

SACRED HEART OF JESUS

ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH

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Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time

October 29th, 2017

Mass Times

Saturday 5:00 pm
Sunday 9:00 am
(Sacred Heart Catholic School) 11:00 am

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 4:30pm to 4:45pm
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 31ST TO NOVEMBER 5TH)

Tuesday 7:00 pm † Alan Spak & deceased family members
Thursday 8:00 am † for the Faithful Departed
Friday 8:00 am † for the Deceased Priests of the Diocese

Thirty First Sunday in Ordinary Time

Saturday 5:00 pm
Sunday 9:00 am † Patricia Stinson: Brian & Sharon Gregory
11:00 am For the People

PASTORAL STAFF

Rev. Mark Morley
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Gospel Quotation:

**"You shall love your
neighbour as yourself."**

Bishop's Message

September 7, 2017

Dear Reverend Monsignor,
Dear Reverend Father,

This year marks the 500th anniversary of the Reformation. The Pontifical Council for Christian Unity and the Worldwide Lutheran Federation invite Catholics and Lutherans to join in common prayer in commemoration of this anniversary. Although that time in the history of the Church is remembered for division, discord and bitterness, the Spirit of God is calling us now to a renewed sense of common mission, prayer and service.

I am pleased to invite you to join me on **Friday, November 10th, 2017 at 7:00 p.m.** in the Cathedral Basilica of Christ the King, Hamilton for the liturgy of commemoration. Lutheran Bishop Michael Pryse, and parishioners from various Lutheran churches in the area will join us.

Further information for your Parish bulletin will be forthcoming. Please encourage your parishioners to attend – particularly members of your Pastoral Council, Catholic Women's League, and Knights of Columbus. Because we are hosting this event, I am hoping that Priests and parishioners will respond enthusiastically.

With prayerful good wishes for your ministry at the beginning of this new Pastoral Year, I remain,

Sincerely in Christ and Mary Immaculate,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "+ Douglas Crosby".

(Most Rev.) Douglas Crosby, OMI
Bishop of Hamilton

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PARISH UPDATES

FAMILY CHOIR: If you are interested in joining and/or supporting a new youth group in the parish, or if you and/or your children are interested in joining the 11:00am Sunday Mass Family Choir, please contact me at: pastor@sacredheartrockwood.ca . Thank you, Fr. Mark

CHILDREN'S LITURGY: Kindergarten and Grade one children are invited to participate in the Children Liturgy starting on November 5, 2017, at the 11:00am Mass at Sacred Heart School. Fr. Mark

TODAY SHOEBOX PROGRAM: The Knights of Columbus will be having their annual charity shoe box program this year. Families can fill a box with Christmas gift items for needy kids around the world. We will have 35 available after Masses on October 28/29. They need to be returned to Coulson Hall by November 13; for shipping reasons.

David Bell - G.K.

ANNUAL CHILDREN'S CHRISTMAS PAGEANT

(MARK YOUR CALENDAR): Annual Children's Christmas Pageant will be held on Sunday December 17th, 2017 at Sacred Heart Catholic School (5146 Wellington Rd. 27) in Rockwood starting at 10:30a.m. Specific details will follow in the upcoming weeks.

Maria Grech & Loretta Vince

2017 TAX RECEIPTS: We have made a change to how receipts are issued. In the past, receipts were issued separately for Golf Tournament & Turkey Supper monetary contributions from Sunday Donations (envelopes). Effective in 2017, tax receipts will be issued in one combined personalized copy. Receipts will be available in January 2018.

Italo - Office Administrator

FROM THE DIOCESE OF HAMILTON

RELUCTANCE, RESILIENCE, AND REJOICING: David Wells is coming to Guelph! Reluctance, Resilience, and Rejoicing: Focus on the Family and Faith. David Wells is an internationally known speaker and author and a gifted story teller. Basilica of Our Lady – 28 Norfolk Street, Guelph - November 22nd, 2017 at 7pm. Reception to follow in the church hall. There is no need to register and no cost to attend. Parents, grandparents, teachers and pastors – all are welcome! David Wells book – The Reluctant Disciple will be for sale following the talk along with a number of faith resources from Novalis Publishing.

This Week's Events

October

30 Rosary for Peace - Sacred Heart 7:00pm

31 Tuesday MASS (7:00 pm)

November

1 Euchre Matinee: (1:00 pm Coulson Hall)

Catechism Class (6:30pm Coulson Hall)

2 Mass @ 8:00am for the Faithful Departed

3 Seniors' Program at Rockwood Library (11:30am to 1:30pm)

5 Mass @ 8am for Deceased Priests of the Diocese

Did You Know?

- * All Saints Day is November 1
* The saints are followers of Jesus who have died
* it is the day we honour people who lived holy lives on earth
* All Souls Day is November 2nd
* it is the day that we remember all those people who have passed away

MASSES FOR DECEASED

As we approach the month of November, when we especially pray for our deceased loved ones, I wish to inform you that on:

- * Thursday, November 2nd at 8:00am a mass will be celebrated with the intention: For Deceased Parishioners.
* Friday, November 3rd will be: For Deceased Priests of the Diocese
Fr. Mark

Prayer Calendar for Priests

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

- Mon. - Rev. Archange Kebe
Tues. - Rev. Ambroise Tshiaba Ntumba
Wed. - Deceased Members of Our Parish Community
Thurs. - Rev. Tony O'Dell, O.M.I.
Fri. - Rev. Joseph Okoko
Sat. - Rev. Saju Oreethaparambil, C.Ss.R.