

THIRTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME, JULY 1, 2018

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Mass Intentions this week

July 2 – July 8, 2018



Please Note: Weekday Masses will be Celebrated in the Church.

Tuesday 7:00 pm †Josephine Giumello
Wednesday 12:00 noon †Eleanor Gecas
Thursday 7:00 pm †Elsa Tubridy
Friday 12:00 noon Intentions of Ted & Helen Vanderlans
Saturday 5:00 pm †Teresa Walsh, Rosita Blais, Intentions of Joan Novak



Sanctuary Lamp this week

Intentions of: The deceased members of the Gallant/Dawson families and repose of their souls. Requests accepted by placing an envelope with the name of loved one and a donation of \$10 in the collection basket.

DIOCESAN PRAYER	CALENDAR
Monday, July 2	Rev. Luc Payette
Tuesday, July 3	Rev. Anthony Azzopardi
Wednesday, July 4	Barnabite Fathers (C.R.S.P.)
Thursday, July 5	Rev. Gordian Okpuruka
Friday, July 6	Rev. Paul Mathew Vellimoozhayil, S.J.
Saturday, July 7	Rev. Stephen Sardo

Eternal Father, we lift up to you these and all the priests, religious and lay ministers of the world. Sanctify them. Heal them; guide them. Mold them into the likeness and holiness of your Son, Jesus, the Eternal High Priest. May their lives be pleasing to You. In Jesus' name we pray. Amen.

OFFERTORY: Thank you!

Sunday Envelopes	\$2,998.00
Loose Collections:	\$ 525.95
Average Weekly Preauthorized	\$ 692.00
Total Weekly Offering June 17 th	\$4,215.95
Budget expenses for the week	\$4,265.00

Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time ***irth of John the Baptist***

– Jesus healed Jairus's daughter by saying "Talitha cum" which means "little girl, get up!" Has the Lord called you to get up and walk? Perhaps Jesus wants you to help others get up and walk. If you feel God is calling you to priesthood, religious life or the diaconate, contact Fr. Michael King, Vocation Director, Diocese of Hamilton 905-528-7988 x 2246. E-mail: vocations@hamiltondiocese.com.

MEDITATION

As I began to understand scripture, I was often struck by the many paradoxes I read. Jesus says one thing but means the opposite. He said one would find his life when he loses it. This made my head spin. What did those words mean? What was Jesus trying to teach me?

In today's Gospel, Jesus says, "Do not fear, only believe" – another paradox. He is challenging me to walk by faith, not by sight, even when I do not understand. Jesus is calling me to believe him when I am searching for and trying to find answers to my questions. I am a 'doubting Thomas' many times. I am beginning to realize that believing Jesus is not just hearing his words but absorbing them. My faith develops and grows as I gain insight from the words and example of Jesus. I begin to understand what's behind and beyond the words he proclaims. I realize there is much more than meets the eye is what Jesus is saying.

Today's Gospel clearly shows us who Jesus truly is. He is the Son of God. He could sense the "power had gone forth from him" when the hemorrhaging woman touched his garment. Yet, he was fully human – again, a paradox. Jesus is inviting and challenging us to walk in faith. May we begin to live not according to our limited view but by God's limitless possibilities.

Gerry Sobie, Nelson, BC
Novalis, Living with Christ

WELCOME! To our new pastor, Father Paul Hrynczyszyn! May you enjoy this wonderful parish as much as I did. Peace, Father Earl.

CONGRATULATIONS – to Archbishop James MacDonald on your 65th Anniversary of priesthood last Thursday. Many thanks for assisting in our parish.

THANK YOU!

Again I wish to thank all those who organized the lovely farewell for me last Sunday, and to all of you who attended, and those who could not but extended their prayers and best wishes either before or following the bar-b-q.

Please pray for me as I will for you!
Thank you, Fr. Earl

NOVENA IN HONOUR OF ST. ANN

Our annual 9 day Novena to St. Ann will begin with 7pm evening Mass from **Wednesday, July 18th** and conclude **Thursday, July 26th**. The Novena will include Mass starting at 7pm each evening throughout, blessing with the relic of St. Ann and novena prayers as well as confessions following the Mass.

Anointing of the sick will take place on **Friday, July 20th at 7pm.** The Most Reverend Douglas Crosby, OMI Bishop of Hamilton will celebrate the Feast of St. Ann at St. Ann Church, 120 Sherman Av., North, Hamilton, Mass on **Thursday, July 26th at 7pm.** A reception will follow in St. Ann's School gymnasium. Everyone is welcome. Wheelchair / Walker accessible.

DIOCESAN PRAYER	<u>CALENDAR</u>
Monday, July 9	Rev. Theodore Slaman
Tuesday, July 10	Rev. Robert Love
Wednesday, July 11	Camboni Missionaries (M.C.C.J.)
Thursday, July 12	Rev. James Curtin
Friday, July 13	Rev. Michael Sullivan
Saturday, July 14	Rev. Ralph Diodati

DIOCESAN PRAYER	<u>CALENDAR</u>
Monday, July 16	Rev. Michael McHugh
Tuesday, July 17	Rev. Francis Trzupek
Wednesday, July 18	Catholic Teachers
Thursday, July 19	Rev. Victor McNamara
Friday, July 20	Rev. Mike Myroniuk
Saturday, July 21	Rev. Ron Cote
DIOCESAN PRAYER	<u>CALENDAR</u>
Monday, July 23	Rev. Edward Hampson
Tuesday, July 24	Rev. David Lewis
Wednesday, July 25	Sisters of Social Services (S.S.S.)
Thursday, July 26	Rev. Donald Sanvido
Friday, July 27	Rev. Ken Miskiewicz
Saturday, July 28	Rev. Terence Sehl

DIOCESAN PRAYER	<u>CALENDAR</u>
Monday, July 30	Rev. Michael Anderson
Tuesday, July 31	Rev. Edward Mahony
Wednesday, August 1	Parish Staff
Thursday, August 2	Most Rev. Anthony Tonnos, D.D.
Friday, August 3	Rev. Charles Schefter
Saturday, August 4	Rev. Fulbert Jonas Ahouansou

Milk bags – The CWL are collecting the outer milk bag to make sleeping mats to donate to Canadian Food for Children. Please drop off the bags in the box located at the back of the Church. For more information contact Joan 519-753-9238.

DIOCESAN PRAYER	<u>CALENDAR</u>
Monday, August 6	Transfiguration of Our Lord
Tuesday, August 7	Rev. Kevin Cull
Wednesday, August 8	Sister Servants of Mary Immaculate (S.S.M.I.)
Thursday, August 9	Rev. Vernon Boyd, S.J.
Friday, August 10	Rev. Roger Yaworski, S.J.
Saturday, August 11	Rev. Stanislaw Kuczaik, S.Chr.

DIOCESAN PRAYER	<u>CALENDAR</u>
Monday, August 13	Rev. Jan Michalski, S.Chr.
Tuesday, August 14	Rev. Juan Carlos Saenz
Wednesday, August 15	Congregation of The Resurrection (C.R.)
Thursday, August 16	Very Rev. Jerzy Tomon
Friday, August 17	Rev. Joseph LeClair
Saturday, August 18	Rev. Leszek Szczygiel

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FESTA SAN ROCCO

Saturday, August 11, 2018

St Pius X Church

7:00 p.m.

Blessing of the Torch of San Rocco and Memorial Mass for the Deceased
Will be celebrated by Msgr. Murray Kroetsch

Sunday, August 12, 2018

St Pius X Church

1:00 p.m.

Solemn Mass will be celebrated by
Fr Peter Ciallella and Fr John Redmond

Followed by

Traditional community procession in honour of
San Rocco

The procession starts at St Pius X, proceeds on Wood Street to St. Paul's Avenue, Charing Cross, King George Road, Wood Street and back to the church for the distribution of bread.

LIONS PARK

5:00 p.m. to 11:00 p.m.

Soccer Game starts at 5:00 p.m.
Bocce Tournament, Children's Activities, Draw
Variety Show featuring Vinz Derosa
Spectacular Fireworks!

Who of you by worrying can add a single hour to his life? So do not worry....

This is the last bulletin until September 2nd. Have a safe and enjoyable summer!