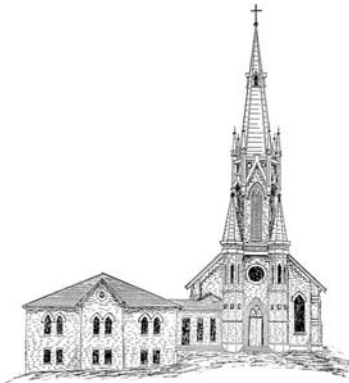


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**St. Mary of the Assumption  
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Saturday 5:00 pm  
Sunday 9:00 am, 11:00 am



**St. Vincent, Meaford**  
Sunday 11:00 am



**St. Thomas The Apostle, Tobermory**  
Saturday 11:30 am



**St. Mark, Lions Head**  
Saturday 9:30 am

## PASTORAL TEAM

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#### Associate Pastor

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#### Retired Priest in Residence

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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

### WEEKDAY MASSES

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

 **CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE OF CANADA**

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

# Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe

November 26, 2023

**Mass Intentions**  **Nov 27 to Dec 3**  
FOR THE WEEK

**Mon 9:00 am** Kurtis MacDermid (Int)  
Private Mass: In honour of Our Lady of the  
Miraculous Medal

**Tue 9:00 am** Eckert Family (Int)  
**7:00 pm** Ewa Milek +  
Private Mass: Mark of Bear Butte (Int)

**Wed 9:00 am** The Rovers Family (Int)  
Private Mass: Souls in Purgatory

**Thu 9:00 am** Paddy McArthur +  
**7:00 pm** Steve Rovers +

**Fri 9:00 am** Steve Rovers +  
Private Mass: Margaret Rose Lawlor +  
Private Mass: Bob Francis & Julie Donelle (Int)

**Saturday – December 2**  
9:30 am Lion’s Head – Gerry Burchat +  
11:30 am Tobermory – Eva, Gabriella & Michelle (Int)  
5:00 pm Owen Sound – Pro Populo  
Private Mass: In Thanksgiving

**Sunday – December 3**  
9:00 am OS – Harvey & Mark Sprung +  
11:00 am OS – Nieves Carlos +  
9:00 am Chatsworth – Donna Lauzon +  
11:00 am Meaford – Mary Hopkinson +  
9:00 am Hepworth – Eunice Blom & Family (Int)  
11:00 am Warton – William Donald LaFlamme +  
1:00 pm Cape Croker – Mass

**From the Hamilton Diocese Prayer Calendar**  
**This week we pray for:**

Mon Rev. Roger Yaworski, S.J.  
Tue Parents & Guardians  
Wed Fraternity of the Poor of Jesus Christ (p.j.c.)  
Thu Rev. Edward Hampson  
Fri Most Rev. Wayne Lobsinger  
Sat Rev. David Reilander

**\* Sacrament of Anointing & Communion to the Sick:  
Available upon request. Please call the office. \***



## *In Remembrance:*

During the month of November, I am sure that many of us are thinking of all the people who have died, especially our loved ones. We have the feast days of All Saints and All Souls, we have Remembrance Day and just last week here in our Parish, we had our annual Memorial Mass.



Fr. Luc was at the annual Remembrance Day ceremony at the Cenotaph this year. I thought that it would be nice to share his prayer with all of you.

**Prayer of Thanksgiving and Remembrance – by Fr. Luc.**

– With Gratitude and Honor, Heavenly Father, on this Remembrance Day, we remember the many brave men and women who have given their lives through the history of our country to protect us from danger and harm, and for the causes of freedom, justice, reconciliation and peace.

– We also remember those who sustained injury in mind and/or body in the course of their service and are no longer with us. Let us also commend their souls anew to God's eternal mercy and compassion.

– Lord, bless the families of our past and present troops, and fill their homes and their lives with Your strength and peace. May they receive the honour and help they earned for their sacrifices.

– And we salute everyone who served or is still serving in the military.

– As we remember those who made the ultimate sacrifice, let us pray for the courage to faithfully serve God and our country while here on earth. May the Holy Spirit help us to overcome sins of prejudice, hatred, injustice, and indifference, so that we may grow together as one family intended by God.

Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord.  
And let perpetual light shine upon them.  
May they rest in peace.  
Amen.

May their souls and the souls of all the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace.  
Amen.

Through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son, who lives

and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, God, for ever and ever. Amen.

*\* In the Parish \**

St. Thomas Aquinas Christmas Food Basket - This year we are collecting **Jam** to share with those receiving Christmas baskets.

We need approx. 200 jars. Please bring to St. Thomas Aquinas church by December 3<sup>rd</sup>.

Your generosity is appreciated.

St. Mary's Catholic Charities are starting two projects this weekend: The Christmas Card to each other and the Giving Tree.

**1) Christmas Card to each other** – Christmas card envelopes can be found in the pews. The deadline for having your name included in the Christmas card is **December 13<sup>th</sup>**. Please put your donation in the collection basket or you can drop off at the office.

**2) Giving Tree Project** – The Giving Tree will be in the foyer of St. Mary's Church. Please take a tag, if you are able, purchase the item described and return it (**unwrapped**), no later than **December 13<sup>th</sup>**. Please be sure to leave the tag with the gift and the receipt, if possible, and place it by the Giving Tree.

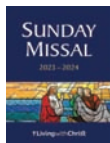


These projects would not be possible without the support and generosity of you, the Parishioners. We are grateful for all your support and generous hearts. We wish you all a Blessed Christmas and a Joyous and Healthy New Year.

**Blessings to you all – St. Mary's Catholic Charities**

Adoration every Friday – Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament occurs every Friday beginning after the 9 am Mass and going until 8 pm. We are currently looking for people who can commit to being here at 11 am every Friday, please contact the office if you can help. Everyone is encouraged and welcome to come to the Church and spend time in the presence of our Lord.

Sunday Missals 2023 - 2024 are now available in the parish office during regular office hours and at all weekend Masses. The price is still \$5 each.



Catholic Women's League – The St. Mary of the Assumption CWL membership is due in January. The membership is \$40.00. For those who use envelopes, there is an envelope in the parish envelope box for the membership.



Choir Members and Altar Servers – We are still looking for new choir members and altar servers. Please contact Corry LaPointe if you are interested in either of these ministries. We want you and we need you!

*\* In the Community\**

Safe n' Sound - is in need of new or used casual winter coats/jackets, especially for men. They can also use shoes, boots and sleeping bags. If you have any that you would like to donate, you can drop them off at Safe 'n Sound (310 8<sup>th</sup> St. E), the parish office or call Janice at 519-370-2038. Thank you for your support.



*\* In the Diocese \**

Christ the King – November 26, 2023 - “Lord, when was it that we saw you ...?” Have you heard the Lord as well? If God is calling you to serve as a priest, deacon, brother or sister or consecrated virgin, contact Fr. Mark Morley, Director of Vocations, Diocese of Hamilton at 905-528-7988, email [vocations@hamiltondiocese.com](mailto:vocations@hamiltondiocese.com) or visit the website: [hamiltondiocese.com/vocations/](http://hamiltondiocese.com/vocations/)

For the Sick, our fellow parishioners and family members who need our prayers:



Connie Bell, Cheryl Watters, Lincoln Hogan, Maciej Zielinski, Lydia Foch, Alwyn D'Silva, Joan West, Colleen Wright, Andrew Gambal, Mike Adams, Bernadette Lewis, Lyn Hannigan, Becki Knisley, Marlene Ryerson, Tom McDonnell, Sharon Cantlon, Brad Cahoon, Ben Meissner, Helen Hunter, Yvette Fournier, Felix Poole, Matt Bell, Maynard Dietrich, Eunice Blom, Arnold Hodgkinson, Landon Archer, and Mike Couture. **We pray to the Lord.**

**Donations received the week of Nov 18/19, 2023.**

Owen Sound	\$ 5, 708
Sauble Beach	279
Meaford	907
Warton	521
Hepworth	1, 335
Chatsworth	377
Tobermory	111
Lion's Head	<u>314</u>
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*God bless you for your generosity.*

What we ourselves cannot bear, let us bear with the help of Christ.

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