

**MASS INTENTIONS**  
June 12 - 17, 2018

**No Weekday Masses June 12 – 15**  
due to the Congregation of the Resurrection retreat

**Friday, 15<sup>th</sup>** - **Weekday**  
4:30 pm Jubilarian Mass for Congregation of the Resurrection

**Saturday, 16<sup>th</sup>** - **11<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time**  
5:00 pm +Bill Renaud – Michelle Krulicki  
+Donald Hynas – David & Florence Saunders  
+Ed Yendruck – June Yendruck & Family  
+John Barnes – Ruthann Fisher  
+David Gray – Cecilia Grace  
+Jim Martz – Anita Stalzer  
+Barry Schurter – Jerry & Joanne White

**Sunday, 17<sup>th</sup>** - **11<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time**  
9:00 am Parishioners of St. Francis of Assisi  
11:00 am +Greg Pigeon – the Westman / Voll Family

**June 10, 2018**

**10<sup>th</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**  
Collection June 2/3 \$15,378.25  
**2018 Collection to Date \$136,814.73**  
**2018 Total Budgeted Collection \$366,600.00**

*“The living presence of Christ within us is the light that guides our choices, the flame that warms our hearts as we go to meet the Lord.”*  
@Pontifex, June 4, 2018



**WHAT'S HAPPENING IN THE PARISH**

**Monday**  
Parents for Community Living (H) 7:00 pm  
Overeaters Anonymous (AR) 7:30 pm

**Wednesday**  
CWL Executive Mtg. & Pizza 6:30 pm

**Friday**  
CR Jubilarian Mass (C) 4:30 pm

**DIOCESAN PRAYER CALENDAR**

Mon. June 11: **Rev. Piotr Machnacki, SAC**  
Tues. June 12: **Rev. Robert Sims**  
Wed. June 13: **Institute of Kkottongnae Sisters of Jesus**  
Thu. June 14: **Rev. Michael Downey**  
Fri. June 15: **Rev. Martin Vallely**  
Sat. June 16: **Rev. Gregory Joseph Michel**

**VOCATION CORNER**

“Whoever does the will of God is my brother and sister and mother”. If you feel called to be a priest, religious, or permanent deacon, contact Fr. Toby Collins CR, Resurrectionist Director of Vocations [crvocations@gmail.com](mailto:crvocations@gmail.com) or Fr. Michael King, Diocesan Director of Vocations, [mking@hamiltondiocese.com](mailto:mking@hamiltondiocese.com) or 905-528-7988 [www.vocationculture.ca](http://www.vocationculture.ca)

**CAPITAL CAMPAIGN STUDY**

*Bishop Crosby encourages you to attend a listening session relating to the proposed Diocesan capital campaign. These sessions, taking place in each deanery, will provide information about the proposed campaign goals and will allow you the opportunity to ask questions and share your thoughts. Your presence and feedback are a critical part of this effort which aims to help our parishes and ministries grow and thrive. For dates and locations, please see below.*

**BISHOP CROSBY INVITES YOU**  
to participate in a listening session for a proposed Diocesan capital campaign. This session will provide you information about the goals for the potential campaign and will allow you the opportunity to ask questions and provide feedback through a survey.

**DATES, TIMES AND LOCATIONS FOR THE SESSIONS ARE:**

<b>MONDAY JUNE 11</b> 7:00 p.m. CATHEDRAL BASILICA OF CHRIST THE KING Hamilton	<b>TUESDAY JUNE 12</b> 7:00 p.m. SACRED HEART PARISH Walkerton	<b>WEDNESDAY JUNE 13</b> 7:00 p.m. ST. PAUL THE APOSTLE PARISH Burlington
<b>MONDAY JUNE 18</b> 7:00 p.m. OUR LADY OF LOURDES PARISH Waterloo	<b>TUESDAY JUNE 19</b> 7:00 p.m. ST. PIUS X PARISH Brantford	<b>WEDNESDAY JUNE 20</b> 7:00 p.m. BASILICA OF OUR LADY Guelph

Your input is integral to this important process. Please consider attending a session and sharing your thoughts.

*Thank you!*

FOR MORE INFORMATION  
(905) 528-7988 x2235  
[give@hamiltondiocese.com](mailto:give@hamiltondiocese.com)

**DIocese of HAMILTON**

## From the Pastor's Desk:

I was recently asked a couple of questions concerning the celebration of Eucharist: why the priest washes his hands during the preparation of the gifts? and how is the sign of peace properly made?

First, the washing of the hands by the priest which takes place after the collection and during the preparation of the gifts. This has absolutely nothing to do with hygiene! If it were an action of hygiene the priest would certainly fail. The General Instruction of the Roman Missal, which contains the rubrics to be followed when celebrating Eucharist, says: "The priest then washes his hands as an expression of his desire to be cleansed within." It serves as a reminder to the priest that it is with a clean soul that one is called to celebrate Eucharist, to strive to live a life free from sin, and to seek sacramental forgiveness when necessary. For the gathered community at Eucharist the action of washing hands serves as a reminder that everyone is called to strive for a life free from sin – to approach the table of the Lord free from sin.

Second, how is the sign of peace to be made? Again from the General Instruction of the Roman Missal: "The form the sign of peace should take is left to the conference of bishops to determine, in accord with the culture and customs of the people." Here in Canada the most popular form this greeting takes, yet not the only form, is

the shaking of hands – it is part of the Canadian culture. However, because Canada is comprised of a great many different nationalities, cultures and customs, the Canadian Bishops have not mandated one form for the sign of peace to take. The Canadian bishops are purposely vague on this question; being so allows for greater flexibility concerning how peace can be exchanged.

~ Father Tim, CR



## MINISTERS OF HOSPITALITY

If you are a Minister of Hospitality please fill out the survey of your summer availability, (found in the Hospitality closet or emailed to you) and return it to the closet. Remember, if you do not fill out a survey we don't know when you are available and we won't be able to put you on the next schedule. If you are interested in joining this ministry please contact the Parish Office to learn more.

## CONGREGATION OF THE RESURRECTION JUBILARIANS

This year the Congregation of the Resurrection celebrates two Jubilarians: Fr. Florian Stasinski, CR was ordained a priest 40 years ago, and Fr. Fred Scinto, CR was ordained 50 years ago! You are invited to a Mass honouring these priests for their many years of service, and thanking God for the graces bestowed upon them and all those whom they serve. The Jubilarian Mass will be celebrated here at St. Francis Parish on Fri. June 15 at 4:30pm. May God continue to bless Fr. Florian and Fr. Fred, and all those who minister in His name.

## MAJOR DRAW PRIZES

The CWL is asking parishioners for prize donations for the 2018 Christmas Bazaar Major Draw. The proceeds from this major fund raiser for our church will go towards our new roofs. Please consider donating a prize or some cash towards the purchase of a prize. Ideas could be tickets to a Show, Concert, Dinner, Sporting Event or Spa Day just to mention a few. If you are interested in providing a prize, cash or have any questions, please contact Judith Booth, Major Draw convener at 519-742-0155 by July 1. Thank you for your consideration.

## SECONDARY SCHOOL GRAD AWARD

As we approach the end of the school year our Secondary School students are making big decisions about their lives, and many are facing financial burdens as they continue their education. St. Francis Parish would like to honour one of our graduates who has been active in the life of the parish, and contribute to their future success. To qualify for this award you must be graduating from secondary school this year, you must be a registered member of the parish and be an active volunteer here, and you must be planning to enter a college, university or apprenticeship program. Application forms can be found at the entrances of the church. Please return to the church by June 21, 2018.

## MARILLAC PLACE BABY BOTTLE CAMPAIGN

Next weekend is Father's Day. Please return your baby bottles filled with your donation at the entrances of the Church. Marillac Place relies heavily on these donations from our community to keep their doors open. Please support this life-giving cause. Thank you!

## AROUND TOWN

**Reel Justice – A Justice Film Festival** (A partnership between Development & Peace and The Bishop Farrell Library) Join us for the final screening in the Reel Justice Film Festival as we celebrate the life of activist and Catholic convert Dorothy Day. An important figure in Catholic history, Dorothy Day's vision of a society informed by Gospel values is an inspiration. Her dedication to helping those less fortunate bettered the lives of many. The cause for her sainthood was put forth in 2000 with the Vatican granting her the title "Servant of God". June Screening: **Dorothy Day: Entertaining Angels** at Diocese of Hamilton Chancery Office on June 15, 7 - 9 pm.

**A Memorial Mass for Monsignor Edward House** will be celebrated at St. Anthony Daniel Parish, Kitchener, 29 Midland Drive, on Saturday, June 16, 2018 at 11:00 a.m. followed by a reception in the Parish Life Centre. All are welcome to attend. Please contact the Parish to let them know if you plan to stay for the reception: 519-893-6960.

St. Joseph Church, Kitchener invites you to their **St. Vincent de Paul BBQ Supper & Silent Auction**, Sat. June 16 starting at 6pm. Cost for BBQ meal is \$8 and includes salads, fruit and squares, tickets at the door. Door Prizes. Silent Auction from 6-7:15pm.

**Knights of Columbus Car Show Maryhill** Heritage Community Centre Complex, Sat. June 16 from 11am – 4pm. Wheel chair accessible. Air conditioned area for your comfort. Free admission for all. No pets please. People's Choice award, BBQ and raffles. Live music! All funds to local charities. Sponsored by the Maryhill Knights of Columbus. For more information please call Doug at 519-648-2939.

**Hearts Set Ablaze Retreat** June 22-24: for girls 11-15 led by the Sisters of Our Lady Immaculate. A weekend of faith, friendship, prayer, and fun! Cost is \$75, download an app. at <http://solisisters.ca/youthretreats.html> Questions may be directed to Sr. Mary Augustine [srmaryaugustine@solisisters.ca](mailto:srmaryaugustine@solisisters.ca)

The Sisters of the Carmel of Saint Joseph will pray for you during the **Novena to Our Lady of Mount Carmel**, July 8th to July 16th, 2018. Are you troubled? Do you need spiritual support? You can participate in the Novena to Our Lady of Mount Carmel. Send your prayer intention slip with your name and address to Carmel of Saint Joseph, 1127 Carmel-Koch Road, R.R. #1 St. Agatha, ON NOB 2L0.

The **Carmel of St. Joseph Guild** invites all members, families and friends to attend the Feast of Our Lady of Mount Carmel mass to be held Sun. July 15 at 2:00 pm at the Monastery. The Rosary will precede the mass. The celebrant will be Bishop Douglas Crosby.

### VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

VBS is offered at many of our local ecumenical churches, see if one of their programs would be of interest for your children!



### Faith Lutheran

**Splash Canyon, God's Promise on Life's Wild Ride.** July 9-13, from 9-11:30am. For ages finished JK to grade 6. No cost, free will

offering accepted. To register go to [www.faithlutherankw.com](http://www.faithlutherankw.com) and click on VBS under the Events tab.

### Highland Baptist

**Fun Day Camp.** July 23-27, 9am – 12 noon for ages Finished JK to Grade 6. \$10/child, \$20/family. Daily themes & activities including crafts, games, Bible stories & snacks.

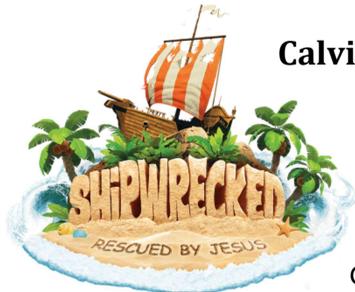


### Rolling River Rampage Day

**Camp.** August 20-24, 9am – 12 noon for ages Finished JK to Grade 6. No cost, donations

welcome. Bible stories, crafts, games, science, music & snacks.

Registration for both camps found at [www.highlandbaptist.ca/events](http://www.highlandbaptist.ca/events).



### Calvin Presbyterian

#### Shipwrecked:

**Rescued by Jesus.** August 20-24, 9:00 – 11:45 am for ages Finished JK to Grade 5. For more

information go to [www.calvinchurch.ca](http://www.calvinchurch.ca) or contact Michael Turman at [Michael.turman@calvinchurch.ca](mailto:Michael.turman@calvinchurch.ca). Come and Be Rescued By Jesus this summer!

### Forest Hill United

**Shipwrecked: God is our Life Jacket.** August 20-24, full day, 9am – 3:30pm. For ages JK to 12. Cost is \$30 per child, contact Rev. Ellen at 519-744-3481.



# St. Francis of Assisi Parish



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### Lord's Day Masses

Saturday 5:00 pm  
Sunday 9:00 & 11:00 am

### Weekday Masses

Tuesday to Friday 9:00 am  
Wednesday 7:00 pm

### Reconciliation

Saturday 4:00 – 4:30 pm  
or by appointment

### Sunday Children's Liturgy

Sunday 9:00 am Mass

### Prayer Network

Call parish office to request prayers

### Communal Baptism

Please call the parish office to register.

### Marriages

Congratulations! Please contact the parish one year before wedding date.

<b>Pastor:</b>	Fr. Tim Uniac, C.R. <a href="mailto:tuniac@hamiltondiocese.com">tuniac@hamiltondiocese.com</a>
<b>Pastoral Minister:</b>	Miss Ruthann Fisher <a href="mailto:rfisher@hamiltondiocese.com">rfisher@hamiltondiocese.com</a>
<b>Music Ministry:</b>	Mrs. Terrianne Moulton
<b>Admin. Assistant:</b>	Ms. Alice Soeder
<b>Building Manager:</b>	Mr. Gary Howell
<b>Seminarian:</b>	Raphael Ma

**Office Hours:** Monday - Friday 8:30 am to 12 noon  
1:00 pm to 4:30 pm

**Vocations Information:** [www.vocationinfo.ca](http://www.vocationinfo.ca)  
[www.vocationculture.ca](http://www.vocationculture.ca)



*"We are a Christ-centred faith community seeking to be instruments of God's peace."*

*"Now the ruler of this world will be driven out, and when I am lifted up from the earth, I will draw all people to myself."* John 12: 31-32

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