cantlon, Tom McDonnell, Maureen McTeague, Vern Finlayson, Fred Fries, Josh Cahoon, and Sean McTeague, - **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 year, at this time, we will begin our list anew.*



#### Donations –November 10 / 11, 2018

Owen Sound	\$ 6,508
Meaford	979
Hepworth	517
Warton	513
Chatsworth	440
Lion's Head	312
Sauble Beach	161
Tobermory	118

**Total** \$ 9,548

**Weekly cost to run St. Mary's & the Missions** \$10,800

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