

**1st SUNDAY of Lent**  
February 17 & 18 2018

**Mass Schedule and Intentions**  
February 19 – February 25

**Monday NO MASS**

Intention of Rev. Louis Lenssen CRSP

**Tuesday NO MASS**

Intention of Rev. Alessandro Tirelli CRSP

**Wednesday NO MASS St. Peter Damian**

Intention of Rev. Salesians of Don Bosco SDB

**Thursday NO MASS The Chair of St. Peter (Apostle)**

Intentions of Rev. Ranjan D'Sa OCD

**Friday St. Polycarp**

**6:30 pm Stations of the Cross**

**7 pm** Special Intention: Thanksgiving – Connie Daza  
Intentions of Rev. David Avilla

**Saturday**

**4 pm Sacrament of Penance**

**5 pm** +Catherine Rocca – Mary Stolch  
+ Kay Maynard – Estate  
+ Mother of Denise Mullaley – St. Anne School Staff  
Intentions of Rev. Tim Hingston.

**Sunday 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday of Lent**

**9 am The Parishioners**

+ Mary Jane Baetz – Mary Kobetich  
+ John Lehman – Linda & Jerry Brenner

**11am** + Anne Marie Galloway – John Weiler & Tracey Heuerdine

Special Intention: Rob & Anne Margaret Langlade  
- Kathie & Bob Borys

**3 pm Latin Mass**

**PARISH SUPPORT Last Weekend**

Total Weekend Offering (102 env) \$2238  
Loose Donations \$175



*Sincere thanks to all who share the responsibility of parish support.  
Your care, concern and generosity are greatly appreciated!!*

**Lent: the springtime of the soul...is a time to make a new covenant with God, develop new signs of our relationship with our Creator.** Go into your own desert and discover what God is asking of you. If you think God could be calling you to be a priest, religious, or permanent deacon, **Contact Fr. Michael King, Vocation Director, Diocese of Hamilton 905-528-7988 x2246**

**TAX RECEIPTS & Jubilee Invitations READY FOR PICK UP**

2017 tax receipts along with Jubilee Invitations are available for pick up at the back of the church. Thank you for your generous support!



First Sunday of



**Next Week's Liturgical Roles**

	*Commentator & Lectors	Eucharistic Ministers	Altar Servers
<b>5 pm</b>	* Alison McGrath Lynda Munz Patric Cann	Annemarie Currie Mary Stoch	Jonathan & Jillian McGrath
<b>9 am</b>	*Bruce Faria Wolf Hagenhofer Judy Kergin	Lianne Horne	Ella, Eva & Finn Murphy
<b>11 am</b>	* Kiarra Gyorffy Marliee & Michael Silvestro	Gerald Gyorffy Kiarra Gyorffy	Brennon Scott Asia Gyorffy Lexis McEachern
<b>Children's Liturgy</b>		Ashley Kreuger & Robin Grossi	

**UPCOMING PARISH EVENTS**

Mon	Feb 19	7pm	Family Day...OFFICE CLOSED
Mon	Feb 19	7pm	SVDP Meeting
Mon	Feb 26	7pm	Communion Class #2
Mon	Feb 26	7pm	Social Committee Meeting
Wed	Feb 28	7pm	Parish Bible Study begins

**STATIONS OF THE CROSS EVERY FRIDAY @ 6:30pm DURING LENT – followed by Mass @7pm**

Each Friday is lead by different parish ministries

Fri	Feb 23	6:30pm	Choir
Fri	Mar 02	6:30pm	Jubilee Committee
Fri	Mar 09	6:30pm	SVDP/D&P
Fri	Mar 16	6:30pm	Social Committee
Fri	Mar 23	6:30pm	Altar Servers

**St Anne's LENTEN RETREAT**

**Mar 3**

**A TIME FOR RENEWING OUR FAITH**

Where is my faith?  
What am I most grateful for when it comes to faith?  
How can I dispose myself more to this precious gift?

FACILITATED BY REV. TOBY COLLINS, CR

**Saturday, March 3 | 10 am - 1 pm at St. Anne Parish Hall**

**Parish Bible Study:**

**Feb 28 - Apr 4**

**"Matthew The King and His Kingdom"**



Bible Study: **"Matthew The King and His Kingdom"** will be a detailed study of the Gospel of Matthew. This study promises to enrich your knowledge of the Gospel of Matthew far beyond what you may currently know and understand. It will be 24 weeks in length divided into 4 sessions of 6 weeks each. Information is available at the church doors on posters and tear off sheets. All sessions will be at St. Anne's Church Hall Wednesday evenings 7 PM – 9:30 PM. Register by contacting St. Anne's Church office at 519-745-5302.

**PARISH OFFICE CLOSED**

**Monday Feb 19**



Parish office will be closed for Family Day.

**Fasting During Lent:**

- fast from watching television one night each week so that you can spend time on a Lenten practice, such as praying, reading the Bible, serving others
- fast from one movie during Lent and give the money... and the time in service to others
- fast from using foul language and put-downs and start affirming the good in other people
- fast from buying new things like clothes, music, magazines, or jewelry and make a donation...
- fast from spending money on entertainment and make a donation of time or money that serves others
- fast from holding resentments and start practicing forgiveness
- fast from gossiping or being dishonest and start the practice of always being truthful and honest
- fast from a favorite snack food or drink and set aside the money you would have spent to donate to a special charity
- fast from being angry or upset with people who have hurt or offended you, and pray for the courage to forgive them
- fast from feeling guilty and angry at yourself for things you have done wrong, instead remember God's great love for you

**Praying During Lent:**

- Read the day's scripture passage, refer our Parish calendar for the days reading.
- participate in the Stations of the Cross during Lent. Friday's here at St Anne's at 6.30pm followed by Mass.
- participate in the Lenten Sunday liturgies
- participate in the Sacrament of Reconciliation during Lent. We will have our Lenten reconciliation service on March 21<sup>st</sup> at 7pm.
- Participate in the Lenten retreat. We have our Retreat on March 03<sup>rd</sup> 10am to 1pm conducted by Fr Toby Collins C.R
- spend fifteen minutes a day praying during Lent: give thanks to God for all your blessings, pray for a specific personal need prompted by the day's experience, and pray for those who are in need or suffering in your community and the world

**Serving/Almsgiving**

- donate personal possessions, such as clothes, books, shoes, to people in need
- dedicate time for service during Lent, e.g., working at a soup kitchen or homeless shelter, helping people in your neighborhood such as the elderly
- donate food or money saved by fasting to the parish or community food pantry, food bank, or homeless shelter
- cook a meal for the soup kitchen or homeless shelter, gather some friends to help
- volunteer at a local soup kitchen, homeless shelter or nursing home several hours per week during Lent
- support organizations that provide direct relief to people in need: We have our own Parish Missions at St Anne's – an international out reach. 3 major projects i. Medical aid & camp, Educational sponsor, and Housing for the Poor. For more details see the parish website or call the office.

In Jesus Joy Incarnate  
Fr Ray

**"Tell the Next Generation"**



**Monthly 50/50 Draw: Tickets \$10** each on sale at the end of every mass. Winning ticket drawn at the last 11am mass of the month. All proceeds will help offset costs for our 70th Jubilee celebrations.

**JAN. WINNER Marg Messmer \$215**

**"At St Anne's, I remember when..."**

"At St Anne's, I remember when *we received communion at the altar rail*". What memories do you have of St Anne's? Please email [stannesjubilee@outlook.com](mailto:stannesjubilee@outlook.com) or call the parish office at 519 745-5302.

**St Mary's Heart Month Event**

**Feb 27**



The Beat Goes On: Ensuring Equitable and Seamless Cardiac Care Across Waterloo Wellington

- Learn how cardiac services will be expanded at St. Mary's and beyond
- Get an update on advanced heart rhythm services coming next year
- Hear why St. Mary's is among top Canadian cardiac centres for patient outcomes
- Many great speakers

**Tues Feb 27 | 7:00pm – 8:30pm | Delta Waterloo | 110 Erb St. W Waterloo** Complimentary parking and light refreshments.  
**Free admission | Registration required as space is limited at [www.supportstmarys.ca/heartmonth](http://www.supportstmarys.ca/heartmonth)** or call 519-749-6536

**St. Patrick's Day Card Party**

**Mar 11**



St. Agatha Parish CWL presents St. Patrick's Day Card Party: on Sunday, March 11 at 2:00pm. Come out and bring a few friends! Door Prizes, Draws and a Delicious Beef Stew Luncheon. Admission \$10/person includes Stew, Rolls, Beverage & Dessert Squares. Cash Draw & Raffle Draws during Luncheon at 4:30pm. For more info [stagathahcwl@gmail.com](mailto:stagathahcwl@gmail.com)

**KofC A Hockey Game in support of Vocations**

**April 7**

St Thomas More Senior Hockey team vs Hamilton Wentworth Regional Police  
\$12 | 25 Hester St Hamilton | Sat April 7 2pm | See bulletin boards

**St. Anne's Mission Team Update**



The team and people of India send a HUGE THANK YOU to St. Anne's Parish and friends for their very generous support both through prayers and financially.

- 1100 people were helped through 8 Medical Camps
- 10 families identified to have homes built in 2018
- 8 students identified for scholarship assistance
- 1 man assisted financially for his kidney transplant
- \$20,755 Raised to date ... and accepting donation to year end

March 18<sup>th</sup> during Coffee Sunday, come out and hear the stories of the team and see pictures of the trip and the difference you made in many lives in India.