

THIRTY-THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME – NOVEMBER 18, 2018

WEEKLY MASS SCHEDULE

Tuesday, November 20 th	
6:30 p.m.	Eucharistic Exposition & Adoration
7:00 p.m.	+Joanne E. Walser (Joan & Joe Walser & Family)
Wednesday, November 21 st , <i>The Presentation of the Blessed Virgin Mary (Obl Mem)</i>	
9:00 a.m.	+Jack & Grace Driscoll (Estate)
Thursday, November 22 nd , <i>St. Cecilia (Obl Mem)</i>	
9:00 a.m.	+Harold Dorscht (Jean Kraemer & Family)
7:00 p.m.	Fr. David Reilander to speak on Catholic Missions in Canada
Friday, November 23 rd , <i>St. Clement I (Opt Mem)</i>	
9:00 a.m.	+Frederick Vaughan (Kropf Family)
Saturday, Nov 24 th , <i>St. Andrew Dung-Lac (Obl Mem)</i>	
5:00 p.m.	+Judy Feil (Feil Family)
Sunday, Nov 25 th <i>Our Lord Jesus Christ King of the Universe</i>	
St. Martin's	For the Living & Deceased Members of the Parish
9:00 a.m.	+Brani Petrov
St. Mary's	+Sue Petrov & Family
11:00 a.m.	

ANNOUNCEMENTS

YOUR OFFERINGS:

St. Mary's, November 10th & 11th:

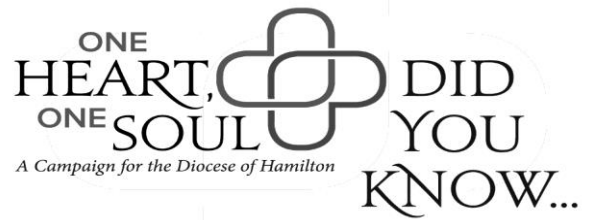
51 Weekly Offerings	\$ 1,283.00
Loose	59.00
3 Building Maintenance	2,560.00
2 Cemetery Purposes	25.00
Total:	\$ 3,927.00

St. Martin's, November 11th:

Weekly Offerings	\$ 465.00
Loose	14.00
Building Maintenance	90.00
Total:	\$ 569.00

Your Continual Support and Generosity are Greatly Appreciated!

“HEART OF GOD” books are available on the table at the back of the church and have been donated by the School Sisters of Notre Dame in Waterdown. Please take a **free** book and enjoy a reflective journey sharing Sister Valentia’s relationship with God and all of creation. You can leave a **donation** (in the box provided) which will be given to the wonderful works of **Michael House**.



The Diocese of Hamilton is conducting the One Heart, One Soul Campaign to raise money for every Parish in the Diocese and for shared ministries. Answers to a set of Frequently Asked Questions appear in Parish bulletins regularly. A compilation of all questions that have been published are available throughout the campaign at oneheartonesoul.ca.

WHAT IS THE DIOCESE OF HAMILTON?

The Diocese is an area of southeastern Ontario and a collection of 118 Parishes and 28 mission churches with 160 active priests. The Diocese aims to shepherd, support and serve Catholics in those Parishes and this region.

WHY DOES THE DIOCESE NEED A CAMPAIGN? ISN'T IT ALREADY FINANCIALLY SOUND?

Yes, the Diocese is financially sound, and that stability is allowing the Diocese to conduct a campaign that focuses on the needs of Parishes, while also enhancing some Diocesan ministries. The campaign is part of the long-term vision for the Diocese, a vision of a thriving Diocese supporting thriving Parishes working to draw more people closer to Christ. The campaign has the potential to renew struggling Parishes and to make strong Parishes stronger.

WHAT ARE THE DIOCESE'S SPECIFIC GOALS FOR THE PORTION OF FUNDS IT RECEIVES?

Fifteen percent of the funds raised will go toward shared Diocesan ministries. These include campus ministry to college and university students as well as several ministries focused on those in need: hospital ministry, prison ministry and ministry to migrant workers.

WHY DID THE DIOCESE CHOOSE THE STEIER GROUP AS A CONSULTANT FOR THIS CAMPAIGN?

The Diocese of Hamilton searched for a firm that best fit the Diocese's needs and interviewed some of the leading Catholic fundraising companies in North America. The Steier Group's tremendous experience with Catholic Diocesan and Parish

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campaigns, the quality of their on-site campaign managers, and – perhaps most of all – their love of the Church and commitment to living and encouraging Christian stewardship played big roles in the decision.

CATHOLIC MISSIONS IN CANADA:

Please join us at St. Mary Immaculate, Elora on **Thursday, November 22nd** from 7:00 to 8:30 p.m. for **AN EVENING WITH FR. DAVID REILANDER, PRESIDENT OF CMIC**. Fr. Reilander is a priest of the Hamilton Diocese and formerly Rector of Sacred Heart Cathedral in Whitehorse, Yukon. He will present and talk about the 24 mission dioceses in Canada and share his experience travelling the country to help over 600 missions. He will share his adventures in the Yukon and explain what CMIC is doing to assist the continuation of the Catholic faith in Canada, especially in remote areas. Find time to be a part of this evening of faith sharing and interactive session – hope to see you there!

CHILDREN'S LITURGY:

Children's liturgy will once again be available for all children ages four to ten during the 11 o'clock Mass at St. Mary's, beginning December 2nd. Any adults who wish to volunteer with this ministry would be greatly welcomed. You will never be expected to run it alone and all materials are provided. Any youth (high school students) who wish to volunteer are also welcome to. Please speak to Cindy Mulligan if interested or call the parish office and leave a message.

VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES AT MICHAEL HOUSE:

Do you have a few hours to spare during the week to help Michael House in Guelph provide a safe, nurturing and helpful environment to mothers and their babies? Volunteer opportunities, including resident assistance and childminding (for mothers attending classes), are available to those who desire to help. Please see the posters on the bulletin

boards for more information or call Michael House directly at 519-766-7675.

NOVEMBER IS THE MONTH OF HOLY SOULS:

Let us remember all our beloved who passed away during the year: *Harold Dorscht, Rev. Collins Ekepe, Adam Kaminski, Hilda Wright, Shirley O'Sullivan, Mathilda Kelly, Nolan Huxter, Grace Driscoll, Rita Tangney, David Okafor*

Eternal Rest grant unto them Oh Lord and let perpetual light shine upon them. May the souls of the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace. Amen.

We will again have our **Book of Remembrance**.

The names of those recorded in the book in previous years will remain in the book, just add new names of any deceased loved ones who have passed during the year. They will be remembered at all masses said during the month of November.

UPCOMING EVENTS IN THE PARISH	
Nov 19	Scripture Study Group – 9:30 a.m. Every Monday– St. Mary's Rectory Meeting Room – All Welcome
Nov 22	An Evening with Fr. David Reilander, Catholic Missions in Canada – St. Mary's – Elora – 7:00 p.m. – All Welcome.
Nov 27	Knights of Columbus Meeting – St. Joseph's, Fergus – 7:30 p.m.
Nov 28	St. Vincent de Paul Meeting – St. Joseph's Parish Hall after 8:30 a.m. Mass
Dec 2	K of C charity Breakfast – St Joseph's Parish Hall, Fergus – 10:00 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. Adults \$7, under 12 \$3 or Family rate \$17 for 2 Adults and All Kids under 12.
Dec 2	St. Mary's Parish Advent Social – Immediately following 11:00 a.m. Mass- All Welcome
Dec 4	St. Mary's, St Martin's and St. Joseph's, CWL Christmas Get Together: Mass 5:30 p.m., Social 6:00 p.m., Dinner 6:30 p.m. – St Joseph's, Fergus. Tickets \$25