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Mass Schedule 32nd Sunday in Ordinary Time

November 5th to 11th



FROM THE VOCATIONS OFFICE

Our God is a God of the living not of the dead. Have you had an experience of this living God and want to share it with others? You may be called to the priesthood, diaconate, or religious life. If God is calling you contact Bishop Wayne Lobsinger, Director of Vocations and Priestly Formation, Diocese of Hamilton (905-528-7988). Email: vocations@hamiltondiocese.com ___ www.hamiltondiocese.com/vocations/

OFFERINGS

October 22 nd & 23 rd	<u>St. Mary's</u>	<u>St. Martin's</u>
Weekly Offerings	\$ 1,945.00	\$ 390.00
Loose	105.00	
Building Maintenance	320.00	
Cemetery Purposes	255.00	
World Mission Sunday	55.00	15.00
Total:	\$ 2,680.00	\$ 405.00

Thank you to everyone who contributed to the **St. Martin's Annual Chicken Barbecue** again this year. We raised \$1,340.00!

Your generosity is greatly appreciated!

BOOK of REMEMBRANCE

Our Book of Remembrance is available again this year to commemorate any loved ones and friends who have passed on in the last year. Please add names of the deceased and they will be prayed for at every Mass throughout the month.



The Courage of a Mother, Gustave Dore (1832-1883)

<u>Saturday</u>	5:00 p.m.	For the Living & Deceased Members of the Parish
<u>Sunday</u> St. Martin of Tours	9:00 a.m.	For the Living & Deceased Members of the Parish
St. Mary Immaculate	11:00 a.m.	+Maria Kramar (Maria Berlot)
<u>Tuesday</u>	7:00 p.m.	For All Deceased St. Mary's CWL Members
<u>Wednesday</u> <i>The Dedication of the Lateran Basilica (Feast)</i>	9:00 a.m.	+Jane Ester Bray (Bill & Helen Fisher)
<u>Thursday</u> <i>St. Leo the Great (M)</i>	6:30 p.m. 7:00 p.m.	Eucharistic Exposition & Adoration For the Intentions of Mirka & Catherine (Molly)
<u>Friday</u> <i>St. Martin of Tours (M)</i>	9:00 a.m.	Special Intentions of the Pellegrini Family

“Lord, if your people still have need of my services, I will not avoid the toil. You will be done.”

- St. Martin of Tours

CWL NEWS

• WINTER HATS, MITTS and SOCKS COLLECTION

We are once again collecting donations of winter hats and mitts/gloves socks of any size to donate to the Knights of Columbus for distribution to the needy in our community in December. Please place any donations in the bin in the vestibule.

• CWL MEMORIAL MASS

All ladies of the parish are invited to our annual CWL Memorial Mass when we remember in a special way our deceased members and any other deceased family members. Please bring a candle to light if you wish.

• CWL MEMBERSHIP DRIVE

The annual membership fee for all ladies of the parish is \$35 and can be placed in the collection basket at any time, marked CWL or mailed into the church. We so appreciate and thank you for your support throughout the years and hope to maintain that support into the future.

• CWL CHRISTMAS PARTY

We are so happy to be able to celebrate our annual Christmas party again. All CWL members are invited to a joint Fergus/Elora/Drayton Christmas Party on Tuesday December 6th following the 5:00p.m. Mass at St. Joseph's, Fergus. Tickets \$25.00 each catered by Belwood General Store. Please purchase tickets A.S.A.P. for catering numbers. Join us for an evening of food, fun, games and celebration. Call Mary Clark for tickets: 519-993-7915.



Maccabees - Woman with Seven Sons, Wojciech Stattler (1800-1880)

CHOIR MEMBERS WANTED

Do you love to praise the Lord in song? Are you musically talented or willing to learn? Preparations for Christmas have begun, and the St. Mary Immaculate Choir is looking for new members. We are especially in need of male voices. The mixed voice traditional choir provide music services at every Sunday Mass at 11:00 a.m. and all other special Feasts throughout the year. Please speak to our music director Paul Prigione after Mass in the choir loft or email the church office.

YOUNG ADULTS' NIGHT

Fr. Mark Morley invites all young adults (ages 20s and early 30s) of our diocese to attend a night of Adoration, Fellowship and Praise Music. Arrival and Holy Hour (6:30pm-7:30 pm), Social with Food (7:30pm-8:30pm), Praise Night and Vocation Testimony (8:00pm-9:00pm), and Compline (9:00pm). Saturday, December 3rd at the Basilica of Our Lady Immaculate (28 Norfolk Street, Guelph). Sponsored by the Vocations Office of the Diocese of Hamilton. For more info: vocations@hamiltondiocese.com.

THE K of C COUNCIL 8192 ADVENT/CHRISTMAS CONCERT

JOHN B. MILLER AND FRIENDS present Advent/Christmas music on November 25th at 7:00 p.m. Join us at St. Teresa of Avila Parish, 19 Flamingo Drive, Elmira. A perfect way to kick off the Advent/Christmas Season. Reception to follow in the Church Hall. Free will offering.



UPCOMING EVENTS

November 8	St. Mary's CWL Annual Memorial Mass followed by meeting. 7:00 p.m.
November 9	St. Martin's Finance and Maintenance Committee meeting. 7:00 p.m.
November 17	St. Mary's Liturgy Committee Meeting. After 7:00 p.m. Mass – St. Mary's Meeting Room
November 20	St. Mary's School Sacrament of Confirmation, 3:00 p.m.
December 6	CWL Christmas Party – Dinner at St. Joseph's Parish Hall. Tickets on sale now, \$25