

MASS INTENTIONS

MONDAY: (NO MASS)

7 pm Tuesday: † *Dolcie Ferreira*
– By Errol & Geraldine Ferreira

7 pm Wednesday: + *Diago Ferreira*
– By Errol & Geraldine Ferreira

6 pm Holy Hour

7 pm Thursday: *Priests, Bros. & Seminarians*
in Pallottine Seminary
– By A Parishioner

7 pm Friday: + *Joseph Nguyen*
– By Nguyen Family

9 am Saturday: *Special Intention*
– By A Parishioner

THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER

5 pm Saturday: † *Walter & Tony Palach*
– By the Palach Family

9 am Sunday: † *Ted Gadawski*
– By Helen & Family

11 am Sunday: **ST. LUKE 1ST COMMUNION**
Blessings for Fr. Aleks – 24TH Anniversary of Ordination

7 pm Sunday: 100TH Birthday Blessings
Marcy Kuntz - Peter, Joshua, David & Aaron

ADDITIONAL LITURGIES THIS WEEK

Tues. 9:30-2 pm: *St. Matthew School*
First^T Communion Retreat

Wed. 10 am: Mass at Pinehaven
+ *Fr. Frank Reitzel* – By *Marlene Fay*

Thurs. 9:00-2 pm: *St. Luke School*
First Communion Retreat

Fri. 5:00 pm *Wedding Rehearsal*

Sat. 2:30 pm *Wedding:*
Spencer Burton & Hailey McGrath

LAST WEEK'S OFFERING

April 21, 2019 (Easter Sunday)

Baskets:	5,834.60
Easter Envelopes	6,008.00
Share Lent	455.00
Good Friday (Holy Land)	1,427.45
Pallottine Seminary	55.00



2nd Sunday of Easter April 28, 2019, Year C Divine Mercy Sunday

**Acts 5:12-16; Psalm 118; Revelation 1.9-11a,12-13,17-19;
John 20:19-31**

The Second Sunday of Easter bears this extended title. However, no changes to the Readings of the day are required. Pope John Paul 11, on April 30, 2000, canonized Faustina Kowalska and officially designated the Sunday after Easter as the Sunday of the Divine Mercy (Dominica II Paschae seu de Divina Misericordia) in the General Roman Calendar.

PARISH NEWS

ACTIVITIES THIS COMING WEEK:

TUESDAY, 9:30 am: Tuesday Morning Ladies Group
WEDNESDAY, 1:30 pm Senior Exercise Group (last class until October)
7:30-10 pm - AA & ALANON in the Parish Centre
THURSDAY, 6:00 pm - Children's Choir Practice



SUNDAY SCHOOL – This weekend – April 28 at 8:50 am.
Last Sunday School for the season will be held on
Sunday, May 5.



TODAY – THE SECOND SUNDAY OF EASTER IS
DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY: Please join us at 3 pm for Exposition & Benediction with the singing of the Divine Mercy Chaplet.

FIRST COMMUNION CELEBRATIONS

Congratulations to the 37 young people from St. Agnes School celebrating their First Communion this weekend.

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

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

CONFIRMATION will be celebrated on: Saturday, June 1, 2 pm, for St. Luke School and 5 pm for St. Agnes & St. Matthew Schools with Bishop Douglas Crosby, as our celebrant.



ON SATURDAY, May 4, 2:30 pm, we celebrate the marriage of **Spencer Burton and Hailey McGrath.**
Blessings and Congratulations!



NORTH OF 60 – BAKER LAKE, NUNAVUT:

THANK YOU to all who have been so generous helping our St. Vincent de Paul Society collect peanut butter and Lipton chicken noodle soup for Baker Lake.

Currently we have 187 jars of peanut butter and 166 packages of noodle soup – somewhat short of our goal of 300 units of each.

If you can still help, please bring in your items by next weekend.

REGIONAL and DIOCESAN NEWS

PRAYER VIGIL: THURSDAY, MAY 2, FROM 9 AM TO 10 AM: IN FRONT OF FREEPORT HOSPITAL, 3570 KING ST. EAST, KITCHENER, FOR BABIES BEING ABORTED. ALL ARE WELCOME TO PRAY QUIETLY FOR THOSE WHO HAVE NO VOICE, BUT OUR OWN!

PARKING – ACROSS THE ROAD, SCHNEIDER PARK.

ANY QUERIES, PLEASE CONTACT CATHY AT: KWC.PRAYERVIGIL@ROGERS.COM

FUTURE PRAYER VIGILS: JUNE 6; JULY 4; AUGUST 1

MARCH FOR LIFE: JOIN THOUSANDS AT THE MARCH FOR LIFE IN TORONTO THIS YEAR AT QUEEN'S PARK. **ON THURSDAY, MAY 9, WE WILL CALL FOR JUSTICE FOR THE PREBORN.**

KW RIGHT TO LIFE IS TAKING A BUS FROM KITCHENER, LEAVING AT 7:15 AM-6 PM. THE MARCH FOR LIFE BEGINS AT 10 AM FOR ONE HOUR, FOLLOWED BY SPEAKERS IN THE AFTERNOON AT ST. MICHAEL'S UNIVERSITY COLLEGE. BUS SEAT: \$25. CONFERENCE: \$20. STUDENTS RIDE FREE. FOR DETAILS, CALL: KW RIGHT TO LIFE: 519-746-5433 OR KWRTL@GOLDEN.NET

HEARTACHE TO HEALING: St. Michael's Grief Support Group – 6 weeks grief support group sessions will be available again starting May 1. The program assists those who have lost a loved one, or another significant loss. This program follows the process developed by Dr. Bill Webster, an experienced leader in grief counselling. The sessions will be held on Wednesday evenings from 7-8:30 pm (May 1, 8, 15, 22, 29, June 5) at St. Michael's, 80 University Ave., West, Waterloo. **There is no fee, but you must register a.s.a.p.**

To register, or for more info: contact the parish office at 519-884-9311.

"THE GIFT": FOLLOWING THEIR JOYFUL REUNION WITH JESUS AFTER HIS RESURRECTION, the disciples were instructed to **"Wait in Jerusalem for the promise of the Father"**. All are invited to join with **St. Anne's Parish, 268 East Avenue, Kitchener,** as they prepare for Pentecost, by taking part in "THE GIFT" a 6 week DVD series focusing on the role of the Holy Spirit in our daily lives. Program begins Thursday, May 6, 7 pm, and continues for 6 consecutive weeks. **Call Patrick or Rita: 519-748-5548 for more info.**

WHY@Breakfast Presents: Art, Beauty and Dialogue – The Saint John's Bible at Our Lady of Lourdes Church, 173 Lourdes St., Waterloo, Saturday, May 18, 2019, 9 am to Noon with Rev. Denis Crecco, PhD, Assistant Professor of Theology, St. Peter's Seminary. *How may art and beauty assist us to face the issues of our contemporary world?* For more information, see whyatbreakfast.com or parish office 519-886-0342.

ST. JOSEPH CHURCH, (148 Madison Ave. S., Kitchener) – CWL Rummage Sale: Saturday, May 11 8:30 am to 12:30 pm. Lots of great items - *clothing, linens, shoes, purses/bags, jewelry, household and kitchen items, books, CD's & DVD's, games & toys* (no furniture or electronics.)

DIOCESAN WEDDING ANNIVERSARY MASS: Are you celebrating your 25th, 40th, 50th, 60th or 60+ Wedding Anniversary in the year 2019? If you are, join couples from across the Diocese of Hamilton for a **Mass on Sunday, June 9, 2019 at the Cathedral Basilica of Christ the King at 1:30 pm.** Space allows room for Anniversary couples only – those married 60 years or more may bring 1 guest if you require assistance. Please refer to the poster on the bulletin board in the vestibule for information on how to register for the celebration, or go to www.hamiltondiocese.com.

HOW TO RECITE THE DIVINE MERCY CHAPLET



1. Make the Sign of the Cross

2. Optional Opening Prayers:

You expired, Jesus, but the source of life gushed forth for souls, and the ocean of mercy opened up for the whole world. O Font of Life, unfathomable Divine Mercy, envelop the whole world and empty Yourself out upon us. (Repeat 3 times)
O Blood and Water, which gushed forth from the Heart of Jesus as a fountain of Mercy for us, I trust in You

3. Our Father

4. Hail Mary

5. The Apostle's Creed

6. The Eternal Father

Eternal Father, I offer you the Body and Blood, Soul and Divinity of Your Dearly Beloved Son, Our Lord, Jesus Christ, in atonement for our sins and those of the whole world.

7. On the Ten Small Beads of Each Decade

For the sake of His sorrowful Passion, have mercy on us and on the whole world.

8. Repeat for the remaining decades

Saying the "Eternal Father" (6) on the "Our Father" bead and then 10 "For the sake of His sorrowful Passion" (7) on the following "Hail Mary" beads.

9. Conclude with Holy God (Repeat three times)

Holy God, Holy Mighty One, Holy Immortal One, have mercy on us and on the whole world.

10. Optional Closing Prayer

Eternal God, in whom mercy is endless and the treasury of compassion - inexhaustible, look kindly upon us and increase Your mercy in us, that in difficult moments we might not despair nor become despondent, but with great confidence submit ourselves to Your holy will, which is Love and Mercy itself.