


MASSES OF THE WEEK

Monday, July 20 - Ferial: Weekday

7:30a.m. - Intentions of Massimo Marcone,
Intentions of Emma Hohenadel.

Tuesday, July 21 - Ferial: Weekday

7:30a.m. - Louis Petric, Mary Gaskell.

Wednesday, July 22 - Feast: St. Mary Magdalene

7:30a.m. - Edward Hergott, John Devaney.

Thursday, July 23 - Ferial: Weekday

7:00p.m. - Luigi Pellegrini, Sister Amedea Limina.

Friday, July 24 - Ferial: Weekday

7:30a.m. - Mary Macerollo, Mario Tumnillo.

Saturday, July 25 - Feast: St. James

5:15p.m. - Rita Hanlon, Helen Forestell, Peter Vasko,
Charles Greffe, Laverne J. Pitzel.

Sunday, July 26 - Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

9:00a.m. & 11:00a.m.

Stewardship of Treasure:

Thank you for your gift of \$7352.00 in support of your parish community in gratitude for God's many blessings.

✠ We offer our prayers and sympathy to the families of Clara Klip and Irene Maschio who were called to the glory of eternal life. May they and all our loved ones rest in peace.

✠ We offer our prayers and congratulations to John McLuhan and Michelle Guerin on the recent celebration of their marriage.

We welcome into our Catholic Faith Family through Water and the Holy Spirit in Baptism: Daxyn Andrew Falkingham; Olivia Nicole Figliuzzi; Wyatt Robert Marks and Caden Kerry Mendonca. We congratulate their families.

FROM THE PASTOR'S DESK: "VOCATIONS: WHAT CAN YOU DO?"

-LIVE your own vocation joyfully and faithfully. All the baptized are called to follow Jesus and to serve in some way. The witness of a dedicated parent, loving spouse, caring friend or faithful priest can lead others to hear God's voice calling them personally.

-PRAYER: In the act of praying for vocations we place our trust in God and see that God already is at work in ways we do not even recognize. This prayer opens us up to the voice of God calling and guiding us in our lives.

-INVITATION: Often it takes a personal invite to encourage someone to take on a new responsibility. Many who serve in our parishes in various ministries were first asked by their pastor or fellow parishioner. Also, many of our priests and seminarians were invited and encouraged by someone who recognized that they had the gifts and qualities that would make them good priests.

IMPORTANT INFORMATION DUE TO INFLUENZA A (H1N1). Until further notice the following measures are to be adopted at Mass:

-parishioners are advised to refrain from shaking hands during the sign of peace and simply bow or say "Peace be with you" to one another.

-Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist will sanitize their hands before and after distribution of Communion

*-Communion will not be distributed from the cup
-all are to receive Communion in the hand only
-thank you for your co-operation as we all want to remain healthy*

PARISH NEWS

LITURGICAL PUBLICATIONS

Liturgical Publications will be setting up advertisements for our church bulletin beginning August 7th. The advertisements make our bulletin possible. Please support the bulletin and advertise your product or service. Call Liturgical Publications at 1-800-268-2637.

CHURCH OF OUR LADY

Church of Our Lady began serving the community in 1888 and remains today a strong symbol of faith. The continued support of parishioners is a wonderful sign of your Stewardship and has never been more important. Major repairs and restoration projects are underway and are very costly to fund. Please consider us as you prepare or update your estate and financial plans. A modest gift by way of bequest, insurance or tangible assets can make a substantial difference to the future of our church. The BUILDING FUND finances current repair and restoration work while the HERITAGE FUND ensures that the Church Of Our Lady will be in a position of financial security for future generations. For more information contact our Office at 519-824-3951.

R.C.I.A.

Anyone interested in learning about the Catholic Faith is invited to sign up for our R.C.I.A. program which begins in September. Any parishioner interested in joining our RCIA Team is asked to contact Father Noon or Graham Winter at 519-836-5654.

CATECHETICAL CORRESPONDENCE COURSES

Catechetical correspondence courses will now be available through our Diocesan Office for Ministry, Family and Religious Education. These courses are intended for those who are attending non-Roman Catholic schools as a way of helping them engage in faith development and prepare to receive the Sacraments of the Church. To register call Carol at 1-519-528-7988 ext. 2238 or check out the website at www.hamiltondiocese.com. It is important that we have the names of those doing these programs so please contact Sister Elaine through the Parish Office.

OTHER NEWS

DIOCESAN LIBRARY

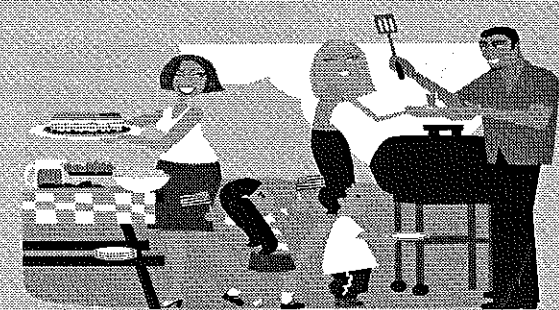
The Diocesan Library provides audio-visual and printed materials to assist our Catholic community in its faith journey. All are welcome to benefit from our resources. The Library is located at the Chancery Office, 700 King St.W., Hamilton and is open Monday to Friday from 1:00-4:30p.m. If you are unable to access the library during our hours please contact the Librarian Ms. Dominy Williams at 1-905-528-7988 ext. 2252 or by e-mail dwilliams@hamiltondiocese.com to make other arrangements. Materials can be mailed to those unable to come to the library in person. For a listing of the library's holdings visit the online catalogue at <http://hamiltondiocese.com/libraryservices>.

CATHOLIC CEMETERIES

Celebrate Your Loved Ones with Life Stories. The Catholic Cemeteries of the Diocese of Hamilton has added a new web site feature for families and friends to celebrate the lives of their loved ones. "Life Stories" allows a person to write about a loved one and have the short story posted on the website. Submissions may include both biographical information and anecdotes. Submissions are welcome from the families and friends of individuals who are interred at one of the Catholic cemeteries of the Diocese of Hamilton. To submit a story, please visit www.thecatholiccemeteries.ca and click on "Life Stories". For more information, or for further assistance, call 1-905-522-7727.

GUELPH CYO BASKETBALL

Guelph CYO Basketball offers a houseleague program for boys and girls ages 5-16. This recreational league has celebrated over 20 years of fun and fitness for our youth in Guelph. Our Saturday program runs from September to February and promotes positive self-image as well as basic skill development, exposure to competition, fair play and good sportsmanship. CYO offers an All Star program as well for more competitive play. Please visit our website at www.guelphcyobasketball.ca or call Martin Valeriotte at 519-836-6093.



PARISH PICNIC ON SEPTEMBER 13TH

MARK YOUR CALENDAR! CHURCH OF OUR LADY PARISH PICNIC SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 13TH!

THEOLOGY OF THE BODY CONFERENCE

The Theology of the Body Conference: Discovering the Master Plan for Your Life Conference - presented by Christopher West, October 16th 7-9p.m. and October 17th from 9-4:30p.m. at the Canadian Christian College, 50 Gervais Drive, Toronto (Don Mills Road & Eglinton Avenue). Registration is \$40.00. E-mail stbreg@gmail.com or call 1-416-481-5465 or see www.godsexandthmeaningoflife.com

ONTARIO LITURGICAL CONFERENCE

Raise Your Joyful Cries "Ontario Liturgical Conference" St. Paul University, Ottawa, August 23rd to 27th. For more information visit their website www.archottawa.ca or e-mail OLCsummerschool2009@gmail.com.

ANNUAL WALKING PILGRIMAGE

Annual Walking Pilgrimage to Martyrs' Shrine in Midland August 8th to 15th is a time for spiritual growth and lots of fun. Come for as long as you like - a day; a weekend or the week. All are welcome. For more information visit our website: www.ignatiusguelph.ca/pilgrimage.html or call Robin at 519-821-3295. An information meeting will be held Wed., July 15th at 7p.m. at Holy Rosary Church.

WOMEN'S HOME-COMING RETREAT

A Women's Home-Coming Retreat August 15th, 2009 at the Ignatian Retreat Centre from 9:30a.m. to 8p.m. Cost \$85. For

SUNDAY SMILE!

"Do you say your prayers at night little boy?" asked the preacher. "Yes sir," answered the lad. "And do you always say them in the morning too?" "No sir," replied the lad. "I'm not scared in the daytime."