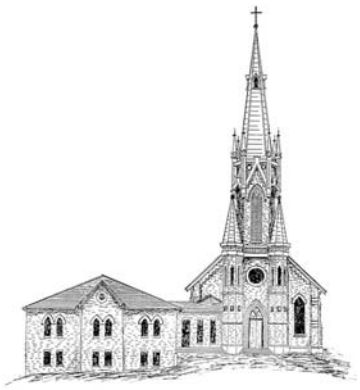
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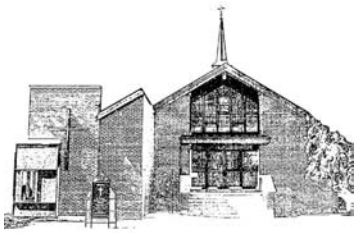
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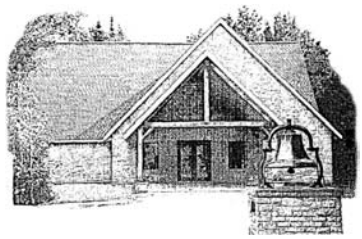
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Sunday 9:00 am, 11:00 am



St. Vincent, Meaford
Sunday 11:00 am



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



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Owen Sound: Monday, 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 for baptism preparation and dates for baptism.

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.



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, Neyaashiinigmiing
(formerly Cape Croker)
Sunday 1:00 pm

30th Sunday in Ordinary Time
October 25, 2026

Mass Intentions FOR THE WEEK — Oct 26 to Nov 1

Monday, October 26
9:00 am Giselle Llanos +

Tuesday, October 27
7:00 pm Lawrence McKenna (Int)

Wednesday, October 28
9:00 am Bernadette Lewis (Int)

Thursday, October 29
9:00 am Shalene Hedderson (Int)
7:00 pm The McManaman Family (Int)

Friday, October 30
9:00 am Patricia Ryan (Int)

Saturday, October 31
9:30 am Lion's Head – Louis Pelino +
11:30 am Tobermory **–** Colin Anderson +
5:00 pm Owen Sound –
Kyle Watson +
Jane Najim +
Larry Romanowich (Int)
Watson & Wehrle Families (Int)
Randy Curran (Int)
Special Intention
St. Basil's School students & teachers

Sunday, November 1- All Saints Day
9:00 am OS – Children of Mike & Monica Romanowich (Int)
11:00 am OS – Angie Rankin (Int)
9:00 am Chatsworth – Sheumas Fay +
11:00 am Meaford – Cor van Schie +
9:00 am Hepworth – Pat Prendergast +
11:00 am Wiarton – Andrew Mailhot +
1:00 pm Neyaashiinigmiing – Pro Populo

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

Mon. Very Rev. David Walter
Tue. Rev. Ron Cote
Wed. Voluntas Dei Institute, i.v.Dei.
Thu. Rev. William Meehan
Fri. Rev. Fulbert Jonas Ahouansou
Sat. Rev. John Van Hees

*** 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***

In the Parish

All Saints Day – All Souls Day - November 1st and 2nd are days to remember the dead. All Saints Day (November 1st) is a day when we celebrate all the Saints in heaven, both those officially declared as Saints and those who are in Heaven but unknown. All Souls Day (November 2nd) is the day when we remember our friends and family members who have gone before us, and all those who are in Purgatory awaiting their reward in Heaven.

This year, November 1st falls on a Sunday. The Saints are principal witnesses to Christ and to the saving power of his Death and Resurrection, and while the Solemnity of All Saints will be celebrated instead of the Sunday of Ordinary Time, the primary focus is on the Paschal Mystery of Christ which we celebrate each Sunday.

On November 2nd, we will have 3 Masses in Owen Sound at 9am, 12noon, and 7pm. The faithful may attend Mass and receive Holy Communion 3 times on November 2nd.

November Indulgences - In the month of November, the Church grants additional ways to gain an indulgence for the souls in Purgatory. A plenary indulgence can be obtained once per day and applied to oneself or a soul in Purgatory. The usual conditions for an indulgence are:
1. Complete an act to which the Church has granted an indulgence (see below).
2. Go to confession within 20 days of completing the act.
3. Offer prayers for the Holy Father on the day you complete the act.
4. Receive communion on the day you complete the act.
5. Be free from all attachment to sin, even venial sin. If this is not possible, then the indulgence is partial rather than plenary.

The acts which are specific to November that have indulgences attached are:
• Between Nov 1 -8, visit a cemetery and pray for the dead.
• On Nov 2, visit a church or oratory and pray the Creed and an Our Father.

Rest in peace Fr. Mulhall - Fr. Gerald Mulhall, a retired priest of our diocese who helped out in our parish over a number of years as long as his health permitted, passed away on October 14. His funeral Mass was celebrated at St. Mary of the Purification in Mount Forest on October 19. In your charity, please pray for the repose of his soul and the consolation of his family and friends.

Drivers needed – As some of you may have heard already, our new associate Fr. Jackson Arul will be arriving at the end of the month. We are very excited to welcome him to our parish! Since Fr. Jackson has been out of the country for several years, his Canadian drivers license has expired. We are asking if any parishioners would be willing to drive him to our mission churches on the weekends. If this is something that you are interested in helping with, please contact the parish office.

St. Mary of the Rosary Church in Hepworth Reopens – Just a reminder that this weekend is the last Mass celebrated at Holy Family Church in Sauble Beach until next April. St. Mary of the Rosary Church, Hepworth reopens next **Sunday, November 1st**.

Bishop Joseph Dabrowski CSMA will be visiting our parish – On **November 7 and 8**, our new Bishop will be making a pastoral visit to our parish and missions. On Saturday Nov 7, he will visit and celebrate the Masses in Lions Head at 9:30am, Tobermory at 11:30am, and Owen Sound at 5:00pm. On Sunday Nov 8, he will be in Hepworth at 9:00am, Wiarton at 11:00am, and Neyaashiinigmiing at 1:00pm for the Masses in those churches. Due to his schedule, he will not be able to visit Chatsworth or Meaford this time.

There will be a light reception following the 5:00pm Mass in Owen Sound, so we encourage those who normally attend Owen Sound on Sunday morning, as well as our Chatsworth and Meaford parishioners, to consider joining us in Owen Sound on Saturday to meet our Bishop. It is a joyous occasion to welcome our Bishop to our parish, and we look forward to introducing him to the wonderful people and beauty of God's creation in the north of the diocese.

Memorial Mass – There will be a memorial Mass for all parishioners and loved ones who have died. The Mass is on **November 10th at 7:00 pm** and will be followed by a reception hosted by the St. Mary's Bereavement team. All are invited.

Knights of Columbus Breakfast - The Knights of Columbus invite you to their monthly breakfast next **Sunday, November 1st after the 9 am and 11 am** Masses at St. Mary's Church, in the Parish Centre. A donation is appreciated, with proceeds towards K of C projects.

Catholic Women's League – The St. Mary of the Assumption CWL will hold their annual Christmas Bazaar on **Saturday, November 14, 2026** from 10:00 am to 2:00 pm. If you would like to help, items needed for the bazaar are baked goods, jewelry, gently used Christmas decorations, silk scarves, and gently used shoes. Also, homemade pies for the luncheon would be appreciated. We are collecting new items for the Toonie Table, and ask that you bring in items by **Friday, November 6th.** We greatly appreciate any help with our bazaar fundraiser. CWL will begin selling raffle tickets on two baskets before and after Masses this weekend.



All Saints Day Costume Party - Families are invited to join us on **Sunday, November 1**, following the 11:00 AM Mass for an All Saints Day celebration!

Kids, take on the challenge: come dressed as your favourite saint and compete for best saint costume! Will we see St. Francis, St. Thérèse, St. Nicholas — or a saint we've never met? Start planning those costumes now.

While you're there, catch the parish breakfast hosted by the Knights — good food and fellowship while the kids show off their heavenly outfits. See you there!

Questions? Contact Adam at (519) 807-4754.

*In the Diocese *

World Mission Sunday – **The mission continues - Mission to love -** Jesus names the whole Law: love God with all your heart, and love your neighbour as yourself (Mt 22:34-40). Pope Leo XIV says the same of mission: it is the proclamation, living, and sharing of God's faithful love.

Last Sunday we prayed and gave with the universal Church. This Sunday we take that offering home: welcome the stranger, reconcile a division, speak of Christ with gentleness. The collection has been taken; the mission has not ended.

Mary, Queen of Missions, make us instruments of peace



For the Sick, our fellow parishioners, family members and friends who need our prayers: Ashley, Max Williams, Joe Robinson, Victoria Bayard, Nadine McNabb, Peggy Hayward, Gabriel Beggar, Natasha, Bill Griffith, Doug Okrafka, Ray Botten, Ryszard Kotlarz, Tim Nuttall, Colleen Wright, Robert Pointon, Juras Chester, Melissa Shular, 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, James Gamble, and Matt Bell. **We pray to the Lord**.

Donations received Oct 10/11, and Oct 17/18, 2026

Owen Sound	$ 4, 955	$ 4, 867
Sauble Beach	1, 147	1, 151
Meaford	1,344	1, 861
Wiarton	786	834
Hepworth	251	271
Chatsworth	570	540
Tobermory	548	242
Lion's Head	304	219
	$ 9, 905	$ 9, 985

Budget offerings required to date: $ 490,560
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May God bless you for your generosity.

"When people love and recite the Rosary they find it makes them better."

St. Anthony Mary Claret



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