

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THIS WEEK

Monday, March 5

No Mass

Tuesday, March 6

7:00 p.m. Special Intention
Maria and Francesco Cinquemani
Santa and Giuseppe Seminatore
Wilfred Mayville
Intention of Tim Kreze

Wednesday, March 7

8:00 a.m. Fred Masters

Thursday, March 8

8:00 a.m. Yvonne Mazur

Friday, March 9

8:00 a.m. Bill Wilson

Saturday, March 10

11:00 a.m. Intention of the Sick of the Parish
5:00 p.m. Georgina and Joseph Caruana
Gordon Butss
Dennis Vasey
Deceased Members of Han and Binh Nguyen Family
Donald Eby

PARISH ACTIVITIES THIS WEEK

Sunday, March 4

Name Tag Weekend

Coffee Sunday following 8:30 and 10:30 a.m. Masses

5:00 p.m. St. Paul Chung Mass

Monday, March 5

10:00 a.m. Grief Support

Tuesday, March 6

7:00 p.m. Youth Ministry
7:30 p.m. Stations of the Cross

Wednesday, March 7

8:30 a.m. A Biblical Walk Through the Mass
7:00 p.m. A Biblical Walk Through the Mass
7:00 p.m. RCIA
7:00 p.m. Contemporary Choir

Thursday, March 8

1:00 p.m. St. Daniel School Grades 1-3 Reconciliation
7:30 p.m. Sunday Choir

Saturday, March 10

8:00 a.m. Cursillo
11:00 a.m. Anointing of the Sick
2:00 p.m. Nuptials for Maxwell Larmour and Mary Faria

Sunday, March 11

10:30 a.m. Children's Liturgy
5:00 p.m. St. Paul Chung Mass



THIRD
SUNDAY
OF LENT

March 3, 4, 2018

Exodus 20:1-17 1 Corinthians 1:18, 22-25 John 2:13-25

FROM THE PASTOR'S DESK

Communal Anointing of the Sick

On **Saturday, March 10 at 11AM**, we will gather in the Church to celebrate communally the Sacrament of the Sick at a special Mass offered for the intentions of all the sick in our parish. Those wishing to receive sacramental anointing during this Mass are asked to sign up in advance on the sheet in the narthex. The celebration will be followed by a time of fellowship in our Parish Life Centre.

The celebration of the Sacrament of the Sick is encouraged for all those suffering from any condition/undergoing any procedure **that could potentially endanger life**. One does not need to wait until the *moment of death* to receive this Sacrament, and, in fact, it's prudent *not* to wait that long to be anointed. The Sacrament can be repeated if one has recovered and becomes sick again, or if the condition for which it was initially received becomes more serious. A reminder I often give in this context: Age and length of years are a blessing from God, not a sickness; the elderly not suffering from some specific condition may, however, approach this Sacrament if *frailty has become pronounced*.

Stations of the Cross & Musical Reflection

In addition to our customary practice of praying the Stations of the Cross together as a community on Tuesday evenings in Lent following Mass, we are blessed this year to host John Miller, an accomplished professional and liturgical musician, to lead us in a musical reflection and prayer. Join us on Friday, Mar. 16 at 7 PM for this hour long presentation. Tickets are not required, and a cash donation to the musicians of \$10 would be appreciated. Visit John's website www.johnbmiller.ca for more information.

Lenten Adult Faith Formation Series

A Biblical Walk Through the Mass

Nearly 100 people participated in Week 1 of our Lenten faith formation series, *A Biblical Walk Through the Mass*. Already the refrain so often heard among participants in this study is resounding: "I never realized *that...*" If you missed this week, feel free to join us for the remaining sessions:

Mar. 7 8:45 AM or 7 PM	The Liturgy of the Word
Mar. 14 8:45 AM or 7 PM	The Liturgy of the Eucharist: Preparation & Eucharistic Prayer
Mar. 21 8:45 AM or 7 PM	The Liturgy of the Eucharist: Communion & Concluding Rites

DIOCESAN PRAYER CALENDAR

This week we especially pray for:

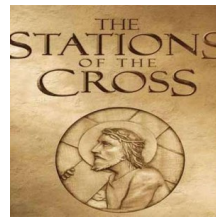
- Monday Reverend James McSharry
- Tuesday Reverend Emmanuel Ogboli
- Wednesday Sister Adorers of the Precious Blood (R.P.B.)
- Thursday Reverend Jeff Bergsma
- Friday Reverend Franjo Sprajc
- Saturday Reverend Mark Morley

Eternal Father, we lift up to you these and all the priests, religious and lay ministers of the world. Sanctify them. Heal them; guide them. Mold them into the likeness and holiness of your Son, Jesus, the Eternal High Priest. May their lives be pleasing to You. In Jesus' name we pray. Amen.



Jesus cleaned out the temple of money-changers. He was angry; He was zealous; He spoke with authority. He was doing what He had to do even though it involved risk, danger, insult and wonder. Such is a religious vocation in the Church. If you think God might be calling you to be a priest, religious, or permanent deacon, contact Father Michael King, Director of Vocations and Priestly Formation, Diocese of Hamilton at 905-528-7988 or email mking@hamiltondiocese.com

RCIA - open to those who are not baptized or baptized within another faith tradition, those baptized Catholic but have not received other Sacraments and those interested in learning about the Catholic Faith. Can begin at any time. Meet each Wednesday 7 – 9 p.m. in the Marian room. Call or email office and a team member will contact you with information.



STATIONS OF THE CROSS

This Holy Season please note that each Tuesday evening in Lent, we will celebrate Mass at **7:00 p.m.** followed by the Stations of the Cross. May your Lenten season be blessed!

AN APRIL AFTERNOON BRIDGE & CARD PARTY



Tickets are now available for our annual card party on Wednesday, April 25th in the Parish Life Centre.

Cost is \$15 per person which includes lunch, refreshments and prizes as well as a fun afternoon of cards. Hosted by our CWL. For tickets contact Linda at 519-893-2534 or the Parish Office at 519-893-6960.

ANNUAL PARISH GARAGE SALE



The annual Parish Garage Sale will be held on Saturday, June 9th from 8:00 a.m. to noon (set up at 7:00 a.m.).

Treasures can be sold by reserving your table(s) now - only \$10.00 per table and you keep the profit OR donate your treasures to the parish tables. Call Joan to reserve at 519-893-7429. Items being donated to the parish tables can be dropped off on Friday, June 9th in the PLC from 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.



CANADIAN CATHOLIC ORGANIZATION FOR
Development and Peace

DEVELOPMENT AND PEACE NEWS

We wish to thank you for your generosity on the Development and Peace Solidarity Sunday. Your donation will be used to help our sisters and brothers all over the world — from Lebanon to Cambodia, to Nigeria and beyond! The theme of our Share Lent campaign, Together for Peace, invites us to build peace through dialogue and reconciliation and to consider mercy as a source of hope for the future. This is what Pope Francis underlined on the occasion of the Jubilee of Mercy: "Mercy is the force that reawakens us to new life and instills in us the courage to look to the future with hope." Thank you for helping us create a future filled with hope! For more information, to donate on line or access educational resources, please visit: <https://www.devp.org/en/sharelent2018/materials>. Click on "videos" or "youth" tabs on the top banner. The solidarity calendar is under the youth tab – ideas for your Lenten journey. To join our parish committee, contact Rebecca at gorebgo@hotmail.com



DISPOSAL OF BLESSED PALMS

Many parishioners are unaware of the fact that we do not prepare our own ashes on-site by burning palms blessed the previous year on Palm Sunday. While this is a venerable and noble practice of old, the burning of palms for ashes is actually a complicated process, and tends to incur the ire of neighbours (and fire department officials). Ashes prepared perfectly for distribution are, instead, shipped to us by one of our usual liturgical suppliers. Though we should avoid disposing of blessed palms in the garbage, an ideal method would be to simply crumble and scatter them in the garden.

PHOTO DIRECTORY PORTRAITS



For those who ordered a complimentary 8"x10" portrait for the parish directory, and were unable to pick it up after weekend Masses, please drop by the parish office during office hours. This is only for the photo and not the directory, which will arrive later this year.

YOUTH MINISTRY (GRADES 7-12)



All young people in grades 7-12 are invited to join us on **Tuesday, March 6th at 7:00 p.m. in the Parish Life Centre.** The topic for the month of March is Lent and Suffering. Young people of our parish are encouraged to bring friends and relatives who may want to participate. As always, no young person should feel unable to participate because of a time conflict in one or more months; come whenever you can!

PERSONS SEPARATED AND DIVORCED



LEVEL 1 (Learning to Cope), and **LEVEL 2** (Accepting the Situation) are self-help programs intended to help separated and divorced persons gain a perspective on their divorce. Course fee: \$35 (Level 1), and \$45 (Level 2). Both Level 1 & 2 will be held Tuesday evenings for 11 weeks, starting **March 20th from 7:00 p.m. – 9:00 p.m.** at St. Francis of Assisi Parish, Kitchener. Contact the Family Ministry Office at (905)528-7988 ext. 2249, or St. Francis Parish 519-745-7301 to register, or do so at www.hamiltondiocese.com/offices/family-ministry/divorce-separation.php.

ST. ANTHONY DANIEL PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL AWARD - for Graduating High School Students

This award, valued at \$500, is given to a graduating high school student from the St. Anthony Daniel Parish community who has been *actively involved in our parish* and who demonstrates that he/she is *living our parish mission statement*:



“St. Anthony Daniel Parish is a welcoming faith community, nourished by prayer, Word, and sacrament, committed to living out the gospel message of love and service to all God’s people.”

Applications are available from the St. Anthony Daniel Parish office or may be downloaded from our parish website. Application deadline: April 1, 2018. For more information, please contact Bernadette (bernadette@stanthonydaniel.ca or 519-893-6960).



ST JACOB'S COUNTRY PLAYHOUSE THEATRE

Only two tickets left for “The Drowsy Chaperone” on Wednesday, April 4th at St. Jacob’s Playhouse Theatre. Show and bus \$48.00. Bus leaves church at 1:00 p.m. Call Joan at 519- 893-7429.

GRIEF SUPPORT



Has someone you cared about died? Are you feeling emotional, grieving the loss of the person’s presence in your life? Are you wondering whether others share your experience? You are not alone. Come for an opportunity to learn, share, pray, and heal as you journey through grief. We will view excerpts from the DVD series “Grief Matters” by Dr. Bill Webster, followed by informal discussion. Join us in the Marian Room on Monday, March 6th from 10:00 to 11:30 a.m. This month’s topic is “Reliving Our Memories”. All are welcome.



MASS OF CHRISM - All are welcome to join His Excellency, Bishop Crosby, at the annual Diocesan Mass of Chrism on **Monday, March 26th at 7:00 p.m.** in the

Cathedral Basilica of Christ the King, Hamilton. During this Mass, oil for the Sick and for Catechumens will be blessed. Sacred Chrism will be consecrated. All priests present for the Mass will renew their Priestly Commitments in the presence of the Bishop and the lay faithful of the Diocese.