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# Mass Schedule 2<sup>nd</sup> Week of Easter April 23<sup>rd</sup> to April 29<sup>th</sup>

| <u>Saturday</u>            | 5:00 p.m.  | +Joseph Mantler                    |
|----------------------------|------------|------------------------------------|
|                            |            | (Frances Mantler & Family)         |
| Sunday                     |            |                                    |
| St. Martin of Tours        | 9:00 a.m.  | For the Living & Deceased          |
|                            |            | Members of the Parish              |
|                            | 11:00 a.m. | For the Living & Deceased          |
| St. Mary Immaculate        |            | Members of the Parish              |
| <u>Tuesday</u>             | 7:00 p.m.  | A.I.D.                             |
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| Wednesday                  | 9:00 a.m.  | +Sofia Kuscer                      |
|                            |            | (Maria Berlot)                     |
| Thursday                   | 6:30 p.m.  | Eucharistic Exposition & Adoration |
| St Peter Chanel (OM)       | 7:00 p.m.  | +Ben Rider                         |
|                            |            | (Innocente Family)                 |
| <u>Friday</u>              | 9:00 a.m.  | +Alcide Lucchesi                   |
| St. Catherine of Siena (M) |            | (Pellegrini Family)                |

"Yes, Christ is truly risen, and we are witnesses of this. We proclaim this witness to the world, so that the joy which is ours will reach countless other hearts, kindling in them the light of the hope which does not disappoint."—St. John Paul II, 2000

## **HAPPY DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY**

#### FROM THE VOCATIONS OFFICE

Thomas believed because he saw Jesus. What will it take for you to respond to God's Call to priesthood, diaconate, or consecrated life? If God is calling you, contact Bishop Wayne Lobsinger, (905-528-988).

vocations@hamiltondiocese.com/www.hamiltondiocese.com/vocations/

## **OFFERINGS**

Good Friday & Easter Sunday

|                         | St. Mary's  | St. Martin's |
|-------------------------|-------------|--------------|
| Weekly Offerings        | \$ 1,090.00 | \$ 175.00    |
| Loose                   | 130.00      | 50.00        |
| Building Maintenance    | 60.00       |              |
| Share Lent              | 65.00       |              |
| Good Friday (Holy Land) | 948.00      | 385.00       |
| Easter Sunday           | 1,040.00    | 510.00       |
| Total:                  | \$ 3,333.00 | \$ 1,120.00  |

#### **EFT Totals** for the Month of **April**

|                      | St. Mary's    | St. Martin's |  |
|----------------------|---------------|--------------|--|
| Regular              | \$3,972.50    | \$170.00     |  |
| Building Maintenance | <u>565.50</u> | <u>30.00</u> |  |
| Total:               | \$4,538.00    | \$200.00     |  |

Your generosity is very much appreciated!

#### ST. MARY'S CWL MEETING

All ladies of the parish are invited to our CWL meeting, Tuesday, April 26<sup>th</sup> immediately following Mass at 7:00 p.m., in the rectory meeting room. We will be electing a new executive and are very excited to be planning events for the parish for the future.

#### VIRTUAL BAKE SALE

Due to ongoing covid safety concerns, instead of the usual bake sale, the CWL are asking for monetary donations to continue to support the good works that our bake sale funds, including social events for the parish, cards for shut-ins, school awards, sponsoring a child for camp, supporting charities such as Michael House, Catholic Missions, Save a Family Plan and more. Your donations can be placed in the collection basket at any time marked "CWL Virtual Bake Sale". Contact Bev for info: lavignebev@gmail.com

#### MASS INTENTIONS

If you would like a Mass said for a special intention, whether a deceased loved one or friend, or for a special intention of any kind, please drop a note into the collection basket at any time to the attention of Catarina, or email or call the office and leave a message.

#### WEDDING ANNIVERSARY MASS 2022 REGISTRATION

The Wedding Anniversary Mass, will not occur this year due to the continued concerns around covid. We invite you to register your 25, 40, 50, 60+ years of marriage on the Diocesan website and we will send you the certificate you would have received at the Mass. Please see Upcoming Events.



The Incredulity of St. Thomas – Caravaggio (1571-1610)

#### MICHAEL HOUSE SPRING FUNDRAISER

This event is jam-packed with vendors, workshops, crafts, food and more Sat., April 30th 8:30am-3pm New Life Church, 400 Victoria Rd. N Guelph. Tickets \$60 and include workshops, marketplace shopping, snacks, lunch and door prizes. You can shop, craft, and explore as you choose. Proceeds from this event will go to Michael House's work supporting women and families in our community. For tickets: <a href="https://www.michaelhouse.ca">www.michaelhouse.ca</a> 519-766-7675

#### MARRIAGE TIP OF THE MONTH

Warmer weather brings with it "spring cleaning and maintenance" for our homes and gardens, so they can provide us with continued pleasure through the year. It is a perfect time to provide a little of that same maintenance to your marriage. Plan a quiet and relaxed time to talk about the care your marriage needs: are you spending enough time together, are you communicating well, are you handling conflict in ways that won't harm? Take the time to ask what may need to be "tidied up" and then plan active solutions so that, like a well-maintained garden, your love will continue to flourish.

#### WALK FOR LIFE IN GUELPH & FERGUS

Join the pro-life walkathons in Fergus or Guelph on Saturday, May 7th at 10:00 am. Walks are approximately 45 minutes long, and signs are provided. For more information and to RSVP, visit guelphforlife.com or call Guelph & Area Right to Life at 519-836-6311.

#### **CATHOLIC EDUCATION WEEK**

Catholic Education Week is May 1-6<sup>th</sup> and its theme is "*Rebuild, Restore, Renew Together*" Please see the diocesan website for resources and special prayers to celebrate <a href="https://hamiltondiocese.com/catholic-education-week/">https://hamiltondiocese.com/catholic-education-week/</a>

#### PRIESTLY ORDINATION

Please keep Deacon Kevin Upendran in your prayers. His priestly ordination takes place at the Cathedral Basilica of Christ the King on May 7<sup>th</sup>

|          | UPCOMING EVENTS IN THE PARISH                                       |  |
|----------|---|--|
| April 24 | Religious Articles for Sale – before and after Mass - St.<br>Mary's |  |
| April 24 | Confirmation - 2:00 p.m. St. Mary's                                 |  |
| April 26 | CWL meeting after 7pm Mass– St. Mary's                              |  |
| May 29   | First Holy Communion – 3:00 p.m. St. Mary's                         |  |

