



MASSES OF THE WEEK

Monday, March 29 - Monday of Holy Week
7:30a.m. - Annie Clarke, Ben & Cely Fidelino.

Tuesday, March 30 - Tuesday of Holy Week
7:30a.m. - Patricia Lefneski, Carlo Aimola.
12:10p.m. - Intentions of Jocelyn Kerr,
Intentions of Susan Reyes.

Wednesday, March 31 - Wednesday of Holy Week
7:30a.m. - Don Boucher, James Ball.

Thursday, April 1 - Holy Thursday
7:00p.m. - Mass of the Lord's Supper
(Adoration until 10p.m.)

Friday, April 2 - Good Friday
12:00noon - Children's Liturgy
3:00p.m. - Solemn Liturgy of the Lord's Passion
7:00p.m. - Evening Prayer (Stations of the Cross
& Sermon)

Saturday, April 3 - Holy Saturday: Easter Vigil
8:00p.m. - (NO 5:15p.m. Mass)

Sunday, April 4 - Easter Sunday
7:30a.m., 9:00a.m. & 11:00a.m.

Stewardship of Treasure:

Thank you for your gift of \$7948.00 in support of your parish community in gratitude for God's many blessings.

We offer our prayers and sympathy to the family of Frank Balnar who was called to eternal life.

We welcome into our Catholic Faith Family through Water and the Holy Spirit in Baptism: Rhys Dominic Brown; Jesse Roy Coffin; Matthew Phillippe Fessenden; Andres Eduardo Martinez; Carter Anthony North; Abigail Grace Taboada and Kate Colleen Thompson. We congratulate their families.

FROM THE PASTOR'S DESK: HOLY WEEK 2010

On Monday, March 29th at 7:30p.m. in the Cathedral of Christ the King, Hamilton Bishop Tonnos will celebrate the Mass of Chrism with the priests of the Diocese. At this Mass the Holy Oils used in the administration of the sacraments will be blessed and consecrated. Priests renew their dedication to Christ and their commitment to serve God's people. On Holy Thursday, April 1st the evening's celebration opens the Triduum with the Mass of the Lord's Supper. It commemorates the institution of the Eucharist and the Priesthood as well as Jesus' command of love and service. Traditionally this day is known as Maundy Thursday. Thursday of Holy Week is remembered as the time Jesus ate a final meal together with the apostles who had followed Him for so long. At the end of Mass the Blessed Sacrament is carried in procession to the Altar of Repose. You are invited to spend time this holy night in prayer and reflection until 10:00p.m.

Our Holy Week Schedule:

MASS: Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday 7:30a.m. and Tuesday at 12:10p.m.

Holy Thursday - Mass at 7:00p.m. followed by Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament until 10:00p.m.

Good Friday - 12noon Children's Liturgy (no Communion)

3:00p.m. Solemn Good Friday Liturgy - Proclamation of the Passion; Veneration of the Cross and Holy Communion

7:00p.m. Stations of the Cross and Sermon

Easter Vigil Saturday, April 3rd at 8p.m.

EASTER SUNDAY, April 4th - 7:30a.m. - 9:00a.m. - 11:00a.m.

Sacrament of Reconciliation:

Tuesday, March 30th 8a.m.-12noon; 2-5p.m.

Wednesday, March 31st - 6:30 to 7:30p.m.

Saturday, April 3rd - 11:00a.m. to 12noon

In accordance with the prescriptions of Canon 1253, the Canadian Conference of Catholic Bishops decree that GOOD FRIDAY is a day of FAST AND ABSTINENCE. All persons who have completed their 18th year of age up to age 60 are bound by the law of Fast (NO EATING BETWEEN MEALS) and ABSTINENCE (NO MEAT). Those with health problems may be exempt.

PARISH NEWS**KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS HONOUR VOCATIONS**

The Knights of Columbus Guelph & District are hosting an event to honour our parish priests as well as vocations to the priesthood on Wednesday, April 7th at 6:30p.m. in Church of Our Lady Parish Hall. Two short films, "Fishers of Men: and "With God in Russia" will be presented. Don't miss this opportunity to be entertained, enlightened and to offer a special "thank you" to our priests and to gather for fellowship, finger foods and refreshments. Ignatius Press products will be available for purchase.

OTHER NEWS**NOTRE DAME PRESENTATION**

The School Sister's of Notre Dame present Julian Sher, an award winning investigative journalist who will speak on Human Trafficking and the Internet Saturday, April 10th 9:30a.m. to 3:30p.m. (lunch provided) at Notre Dame Motherhouse, 1921 Snake Road, Waterdown. Pre-register by calling 1-289-813-0703. Free will offering.

THE NATIONAL CATHOLIC MISSION

The National Catholic Mission "A God For All Seasons" will be shown on Vision TV March 29th and 30th at 9p.m. and repeated at 11p.m. with Father Pat Fitzpatrick C.S.Sp. and Sister Joan Chittister O.S.B.

RETROUVILLE - A LIFELINE FOR MARRIAGE

Thinking about Separation or Divorce? - Is your marriage or that of a relative or friend heading for divorce? Do you know how to save that marriage? Or do you feel helpless? Retrouville is designed to help troubled marriages regain their health. It helps spouses re-awaken the love, trust and commitment that originally brought them together. The program is highly successful in saving hurting marriages, even bringing reconciliation to couples who have already separated or divorced. For confidential information about, or to register for the April program beginning with a weekend on April 9-11th in Niagara Falls call 1-905-664-5212 or e-mail : retrouville.hamilton@cogeco.ca or the website at www.hamiltonretrouville.com.

PARENTING TIP OF THE MONTH

Vacations or 'stay-cations' are a wonderful time to step away from the busy-ness of everyday family living and reconnect with each other. As you laugh and play, don't forget to stay connected to our faith. Be the family that plays and prays together. (Office for Ministry, Family and Religious Education 1-905-529-7988 ext. 2250).

VOCATION VIEW:

When Jesus comes into your life, wave your arms in jubilation. Show your joy, your happiness, your dream is fulfilled. Tell others - Jesus is here!

ST. IGNATIUS OF LOYOLA SCHOOL

Allan Asselin, the principal of our new St. Ignatius of Loyola School, which opens in September is enrolled in the MA Leadership Program at the University of Guelph and invites you to join a brief online survey about elementary school effectiveness. If you wish to participate link to <http://www.surveymonkey.com/s/schoolcommunitysurvey>.

STEWARDSHIP: GRATITUDE:

What do I experience as gifts from God? What am I grateful for? How will I share my gifts?

SPIRITAN PRAYER GROUP

The Spiritan Prayer Group will be sponsoring a Mass, with prayers for healing afterwards, celebrated by Father Ed Henhoeffler, on Wednesday, March 31st, starting at 8:00p.m., at Sacred Heart Church, corner of Alice and Huron St. For more information call 519-836-3167.

CEMETERY SPRING CLEAN

Families are reminded to kindly remove all winter wreaths and decorations from their lots at Marymount and St. Joseph Cemeteries by April 1st, 2010. To facilitate the spring cemetery clean-up any wreaths or decorations remaining after April 1st will be removed and discarded. For further information call 5198368814.

JUST A THOUGHT!

Isn't it strange how everyone wants a place in heaven but... they don't want to believe, do, or say anything to get there?