

## MASS INTENTIONS

Tuesday, 7 pm: Blessings for Members of the D'Costa Family  
- By Susie D'Costa

Wednesday, 7 pm: In Thanksgiving to Our Lady of Fatima  
- By the Freire Family

Thursday, 6 pm HOLY HOUR  
7 pm: + Venette Padden  
- By Jim & AnnMarie Sehl

Friday, 7 pm: † Aniela Duolzinska  
- By Her Daughter

Saturday, 9 am: + Feliksa Mazur  
- By the Moser Family

**SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**  
Saturday, 5 pm: † Feliksa Mazur  
- By Len & Anne Strauss

Sunday, 9 am: † Edsel McKellar  
- By Susie, Stuart & Gareth

Sunday, 11 am: † Members of the Bastestil Family  
- By Mary Lou Reiko Family

Sunday, 7 pm: † Edsel McKellar  
- By Rachel Trump

## ADDITIONAL LITURGIES THIS WEEK

**Sunday, January 19- 1 pm**  
Through the Sacrament of Baptism we welcome: **Easton Edward Farwell**  
- son of Jeremy & Pamela

**WED., Jan. 9: 10 am-MASS AT PINEHAVEN**

## LAST WEEK'S OFFERING

|                        |    |          |
|------------------------|----|----------|
| January 6, 2019:       | \$ | 3,980.00 |
| Solemnity of Mary Env. |    | 305.00   |
| Pallottine Seminary    |    | 100.00   |

*Thank You*

**IMPORTANT NOTICE FOR ALL ENVELOPE USERS:** Please print your name, address & amount of donation on each envelope you use. This info is important in order to keep accurate records. Our Offertory Envelopes must be kept for 7 years in the event of an audit by Revenue Canada.

# The Baptism of Our Lord

Jan. 13<sup>TH</sup>, 2019 – Year C

*FOCUS: God's saving grace is found in Jesus Christ.*



*It can be easy to forget the tremendous blessings we enjoy because of God's love for us – perhaps even taking them for granted. It is good to spend time with Scripture and at Mass, thanking God for his never-ending love. We are reminded in word and sacrament that God's saving grace is found in Jesus Christ.*

## PARISH NEWS

### ACTIVITIES THIS COMING WEEK:

SUNDAY, 3:00 pm: R.C.I.A.

TUESDAY, 9:30 am: Ladies' Group

7:30 pm: Friends of the Pallottine Seminary Meeting

WEDNESDAY, 1:30 pm: Senior Exercise Group

7:30-10 pm - AA & ALANON in the parish centre

THURSDAY, 6:00 pm: Children's Choir Practice

**THURSDAY 7:30 pm: ST. PETER Bible Study: Week 9 – with Fr. Aleks continues in the Parish Centre. All are invited!**

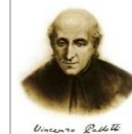
SATURDAY & SUNDAY, 8:30-5 pm: Weekend Marriage Preparation Course – Parish Centre

**SUNDAY SCHOOL AT ST. AGNES (ages 3-10) takes place every 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday, beginning at 8:50 am, in the Parish Centre.**

**2019 Dates: January 20; February 3, 17; March 3, 17; April 7, 21; May 5.**  
*Prayers, Gospel of the day, songs, crafts, games, activities*

**ON TUESDAY, JANUARY 15, THE CHRISTMAS DECORATIONS WILL BE PUT AWAY, the green banners will be hung and we will be in 'Ordinary Time' in our Liturgical year.**

**ORDINARY TIME** is from the end of the Christmas season until Ash Wednesday and from the day after Pentecost until the First Sunday of Advent. **Ordinary Time** is the time after a feast when we use the grace we have received to grow in faith and love. Each Sunday in Ordinary Time has a number, so that we can count them. The numbers increase each week, just as the joy and love in our hearts increases, as we ponder the mystery of Jesus Christ, son of Mary and Son of God.



### FRIENDS OF THE PALLOTTINE SEMINARY J

are invited to a meeting in the parish centre on **Tuesday, January 15, 7:30 pm, (immediately following Mass)**. Fr. Aleks will be giving us a brief update on news from the Seminary. Light refreshments will be provided. All are welcome. Feel free to bring a friend!

**FEASTDAY CELEBRATIONS – NEXT WEEKEND** we will be celebrating the **FEAST OF ST. AGNES (St. Agnes is the Patron Saint of our Parish.)** and **SAINT VINCENT PALLOTTI (founder of the Society of the Catholic Apostolate (Pallottine Fathers)).** Our St. Agnes Parish has been served by the Pallottine Fathers since its inception in 1967.

**JOIN US FOR COFFEE & REFRESHMENTS after the Sunday 9 am & 11 am Masses.**

**ALL PARISHIONERS AND FRIENDS OF THE PALLOTTINE SEMINARY** are invited to celebrate **HOLY MASS** in honor of St. Vincent Pallotti, presided by Bishop Matthew Ustrzycki and the Pallottine priests from the Diocese, **SATURDAY, JANUARY 19, 5:00 pm, at OUR LADY OF THE ASSUMPTION PARISH, 133 Murray Street, Brantford (Fr. Lukasz Kopaniak's parish).**



**SENIOR FITNESS CONTINUES THIS COMING WEEK!** W.A.L.C. Community Support Connection welcomes men and women 55+ to senior fitness class every Wednesday at 1:30 pm down in the Parish Centre. Need to get active, get off the couch and lose those pounds gained at Christmas? Come join us! Wear

comfortable clothing and lace up those running shoes!

There is no cost!

**MARK YOUR CALENDARS WITH THESE VERY IMPORTANT DATES: FIRST COMMUNION CHILDREN & PARENTS:**

Please remember to join us **SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 10<sup>TH</sup>** for Holy Mass at **9 am** followed by a very important meeting.

**SACRAMENTAL DATES FOR 2019:**

**SACRAMENT OF HOLY EUCHARIST**

St. Agnes School – Sunday, April 28, 11:00 am

St. Matthew School – Saturday, May 4, 5:00 pm

St. Luke School – Sunday, May 5, 11:00 am

**CONFIRMATION CANDIDATES & PARENTS:**

Please Join us **SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 10<sup>TH</sup>**, for Holy Mass at **7 pm** followed by an important meeting.

**SACRAMENT OF CONFIRMATION: SATURDAY, JUNE 1**

2 pm: St. Luke School 5 pm: St. Agnes & St. Matthew School.

## REGIONAL and DIOCESAN NEWS

**ADORATION FOR LIFE: Come, let us adore Jesus in the Eucharist – Console His Heart wounded by abortion and sins against the Sanctity of Life.**

**TUESDAY, JANUARY 29:** (in Spanish) 6:15 pm before the 7 pm Holy Mass,

**ST. JOHN'S CHURCH – 85 Strange St., Kitchener**

**THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 7:** 11-12 noon Mass at 12:10

**ST. MARY OUR LADY OF SEVEN SORROWS, 56 Duke St. W., Kitchener**

**THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 7:** 6-7 pm followed by Mass at 7 pm

**ST. AGNES CHURCH, 75 Bluevale Street North, Waterloo**

**FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 8,** 6-7 pm. Mass will follow

**ST. TERESA'S CHURCH (Adoration Chapel) 44 Leonard St. Kitchener**

**K-W RIGHT TO LIFE CANDLE-LIGHT PRAYER VIGIL**

**MONDAY, JANUARY 28, 6pm** for 1 hour in front of Kitchener City Hall (skating rink) followed by refreshments at St. Mary Our Lady of Sorrows Church, with speaker, Stephen Woodworth.

For more info: 519-746-5433 or email: kwrtl@golden.net-

**YOU ARE INVITED TO A VALENTINE DANCE:** Campus Ministry at St. Jerome's University is hosting a Valentine's Dance on **Friday, February 8 from 8 pm – 12 midnight at the Knights of Columbus Hall located at 145 Dearborn Place, Waterloo.** This dance is in support of the renovations to Notre Dame Chapel. The evening will include music provided by Michael Kelly alternating with DJing from Dennis Wallace. It promises to be a fun evening. A light lunch will be provided. The cost of tickets is \$20 for adults and \$15 for students. For tickets please contact Martha Fauteux, Director of Campus Ministry at: mfauteux@uwaterloo.ca or by phone at 519-884-8111 ext 28215.



**DIOCESAN WEDDING ANNIVERSARY MASS: for couples celebrating their 25<sup>TH</sup>,**

**40<sup>TH</sup>, 50<sup>TH</sup> or 60<sup>TH</sup> year (or more) of marriage in the year 2019.** If you are, you are invited to join couples from across the Diocese for a Wedding Anniversary Mass, celebrated by Bishop Douglas Crosby, **Sunday, June 9, 2019, 1:30 pm, at the Cathedral of Christ the King, Hamilton.**

Please see the poster on the bulletin board in the vestibule for registration information or register on-line at [www.hamiltondiocese.com](http://www.hamiltondiocese.com).

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## C.W.L. BOOK SALE



The St. Agnes C.W.L. is once again hosting a **Used Book Sale** beginning the

weekend of **March 2-3** and concluding the weekend of **March 9-10** in the Parish Hall.

Please bring your donations of gently used books and drop them off at the parish office or in the C.W.L. Room

Tell your friends and co-workers to start setting aside all of their previously enjoyed books for us!

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## C.W.L. LADIES



Please return your **2019 membership form** and dues.

Envelopes can be placed in the collection basket or mailed to the church.

**Membership remains \$25.00.**

