

SACRED HEART OF JESUS

ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH

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Fifteen Sunday in Ordinary Time

July 15th, 2018

Mass Times

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| Saturday | 5:00 pm |
| Sunday | 10:00 am |

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| DAILY: Monday | No Mass |
| Tuesday | 7:00 pm |
| Wednesday | No Mass |
| Thursday (S.H. Church) | 9:15 am |
| Friday | 8:00 am |

Confessions

Tuesday, 6:30pm to 6:45pm
Saturday 4:30pm to 4:45pm
Sunday 9:30am to 9:45am
and by appointment

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

Tuesday 7:30 pm to Friday 8:00 am

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THIS WEEK

(JULY 17TH TO JULY 22ND)

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| Tuesday | 7:00 pm | Intention of Donor |
| Thursday | 9:15 am | Intention of Donor |
| Friday | 8:00 am | † Jacqueline Chalmers: David & Janet Bell |

Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

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| Saturday | 5:00 pm | † Mark Austin: Frank O'Reilly |
| Sunday | 10:00 am | For the People |

PASTORAL STAFF

Rev. Mark Morley

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Gospel Quotation:

"Jesus began to send them out two by two."

Mark 6.7-13

Pastor's Message

CAPITAL CAMPAIGNS: BALANCING OUR BLESSINGS AND THEIR NEEDS

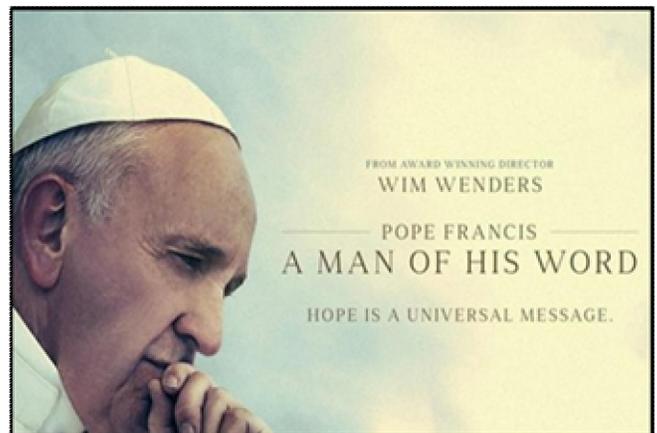
I recently went to see the film *Pope Francis: A Man of His Word* at the Bookshelf Cinema in Guelph. That same day I had a conversation with a parishioner who expressed concern that the timing of Bishop Crosby's capital campaign coincides with our need to raise funds for building our new church on the hill. The Bishop has proposed that 75% be redistributed among parishes in need, 10% go to the Ex Corde Foundation, and that 15% be used to fund seminarians and diocesan outreach to those in prison, those in hospital, students at university, and migrant workers. When I first heard about this initiative I too was concerned that the diocesan campaign and our parish campaign would end up competing against each other to the detriment of both. Hence, I have requested that the campaigns be combined for our parish. If my proposal is accepted, 75% of the funds we pledge towards the diocesan campaign will come back to the parish to pay for our new church. However, the Bishop would still retain 25% for diocesan ministries. I realize that some parishioners may not contribute if 25% goes to the diocese. They would insist that 100% of their donation should come back to the parish. "Why should money I donate for the building of our new church go to the diocese?" A good question. And as I watched Pope Francis being interviewed I got my answer: Jesus calls us to live in solidarity with the poor and the marginalized. Thus, the real question isn't: "Why should some of my donation go to the diocese?" The real question is: "Why shouldn't all of my donation help those in need?" In the Second Letter to the Corinthians, we recently heard St. Paul make an appeal for money: "For you know the generous act of our Lord Jesus Christ, that though he was rich, yet for your sakes he became poor so that by his poverty you might become rich. I do not mean that there should be relief for others and pressure on you, but it is a question of a fair balance between your present abundance, and their need" As we build a new church dedicated to the Sacred Heart of Jesus and the glory of God, it is most fitting that a percent of the funds we raise in the parish should go towards diocesan outreach programs. When we are abundantly blessed with a new place of worship we will have the satisfaction of knowing that our fundraising efforts were not simply self-serving. It is a question of balancing our blessings and their needs. I think that Pope Francis would agree.

Fr. Mark Morley

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POPE FRANCIS – A MAN OF HIS WORD

Pope Francis' ideas and message are central to the film, which presents his work of reform and his answers to today's global questions regarding death, social justice, immigration, ecology, wealth inequality, materialism, and the role of the family. The film's direct-to-camera visual and narrative concepts place the audience face-to-face with the Pope, creating a dialogue between him and the world. Pope Francis responds to the questions of farmers and workers, refugees, children and the elderly, prison inmates, and those who live in favelas and migrant camps. All of these voices and faces are a cross section of humanity that join in a conversation with Pope Francis. ... He speaks to prisoners in correctional facilities and to refugees in Mediterranean camps. Throughout the film, Pope Francis shares his vision of the Church and his deep concern for the poor, his involvement in environmental issues and social justice, and his call for peace in areas of conflict and between world religions. Excerpt taken from: https://www.vaticannews.va/en/pope/news/2018-03/pope-francis-_a-man-of-his-word.html



REMINDER: Sunday Mass time in July & August

PARISH UPDATES

PARISH GOLF TOURNAMENT JULY 29TH: Please join us for our 14th Annual Coulson Cup Golf Tournament hosted by The Knights of Columbus with a 1pm shotgun start. This is one of our largest fundraisers and biggest social of the year! The cost is \$120 for 18 holes of Golf with cart and Dinner or join us for just the Italian Dinner for \$40.



TIME IS TICKING AWAY.

Contact Andrew Vince for more details 519-856-9922

PERPETUAL EUCHARISTIC ADORATION: Dear fellow parishioners, If you haven't been involved in our Adoration program, consider signing up as a substitute, to help fill in for summer holiday vacancies. We will also have a few open hours starting in August to be filled on a permanent basis. You will be guaranteed to receive many graces. If interested, call Jane Hosdil, 519-827-1929, for further details.

MISSION APPEAL

We welcome Sister Vera Komar of the Congregation of the Sisters of The Holy Trinity who is making a Mission Appeal for Mexico - Guatemala.

FROM THE DIOCESE OF HAMILTON

GRANDPARENTS DAY : St. Thomas the Apostle Parish in Waterdown will be the location for this year's Grandparents Day Reflection just in time for National Grandparents Day! Saturday Sept. 8 2018, a Mass of Thanksgiving will be celebrated at 9am followed by a morning of reflection that continues until 12:30. This year includes presentations by special guests Phil Small, author, and Elissa Lollino, playwright! There will also be a table with a variety of faith resources for sale. There is no charge for this event! Refreshments will be available, so please RSVP by Sept. 6th to Monica at 905 528 7988 ext. 2238 or by email mverin@hamiltondiocese.com. Online registration will be available as of July 16.

HEALING MASS FOR PARENTS WHO HAVE LOST A CHILD: The Annual Healing Mass for Parents who have Lost a Child will take place on December 2, 2018 at the Cathedral Basilica of Christ the King, Hamilton. Anyone who has lost a child of any age, from any cause, including those that have lost a child prior to birth, or who have had a still birth, is invited to this Mass. Watch for more information in September.

ONLINE OFFERINGS

When you haven't been able to attend Mass on a particular Sunday, you can now go to our Web site and make an online offering using your credit card. You can also setup automatic monthly donations in place of weekly offering envelopes. Please check out:

<http://sacredheartrockwood.ca/donate>

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This Week's Events

July

17 Rosary For Peace (6:30pm)
Tuesday Mass (7:00pm)

18 Euchre Matinee: (cancelled until September)

19 Mass at Sacred Heart Church (9:15am)

20 Divine Mercy Chaplet (7:45am)
(prior to Benediction and Mass)

Seniors' Program at Rockwood Library
(11:30am to 1:00pm)

Did You Know?

- * St. Kateri Tekakwitha was born in 1656 in New York State
- * was the daughter of a Mohawk warrior
- * Kateri was baptized at the age of 20
- * she was dedicated to her faith and spent her life taking care of the sick and poor
- * St. Kateri began the Native American ministries for the Catholic Church in the USA and Canada
- * she passed away at the age of 24
- * St. Kateri Tekakwitha is the first Native American to be declared a Saint
- * her feast day is July 14

Reflection:

Are you spiritually healthy? Have you had your annual Spiritual Checkup lately?

OUR SUNDAY COLLECTION

JULY 8, 2018

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| Envelopes: | \$ 1305.00 |
| Loose: | \$ 171.25 |
| Total | \$ 1476.25 |
| Prior Week | \$ 1141.90 |

Prayer Calendar for Priests

Every day, in our diocese we are invited to pray for a priest serving in our parishes

- Mon. - Rev. Michael McHugh
- Tues. - Rev. Francis Trzupek
- Wed. - Catholic Teachers
- Thurs. - Rev. Victor McNamara
- Fri. - Rev. Mike Myroniuk
- Sat. - Rev. Ron Cote

is only at 10:00am at Sacred Heart Church