

St. Anne's Parish Family

2nd Sunday of Lent

March 16/17 2019

Mass Schedule and Intentions March 18 - 24

Monday NO MASS Saint Cyril of Jerusalem

Tuesday Saint Joseph

7 pm Special Intention: Joanna Balija – Mary Kobetich

Wednesday

8 am + Pauline Schagena – LeeAnn Walser

Thursday

8 am + Joaquina DaCosta – LeeAnn & Henry Walser

Friday

6:30 pm Stations of the Cross – Music Ministry

7 pm + Richard Lindsay - Lise

Saturday

4 pm Sacrament of Penance

5 pm + Jose Amorim

Sunday 3rd Sunday of Lent

10 am The Parishioners

Special Intention: Fr. Ray Peter – Lise Lindsay

+ Don Schnurr – John & Jean Weiler

Diocese of Hamilton Prayer Calendar

Monday	Rev. Harry Reitzel, C.R.
Tuesday	Rev. Florian Stasinski, C.R.
Wednesday	Sisters of Our Lady Immaculate (S.O.L.I.)
Thursday	Rev. Chester Chmurzynski, C.R.
Friday	Rev. Jim Valk, C.R.
Saturday	Rev. Raymond Reitzel, C.R.

PARISH SUPPORT

Last Weekend

Weekend Offering (91 env)	\$2247
Loose Donations	\$220
Building (8 env)	\$135
Refugee Ministry	\$20



Please Note: Pre-Authorized Giving withdrawal took place on March 15th. Total amounts will be announced first weekend of the next month.

Peter, John and James had a mountaintop experience with Jesus by witnessing His transfiguration. We too can have a mountaintop experience when we open our minds and hearts to following God's Will for our lives. If you think God is calling you to be a priest, contact Fr. Michael King, Director of Vocations and Priestly Formation at 905-528-7988 or email mking@hamiltondiocese.com

Though you have recourse to many saints as your intercessors, go especially to St. Joseph, for he has great power.
~St. Teresa of Avila



SECOND
SUNDAY
OF LENT

Next Week's Liturgical Roles

	*Commentator & Lectors	Eucharistic Ministers
5 pm	* Mary Anne Reinhart Vivian Powers Sarah Martin	Annemarie Currie Lynda Munz
10 am	*Yvonne McGrath Kenny Sonde Sandra Umbrio	Lise Lindsay Enrique Matute Tony Umbrio
Children's Liturgy		Robin Grossi & Luke Grossi

Next Week's Liturgical Readings

Sunday, Mar 24, 2019 – Third Sunday of Lent

- 1) Exodus 3:1-8a, 13-15
- 2) 1 Corinthians 10:1-6, 10-12
- 3) Luke 13:1-9

FOCUS: Jesus calls us to repent so that we might bear good fruit.

God's ways are not our ways. In order to bear good fruit, we must allow him to shape and mold our lives. This was not a new message that Jesus shared, but an affirmation of the covenant that God made with his people from the beginning. God is faithful – and so we are called to be. When we stray and wither or produce bad fruit, we have the opportunity to repent and try again.

LITURGY OF THE WORD

In the first reading from Exodus, God speaks to Moses from the burning bush, announcing his presence as the God of his father, Abraham, Isaac and Jacob. In Saint Paul's Letter to the Corinthians, he speaks of the Old Testament ancestors, many with whom God was not pleased. In today's Gospel, the crowd tells Jesus about the Galileans whose blood Pilate mingled with their sacrifices. Jesus calls them to repentance and tells them a parable of the fig tree that produces no fruit.

UPCOMING PARISH EVENTS

Thurs	Mar 21	7:00pm	Parish Pastoral Council Meeting
Sat	Mar 23	6:00pm	Movie Night – Hotel Transylvania 3
Sun	Mar 24	1:30pm	1 st Reconciliation – Prep Day
Mon	Mar 25	7:00pm	Social Committee Meeting
Thurs	Mar 28	7:00pm	Parish Reconciliation

STATIONS OF THE CROSS EVERY FRIDAY ...Beginning Mar 8th @ 6:30pm DURING LENT – followed by Mass @7pm

Each Friday is lead by different parish ministries

Fri	Mar 22	6:30pm	Music Ministry
Fri	Mar 29	6:30pm	Altar Servers/Youth Ministry
Fri	Apr 05	6:30pm	SVDP
Fri	Apr 12	6:30pm	Social Committee



Diocese of Hamilton One Heart, One Soul Campaign



'One Heart, One Soul' kickoff is March 25

The One Heart, One Soul Campaign for the Diocese of Hamilton is about to reach high gear!

The 14 Pilot Wave Parishes have been busy planning the projects of theirs that will benefit from the campaign, and a public kickoff Mass will be held at noon on Monday, March 25, Solemnity of the Annunciation of the Lord, at the Cathedral Basilica of Christ the King. The Mass will be celebrated by Bishop Douglas Crosby and followed by a reception at the Cathedral.

The Pilot Wave Parishes will be holding kickoffs for their own efforts in April. Three additional waves over the next two years will allow every Parish in the Diocese to participate. Most of the funds from the three-year campaign will go to Parish projects, with a special emphasis on the Parishes most in need. A number of diocesan ministries will benefit as well.

A series of Frequently Asked Questions about the campaign can be found on the campaign website – www.oneheartonesoul.ca.

SHARE LENT: Share the journey with members of the Umuechem community in Nigeria



CANADIAN CATHOLIC ORGANIZATION FOR
Development and Peace

In 1990, a peaceful community in the south of Nigeria became the victim of what has been recognized as the first crime committed by an oil company. Traumatized by a massacre of unparalleled violence, a large majority of the members of this community fled to neighbouring communities, never to return home again. To make sure that their story is never forgotten and to combat impunity, Development and Peace's partner Social Action is supporting the Umuechem community in their legal action against the oil company. Discover the story of people forced to flee their homes and ways for each one of us to act in solidarity with them: devp.org/lent.



Living with Christ Missalette

Due: March 24th



Anyone interested in purchasing their own Living with Christ Missalette is able to do so. There are subscription forms available at the entrances of the Church. **Please return the filled out forms along with your payment to the office. Deadline is March 24th**

Parish Bible Study: March 13 – April 17 Gospel of Luke



Bible Study: a detailed study of the Gospel of Luke. This study promises to enrich your knowledge. Bible Study led by Father Brian Quigley. All sessions will be held at St. Anne's Church Hall Wednesday evenings at 7 PM.

FAMILY MOVIE NIGHT "Hotel Transylvania 3" Mar 23



You are invited to join us after the 5 pm Mass on Saturday, Mar 23rd. Free popcorn, plus pizza and pop for sale. See you there!



ST. ANNE REFUGEE MINISTRY



Fundraising Goal for 2018-2019: \$16,000.00
Amount Raised to Date: \$ 8869.35

New books for sale. Selling continues in the church hall. Baskets are left on the table for your monetary contribution.

Thank you for your generous and continued support!!!

THINKfast

April 5 - 6

Join THINKfast for Development and Peace (D&P)

When: Fri, Apr 5th @ 5:00pm until Sat, Apr 6th @ 7:30pm

Where: St Joseph Church

Why: To raise funds for D&P, educate ourselves about issues of poverty and hunger around the world, and to fast in solidarity with those who are hungry.



What: A 25-hour fast with games, educational activities, prayer, and much more. The fast itself includes regular juice breaks and a light breakfast (traditional to large parts of Africa), and ends with a communal meal.

Who: Our overnight event is open to anyone from St Anne or St Joseph in grade 6-12. If you can't stay over, you are welcome to join us from 2 pm on Saturday and do a mini-fast.

How to help: support our ThinkFast fundraising at www.devp.org/thinkfast/2417. For more information contact Mary at stannekitcheneryouth@gmail.com

LENTEN PREPARATIONS

St. Aloysius Parish – 11 Traynor Ave. Kitchener

Tuesday April 2nd 7pm

Join us to pray and prepare for Easter!

Lenten Retreat by

Rev. Michael King at 7pm



Prayer Vigil for the Unborn

Apr 4

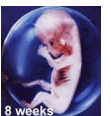
Come out to pray and to be a witness for God's unborn babies being aborted! **All are welcome to pray quietly for those who have no voice, but our own!**

If you cannot attend, would you devote an hour praying? Contact Cathy for more info

kwc.prayervigil@rogers.com

April 4th 9am to 10am Freeport Hospital

3570 King St. Parking: Schneider Park (across the road)



In the Area & Diocese

.....see bulletin board for details

Mar 22 FISH FRY hosted by The Knights of Columbus Council 8192 on **Friday, March 22, 2019** at St. Teresa of Avila Parish Hall, 19 Flamingo Drive, Elmira. There will be continuous seating – 5:30 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. Take out will be at 5:00 – 5:30 p.m. Cost is Adults \$16.00; Children (12 & under) \$8.00; and Take Out is \$16.00. Advanced tickets are available until March 20th. Purchase your tickets at St. Teresa of Avila Parish Office between 9:00 a.m. and 1 p.m. or call (519) 669-3387. Don't miss out on this popular annual dinner. Proceeds go to the Knights of Columbus Charities.