

 **MASSES OF THE WEEK**

Monday, May 11 - Ferial - Weekday
7:30a.m. - Arthur Piscitelli, Marguerite Clayton.

Tuesday, May 12 - Ferial - Weekday
7:30a.m. - Amelia Weiler, Brian Cardy.

Wednesday, May 13 - Ferial: Weekday
7:30a.m. - Giuseppe Pian, Lucian Keil.

Thursday, May 14 - Feast: St. Matthias
7:00p.m. - Tony Manera.
Intentions of the Prior Family.

Friday, May 15 - Ferial - Weekday
7:30a.m. - Louis Macerollo, Apolonia Rybaczek.

Saturday, May 16 - Ferial
5:15p.m. - Lorenza Ferriggi, Mary Ann Mifsud,
Dario Caluya, Maria Rossi.
Intentions of Bill & Rosemary Deuling.

Sunday, May 17 - Sixth Sunday of Easter
9:00a.m. & 11:00a.m.

Stewardship of Treasure:

Thank you for your gift of \$14,716.08 in support of your parish community in gratitude for God's many blessings.

BANNS OF MARRIAGE:

3/ Nathaniel M. Tami & Krista L. Kraemer



FROM THE PASTOR'S DESK: "HAPPY MOTHER'S DAY!"

*Today is Mother's Day and we offer you this blessing:
"Holy God, you compare your own love for your people to the love of a mother for her children. Look with kindness on our mothers, give them comfort in moments of sorrow and joy in their work for their families. Listen to their prayers and bless them in all they do for you. Let them share with Jesus Your Son and Mary our Mother in the everlasting happiness of heaven."*

BISHOP USTRZYCKI WRITES:

Having shared in my priestly and episcopal ministry by your collaboration, friendship, love and prayers, I would be pleased and honoured to have you join me at a Mass of Thanksgiving at the Church of Our Lady Immaculate, Guelph June 7th at 3:00p.m. The Eucharist will be offered in Thanksgiving on the occasion of my Golden Jubilee of Sacred Priesthood. Following the Eucharist there will be a reception in the Parish Hall.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS BREAKFAST

FULL BREAKFAST, after each Mass Sunday, May 24th, in the Church Hall, put on by the KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS, all welcome, no set charge - free will offering. Plan to attend and enjoy Church Community.

PARISH NEWS

CWL IS PLEASED TO ANNOUNCE:

CWL is pleased to announce OUR Annual Recognition Brunch Sunday, May 17th 12:30p.m. at Guelph Place. Our special guest speaker will be Sister Jocelyn Monette, NDS on "Women of Hope," "Mary Mentor to Women." Tickets will be on sale after Mass May 10th and at our general meeting.

MICHAEL HOUSE

Michael House Pregnancy Care Centre invites you to participate in their annual Baby Bottle Drive, between Mother's Day, May 10th and ending Father's Day, June 21st. Your support last year was very generous.

OTHER NEWS

ST. JOSEPH HEALTH CENTRE VOLUNTEER ASSOCIATION

St. Joseph Health Centre Volunteer Association operates a non-profit Silver Maple Coffee & Gift Shop to support program for the residents and patients of St. Joseph Health Centre. They have a variety of items that may interest you.

MARRIAGE PREPARATION COURSE

A Marriage Preparation Course will be offered at the Chancery Office, 700 King Street West Friday, May 29th from 7-9p.m. and Saturday, May 30th from 10a.m. to 5p.m. Call 1-905-528-7988 ext. 2237 to register.

DINNER TO HONOUR BISHOP USTRZYCKI

On Wednesday, June 10th the Serra Club of Kitchener-Waterloo is hosting a reception and dinner to honour Bishop Ustrzycki at St. George's Banquet Hall, 655 King Street North, Waterloo. Tickets are \$75.00 per person. Guest speaker: Archbishop Thomas Collins. For tickets send a cheque made out to Serra Club of Kitchener-Waterloo to Mr. Berg Bergman, 165 Chelford Crescent, Waterloo, Ontario, N2J 3T7.

ITALIAN EARTHQUAKE RELIEF

The Diocese of Hamilton is accepting donations to support disaster relief efforts in Italy, assisting in the provision of food, shelter, clean water and medical assistance. Donations may be made by making cheques payable to: Our Lady Immaculate Italian Earthquake Relief or to Catholic Diocesan Account, Chancery Office, 700 King St. W., Hamilton, L8P 1C7. We offer our prayers for thousands of families affected by this natural disaster.

SUNDAY SMILE:

Paddy had a rough time with the tax inspector and could not make much headway. Finally, with a sigh of resignation he suggested, "Look, why don't you keep the income and give me the tax."

WORKSHOP FOR STEP/BLENDED FAMILIES

The Office for Ministry, Family and Religious Education is offering a workshop for step/blended families on Wednesday, June 3rd from 7-9p.m. at the Chancery Office, 700 King St. W., Hamilton to assist all parents and step-parents who are adjusting to blended family life. To register call Lena at 1-905-528-7988 ext. 2249. The deadline to register is May 27th. If you require more information call 1-905-528-7988 and ask for Teresa at ext. 2250 or Josie at ext. 2241. Cost is \$5 per person or \$8 per couple.

CATHOLIC CAMPING AT CYO CAMP BREBEUF

Catholic Camping at CYO Camp Brebeuf, Rockwood offers another life-changing summer of residential camping (grades 1-8) and leadership programs (grades 8-10). Camp Brebeuf provides a safe, welcoming Catholic community where campers learn new skills, make friends, celebrate their faith and explore the outdoors. Call Camp Brebeuf at 519-856-4671 or www.campbrebeuf.ca.

WALKING PILGRIMAGE TO MARTYRS' SHRINE

Looking for a unique spiritual experience you will never forget? One that is socially and physically energizing as well? The annual walking pilgrimage to Martyrs' Shrine August 8th to 15th is the answer. All are welcome, whether you come for a day, a weekend or the entire walk. For more information see www.ignatiusguelph.ca or call Robin Fishburn at 519-821-3295.

NEW BEGINNINGS

Are you grieving the loss of a relationship through death, divorce or separation? Do you want a New Beginning? New Beginnings helps people of all faiths to discover the deeper meaning in their lives and in their changed circumstances with the help of a trained team of men and women who are divorced, separated and widowed as well. Join us at Resurrection College, Waterloo, Friday, May 22nd to Sunday, May 24th. For more information contact Anne at our Diocesan Office for Family Ministry 1-905-528-7988 ext. 2251; e-mail ajamieson@hamiltondiocese.com.