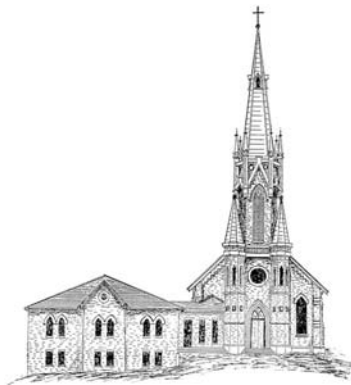


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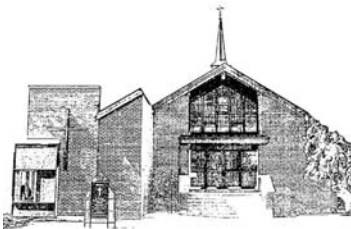
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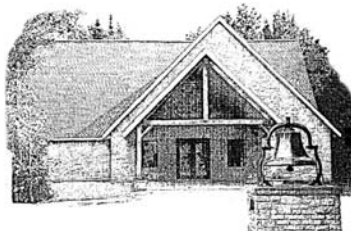
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Sunday 9:00 am, 11:00 am



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Sunday 11:00 am



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



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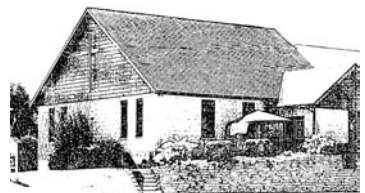
St. Mary of the Rosary, Hepworth
Sunday 9:00 am (Nov-Mar)



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

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

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Welcome to your new parish! You will find registration forms in the pews. Fill one out and drop it in the collection basket.

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

23rd Sunday in Ordinary Time

September 4, 2022



Sep 5 to Sep 11

Mon 9:00 am Blessed Mothers Intentions
Private Mass: Salvation of our households

Tue 9:00 am Souls in Purgatory
7:00 pm Cancelled
Private Mass: Scott & Millie King (Int)

Wed 9:00 am Cancelled
12:30 pm in SB: Cancelled
Private Mass: Special intentions of the parishioners

Thu 9:00 am Cancelled
7:00 pm Peggy Ann Moore +
Private Mass: Fr. James McSharry +

Fri 9:00 am Karl Fortney +
Private Mass: John & Barbara Fox +

Saturday – September 10
9:30 am Lion's Head – Joan Martin (Int)
11:30 am Tobermory – Shirley Kramps (Int)
5:00 pm Owen Sound – Wayne & Sarah Cook (Int)

Sunday – September 11
9:00 am OS – Hilde Effinger +
11:00 am OS – Art & Martha Radbourne (Int)
9:00 am Chatsworth – Pro Populo
11:00 am Meaford – Jean Wheeler +
9:00 am SB – Irene Rudolph +
11:00 am Wiarton – Joan Prout +
1:00 pm Cape Croker – Mass

From the Hamilton Diocese Prayer Calendar

This week we pray for:

Mon Rev. Marko Stefanec
Tue Rev. Joseph Akanbi
Wed Sisters of Our Lady Immaculate (S.O.L.I.)
Thu Rev. Charles Jordan
Fri Rev. Lourdy Dorismond, O.M.I.
Sat Rev. Archange Kebe

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

From the Pastors Desk:

A preacher approached a stranger on the street:

"Mister, have you been saved?" The man replied, "Gosh, I don't know. I'm a Catholic." Catholics have a problem with that question. We would give a three-part answer to it: "Yes, I have been saved; I am being saved; and I hope to be saved. I



have been saved by the sufferings, death and resurrection of Christ. I am being saved because it's a lifelong process, and I hope to be saved by the goodness and mercy of God and my faithful cooperation with grace."

Being saved has a special meaning for many other Christians. For some it means an once-in-a-lifetime commitment to Jesus, accepting him as Lord and Saviour of their life. It is usually a special moment when a person steps forward at a crusade or prayer meeting and experiences an emotional sense of the Lord's presence and saving power.

But for Catholics it usually means that at the moment of death, when we stand before God in judgment, God will say, "Come on in, good and faithful servant. You have made it; Be my guest for all eternity."

"I have been saved" - through the goodness of God the Father who loved the world so much that he sent his only Son to earth to take our sins upon himself, to suffer and die in our place, God now offers us his salvation as a free gift which we can accept or refuse. By accepting this free gift, without which it is impossible to please God, we become God's sons and daughters together with all it implies.

"I am being saved." I look to the Lord each day for the grace to continue believing in God and doing God's will. I am being called to enter more deeply into God's plan for me throughout my whole life, to accept his gift of salvation more fully. Jesus reminded us, "Not everyone who says to me Lord, Lord, will enter the kingdom of God." Catholics believe that good works, reception of the sacraments and church teachings, together with faith in Jesus Christ, the one mediator between God and us, all play a part in our salvation; they are indications that we do accept God into our life. Being saved is much more than one moment in a person's conversion or acceptance of Jesus as one's personal Lord and Saviour.

"I hope to be saved." Jesus warned, "Those who persevere to the end will be saved." (Mark 13:13). So we continually pray for the grace of final perseverance. Speaking of salvation, Paul says, "I pray that I may know Jesus and the power of his resurrection. Not that I have already attained it or am perfect, but I press onward to make it my own." (Phil. 3:11-13)

Fr. Wojtek Kuzma

*** In the Parish ***

Mass Intention Update – Starting this week we will begin to accept Mass intentions for our Churches once again. Thank you for your understanding as we worked through the excess of Mass intentions that had built up.

The Alpha Program will be returning once again to St. Mary's Church. Alpha is a series of interactive sessions exploring the basics of Christian faith. Each session looks at a different question designed to create interesting conversation. There is no pressure, no follow-ups and no charge. It is simply an open, informal and honest space to explore and discuss life's big questions together.

The course will be held every Tuesday, beginning on September 13 and continuing until November 15th. It will be held in St. Marys Parish Centre, starting with a social at 6pm. Food will include pastries, beverages, and a variety of sandwiches.

Bring a friend to experience alpha with you. Put together a group of 6 to form your own group. If you have an application already filled in, please drop it into the silver box located in the foyer of St. Marys Church.

Please look at the following link to get an idea of what the alpha program is about <https://youtu.be/1GE13TtHQCC>

If you have any questions, please call Allan Gordanier at 519-378-8307 or email him at allanwords22@yahoo.ca. Thank you.

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 ***

Safe 'n Sound - If anyone has shoes, socks, a sleeping bag or a tent they are no longer using, they would be very much appreciated by Safe 'n Sound. Please drop them off at 310 8th Street E. between 9:00am to 3:00pm. Thank you.



*** In the Diocese ***

23rd Sunday in Ordinary Time - Having a loose grasp on those things that rightly belong to God is required of every follower. The open hands you are left with will be filled by God and overflowing. Can you

let go? If God is calling you to be a priest, religious or deacon, contact Bishop Wayne Lobsinger, Director of Vocations and Priestly Formation, Diocese of Hamilton by phone (905-528-7988), email vocations@hamiltondiocese.com or visit the website: www.hamiltondiocese.com/vocations/

Evenings with His Excellency, Bishop Wayne Lobsinger will continue this fall at St. Ann's Parish, Ancaster. Class is the second Friday of each month, beginning September 9th at 7:00 p.m. For more information, visit the Parish website: <https://stannparish.ca/>.

150th Anniversary of Sacred Heart Parish, Walkerton – On September 18, 2022 Sacred Heart Parish will celebrate their 150th Anniversary. The celebration will begin with Mass at 11:00 AM celebrated by the Very Rev. Wojciech Kuzma and Rev. Leszek Szczygiel. Mass will be followed by a lunch and social. Please join them.

For the Sick, our fellow parishioners and family members who are in need of our prayers: for –



Todd Borisuk, David Smith, Ben Meissner, Matthew Fitzsimmons, Fernando, Shane Fleming, Dalcyce 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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Lion's Head	399
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God bless you for your generosity.

Remember that when you leave this earth, you can take with you nothing that you have received – only what you have given: a full heart, enriched by honest service, love, sacrifice and courage.

St. Francis of Assisi

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