

## 2019 LANGTON C.W.L. RUMMAGE SALE

Saturday, March 23, 2019

8:30 a.m. to 12:00 noon

Langton Community Centre

*Flea Market, Clothing, Books, Toys, & More*

Drop Off Dates and Times

### **Langton Arena**

**NOTE: No drop off on Sunday!**

Monday March 18: 10:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m.

Tuesday March 19: 10:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m.

Wednesday March 20: 10:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m.

Thursday March 21: 10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

Volunteers needed to help load trailer at 4:00 p.m. on Thursday March 21, 2019

### Please come out and join us

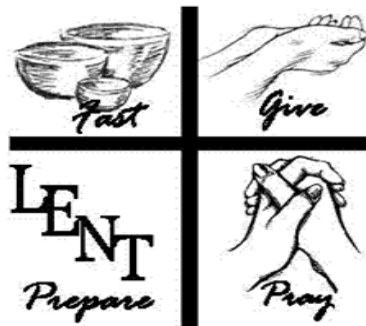
March 22<sup>nd</sup> for set up day and

March 23<sup>st</sup> for the Sale Day

Everyone is welcome.

Questions?

Call Darlene @ 519-875-1887 or Roxanne @ 519-875-3347



**Days of Abstinence:** No meat can be eaten on Ash Wednesday and all of the Fridays during Lent. This applies to all Catholics 14 and older.

**Days of Fast:** Only one full meal is permitted on Ash Wednesday and Good Friday for Catholics between 18 and 59. Two smaller meals are permitted, but the small meals should not equal a second full meal. Drinking coffee, tea and water between meals is allowed. Snacks between meals are not allowed.

**FEBRUARY 17, 2019**

**6TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

## **SACRED HEART PARISH**

Sacred Heart Church  
24 Albert St.  
Langton, ON



St. Michael's Church  
978 St. John's Road  
Walsh, ON



### **Weekend Mass Schedule**

Saturday – 5:00 pm

Sunday – 8:30 am (St. Michael's)

Sunday – 10:30 am

### **Daily Mass**

Tues. – 5:00 pm

Wed. to Fri. – 9:30 am

### **Reconciliation**

20 min. prior to weekday mass

Sat. 4-4:45 pm

Sun. 8-8:20 am, or by appt.(St. Michael's)

### **Mailing address**

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**Fr. Thomas e-mail:** [tckuriacko@dol.ca](mailto:tckuriacko@dol.ca)

### **Parish Clergy**

Rev. Thomas Kuriacko, Pastor

Jack Grim, Deacon

Brian Hanley, Deacon

**Office Hours:** Tues. and Thurs. 9 am – 4 pm;

**Baptisms** – Contact Rev. Thomas—6 months notice **Marriages** – Contact Rev. Thomas— one year notice required

**Schools** – Sacred Heart, Langton - St. Michael's, Walsh - Our Lady of Fatima, Courtland

### **FROM THE PASTOR'S DESK:**

I today's Gospel we see how Jesus, after choosing his apostles on the mountain, comes down with them and stands on a level place. Like Moses, who descended the mountain to deliver God's word to his people, Jesus descends the mountain to announce his word. In the presence of the crowds, he addresses his disciples. He speaks the four beatitudes and the four woes. Each of the beatitude is balanced with a warning.

The best commentary on Jesus' sermon is Jesus' own life. Jesus did not live his life as if he was blessed by God; he lived out his life in the constant awareness that God did indeed bless him. In the course of that life he experienced poverty, not only the poverty of deprivation, but the poverty of standing alone against the crowds, the poverty of total reliance on his Father. He experienced hunger, not just the hunger that can be answered by bread, but the hunger that can only be satisfied by doing what is right. He had reason to weep and mourn at the loss of a dear friend. He was no stranger to being held up as a clown for the amusement of all; he knew the experience of rejection, betrayal, and abandonment.

The beatitudes are not prescriptions for becoming poor or hungry or mournful or afflicted. They are addressed to those who are already involved in committing themselves to the kingdom, and they give instances of what happens when the kingdom arrives in this broken world. They speak of a variety of experiences that people go through as a result of getting involved in God's way of doing things. So, there is the promise that God can handle the poverty, the hunger, the tears, the rejection.

The promise is that God handles all these things, lifting his people out of them. That is the Good News. God is not committed to keeping his people at the level of being hurt and wounded. The vision of the God of the beatitudes is the vision of a generous God, one who reverses the tragedy.

Pope Francis while preaching on this Gospel passage in United Arab Emirates said: "Blessed, is the word with which Jesus begins his preaching in the Gospel. And it is the refrain that He repeats today, as if to fix in our hearts first of all, a basic message: if you stay with Jesus, if you love to listen to His word like the disciples of that time, if you try to live it every day, you are Blessed. This is the first reality of Christian life. It is to be beloved children of the Father. It is to live the joy of this bliss. It is to understand life as a story of love, the story of the faithful love of God who never abandons us and wants to make communion with us always. This is the reason for our joy, a joy that no person can take away from us. It is a joy that gives peace even in pain, which already makes us predict that happiness that awaits us forever."

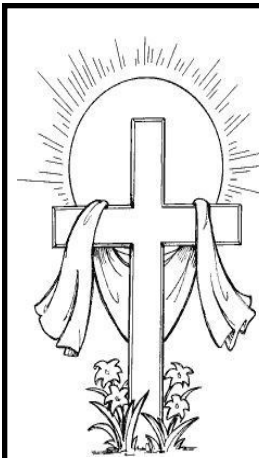
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## WEEKDAY MASS SCHEDULE – SACRED HEART, LANGTON

DATE	TIME	MASS INTENTION	BY
Tues Feb 19/19	5:00 pm	• Joanne Hill	• Bernadette Couture
Wed Feb 20/19	9:30 am	• Laura Allewaert	• Nella Scheers
Thurs Feb 21/19	<b>4:00 pm</b> Caressant Care	• Marcel Follens	• Langton CWL
Fri Feb 22/19	9:30 am	• Walter Van Laeken	• Marilyn Cerhoeve

### DATES TO REMEMBER

DATE	TIME	EVENT
Sat Feb 23/19	10:30 am	CWL Annual Spring Bazaar at LCC + Pick up of Cabbage Rolls
Wed Feb 27/19	10:15 am	1st Communion Retreat for SHS
Thurs Feb 28/19	10:30 am	1st Communion Retreat for STMS
Sat Mar 2/19	5:00 pm	Youth Ministry Mass
Mon Mar 4/19	7:30 pm	Langton CWL Meeting
Tues Mar 5/19	9:30 am	School Reconciliations for STMS
	8:00 pm	Knights of Columbus Meeting
Wed Mar 6/19	9:30 am	Ash Wednesday School Mass for SHS & OLFS
	1:45 pm	Ash Wednesday School Mass for STMS
	7:00 pm	Walsh CWL Meeting
Thurs Mar 7/19	10:00 am	School Reconciliations for SHS
	1:45 pm	School Reconciliations for OLFS
Sat Mar 30/19	5:00 pm	Knight of Columbus Annual Wing Ding @ LCC



Let us pray for **Justine Eckeloo & Joe Devos** who have been called for their eternal reward and their bereaved family members that the Lord may comfort & console them.

### WEEKLY OFFERTORY – FEB 10, 2019

#### St. Michael's

Regular Envelope	\$ 440.00
Thanksgiving Appeal	\$ 10.00
Loose	\$ 25.00
<b>Sub-Total</b>	<b>\$ 475.00</b>

#### Sacred Heart

Regular Envelope	\$ 1340.00
Initial Envelope	\$ 25.00
Loose	\$ 149.00
<b>Sub-Total</b>	<b>\$ 1514.00</b>

**Total** \$ 1989.00  
**Operating Goal** \$3,700.00

**Shortfall** \$ 1711.00

SH Building Fund \$ 120.00



## PARISH ANNOUNCEMENTS:

### 2018 CHARITABLE DONATION RECEIPTS

The 2018 Charitable Donation Receipts are available at the back of the Church. Thank you for your co-operation in picking up your 2018 donation receipts.

### CWL LANGTON NEWS

#### 1. CWL ANNUAL SPRING BAZAAR

The CWL will once again host the Annual Spring Bazaar on Saturday February 23rd, 2019 at the Langton Community Centre. Doors open at 10:30 am with a Giant Penny Sale, Used books, cabbage Rolls for sale, Door prizes and many more. NEW this year will be hot soup and sandwiches. Bingo begins at 1:00 pm. Come out and have some fun! We will also again be collecting items for our White Elephant table as well as good used books. Books can be dropped off at the back of the Church anytime. Items for the White Elephant table can be dropped off at the Community Centre on Friday February 22nd between 9:00 am to 2:00 pm. We will also be taking orders for Cabbage Rolls, Please call Jeanette Major at 519-875-4952. Pick up the Cabbage Rolls on February 23rd, 2019. for more information contact Carol Vanderhaeghe at 519-875-4377.

#### 2. CWL LANGTON BAZAAR

Attention CWL members or ladies of the Parish, Do you do crafts? Do you Sew, knit or crochet? If so, the craft table for the CWL Langton Bazaar is in need of donations. For more information or ideas, please call Diane Kersten at 519-875-2341.

#### 3. LANGTON CWL- CABBAGE ROLLS

The Langton CWL are taking orders for cabbage rolls. Price is \$17.00 per dozen. Please pick them up at the Langton Community Centre on February 23rd from 10:30 am to 3:00 pm. Please phone 519-875-4952 or email jmamajor@hotmail.com to order or for more information.

### VON OXFORD HOSPICE AND BEREAVEMENT SUPPORTS

VON Oxford Hospice and Bereavement Supports is presently recruiting volunteers for Family and Caregiver Support Services, Adult Bereavement Support, Children's Bereavement Support and Hospice Visiting. If you are interested in becoming a volunteer please contact Heidi at 519-539-1231 X 232 or email heidi.o'brien@von.ca.

### BAPTISMAL PREPERATIONS

There will be Baptismal preparation classes for Grade 2 children who are getting ready for their First Communion, and who are not yet been Baptized, for the following dates : **Wed Feb 20th at 6:30 pm at Sacred Heart Church, Langton.**

### NEW PARISH WEBSITE

From January 1st our parish is having a new website which we share with St. Mary's Tillsonburg because the Diocese has stopped supporting our parish website. As we are still working on it, it will take awhile for us to post all information's about our parish. In order to have access to our parish bulletin, please click on the Sunday date, and if you happen to click on Saturdays date, you will be finding St. Mary's bulletin. You will no more be receiving the bulletin by emails. Thank you for your patience.

### OPERATION: SUPPORTING MY PARISH

*Living with Christ* is the perfect companion: whether or not you attend Mass daily, it gives you daily Bible readings and everything you need to support your prayer life.

Sacred Heart Parish will receive \$10.00 for each new subscription and \$2.00 for every renewal.

1. Complete the form (attached to bulletin)
2. Either include a cheque made payable to **Bayard Press Canada**; **OR** Complete the credit card information.
3. Place attached form (and cheque if applicable) in the collection basket **OR** drop off at the Parish Office, by March 15 2019.

### HEALING JOURNEY THROUGH GRIEF

Sacred Heart Parish, Ingersoll will hold an eight week grief support group called "Healing Journey Through Grief" Thursday March 21st until Thursday May 9th. The group will use the Alan Wolfelt resource Understanding your grief: Ten essential touchstones for finding hope and healing your heart. Registration is limited to 8 participants for these sessions. The cost of the resources is being shared by the Parish Health Ministry at Sacred Heart reducing the cost for the eight sessions to \$25.00. For more information or to register, contact Faye Brekelmans at 519-485-1802.