

SACRED HEART OF JESUS

ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH

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Pentecost Sunday



Gospel Quotation:

**"All of them were filled
with the Holy Spirit."**

June 4, 2017

Mass Times

Saturday 6:00 pm St. Peter's Mission
Sunday 9:00 am Sacred Heart Church
11:00 am Sacred Heart School

DAILY: Monday **No Mass**
Tuesday 7:00 pm
Wednesday **No Mass**
Thursday 8:00 am
Friday 8:00 am

Confessions

Tuesday, 6:30pm to 6:45pm
Saturday 5:30pm to 5:45pm (St. Peter's)
Sunday 8:30am to 8:45am
and by appointment

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

Tuesday 7:30 pm to Friday 8:00 am

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THIS WEEK

(JUNE 6TH TO JUNE 11TH)

Tuesday 7:00 pm CWL members & their families: CWL
Thursday 8:00 am Intention of Donor
Friday 8:00 am Purification Palacio: Muia Family

The Most Holy Trinity

Sunday 9:00 am Josephine Pulo: George & Mary Spiteri
11:00 am for the People

PASTORAL STAFF

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Pastor's Message

NEW MASS TIMES AT SACRED HEART ROCKWOOD AND ST. PETER'S OUSTIC

As of noon on June 28th, Fr. Don Sanvido will become the pastor of St. John Brebeuf Parish in Erin and St. Peter's Mission Church in Oustic. In order to help him determine the Sunday Mass time for St. Peter's, Fr. Don asked me to conduct a survey. Given that the Sunday Mass in Erin will be 10:00am, he provided two options: 8:00am or 12:00pm. Based upon the survey results, he has decided that the Sunday Mass time in Oustic will be 12:00pm starting Sunday, July 2nd. (At one point it looked like the Mass on Sunday wouldn't start until July 9th). He asked me to assure the parishioners at St. Peter's that he will reconsider this time before September. He wants to get to know his new parish and the mission before making any more decisions.

A number of people have asked what the changes at St. Peter's will mean for Mass times at Sacred Heart. Since I will no longer be responsible for celebrating the Mass at St. Peter's on Saturday evenings, I plan to re-instate the 5:00pm Mass at Sacred Heart starting Saturday, July 1st. (As in the past, confessions will be heard from 4:30pm to 4:45pm.) This will require making a new schedule for ministries and hospitality. Ministers and volunteers will be asked for their preferences just as they were asked when the Saturday evening Mass in Rockwood was cancelled. The Sunday Mass times at Sacred Heart will not change. There will continue to be Mass at 9:00am in Sacred Heart Church and Mass at 11:00am at Sacred Heart School, that is, until June 25th. The school is closed in July and August. Hence, starting July 2nd, the 11:00am Mass will be held in the church. I must admit that I wish we could continue to hold a parish Sunday Mass in the school over the summer. There are a number of families with young children in the parish who have been attending the Sunday Mass in the school. Compared to the church, the school has a number of advantages. If need be, parents can step into the hall with a child that requires attention. Small children have more room to maneuver on the gym floor. Older children can readily get to the washrooms. There are also some parishioners with mobility issues attending the Sunday Mass in the school. The school itself is accessible and, unlike the church, the washrooms are accessible. My intention is resume holding the 11:00am Sunday Mass at the school starting September 10th. Hopefully, this will be a short-term measure until a new church is built in Rockwood at the entrance to Camp Brebeuf.

As for weekday Mass times at Sacred Heart Church, with the odd exception, the current schedule will remain over the summer. I will continue to celebrate one Mass a week at the Newman Centre Guelph, usually on Wednesday. **Although I won't be celebrating a weekday Mass on Thursday at the university over the summer, with my recent appointment as Chaplain to Camp Brebeuf, I will be celebrating a weekday Mass on Thursday there over the summer.**

After Fr. Don becomes the new pastor, I encourage parishioners from St. Peter's feel free to attend services at Sacred Heart and vice versa. Moreover, we will continue to collaborate on events hosted for parishioners from both faith communities. On Sunday, June 18th, all parishioners are welcome to participate in a Corpus Christi Procession after the 11:00am Mass at the school and to attend the social that will follow. Likewise, on Saturday, June 24th all parishioners are invited to attend a BBQ after the 6:00pm Mass at St. Peter's, which will be my last Mass as pastor. And, of course, on Sunday, July 16th, all parishioners are invited to attend the Coulson Cup, if only for the dinner, which will continue to be a fundraiser for both faith communities. Fr. Don will be attending and I look forward to seeing my friends from St. Peter's.

Re-print of May 28, 2017

Fr. Mark Morley

FROM SACRED HEART SCHOOL

Kindergarten Registration at Wellington Catholic: The Wellington Catholic District School Board is accepting registrations for kindergarten at your local Catholic schools. Kindergarten Eligibility: Children must be four years of age on or before December 31, 2017 to attend Year 1 of Kindergarten.

The following documents are required for registration: child's birth certificate / a parent or child's Baptismal certificate/ child's health card / immunization record /custody papers (if applicable) tax support documentation (i.e. most recent tax bill) Please see the Board website (www.wellingtoncdsb.ca) or contact your school for more information about our quality educational programs. Come join our family!

PARISH UPDATES

UPDATED - EUCHARISTIC ADORATION: Reminder, the church is open continuously from Tuesday evening 7:00 pm mass until Friday morning 8:00 am Mass, for our scheduled hours of Adoration in front of the Blessed Sacrament, and of course for anyone wishing to spend some time that suits them. We are presently in need to have regular participants for the hours of 11-12 midnight on Tuesday's, 4-5 pm on Thursday and 1-3 am on Fridays. Call Jane Hosdill for further information at 519-827-1929. Thank you.

SACRAMENT OF CONFIRMATION: Congratulations to twelve young people of our parish who were sealed by the gift of the Holy Spirit on the Vigil of Pentecost!

Fr. Mark Morley

PRAYING THE ROSARY: For the month of May we will be praying the Holy Rosary in honour of the Mother of God and our Mother. Please make an effort and come a little early and join us in honouring Mary.

SACRED RELICS OF THE SAINTS: TREASURES OF THE CHURCH - St. Joseph Parish, 409 Paisley Rd., Guelph presents a teaching and exposition of Sacred Relics on Saturday, June 10 at 6:15 pm (following the 5:00 pm Mass). Father Carlos Martins of the Companions of the Cross will be here with his very special ministry to teach about these holy objects. He will bring with him over 150 relics, some as old as 2000 years. Among the treasures will be relics of St. Joseph, St. Maria Goretti, St. Therese of Lisieux (the "Little Flower"), St. Francis of Assisi, St. Anthony of Padua, St. Thomas Aquinas, and St. Faustina Kowalska. In addition, there will also be present a portion of the veil of Our Lady, as well as one of the largest remaining pieces of the True Cross in the world. Those in attendance will be able to examine and venerate each relic. In the Church's history many miracles and healings have been worked in the presence of relics, and many have been healed through this ministry. Please do not miss this opportunity. You are encouraged to bring your articles of devotion (such as rosaries, holy cards, etc.) and pictures of ill friends/family members which you will be able to touch to the reliquaries as a means of intercession.

Fr. Jerzy

THE SHRINE OF THE SORROWFUL MOTHER: (for your information) The St. Agatha Cemetery Chapel, built in 1857 is open for visitation every Sunday, from June 4th through to September 24th, from 1:00pm to 4:00pm, St. Agatha, Ontario.

BISHOP CROSBY'S MEDICAL UPDATE - having broken my ankle last week, this week the doctor informed me that surgery is not required. I am in an "air cast" (a boot) and must use crutches. Additionally, I am beginning "exogen therapy" which helps speed up the healing of bones by 30 to 40%. The break means that my agenda has to be adjusted even further. Thank you for your good wishes and your understanding. I hope to be back to normal by the end of June!

This Week's Events

June

- 5 Rosary for Peace - Sacred Heart 7:00pm
- 6 Tuesday MASS (7:00pm)
- 7 Euchre Matinee: (1:00 pm Coulson Hall)
- 8 Thursday MASS (8:00am)
- 9 Seniors' Program at Rockwood Library (11:30am to 1:30pm)

Did You Know?

- * Pentecost is celebrated 50 days after Easter
- * the first Pentecost happened when the Holy Spirit came to the disciples in the form of a strong wind and tongues of fire
- * the disciples were then able to speak different languages and went out to spread Jesus' message across many lands
- * red is the colour of Pentecost
- * the symbols of Pentecost are: flames, wind, the breath of God and a dove.

COULSON CUP GOLF TOURNAMENT

Victoria Park Valley Golf Club - Sun. July 16 2017

Sign-up sheets are now available for Golf and Dinner or Dinner only. Join your fellow parishioners for a fun day of Golf with cart, followed by Dinner, Prizes, Live Music, Silent Auction, and Raffles. Regular price \$110.00.



Early Bird Golf Special - \$99.00 before Fathers Day (June 18th)

Prayer Calendar for Priests

Every day, in our diocese we are invited to pray for a priest serving in our parishes

- Mon. - Rev. David Mowat, C.R.
- Tues. - Rev. Edwin Lapinski, C.R.
- Wed. - Chancery Staff
- Thurs. - Rev. Ernest Varosi, C.R.
- Fri. - Rev. Frederick Scinto, C.R.
- Sat. - Rev. Harry Reitzel, C.R.