

5th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME
February 3 & 4 2018

Mass Schedule and Intentions
February 5 – February 11

Monday NO MASS Saint Agatha

Intention of Rev. Jozo Brubisic, O.F.M.

Tuesday NO MASS Saint Paul Miki

Intention of Rev. Marko Puljic, O.F.M.

Wednesday NO MASS

Intention of Discalced Carmelite Fathers (O.C.D.)

Thursday NO MASS Saints Jerome & Josephine

Intentions of Rev. Jason Kuntz

Friday NO MASS

Intentions of Very Rev. John Van Hees

Saturday Saint Scholastica

4 pm Sacrament of Penance

5 pm + Florence & Ted Nowak – Paul & Family
 + Rodney Hickman – Pola, Dave & Barb Hickman
 + Merv & Marg Stalkie - Estate
 Intentions of Rev. Ilija Petkovic

Sunday World Day of the Sick

9 am The Parishioners

11am + Gerard Wunder – Claudia Wunder
 + Gregory Cornyn – Marie Gallen
 + June Adams – Tony & Gloria Becker
 + Nancy Ehiorobo – De Sousa Family
 + Maria dos Anjos Dutra – De Sousa Family

3 pm Latin Mass

PARISH SUPPORT Last Weekend

Total Weekend Offering (120 env)	\$2659
Loose Donations	\$250
Building (5 env)	\$115



Sincere thanks to all who share the responsibility of parish support. Your care, concern and generosity are greatly appreciated!!

Jesus created much excitement in His day through His preaching, teaching, and healing. Today, the Church communicates that same wonder and grace by those active in priesthood, religious life, and lay ministries. If God is calling you to be a priest, religious, or permanent deacon, **Contact Fr. Michael King, Vocation Director, Diocese of Hamilton 905-528-7988 x2246**

If you do not live what you believe, you will end up believing what you live.
 – Archbishop Fulton Sheen

Fifth Sunday in



Next Week's Liturgical Roles

	*Commentator & Lectors	Eucharistic Ministers	Altar Servers
5 pm	* LeeAnn Walser Lynda Munz Sarah Munz	LeeAnn Walser Angelo Graci	Help Needed
9 am	*David Howe Linda Schnarr Wolf Hagenhofer	Patrick Schnarr Enrique Matute	Ella, Eva & Finn Murphy
11 am	* Yvonne McGrath Marilee & Michael Silvestro	Mary Kobetich Vivian Powers	Brennan Scott Julia Sulpher
Children's Liturgy		Barb Billo & Meghan Hause	

UPCOMING PARISH EVENTS

Mon Feb 05 7pm Reconciliation Class #3
 Mon Feb 12 7pm Communion Class #1
Wed Feb 14 10:45am & 7pm ASH WEDNESDAY MASSES
 Mon Feb 19 7pm SVDP Meeting
 Mon Feb 26 7pm Communion Class #2
 Mon Feb 26 7pm Social Committee Meeting
 Wed Feb 28 7pm Parish Bible Study begins

STATIONS OF THE CROSS EVERY FRIDAY @ 6:30pm DURING LENT – followed by Mass @7pm

Each Friday is lead by different parish ministries

Fri Feb 16 6:30pm	Parish Pastoral Committee
Fri Feb 23 6:30pm	Choir
Fri Mar 02 6:30pm	Jubilee Committee
Fri Mar 09 6:30pm	SVDP/D&P
Fri Mar 16 6:30pm	Social Committee
Fri Mar 23 6:30pm	Altar Servers

Feast of St. Blaise Saturday Feb 3



Many Catholics might remember Saint Blaise's feast day, February 3, because of the Blessing of the Throats that take place on this day. Two candles are blessed, held slightly open, and pressed against the throat as the blessing is said. Blaise is traditionally believed to intercede in cases of throat illnesses, especially for fish-bones stuck in the throat.

Parish Bible Study: Feb 28 - Apr 4 "Matthew The King and His Kingdom"



Bible Study: **"Matthew The King and His Kingdom"** will be a detailed study of the Gospel of Matthew. This study promises to enrich your knowledge of the Gospel of Matthew far beyond what you may currently know and understand. It will be 24 weeks in length divided into 4 sessions of 6 weeks each. Information is available at the church doors on posters and tear off sheets. All sessions will be at St. Anne's Church Hall Wednesday evenings 7 PM – 9:30 PM. Register by contacting St. Anne's Church office at 519-745-5302.

PASTOR'S MESSAGE**Fasting & Feasting During Lent**

Make more room for God this Lent by choosing not to do some things (fasting) and by choosing to do other things (feasting).

Fasting

Fasting is an integral part of Lent. Traditionally it has included reducing the amount of food we eat and abstaining from meat. We fast to allow our physical hunger to remind us of our spiritual hunger, our need for God. The purpose of fasting is to turn our attention to both God and others.

Things to fast from...

- watching television
- cussing or using foul language
- buying new things: clothes, music, magazines, jewelry
- snack or junk foods
- spending money on entertainment
- being angry at other people
- holding resentments
- gossiping
- being dishonest

Feasting

The dictionary defines a feast as "something that gives unusual or abundant pleasure." Jesus tells us what gives us the most real and lasting joy: it is sharing ourselves in love for others, for our friends, our family, and also for our neighbors in need. During Lent, we pay attention to feasting on joy, compassion, service, and hope so that we might grow in faith all year long.

Things to feast on...

- prayer
- acts of kindness to others
- forgiveness
- participating at Church
- participating in liturgy and Eucharist
- giving our time in service
- participating in the Sacrament of Reconciliation
- acts of service and charity
- giving money or food/clothing to people who are hungry or in need

In Jesus Joy Incarnate

Fr Ray

Shrove Tuesday Pancake and Sausage Dinner Feb 13

Columbus Conference Centre, 145 Dearborn Place,
Waterloo February 13th, 5:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m.
Adults \$9.00, Children 10 and under \$5.00

ALL ARE WELCOME.

WOMEN'S LENTEN RETREAT WEEKEND Feb 16-18

Weekend retreat at Queen of Apostles Renewal Centre in Mississauga Feb 16-18. The retreat will be preached by the Centre team Oblate Father Pawel Ratajczak and Mrs. Anne Hales. A beautiful way to begin the season of Lent.

For information or registration please call 905-278-5229.

PARISH JUBILEE**"Tell the Next Generation"**

**Because they need Jesus
More than they need anything else.**



Monthly 50/50 Draw: Tickets \$10 each on sale at the end of every mass. Winning ticket drawn at the last 11am mass of the month. All proceeds will help offset costs for our 70th Jubilee celebrations.

WANTED! Stories, Memories, Photos! We value your input for our Jubilee book. Please email stannesjubilee@outlook.com or call the parish office at 519 745-5302.

Valentine Supper – Maryhill K of C**Feb 10**

Maryhill Knights of Columbus & St. Boniface Catholic Women's League are hosting their annual **Valentine Supper** at the Maryhill Heritage Park Community

Centre. Saturday, Feb. 10th . Doors open at 4:30. Seatings at 5 and 7 p.m. Advance tickets only

\$20 per adult and \$10 for children 7-12 and 6 and under is free.

Rolled ribs, mashed potatoes & all the fixings followed by coffee, tea & desserts. Contacts – Mike Runstedler (519) 648-3394 / Doug Zinger (519) 648-2939 / Mary Campagnaro (519)822-9287.

"Worth a Second Look".... looking for donations

"Worth a Second Look" thrift shop located at the former location of St. Vincent de Paul 97 Victoria Street North. We are a charity that is a project of the Working Centre. Our goal is to



provide low cost furniture and housewares to the community and help support many of our projects including 'The Soup Kitchen'.

Items requested are:

Furniture	Small electrical appliances
Clean household items	Books and current magazines
Health and beauty products	Jewellery of all kinds
Crafts and art supplies	All collectibles
Music and movies	Toys
Gardening and hardware	All decorator items

Items can be dropped off at 97 Victoria Street North (entrance off of Duke or Weber Sts. at Heit Lane) Mon-Fri 9-5, Sat 9-4.

Pickups for larger donations by calling (519-569-7566 Ext. 1)

Thanking you in advance for your help.

St. Mary's/St. Anne's Catholic Women's League**Feb 11**

Next meeting will be on Sunday February 11, following St. Mary's 11 a.m. Mass. Please join us for a bite of lunch (soup and beverages provided - you may wish to bring you own brown bag sandwich), in the Lower Hall. Feb. 11th is World Day of the Sick, an observation introduced by Pope John Paul II as a way for believers to offer prayers for those suffering from illnesses. On this day we also commemorate Our Lady of Lourdes, so we will be having a Liturgy and prayers in honour of both. Please join us for this special time of prayer and fellowship. Gentle reminder for League members that your Membership Fee is due - many thanks to all who have already paid!

COMING SOON TO OUR PARISH : A NEW WEB PAGE
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