

Monday, July 1 – Ferial: Weekday 9:00a.m. – Mohinder Jus, Elaine Wakelin

Tuesday, July 2 – Ferial: Weekday 7:30a.m. – Intentions of Al Raftis, Intentions of Joseph McMullen

Wednesday, July 3 – Feast: St. Thomas 7:30a.m. – Annette Gebotys, Katrina Swartz Seager

Thursday, July 4 – Ferial: Weekday 7:00p.m. – Frank & Rita Kocher, Garry Clarke, Erin Berges Pettapiece

Friday, July 5 – Ferial: Weekday 7:30a.m. - Dorothy Barrett, Anton Semlak

Saturday, July 6 – Ferial 5:15p.m. – Betty Weiler, Paul Goetz, Ed & Donna Siville

Sunday, July 7 – Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time 9:00a.m. & 11:00a.m.

Stewardship of Treasure:

Thank you for your gift of \$9,619.00 in support of your parish community in gratitude for God's blessings.

PARISH NEWS RCIA (RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION FOR ADULTS)

Are you interested in becoming a Catholic or know someone who would like to? The RCIA is a process in which men and women are guided on their journey as they awaken in faith and are introduced to the Catholic way of life. This process, which will begin in the fall, is for adults who have never been baptized, or for those baptized in another Christian tradition who wish to become Roman Catholic, or those baptized Catholic but have never completed sacramental initiation. If interested please register at the Parish Office.

IS YOUR CHILD IN GRADE 6?

The Sacrament of Confirmation will be celebrated in Grade 7 this Fall. If your child does not attend a Catholic School please contact the Parish Office so that we can assist you in their preparation through the Catechetical Correspondence Program. All candidates for Confirmation are required to produce a baptismal certificate.

THANK YOU FROM MONSIGNOR NOON

I express my gratitude and thanks to everyone for their prayers, good wishes, cards and gifts, for the plaque that has been installed in the church and the naming of the Monsignor Dennis Noon Hall. I am humbled and honoured by these signs of recognition.

CATHOLIC CHRISTIAN OUTREACH

This weekend, June 29th & 30th, Megan Kenney will be speaking at all Masses. She is a full-time lay missionary with Catholic Christian Outreach Canada, a ministry which seeks to bring university students back to the Catholic Church. She will be speaking in regards to finding financial partnership towards her ministry. Please leave your name and phone number with her after Mass to receive more information.

CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE

The Catholic Woments League of the Basilica needs your help in collecting bars of soap and lollipops for the children of Sierra Leone. The soap prevents skin and lung infections, diarrhea and stops the flies from going into the eyes of the children. The lollipops become the %medicine+ that starts malnourished children eating again. The soap and lollipops will be delivered to the Canadian Food for Childrents warehouse in Mississauga. Please put your donations into the bins on the table at the tower entrance. The collection of milk bags is ongoing. Five milk bag mats are being delivered. God bless you for your generosity!

GARDEN OF GRACE

All are welcome to visit the Garden of Grace, a peaceful space for prayer, healing and contemplation on the property of the Basilica of Our Lady. The garden is dedicated especially to women and families who are grieving after an abortion, and also those who have lost a child through miscarriage, stillbirth or ectopic pregnancy. Visitors are welcome to stop by the garden any time during the summer and fall months to pray, remember and have a peaceful moment. For further information contact <u>www.guelphforlife.com</u> or call 519-836-6311.

PLEASE NOTE:

The Parish Office will be closed Monday, July 1st for the Canada Day Holiday. We will re-open again at 9a.m. on Tuesday, July 2nd with regular office hours.

MICHAEL HOUSE BABY BOTTLE CAMPAIGN

If you forgot to bring your baby bottle for Michael House, please do so next week. Cheques can be made payable to Michael House and a receipt will be issued for all donations over \$20. Michael House is a nondenominational, Christian-based charitable agency dedicated to providing housing and services to young, pregnant and parenting women in need of a supportive environment. Thank you for your support.

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL RECORD KEEPER POSTING

The St. Vincent de Paul of our Parish is in need of a Record Keeper by the end of August.

Role Description:

- Maintain weekly visit information in Excel spreadsheet

- Distribute updated report to team members on duty each week

- Provide updated counts at various times during the year (bi-annually, annually)

- Respond to questions and perform administrative duties as they arise

If interested please email Michael Finoro at michael8950@rogers.com.

OTHER NEWS

WALKING PILGRIMAGE TO MIDLAND

Those who walk the Guelph to Midland Pilgrimage find it to be a unique and grace-filled experience. For 8 days 50-90 pilgrims pray, sing, laugh, share stories and eat amazing meals. The journey, though not always easy, is always rewarding. There are support vehicles to assist anyone along the way with a lift up a hill or for a shorter day to return to camp. Participate for 1 day, a weekend or the full 8 days (August 3rd-10th). Go to <u>www.ignatiusguelph.ca</u> (under program) for more information and registration or contact Tanya DeGroot at 519-745-9474.

45th ANNUAL PILGRIMAGE TO THE SHRINES OF QUEBEC

Join us August 5th to 9th as we visit Our Lady of the Rosary Shrine and Our Lady of Lourdes Shrine . 4 nights accommodations; 4 breakfasts; 1 lunch and 4 dinners and all religious activities. Cost per person . 1 per room \$795; 2 persons \$725 and 3 persons \$695. Contact Angie Hunt at 519-766-5262.

SHRINE OF THE SORROWFUL MOTHER

The Shrine of the Sorrowful Mother St. Agatha Cemetery Chapel, St. Agatha, Ontario built in 1857 is open for visitation every Sunday from June 2nd to September 29th from 1-4p.m.

CATECHESIS OF THE GOOD SHEPHERD – LEVEL 1 FOUNDATION COURSE CERTIFICATE

A program is being offered at Sacred Coeur Parish in Georgetown by the Archdiocese of Toronto and the Diocese of Hamilton. This course presents the orientation to key issues fundamental to this ministry with children in early childhood. This course is designed for those who are interested or already involved in caring for the spiritual lives of children. Part A begins September 28th to May 30th, 2020. If you have any questions or are interested in the Catechesis of the Good Shepherd call Anne Jamieson at 1-905-528-7988 ext. 2251. On-line registration is available at: https://hamniltondiocese.com/offices/catechesis/goodshepherd.php.

NEW ON-LINE LEARNING OPPORTUNITY

The Diocese of Hamilton announces a new partnership with the University of Dayton Ohio Learning Community for Faith Formation. Visit the Dayton site (<u>http://udayton.edu</u>) and see what they have to offer you in your on-going faith formation. These courses would be valuable for catechists, ministry leaders, formation study groups and those simply looking for more about their faith. For more information contact David Dayler at our Discipleship & Parish Life Office (<u>ddayler@hamiltondiocese.com</u>).

SUNDAY SMILE!

At the start of every Mass after the Entrance Hymn the pastor made the sign of the cross and greeted the people who responded, "And also with you." One Sunday there was something wrong with the sound system and the pastor said, "There seems to be something wrong with the mic" and the congregation responded automatically with, "And also with you."

COMMUNITY EVENTS

- CYO Camp Brebeuf Rockwood is in its 78th year and offers a variety of camping experiences. To register contact Jason Gould, Director of CYO Camp Brebeuf at 519-856-4671 or jason.gould@campbrebeuf.ca.

JUST A THOUGHT! The Will of God never takes you where the Grace of God will not protect you.