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Mass Schedule - The Fourth Sunday of Lent

March 18th to March 24th



FROM THE VOCATIONS OFFICE

"We must work the works of Him who sent me while it is day." Are you being called to a life as an ordained or a consecrated person? If God is calling you to serve him as a priest, deacon, brother or sister or consecrated virgin, contact Fr. Mark Morley, Director of Vocations, Diocese of Hamilton 905-528-7988. vocations@hamiltondiocese.com hamiltondiocese.com

OFFERINGS

March 11th & 12th

	<u>St. Mary's</u>	<u>St. Martin's</u>
Weekly Offerings	\$ 2,563.00	\$ 305.00
Loose	35.00	26.25
Building	505.00	40.00
Earthquake Appeal	880.00	
Seminary Collection	200.00	
Share Lent		40.00
Total:	\$ 4,183.00	\$ 411.25

Your generosity is greatly appreciated!

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS GOOD FRIDAY FISH FRY

The Knights of Columbus Council #15333 Fergus / Elora are excited to have our Annual Good Friday Fish Fry return this year. Please join us on Good Friday April 7 from 4:00pm - 6:00pm at St. Joseph's Parish, Fergus for a sit down or take-out orders for fish and chips with coleslaw. Cash only 1pc fish & chips dinner for \$14 and 2pc fish & chips dinner for \$19 with additional sides of your choice available as well. Proceeds will be directed to the Turkey / Syria Earthquake relief efforts. We look forward to seeing many of you return in support of our charitable efforts.



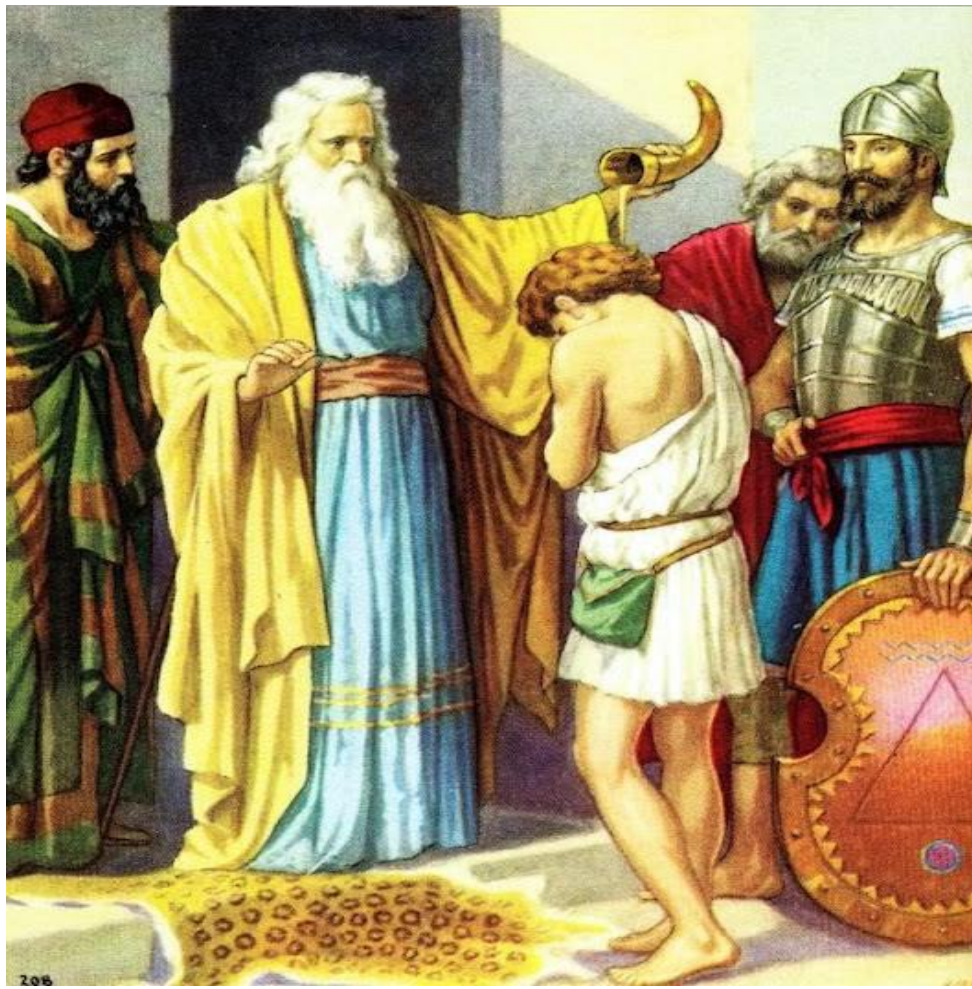
Christ Heals a Blind Man

Cathedral Church of Saint Patrick (Charlotte, North Carolina)

<u>Saturday</u>	5:00 p.m.	For the Living & Deceased Members of the Parish
<u>Sunday</u> St. Martin of Tours St. Mary Immaculate	9:00 a.m.	For the Living & Deceased Members of the Parish
	11:00 a.m.	+Zofia Kuscek (Maria Berlot)
<u>Tuesday</u>		No Mass Scheduled
<u>Wednesday</u>		No Mass Scheduled
<u>Thursday</u>	6:30 p.m.	Eucharistic Exposition & Adoration a
	7:00 p.m.	+Sandra Ruller (Bev & Herman Lavigne & Family)
<u>Friday</u>	9:00 a.m.	+Thelma Hayes (Deb & Tim Salter)
	7:00 p.m.	Stations of the Cross

"Lent is the Autumn of the spiritual life during which we gather fruit to keep us going for the rest of the year."

— St. Francis de Sales



David Anointed – Pre 1923 Bible Card

ANNIVERSARY MASS UPDATE

Any couples who have registered for the Diocesan Anniversary Mass with Bishop Crosby on April 16th are asked to please ensure they receive an email confirmation that they are registered. If not, they are asked to call Theresa Hartnett at the Family Ministry Office at 905.528.7988 ext. 2250

LENTEN MINI RETREAT AT ST. TERESA'S, ELMIRA

You are invited to join us at St. Teresa of Avila Church, 19 Flamingo Drive, Elmira for a **MINI RETREAT, "MARY'S YES TODAY"**. Join us on **Saturday, March 25th** from 1:30 – 4:30 p.m. followed by the Eucharist at 5:00 p.m. The retreat is facilitated by the School Sisters of Notre Dame: Rosemary Howarth, Celeste Reinhart and Barbara Paleczny. All are welcome. Please register for the retreat by calling the St. Teresa of Avila Parish Office at 519-669-3387 email stteresaelmira@hamiltondiocese.com.

CANADIAN CATHOLIC BISHOPS' LENTEN VIDEO SERIES

As we continue to Journey through Lent, I wish to share that the CCCB video series *Journey through Lent* is available on the CCCB website. This year's Lenten reflections are delivered by His Eminence Gérald Cyprien Cardinal Lacroix, Archbishop of Quebec and Primate of Canada, and the Most Reverend Brian Joseph Dunn, Archbishop of Halifax-Yarmouth.

<https://www.cccb.ca/evangelization-catechesis-catholic-education/video-resources/journey-through-lent-2023/>

Every Monday throughout Lent, a video reflection will be posted on the CCCB website in English and in French for the following Sunday up to and including Easter Sunday.

EASTER SCHEDULE 2023

March 30	Elora - 6:00 p.m. - Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament and Lenten Holy Hour. 7:00 p.m. – Holy Mass
March 31	Elora - Stations of the Cross – 7:00 p.m.
Palm Sunday April 2	Elora – 5:00 p.m. (Saturday April 1 st) and 11:00 a.m. Drayton – 9:00 a.m., Sunday April 2 nd
April 6	Mass of the Lord's Supper - Elora – 7:00 p.m.
April 7	Elora - Stations of the Cross – 9:00 a.m. Good Friday Celebrations Drayton – 12:00 p.m. Elora – 3:00 p.m.
April 8	Easter Vigil Mass - Elora – 8:00 p.m.
Easter Sunday April 9	Drayton – 9:00 a.m. Elora – 11:00 a.m.

UPCOMING EVENTS

March 22	Finance Committee Meeting – St. Martin's – 7:00 p.m.
March 23	Finance Committee Meeting – St. Mary's – 7:30 p.m.
March 23	40 Days for Life Mass with Bishop Lobsinger – 7:00 p.m. Basilica of Our Lady Immaculate, Guelph
March 24	Stations of the Cross – 7:00 p.m. every Friday in Lent
March 27-29	Lenten Mission - Basilica of Our Lady Immaculate, Guelph, each evening beginning 6:00 p.m.
April 7	Knights of Columbus Good Friday Fish Fry – St. Joseph's, Fergus from 4:00 p.m.