

SACRED HEART OF JESUS

ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH

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Twenty Ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time

October 16, 2016

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 to 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 (OCTOBER 18TH TO OCTOBER 23RD)

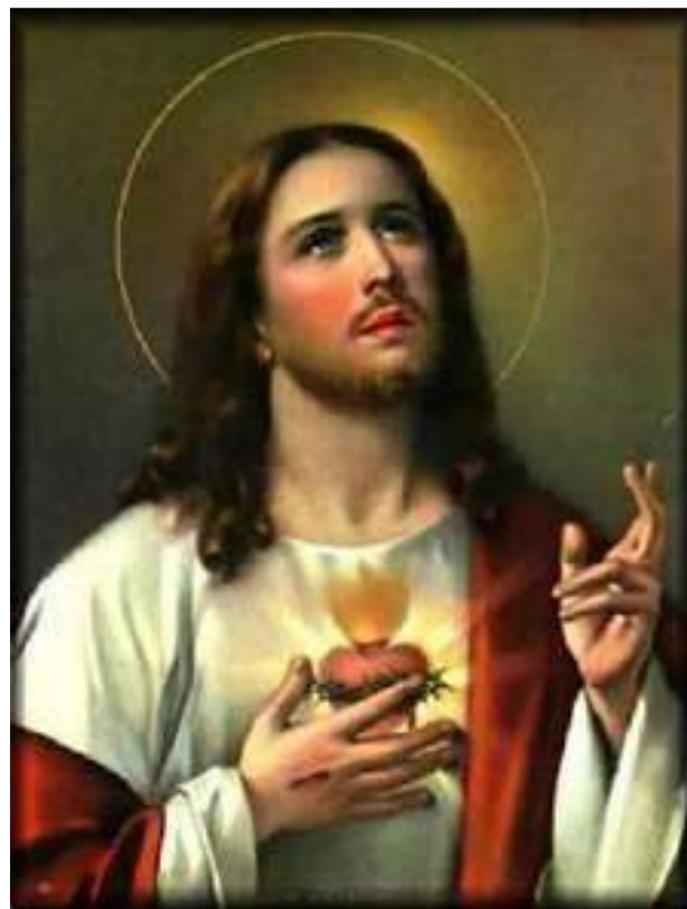
Tuesday	7:00 pm	Special Intention: C.W.L.
Wednesday	8:00 am	Intention of Tony Camilleri
Thursday	8:00 am	Paul & Emily Weller: Paul Weller
Friday	8:00 am	Casey Laurin: Michael Woods

THIRTIETH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Sunday	9:00 am	† Francis Falcone: Gary Russelo
	11:00 am	For the People

PASTORAL STAFF

Rev. Mark Morley
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Gospel Quotation:

"Will not God grant justice
to his chosen ones who
cry to him day and night?"

Pastor's Message

THE TURKEY SUPPER: MORE THAN A MEAL

The Turkey Supper was a great success! Although I don't have the final count on revenues, I'm confident that thousands of dollars were raised for the needs of Sacred Heart Church and St. Peter's Mission as well as for the charitable works of Catholic Women's League. More importantly, the event brought together

parishioners from both church communities in show of solidarity for one another. I was amazed by the wonderful turnout and the sheer number of volunteers.



I spoke with people who came from Guelph, Erin, Milton and Georgetown. It was great to see many members of our broader civic and business community, including participants from the Seniors' Program. One guest told me that she has attended many different church suppers over the years and that ours was the best! I attended the Bishop's Dinner hosted by the

Catholic school board this past week and was delighted to hear people talking about our turkey supper. Some even expressed disappointment that they missed it.



I want to thank all of you who worked hard to make it such an enjoyable and down-to-earth event, and I want to thank the many youth of our parish who helped out. I would also like to thank those who did the virtual shopping and donated items, including the raffle prizes. Finally, I want to thank the Catholic Women's League for accepting my request to organize and host this year's Turkey Supper on behalf of the parish.



In particular, I want to thank Julia Whelan, who chaired the organizing committee and worked tirelessly all day Monday. May the CWL carry the Turkey Supper tradition forward for future generations. It is more than a meal. It is an opportunity for us to count our blessings as a parish family.

Thanks be to God. Happy Thanksgiving!

Fr. Mark Morley



PARISH UPDATES

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION (UPDATE): Presently, there is 1 open hour, Thursday's 2:00 - 3:00pm. As of December 1, there will be 2 additional hours Wednesday's 4-5am, a challenging but very rewarding hour, and Thursday's 4-5pm. Please consider choosing one of these to spend time with our Lord, Jane Hosdill

CLOTHES DONATIONS: Have you gone through your clothes closet lately? Clothes in good condition, all sizes, can be donated to the needy, place them in the middle closet in the side entrance lobby of the church and they will be taken to Dr. Simone's monthly. Jane Hosdill

FIRST COMMUNION REGISTRATION: Parents who would like their children to receive their First Communion this coming Easter Season must register for the celebration of the sacrament, whether your child is attending a Catholic school, public school or home school. To this end, there was a parents' meeting at Sacred Heart Church last Tuesday. If you missed the meeting, please contact me either by phone or e-mail. I can send you the registration forms. However, you will still need to make an appointment to meet with me at the parish office in order to receive the parent resources. Finally, if your child is in Grade 2 and not yet baptized, please contact me so that we can arrange for his or her baptism before Lent. Thank you. Fr. Mark Morley

DIOCESE OF HAMILTON

GOSPEL OF LUKE STUDY SERIES: Friday October 28, 2016 from 7 - 8:30pm - Basilica of Our Lady Immaculate, Guelph The Gospel of Luke study series concludes with Cardinal Thomas Collin's presentation "The Walk to Emmaus". Please consider joining us for this very special evening. There is no cost to attend. Supplemental reading resources will be available for purchase for \$5. Please bring exact change. For further information please contact: Monica at 905-528-7988 ext. 2238.

MEMORIAL MASS AT MARYMOUNT CEMETERY: Most Reverend Matthew Ustrzycki, Auxiliary Bishop Emeritus of Hamilton, will celebrate a Memorial Mass at Marymount Cemetery, Guelph, on Saturday, November 5, 2016 at 11:00. All are welcome to attend. For more information, please call (519) 836-8814, (800) 661-5985, or visit www.thecatholiccemeteries.ca.

PARENTING TIP OF THE MONTH: Parents can help their children develop emotional and mental well-being by assisting them to develop strategies and skills for coping with stress. Parents can do so by allowing their children to experience a little stress, so they will learn to cope with bigger stresses. Teach them how to handle stress: breathe deeply, talk in a self-calming way, discuss their feelings with friends and family, actively work at problem solving, talk to God and listen in their heart for his response. With their parents help, children can learn the skills needed to ensure resiliency in the inevitable ups and downs of life.

MARRIAGE TIP OF THE MONTH: New love spurs us on to spend as much time as possible with each other. Once we marry we can get so caught up in the demands of work, home and family that we can lose the sense of connection that pulled us toward each other at the start. Preparing and eating dinner together, sharing a walk, enjoying a good movie, attending Mass, or reading a book together are all great examples of ways to create a stronger couple connection. Building this connection is an important way to form a strong and lasting relationship. Spend time together and see where it takes you! (From: Teresa Hartnett, Family Ministry Office, 905-528-7988 ext. 2250)

This Week's Events

October

- 17 Rosary for Peace - Sacred Heart 7:00pm
18 Tuesday MASS (7:00pm)
19 Euchre Matinee: (1:00 pm Coulson Hall)
21 Seniors' Program at Rockwood Library (11:30am to 1:30pm)

Next Catechism Class Date
November 2 at Coulson Hall - 6:45pm

Did You Know?

- * October 18th is the feast day of St. Luke
* St. Luke is one of the gospel writers and the author of the Acts of the Apostles
* he was born in Greece
* St. Luke wrote the parable "The Good Samaritan"
* he wrote about the poor and social injustice
* he traveled with St. Paul for part of his ministry
* St. Luke is the patron saint of physicians and surgeons

CONFIRMATION CANDIDATES

Bishop Crosby is coming to celebrate the sacrament of Confirmation for our young people in Grade 7 at St. Peter's Church on Saturday, June 3rd at 6:00pm. There will be a meeting for Confirmation candidates and their parents on Tuesday, November 8th at 6:00pm in Sacred Heart Church. Registrations forms and other information will be made available. If your child missed Confirmation last year, please also plan to attend this meeting. Fr. Mark Morley

Prayer Calendar for Priests

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

- Mon. - Rev. James Curtin
Tues. - Rev. Arthur Scidmore
Wed. - Legionaries of Christ (L.C.)
Thurs. - Rev. John Massari, c.s.
Fri. - Rev. Stephen Sardo
Sat. - Rev. Joseph Pezhathumkal, S.A.C.