

THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME JANUARY 27, 2019

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Mass Intentions this week



Saturday 5:00 pm †Theresa Leyzer, Cyril Romain, Paul Tran, Agnes Kane, Lorraine Heidler, Mary Ann Grossett, Intentions of Deacon Randy & Joanne Matters



Sanctuary Lamp this week

Intentions: Rita Spencer and repose of her soul. Requests accepted by placing an envelope with the name of loved one and a donation of \$10 in the collection basket.

OFFERTORY: Thank you!

Sunday Envelopes Jan 20, 2019	\$2,702.50
Loose Collections:	\$ 368.75
Average Weekly Preauthorized	\$ 692.00
Total Weekly Offering	\$3,763.25
Budget expenses for the week	\$4,265.00

On Sunday January 27 we will welcome SHINE (Sing His Inspirational News Everywhere), music ministry from Sacred Heart Parish in Langton to lead the music at the 11:30 am Mass.

Assumption College School presents

"Hairspray"! In 1960s Baltimore, dance-loving teen Tracy Turnblad auditions for a spot on "The Corny Collins Show" and wins. She becomes an overnight celebrity, a trendsetter in dance, fun and fashion. Perhaps her new status as a teen sensation is enough to topple Corny's reigning dance queen and bring racial integration to the show. Come join us on **Thursday, Feb. 28th at 7p.m., Friday, March 1st at 7p.m., Saturday, March 2nd at 2p.m.** or 7p.m.! Tickets are \$10 for students/seniors and \$15 for adults. Call (519) 751-2030 ext. 365

PLEASE JOIN YOUR FELLOW PARISHIONERS as we celebrate the Purification of the Blessed Virgin Mary (Candlemas) with a Missa Cantata Mass (everything is sung) in the Extraordinary Form (in Latin) at 11:00 am at St. Basil Parish on **Saturday, February 2, 2019**. Bring your candles to get them blessed!

Adult Formation program. One of the things that is lacking most in our life of faith is a good understanding of the teachings of our faith and how to respond to some difficult questions people might have about our Catholic faith. For instance, how would you respond to an Atheist who says that God doesn't exist? Or how would you defend the authenticity of the Gospels to those who claim that they were all fabricated and are not real **after the 7:00 pm Mass** and learn how to respond to some difficult questions you might have about your faith. historical documents?

Here is the topic being covered:

January 31st: Helping People Return to the Church

MUSIC TRIVIA 2019

Music Trivia will be on **Sat, January 26, 2019** in the parish hall. If you love music, movie songs, TV show music, naming songs and artists, complete the next line, (mostly from 1960 -1980 with the odd mix from other years), you will enjoy this friendly competition. No individual players, it's all teamwork. Bring your own team or play with others. **NO SINGING!** Doors and Bar open at 6:00pm and Trivia begins at 7:00pm. Gino's pizza slices served between 6:00pm - 8:00pm for \$2.00. \$5.00 entree fee. There will be lots of free door prizes. Call JoAnne at 519-754-4392 for tickets or info.

FIRST RECONCILIATION

First Reconciliation:

- **Wednesday, March 20th**

Please Note: If you are unable to attend First Reconciliation, you may bring your child to our regularly offered Reconciliation any Saturday from 4:10 pm to 4:40 pm.

The Sacrament of First Holy Communion will be:

- April 27 – 5:00 pm Mass (**St. Basil School**)
- April 28 – 9:30 am Mass (**St. Gabriel School**)
- April 28 – 11:30 Mass (**Christ the King School**)

CONFIRMATION CANDIDATES ONLY

Our next session in our parish hall *Sunday, February 3rd and Sunday March 3rd, 2019*. Between Masses 10:30 am to 11:30 am.

Retreat for Candidates in our parish hall on *Saturday April 6, 2019 – 1:00 – 4:45 p.m.*

Celebration of Confirmation is *Wednesday April 24, 2019 at 7:00 pm* in the Church.

CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE –

Milk bags – The CWL is collecting clean outer bags to make plastic sleeping mats for Canadian Food for Children. Please **place the bags in the bin at the back of the church.**

C.W.L. 2019 MEMBERSHIP DRIVE

It's not too late to RENEW your CWL Membership for 2019. All ladies of the Parish are invited to join our very active League at St. Basil Church!

The National CWL office requests your Membership Dues be paid by February 28, 2019.

Ladies, if you are one of our Snowbirds, please attend to this before you leave. Thank you.

Also, please remember, if you move during the year, to contact a member of the Executive to update your records.

CWL Organization Convener, Pat Renaud

OUR LADY OF GUADALUPE: A Lenten Pilgrimage, *March 26th - April 2nd, 2018*. Please consider joining Father Luke Kopaniak SAC, Pastor of St Mary's, Brantford and Deacon Randy Matters on this pilgrimage to Our Lady of Guadalupe the patroness of the Americas, The Unborn and the New Evangelization. For more information regarding itinerary, etc., please visit www.pilgrimdeaconrandy.com or email: randalmatters@gmail.com

KINDERGARTEN REGISTRATION BEGINS JANUARY 2019

We are really looking forward to meeting our new families! Please register online via our easy to use Online registration system {1}! If you have questions or are wondering what you require to complete the online registration procedure, our 7-step process {2} will guide you through your questions and answers! If you experience any issues using the online system, no worries... just reach out to our Helpdesk at 519-756-6505 ext. 711 or email info@bhncdesb.ca {3} and our staff will assist.

FRENCH IMMERSION KINDERGARTEN PROGRAM

Looking for a French Immersion Kindergarten program? We have you covered! Register for Kindergarten using our easy to use online registration system {1} During the process, simply select your Catholic French Immersion school and you will be on your way! Wondering where your closest Catholic French Immersion school is? Use our School Locator {2} to find out. If you have any questions about our French Immersion Kindergarten program, please contact the school and our staff will assist.

MEDITATION

Sharing important news with family and friends can give birth to a feeling greater than the news itself. Bringing news back to our home communities is a more personal celebration of what has been achieved and a recognition of who has helped along the way.

Perhaps this connection to home is what led Jesus to choose Nazareth to proclaim the good news. At this point in the Gospel, Jesus was already becoming well known in Galilee for his teaching. The people of Nazareth gathered at the synagogue to see what the carpenter's son may have to say to them, to his friends and family.

Think of a time when someone came to share exciting news with you. What was your response? Conversely, think of a time when someone came to share something that was upsetting or unexpected. Did you respond differently?

Although it can be challenging to always accept the news we receive, we should ask ourselves why that person chose us as the recipient and what our response means to them. 'Tis the season for New Year's resolutions. This year, resolve to show support and acceptance to those who bring us their news.

Julianna Deutscher, Edmonton, Ab
Novalis, Living with Christ

NET CANADA

Application Now Open for NET Canada Executive Director!

Are you passionate about reaching young people in the Catholic Church? NET Canada is looking for an experienced and dynamic leader to lead the staff and missionaries from the headquarters in Ottawa!

Position Summary:

Location: Ottawa, Ontario

Pay: Starting Salary \$70,000 (commensurate with experience)

Deadline: February 28, 2019

Start date: Negotiable