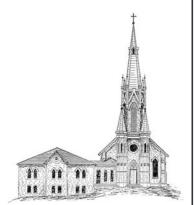
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St. Mark, Lions Head Saturday 9:30 am

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3rd Sunday of Lent March 23rd, 2025





Mar 24 to Mar 30

Mon 9:00 am Richard & Regina Makuch (Int) Private Mass - In Honour of the Blessed Mother

Tues 9:00 am Fr. Luc Payette (Int) 7:00 pm Boyd Norman +

Wed 9:00 am Bill van Trigt + Private Mass - Fred Fries +

Thu 9:00 am Fr. Francis Ahuekwe (Int) 7:00 pm Fr. Paul Mathew (Int)

Fri 9:00 am Tony & Dianne Rovers (Int) Private Mass – Special Intention

Saturday - March 29

9:30 am Lion's Head – Rita Kelly (Int) 11:30 am Tobermory - P.J. Thomas + 5:00 pm Owen Sound - Juan Noriega +

Sunday - March 30

9:00 am OS - Allen Thornley + 11:00 am OS - Jack Lyall + 9:00 am Chatsworth - Dennis Solomon + 11:00 am Meaford – Pro Populo 9:00 am Hepworth - Dan Walser + 11:00 am Wiarton - Earl & Marian Hoffman & Patrick Ryan + 1:00 pm Cape Croker - Jo-Anna Damm +

From the Hamilton Diocese Prayer Calendar This week we pray for:

Mon. Most Rev. Matthew Ustrzycki Tue. Annunciation of the Lord

Wed. Lay Parish Ministers

Thu. Rev. Jarek Pachocki, O.M.I.

Very Rev. Msgr. Murray Kroetsch Fri.

Sat. Rev. Luis Inacio

* Sacrament of Anointing & Communion to the Sick: Available upon request. Please call the office. *

Adoration is every Friday starting at 9:30 until 10:30 am



Prayer Corner:

The Angelus

The angel of the Lord declared unto Mary, and she conceived of the Holy Spirit. Hail Mary...

Behold, the handmaid of the Lord; be it done to me according to your word. Hail Mary...

And the word was made flesh and dwelt among us. Hail Mary...

Pray for us, O holy Mother of God; that we may be made worthy of the promises of Christ.

Pour forth, we beseech you, O Lord, your grace into our hearts that we, to whom the incarnation of your Son was made known by the message of an angel, may by his passion and cross be brought to the glory of his resurrection. We ask this through the same Christ, our Lord.

Amen.

* In the Parish*

Stations of the Cross - The Stations of the Cross is a devotion, especially during Lent, that prayerfully follows

Jesus' path to the Cross. Every Church contains the 14 stations, and it can be prayed at any time. In Owen Sound this devotion is celebrated every Friday of Lent at 7 pm. Please come and

Lenten Resource - Are you are looking for a good THE ART

Lenten resource to support your Lenten journey? "The Art of Living" by Edward Sri is available for \$10 in the Parish giftshop. A great read for anyone wanting to take the next step in growing towards God. Mr. Sri explains very simply why virtues are so essential if we want

to grow in relationship with others. A virtuous person does not just do what is right, they delight in doing right things.

Food for Families - 40 Cans for Lent -

40

Almsgiving during the season of Lent is one way for us to share God's gifts. Food insecurity, not having enough money to buy food, is a serious income problem that

affects 1 in 5 households in Grey Bruce. Food donations can help provide temporary relief for families struggling to afford food. This year, consider supporting families in need of food through the "40 Cans for Lent" program coordinated by the Knights of Columbus. Beginning on Ash Wednesday and continuing throughout the forty days of Lent, you are invited to make a daily donation of at least \$1 or 1 canned/non-perishable food item. Each church will have a box available to collect food items. There are envelopes at the entrance of the church for monetary donations and you will receive a tax receipt.

Invitation to Cursillo (ker-see-yo) - The Hamilton Diocese Cursillo Movement is hosting the 84th



Mens Cursillo weekend at Kkottongnae Canada, 6096 Second Line, Orton, ON. Thursday May 22nd at 7pm to Sunday, May 25th, 2025, at 5pm. For more information visit the Diocese of Hamilton

Cursillo web site at www.cursillohamilton.org or pick up a flyer at the back of the church or contact Mary Ann Kirkconnell rmkirkconnell@gmail.com 519-379-9858. You are also welcome to join us for Ultreya on the 2nd and the 4th Saturday of each month at 9am to 10am at St. Mary's of the Assumption Parish Centre, Owen Sound.

Reminder – Please make certain that you have turned your cell phones off or put them on silent before you enter the Church. We have had an increase in phones going off during Mass, which is disruptive.

* In the Diocese *

The Diocesan Wedding Anniversary Mass – Save the Date! Are you celebrating your 25th, 40th, 50th, 60th, or 60+ Wedding Anniversary in the year 2025?



You are cordially invited to join Bishop Crosby and couples from across the Diocese of Hamilton for a Wedding Anniversary Mass on **Sunday**, **June 1**, **2025**, at the Cathedral Basilica of Christ the King in Hamilton at 1:30

pm. (Space allows room for Anniversary couples only those married 60 years or more may bring one guest if you require assistance). Registration is found under Upcoming Events on the home page at hamiltondiocese.com.

Reel Justice Film Festival - Join us for our special youth screening of Marcel the Shell with Shoes On, March 27th! Marcel is an adorable, 1-inch-tall shell who ekes out a colorful existence with his grandmother, Connie, and their pet lint, Alan. Once part of a sprawling community of shells, they now live alone as the sole survivors of a mysterious tragedy. However, when a documentary filmmaker discovers them, the short film he posts online brings Marcel millions of passionate fans, as well as unprecedented dangers and a new hope of finding his long-lost family. Available to watch all day! Movie link will be sent straight to your inbox! Register and view our full schedule at:

https://hamiltondiocese.com/reel-justice-film-festival/

When life changes - Has someone you cared about died? Are you grieving the loss of the person's presence in your life? Are you looking for relief from the feelings associated with the loss of this loved one? You are not alone! The Hamilton Diocese is offering our six-week grief program from **April 23rd to May 28th, 2025**. The program runs from 7:00-8:30 pm at the Chancery Office at 700 King St. West in Hamilton. To register go to hamiltondiocese.com and look for the start date under upcoming events on the home page.

Marriage tip of the Month - March is the start of Lent, a time when we reflect on our faith and our commitment to living as we are called to as disciples of Jesus. It is a perfect time to discuss as a couple how your marriage, considered both a Sacrament and Vocation by the Church, is fulfilling its mandate to be the visible sign of God's invisible love. Do you strive always to treat each other as God loves, in total self-giving, with mercy and forgiveness acting as strong pillars of your marriage? This Lent, make your Lenten journey a time to pray together and to work as a couple to strengthen one of the most important parts of your life, your marriage. (Family Ministry Office; 905-528-7988 ext. 2250)

Vocations - The Lord is kind and merciful and calls us to proclaim His Name. Consider service in the priesthood or consecrated life. If God is calling you, to be a priest, religious or deacon, contact Fr. Mark Morley, Director of Vocations, Diocese of Hamilton at 905-528-7988, email vocations@hamiltondiocese.com/pr visit the website: hamiltondiocese.com/vocations/

For the Sick, our fellow parishioners, family members and friends who need our prayers: Edith Fries, Lyn Hannigan, Anne MacDonald, James Gamble, Joann & Noel Price, Valma & Francis Wright, John Rossitter, Doug Shular, Matt Bell, Kenny Dunkley,

Marek Powichrowski, Bernadette Lewis, Marlene Burnett, Jerry Couture, Marcia Couture, Julie Devine, Paul Burt, Rosanne Lipskie, Cecile Renaud, Robert Pointon, Rob Hillyer, Anne Loisel, Sharon Richard, Fr. Bill Scanlon, Bill Schinbein, Felix Poole, Arnold Hodgkinson, and Mike Couture. **We pray to the Lord**.

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Repent, says the Lord; the kingdom of heaven is at hand.

Matthew 4.17

Our labour here is brief, but the reward is eternal. Do not be disturbed by the clamour of the world, which passes like a shadow. Do not let the false delights of a deceptive world deceive you.

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