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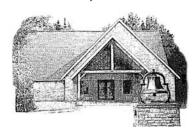
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St. Mary of the Rosary, Hepworth Sunday 9:00 am (Nov-Mar)



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St. Vincent, Meaford Sunday 11:00 am

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



St. Mark, Lions Head Saturday 9:30 am

Tuesday, Thursday 7:00 pm

Sauble Beach: Wednesday 12:30 pm (May – Oct)

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 in the pews. Fill one out and drop it in the collection basket.



St. Stanislaus, Chatsworth Sunday 9:00 am



St. Thomas Aquinas, Wiarton Sunday 11:00 am



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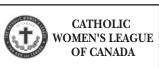
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Meetings 1st Wed. of the month

26th Sunday in Ordinary Time

September 25, 2022



Sep 26 to Oct 2

Mon 9:00 am Growth of the culture of life Private Mass: Holy Souls in Purgatory

Tue 9:00 am Harvey Sprung + 7:00 pm Cancelled

Private Mass: Jonathan Fleming (Int – Healing)

Wed 9:00 am Ron LaFlamme +

12:30 pm in SB: Eunice Blom (Int – Healing)

Thu 9:00 am James John Haas + 7:00 pm A special intention

Fri 9:00 am Anna Francuz +

Private Mass: Monette Martin & Judy Baker +

Saturday - October 1

9:30 am Lion's Head – Special intention of a parishioner

11:30 am Tobermory – Fr. James McSharry + 5:00 pm Owen Sound – John & Barbara Fox +

Sunday - October 2

9:00 am OS - Mark Strong +

11:00 am OS - Anne Campbell +

9:00 am Chatsworth – Atie Huitema (Int)

11:00 am Meaford – Edith McKee (Int)

9:00 am SB - Simon & Rose Kocher +

11:00 am Wiarton – Pro Populo

1:00 pm Cape Croker – Fr. Luc Payette (Int)

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

Mon Rev. Andrew Quarshie

Tue Rev. Drago Gacnik, S.D.B.

Wed Sister Adorers of the Precious Blood (R.P.B.)

Thu Rev. Andrew Lopatniuk Fri Rev. James Link, C.R.

Sat Rev. Piotr Jurzyk

* Sacrament of Anointing & Communion to the Sick:
Available upon request

From the Pastors Desk:

Living in the present

In the time of the Prophet Ezekiel the Israelites were not pleased with God's way of indement. They claimed that God's way

judgment. They claimed that God's way of dealing with people was "not fair". Israelites presumed that God judges the way we judge. But the more they observed the world they realized that God's judgment is different from ours.

so much so that it even seemed unfair in their eyes.

The Israelites looked at judgment in terms of a scorecard. Those who would score the most points should get the best price, and those who scored the least should come in last. They were preoccupied with counting the good that someone did, as well as the bad. If the good outweighed the bad then you would be in good shape. This is a very human way of judging, and it makes sense to us. But this is not the way God judges.

Jesus tells a story about two sons who were asked to work in their father's vineyard. One said no, but then felt bad and did what the father asked. The other said yes, but then changed his mind and did not go. This is a classic example of a good son who does something bad, and a bad son who does something good. The meaning of this story is that we will not be judged by God based on our past, nor our future, but our present. This is why we can never take the approach of points or credits when it comes to eternal life: I've done many good things in the past, I can afford to have some fun now; or I have done so much evil in the past, there is no point in trying now. The reason we think this way is because we think that God judges the way we do. But God judges differently. He is concerned with our present, where are we right now. Forget the past, don't worry about the future, and simply live your faith in the present. This is our best path to encounter the God who will judge us based on the present. I may not like what I've done in the past, I may not be able to make promises for the future, but I can renew my faith and trust in God here and now. I can live in the present.

Fr. Wojtek Kuzma

* In the Parish *

Love 101 – a woman's perspective - There has



been further interest in Margery Frisch's book, so there will be another printing in time for Christmas. We have had people saying that these books would make a wonderful Christmas gift.

The books are \$25 each and all proceeds go to the Rectory Building Fund. There are two ways to preorder your book/s – pre-paying through Brenda at the parish office, or by e-transferring \$25 per book to Margery at <a href="mailto:mai

The **deadline** for ordering the book is **October 31**st. If you're ordering through Brenda at the office, this means your deadline is really Friday, October 28th...if you're e-transferring to Margery, you have till midnight, October 31st. Thank you for your support of this project.

Divine Mercy Hour & Adoration of the Holy

Eucharist - Please come and join in every Friday



from 3:00 pm to 4:00 pm to pray the Divine Mercy Chaplet and the Rosary. They are both very beautiful & powerful prayers. If you are unable to stay the whole hour, you are welcome

to join for as long as you can. You are sure to find peace & comfort in the presence of the Lord.

Life Chain - The Owen Sound Life Chain will take



place on Sunday, October 2nd at the corners of 10th St. East & 2nd Ave. East from 2 to 3 PM. Please join us for this hour a year when Canadians stand together for the Right to Life.

See you there!

St. Thomas Aquinas Rosary Vigil continues

Wednesdays at 6:30 pm in Wiarton. 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

* In the Community *

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products, or any size you are able to provide. If you are able to help, they can be dropped off at Safe 'n Sound or left in the green bucket in the

church foyer. Thank you for your support.

* In the Diocese *

26th Sunday in Ordinary Time - But if only someone would go to them. Pray for those who are called to 'run the race' as priests, deacons, brothers or sisters. If God is calling you contact Bishop Wayne Lobsinger, Director of Vocations and Priestly Formation, Diocese of Hamilton by phone (905-528-7988), email vocations/ or visit the website: www.hamiltondiocese.com/vocations/

Development & Peace - Crisis in Pakistan: Our sisters and brothers in Pakistan are currently suffering



a great climate disaster. Over 33 million people have been affected by unprecedented flooding across most of the country. To help our partners, Caritas Pakistan, cope with this

crisis, **Development and Peace has launched an appeal for funds.** We have published an <u>article about it on our website</u> (<u>www.devp.org</u>). The **Government**

of Canada is matching all donations to the cause dollar for dollar, up to September 28. The donation link is:

https://www2.devp.org/en/civicrm/contribute/transact?reset=1&id=3&gl=24501 Thank you for your support.

Hamilton Diocese Marian Days 2022 – Join brothers and sisters from around the Diocese in honouring Our Blessed Lady for the last Marian Day of the year with Bishop Crosby on October 1, 2022 at the Basilica of Our Lady Immaculate in Guelph. Join us for confessions at 9:00 a.m. followed by the Holy Mass with Bishop Crosby at 10:00 am, the Solemn Crowning of Our Lady with Rosary at 11:00 a.m., and The Queen's Tea at 12:00 p.m., honouring the crowning of the image of our Lady. Cost for lunch is \$20.00 payable at the door. Call the Basilica to reserve your spot: (519) 824-3951.

members who are in need of our prayers: for — Brad Cahoon, Eunice Blom, Norm Gibbons, Todd Borisuk, David Smith, Ben Meissner, Matthew Fitzsimmons, 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, Gordon Dion, Glenda Emma Dupont, Colleen Warmington, Mike Couture, Madelyn van Veen, Collin Rier, Phyllis Cooper, Barry Beatty, Marilyn Schinbein, Mike Adams, Pat McIntyre and Brenda Richter. We pray to the Lord.

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| Meaford | 669 |
| Wiarton | 742 |
| Hepworth | 204 |
| Chatsworth | 345 |
| Tobermory | 218 |
| Lion's Head | <u>349</u> |
| \$ 7, 872 | |
| God bless you for your generosity. | |

Abraham said to him, "If they do not listen to Moses and the Prophets, neither will they be convinced even if someone rises from the dead."

Luke 16:31

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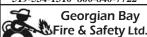
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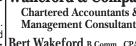
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