

THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER

April 14/15 2018

Mass Schedule and Intentions April 16 -22

Monday NO MASS

Intention of Rev. Jim Valk, C.R.

Tuesday Saint Kateri Tekakwitha

7 pm + Kay Maynard - Estate

Intention of Rev. Frank Reitzel, C.R.

Wednesday Blessed Marie-Anne Blondin

8 am + Joe & Else DeGroot - Family

Intentions of Holy Ghost Congregation (Spiritans) C.S.Sp.

Thursday

8 am + Mervyn & Marg Stalkie - Estate

Intention of Rev. Edwin Lapinski, C.R.

Friday

8 am + Ernesto & Trindade & Paulino Matias - Family

Intention of Rev. Pat Aiello, C.R.

Saturday Saint Anselm

4 pm Sacrament of Penance

5 pm + Joaquim & Joaquina Amorim – Maria Amorim & Family

+ Jose Amorim – Maria Amorim & Family

+ Florence & Ted Nowak – Paul & Family

+ Cleo Wagner - Estate

Intention of Rev. Patrick McKelvie, C.R.

Sunday Fourth Sunday of Easter

9 am The Parishioners

Special Intention: Lise Lindsay – Mary & Erica

+ Jim Martz – Laura Wilhem & Betty Hoffarth

11am + Louis McSheffrey – Joe & Yvonne Sutherland

3 pm Latin Mass

PARISH SUPPORT

Last Weekend

Weekend Offering (118 env)

\$3457

Loose Donations

\$335

Share Lent

\$505



Sincere thanks to all who share the responsibility of parish support.

Your care, concern and generosity are greatly appreciated!!

What could convince someone to turn to God? The story that God became human? The story that Jesus cured the sick? The story that Jesus forgave sin? The story that Jesus rose from the dead? Or, perhaps, the story of the witness of your own life! If you have the continuing inclination that God is calling you to be a priest, religious or deacon, call. **Contact Fr. Michael King, Vocation Director, Diocese of Hamilton 905-528-7988 x2246**

St Anne's VBS 2018



Mark your calendar: **July 9 – 13 9am-noon**

Registration Forms available: **online or in the office**

Volunteers Needed

Contact Mary Forcier stannesgenofhope@gmail.com

Third Sunday of EASTER

Next Week's Liturgical Roles

	*Commentator & Lectors	Eucharistic Ministers	Altar Servers
5 pm	*Lynda Munz Sarah Munz Patrick Cann	Mary Stolch Paul Cormier	Lexis McEachern Guillermo & Isabella Zarate
9 am	*Wolf Hagenhofer Linda Schnarr Bruce Faria	Patrick Schnarr Lianne Horne	Ella, Eva & Finn Murphy
11 am	*Mieke Wilkinson Ineke Wilkinson Sheela Theres	Yvonne McGrath Matthew Wilkinson Wendy Sibley	Brennan Scott Victoria Sulpher Matthew & Isabella Hayek
Children's Liturgy		Ashley Kreuger & Robin Grossi	

UPCOMING PARISH EVENTS

Mon	Apr 16	7pm	PARISH TOWN HALL MEETING
Tues	Apr 17	7pm	CONFIRMATION
Wed	Apr 18	6pm	1st Communion Photos
Sat	Apr 21	5pm	First Holy Communion
Sun	Apr 22	9 & 11	Social Sunday
Mon	Apr 23	7pm	Social Committee Meeting
Wed	Apr 25	7pm	Bible Study begins (Apr 25 – May 30)
Sat	Apr 28	5pm	First Holy Communion
Sun	Apr 29	11am	First Holy Communion

PARISH TOWN HALL MEETING

Mon April 16



All parishioners are invited to a Parish Town Hall Meeting on **Monday, April 16, 2018 at 7pm** in the Parish Hall.

Jim Long and Monsignor Murray Kroetsch from the Diocese will be present to speak to us about the recent Diocesan study of our Parish and its vitality and viability. Parishioners will have an opportunity to share their concerns as well.

CONFIRMATION

Apr 17



Please pray for our Confirmands receiving the sacrament of Confirmation Tuesday April 17th @7pm. May the Holy Spirit always be with them and may they continue to grow in their faith throughout their life.

1st Holy Communion

April 21, 28 & 29

The parish has the privilege of celebrating with our children their 1st Holy Communion. This will take place during our weekend Masses - Saturday April 21 5pm, Saturday April 28 5pm & Sunday April 29 11am.

All are welcome to come to this celebration.



Parish Bible Study: Gospel of Matthew

Apr 25 – May 30



SESSION 2: enrich your knowledge of Matthew's gospel with our PARISH bible study "Matthew The King and His Kingdom". The study is divided into 4 sessions of 6 weeks each. Information is at the church entrances & bulletin boards. Come for a session to try it.

Wed 7 – 9:30 PM | Apr 25 – May 30 | Church Hall | Refreshments

PASTOR'S MESSAGE

Joy of Jubilee

We have a wonderful time in our journey of faith to witness the great Platinum Jubilee of our parish. We have been preparing for this celebration over the last few months - been graced with the Papal blessing, welcomed our former pastors who relished their pastoral experience and on March 27th the Jubilee Committee met with our school teachers for a time of praying and sharing the jubilee vision. Don't miss out our Jubilee Mass May 5th followed by a time of fellowship and great food at the Jubilee Dinner.

Social Sunday April 22 – Medical Mission Presentation

Come out and enjoy the video presentation from the St Anne's medical team. I am sure it will be a great moment of sharing their experiences filled with lots of stories and excitement. Ask questions and explore if opportunity allows you to be part of the team next year for the 4th mission to India. I am very grateful for the overwhelming support from St Anne's family. We helped over 1100 people, provided scholarships for 8 children and have identified 10 houses to be built. Recently one more house has been donated in memory of Joe DeGroot who passed this March, which increases our total to 11 families receiving improved living conditions. Thanks to our parish, friends and the DeGroot family for supporting the 3 goals of our Madras Mission: Health, Education and Homes. The team has inspected and approved 5 houses in Pakkam and another 5 houses in Karikalvakkam, both are locations where our medical team held camps. The local St Vincent De Paul who are responsible for the housing projects are working hard to complete these projects in addition to their other charity works and we hope that all 11 homes will be completed by December 2018.

Church Pews

I am happy that our church pews will continue to be used for the great glory of God, just in a new location. We have donated 2 pews and the key board to Fr Claudio Piccinini from Teopoli a Spiritual Centre established in 1972, belonging to the congregation of Passionist. The 2 altar pews have gone to the SOLIC sisters in Cambridge as they extend their community in Stoney creek.

Renovations

The building committee has done an awesome project in our parish, renovating the sanctuary, sacristy and changed all lights to energy saving lights. We are in progress of restoring the terrazzo floor in the confessional and shifting the wooden screen to provide more accessibility. We have purchased our own floor mats and cancelled our large garbage bin contract to help further reduce costs. After celebrating our Divine Mercy Sunday we have shifted the Divine mercy picture to the parish hallway, where it stands elegant and nice. Special thanks to the team headed by Wolf Hagen, Kevin Schmalz, Tony Graci and Dennis Edissi and the finance council for their counsel and support and hard work to make these renovations a reality. Thanks to Twin city tiles for their meticulous work and generous donation towards these renovations. We also appreciate the Meakes family for donating and tuning the piano for us. It is of a great liturgical value for the Parish and I am really happy that we are able to use it for our daily mass now.

In Jesus Joy Incarnate

Fr Ray

PARISH JUBILEE

"Tell the Next Generation"

50/50

Monthly 50/50 Draw
Tickets \$10 after mass



Calling all singers and instrumentalists to share your talents as we celebrate 70 years as a parish. Practices are April 19, 26 and May 3.



St Anne Parish 70th Jubilee Celebration

"TELL THE NEXT GENERATION"

All former parishioners and guests are invited to celebrate the 70th Jubilee of St Anne Parish

May 5, 2018

Jubilee Mass: 5 pm

with Monsignor Murray J. Kroetsch, former pastors, and guest priests

Jubilee Banquet 7 pm

Schwaben Club 1668 King St. East, Kitchener

Dinner: \$35.00 per person

\$17.50 (ages 5 to 9); Children under 5 are free

Tickets: St Anne parish office 519 745-5302

New Evangelization Summit (NES)

April 27 & 28

Join thousands of Catholics from across North America at the premier conference on the New Evangelization which will be webcast from Ottawa. **Blessed Sacrament Parish** is serving as a host site. This summit will feature several world class Catholic speakers. For more info visit website at newevangelization.ca or to register go to the ticket section and select Kitchener, ON as the host Site. The cost for the two day event is \$60 per person and includes snacks and lunch on April 28.



NEW EVANGELIZATION

Additional information please contact Blessed Sacrament Church at (519) 742-5061 or Ian Mendes at ianmendes2@gmail.com.

LIMITED SPACE SO REGISTER QUICKLY.

CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE

MAY 5/6

St. Mary's/St. Anne's CWL "**Spring Bake Sale**" will be held the weekend of **May 5/6 following each Mass**. Volunteer bakers are needed! We sincerely hope all members and Parishioners will 'lend a hand' and participate, either by donating and/or by buying some homemade sweets, and/or assisting in the setup. Please bring your baked goods to the Lower Hall on Saturday May 5th from 1:30 to 4:00 p.m. Following each Mass, join us for coffee/tea and fellowship as you select a sweet to take home!



Many thanks for your ongoing and generous support!!

In the Area & Diocese

.....see bulletin board for details

April 18 St. Francis of Assisi Annual Card Party - Proceeds will be donated to Hospice-Palliative Care. Sponsored by the CWL
1-4pm | Lunch at 1pm | tickets are \$15
49 Blueridge Ave. Kitchener | 519-745-7301