

SACRED HEART OF JESUS

ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH

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Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time

March 3, 2019

Mass Times

Saturday 5:00 pm
Sunday 9:00 am
(Sacred Heart Catholic School) 11:00 am

DAILY: Monday **No Mass**
Tuesday 7:00 pm
Ash Wednesday SH School 9:15 am
Thursday **No Mass**
Friday 8:00 am

Confessions

Tuesday, 6:30pm to 6:45pm
Saturday 4:30pm to 4:45pm
Sunday 8:30am to 8:45am
and by appointment

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

Tuesday 7:30 pm to Friday 8:00 am

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THIS WEEK

(MARCH 5TH TO MARCH 10TH)

Tuesday 7:00 pm *CWL members and their families*
Ash Wednesday 9:15 am *at Sacred Heart School*
7:00pm *at Sacred Heart Church*
Friday 8:00 am

First Sunday of Lent

Saturday 5:00 pm *Intention of Donor*
Sunday 9:00 am *For the People*
11:00 am † *Herculano Borges: Susy Borges Santos*

DIOCESAN NEWSLETTER

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Gospel Quotation:

**"Each tree is known
by its own fruit."**

Luke 6.39-45

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Pastor's Message

HEART OF JESUS, HOUSE OF GOD CAPITAL CAMPAIGN

For over a year now I we have been praying the Litany of the Sacred Heart of Jesus to begin Adoration after the Tuesday evening Mass each week in our parish. This has been an important part of the parish prayer campaign in support of building a new church dedicated to the Sacred Heart of Jesus. Hence, I thought it would be fitting to adapt a line from the Litany as our campaign slogan. Here is the portion of the Litany that the line is taken from:



God our Father in heaven	have mercy on us
God the Son, Redeemer of the world	have mercy on us
God the Holy Spirit	have mercy on us
Holy Trinity, one God	have mercy on us
Heart of Jesus, Son of the eternal Father	have mercy on us
Heart of Jesus, formed by the Holy Spirit in the womb of the Virgin Mother	have mercy on us
Heart of Jesus, one with the eternal Word	have mercy on us
Heart of Jesus, infinite in majesty	have mercy on us
Heart of Jesus, holy temple of God	have mercy on us
Heart of Jesus, tabernacle of the Most High	have mercy on us
Heart of Jesus, house of God and gate of heaven	have mercy on us

The Steier Group graphic artist created the logo for us, which I think is excellent. It's just one of the ways that having Art Ledesma and his team assist us with our campaign in conjunction with the diocesan campaign. Please see below some FAQs in response to the survey. More FAQs will follow in the coming weeks. Please continue to pray for our Heart of Jesus, House of God Campaign. Sacred Heart of Jesus, Have mercy on us.

Fr. Mark Morley

Heart of Jesus, House of God Capital Campaign FAQ's

What is a capital campaign?

A capital campaign is a major fundraising effort designed to accomplish projects that are too costly to be funded through the normal Sunday offertory. It seeks extraordinary, sacrificial support from parishioners to accomplish goals that are vital for the future of the parish. There is a defined beginning and end to this type of fundraising effort

When will the capital campaign start?

Early gifts to the Heart of Jesus, House of God Capital Campaign will be received from the campaign leadership and volunteers mid-March, while the actual Campaign Kick-Off will take place the weekend of March 23-24, 2019. All parishioners will receive a letter of invitation to attend a parish-wide gathering to hear details about the campaign and will have an opportunity to ask questions and make a pledge.

How will the campaign impact parish offertory?

Regular offertory giving is what keeps the parish functioning on a day-to-day basis, so we ask you to consider a pledge to the campaign that would be in addition to your current Sunday giving so that the offertory will not be negatively impacted.

PARISH UPDATES

REMINDER PANCAKE SUPPER FOR SHROVE TUESDAY: The Knights of Columbus will be holding a pancake supper, on Tuesday the 5th of March 2019. All are welcome.

- * The dinner will run from 5:00 pm to 6:30 pm.
- * Cost is simply a goodwill donation.
- * The menu includes pancakes, sausages, fruit, coffee and juice.

Please come out and join us and our Parish family as we enter into the season of Lent.

Dear Parishioners

I am sure you have heard the horrific bill that has been passed by the New York governor that abortion is now allowed right up to the 9th month a full grown baby!. If the abortion fails and the child is born alive they may leave it to die. If you watched the signing of the bill there was applause and jubilation! Here in Canada we are no better. We have No law so anything goes. The Guelph community centre is now handing out the abortion pill in which the woman would ingest and then go home until such time that she miscarries Se may even hemorrhage. What have we Become? Because indifference has been shown regarding abortion now there is Euthanasia. We will be holding a vigil (not protest) on Saturday March 9th from the hours of 7am to 7pm. We are asked to give up 1 hour of our God given time to stand up and silently and prayerfully be a voice for the unborn. Are we our Brother's Keeper? Yes we are. Will you resolve to sign the form and commit to 1 hour? Please see insert in Bulletin for the Vigil location.

Mary Spiteri

FROM THE DIOCESE OF HAMILTON

PREPARE/ENRICH is the pre-marriage inventory used in the Diocese to help prepare couples for marriage. It can also be used to support couples who may be struggling in the marriage, or those looking for an marriage enrichment opportunity.

We have **rescheduled** the training session that was to be held on Wednesday, Feb. 6, 2019, which was cancelled because of the weather. We have rescheduled to **Friday, March 8th at St. Thomas the Apostle Parish (715 Centre Rd., Waterdown) from 1:30 – 4:00 p.m.**

We also have a second opportunity for training being held on **Thursday, May 2, 2019 at St. Joseph Parish (148 Madison Ave. S, Kitchener) from 7 – 9:00 p.m.**

Registration is important so we can ensure we have enough material for all those attending.

Contact: familymontainistry@hamiltondiocese.com. or call **Teresa Hartnett** at Family Ministry Office at (905) 528-7988 ext. 2249

This Week's Events

March

- 5 *Rosary For Peace (6:30pm)*
Tuesday Mass (7:00pm)
- 6 *Euchre Matinee: (1pm Coulson Hall)*
- 8 *Divine Mercy Chaplet (7:45am)*
(prior to Benediction and Mass)
Seniors' Program at Rockwood Library
(11:30am to 1:00pm)

Reflection:

One does not heal oneself by wounding another.

Did You Know?

- * the season of Lent begins on Ash Wednesday and ends on Holy Thursday
- * our foreheads are marked with ashes
- * the ashes are made from blessed palms from the previous year
- * the ashes are sprinkled with Holy Water

OUR SUNDAY COLLECTION

FEBRUARY 24, 2019

Envelopes:	\$ 1224.00
Loose:	\$ 165.10
Total	\$ 1389.10
<i>Prior Week</i>	<i>\$ 1390.71</i>

Prayer Calendar for Priests

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

Mon.	- Rev. Ernest Varosi, C.R.
Tues.	- Rev. Jim Donohue, C.R.
Wed.	- Ash Wednesday
Thurs.	- Very Rev. Murray McDermott, C.R.
Fri.	- Rev. Sam Restivo, C.R.
Sat.	- Rev. Rafal Tomon