

THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER – APRIL 15, 2018

WEEKLY MASS SCHEDULE

Tuesday, April 17th	
9:00 a.m.	+Rosemary Coffey (Estate)
Wednesday, April 18th	
9:00 a.m.	+Grace Driscoll (Paul & Bonnie Hughes)
Thursday, April 19th	
6:30 p.m.	Eucharistic Exposition & Adoration
7:00 p.m.	+Fred Vaughan (Kropf Family)
Friday, April 20th	
9:00 a.m.	+Irene Geier (Frances Mantler & Family)
Saturday, April 21st St. Anselm (Opt Mem)	
5:00 p.m.	For the Living & Deceased Members of the Parish
Sunday April 22nd, Fourth Sunday of Easter	
St. Mary's 9:00 a.m.	+Vladimir Berlot & +Igac Kramar (Maria Berlot)
St. Martin's 11:00 a.m.	For the Living & Deceased Members of the Parish

ANNOUNCEMENTS

YOUR OFFERINGS – April 7th & 8th

56 Weekly Offerings	\$ 1,290.00
Weekly Loose	128.50
3 Easter Offerings	45.00
1 Building Maintenance	40.00
Devotional Candles	<u>170.55</u>
Total	\$ 1,674.05

St. Martin's – April 8th

Weekly Offerings	\$ 395.00
Easter Offerings	20.00
Loose	5.00
Building Fund	<u>80.00</u>
Total	\$ 500.00

Your Continuous Support and Generosity are Greatly Appreciated!

“BE” 2018 YOUTH RALLY:

Don't miss out on the Annual Diocesan Youth Rally taking place at C.Y.O. Camp Brebeuf, Rockwood on Saturday, May 26th, 2018. Registration is \$20.00 per person. For more information see www.hamiltondiocese.com/youthrally

ST. MARY'S FINANCIAL STATEMENT:

Enclosed in today's bulletin is the 2017 Financial Statement, showing actual to budgeted amounts. The Finance Committee recently met and a discussion was held as to what ongoing and major repairs need to be done to both church and rectory. The committee is in the process of gathering quotes and will meet again to discuss. A budget will then be completed and presented. If you have any concerns or questions, speak to any member of the finance committee.

NEWS FROM THE CWL:

Our annual **Bake and Yard Sale** is fast approaching! Mark your calendars for May 5th to come and purchase treats and goodies. We will be set up in Fr. Gordian's garage rain or shine! Anyone wishing to set up a yard sale stand on the driveway is welcome to. This is a big CWL fundraiser and all proceeds go towards various causes in our community and further afield.

Baking Needed: Calling all bakers: please donate any baking, including cookies, squares, cakes, and pies on Friday, May 4th to Fr. Gordian's garage between 6 and 8p.m.

RELIGIOUS ARTICLES FOR SALE:

First Holy Communion and Confirmation are coming! If you require any religious articles and/or gifts, Anne Crawford will be available at the back of the church on Sunday April 22nd. Alternatively, please call 519-846-9780 and let her know what you need.

All proceeds from the sale of religious articles go to the church fund.

FROM THE VOCATIONS OFFICE:

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!

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If you have the continuing inclination that God is calling you to be a priest, religious or deacon, **Contact Fr. Michael King, Vocation Director, Diocese of Hamilton 905-528-7988 x2246**
Email: vocations@hamiltondiocese.com
www.HamiltonVocations.com

WEEKLY PRAYER CALENDAR:

- MONDAY:** Rev. Jim Valk, C.R.
- TUESDAY:** Rev. Frank Reitzel, C.R.
- WEDNESDAY:** Holy Ghost Congregation (Spiritans)
- THURSDAY:** Rev. Edwin Lapinski, C.R.
- FRIDAY:** Rev. Pat Aiello, C.R.
- SATURDAY:** Rev. Patrick McKelvie, C.R.

NEW EVANGELIZATION SUMMIT:

Limited Space So Register Now!
Blessed Sacrament Parish in Kitchener is incredibly excited to be serving as a host site in the Diocese of Hamilton for this year's New Evangelization Summit (NES) which is to be webcast from Ottawa on April 27 and 28th. This Summit was created in response to Popes St John Paul II, Benedict XVI and Francis's repeated call to Catholics to evangelize. The summit features 6 world-class Catholic Speakers on the New Evangelization. To register go to the NES website at newevangelization.ca and select Kitchener, ON as the host site. The cost for the two-day event is \$60 per person (\$10 discount for students & clergy) and includes snacks and lunch on April 28. Child care services for kids between the ages of 4 and 11 are available. For more information call [\(519\) 742-5061](tel:5197425061) or Ian Mendes at ianmendes2@gmail.com

GOOD FRIDAY FISH FRY THANKS FROM THE

K OF C: The Knights of Columbus would like to thank everyone who came out to support our Good Friday Fish Fry. We served 700 pieces of fish which was up almost 200 over last year. Thanks to the more than 30 volunteers including Knights, spouses, parishioners, young people and our coleslaw specialists who brought their talents

together to make this event a huge success. Special thanks to Kitras Art Glass and Fraberts Fresh Food for their support.

FROM GUELPH & AREA RIGHT TO LIFE: DOCUMENTARY SCREENING: RED LIGHT GREEN LIGHT

Fergus North Canadian Reformed Church invites you to a screening of the documentary Red Light, Green Light. As many nations around the globe attempt to fight sex trafficking, two filmmakers travel across ten countries to explore the issue, attempting to answer the question, "How can we prevent sexual exploitation before it happens in the first place?" Crime Stoppers will also be joining this event to educate us on how to spot and report sex trafficking in our area. **April 26th**, at **7pm**, Fergus Grand Theatre. visitfergusnorth@gmail.com, or call [519-831-1988](tel:5198311988) for free tickets.

Please keep our recently deceased loved ones in your prayers: Gene Frayne

UPCOMING EVENTS IN THE PARISH	
April 16	Scripture Study Group – St. Mary’s Rectory Meeting Room – 9:30 a.m.
April 24	Knights of Columbus Meeting – 7:30 p.m. – St. Joseph’s Parish Hall - Fergus
April 25	St. Vincent de Paul Meeting – After 8:30 a.m. Mass in the St. Joseph’s Parish Hall - Fergus
April 29	Sacrament of Confirmation – 12:00 p.m. St. Mary’s – Elora – Bishop Douglas Crosby
May 4	12 Hours of Prayer for Palliative Care – sign up sheet on table at the back of the church Concluding prayer service to be held at 7:30 p.m. at St. Mary’s
May 5	St Mary’s Parish Bake/Yard Sale – 8:00 a.m. till 1:00 p.m. – Rectory garage and parking lot
May 6	Sacrament of First Holy Communion – 12:00 p.m., St. Mary’s Elora
May 6	K of C Charity Breakfast – St. Joseph’s Parish Hall – 10 a.m. till 12:30 p.m.- \$7 adults, \$3 children \$17 2 adults and 2 children 12 and under. Coffee and toast are free.