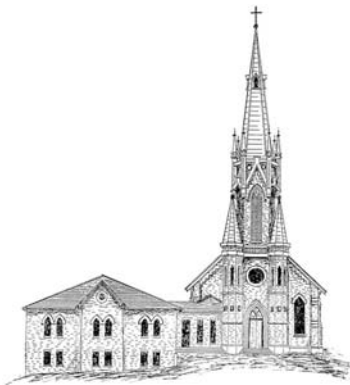


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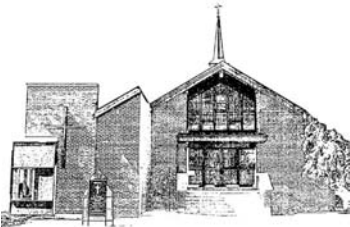
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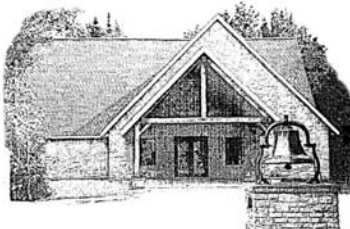
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Sunday 9:00 am, 11:00 am



St. Vincent, Meaford
Sunday 11:00 am



St. Thomas The Apostle, Tobermory
Saturday 11:30 am



St. Mark, Lions Head
Saturday 9:30 am

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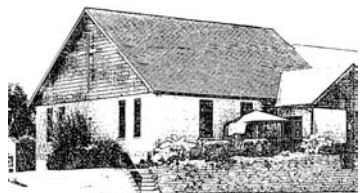
St. Mary of the Rosary, Hepworth
Sunday 9:00 am (Nov-Mar)



Holy Family, Sauble Beach
Sunday 9:00 am (Apr-Oct)



St. Stanislaus, Chatsworth
Sunday 9:00 am



St. Thomas Aquinas, Warton
Sunday 11:00 am

WEEKDAY MASSES

Owen Sound: Monday-Friday 9:00 am

Tuesday, Thursday 7:00 pm

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Friday 3:00 pm – 4:00 pm

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Tuesday-Friday 9:00 am-12 noon; 1:00 pm-5:00 pm

CONFESSIONS

30 minutes before all weekday and the Lord's Day Masses.

NEW PARISHIONERS


Welcome to your new parish! You will find registration forms at the back of the Church. Fill one out and drop it in the collection basket.



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Meeting at 7:00 pm



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St. Mary's High School
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St. Mary's, Cape Croker
Sunday 1:00 pm

25th Sunday in Ordinary Time

September 22nd, 2024



Sep 23 to Sep 29

- Mon 9:00 am** Angela Rankin (Int)
Private Mass: Cynthia Sison +
Private Mass: Stuart Nesbitt (Int – Healing)
- Tue 9:00 am** Anna Szakall (Int)
7:00 pm Brenda Lee Vokes (Int)
- Wed 9:00 am** Karen Duggan (Int)
Private Mass: In praise & thanksgiving for the McBride, Munn, Clark & McKenna Families (Int)
- Thu 9:00 am** John & Kathy Razza (Int – 60th Wedding Anniversary)
7:00 pm Frank van Trigt (Int)
- Fri 9:00 am** Stephen Rovers +
Private Mass: Ross & Marie Cruickshank (Int- 99th Birthday)
Private Mass: Cynthia Sison +
- Saturday – September 28**
9:30 am Lion's Head – James John Haas +
11:30 am Tobermory – Our parish priests (Int)
5:00 pm Owen Sound – Anna Francuz & Kazmiera Buczma +
- Sunday – September 29**
9:00 am OS – Pro Populo
11:00 am OS – Rhea Meneses (In Thanksgiving for prayer intention)
9:00 am Chatsworth – Melvin D'Silva +
11:00 am Meaford – Richard Zowodniok (Int)
9:00 am Sauble Beach – Keith Munn +
11:00 am Wiarton – Earl & Marian Hoffman & Patrick Ryan +
1:00 pm Cape Croker – Mass

From the Hamilton Diocese Prayer Calendar

This week we pray for:

- Mon. Rev. Hayden Starczala
Tue. Rev. Gordian Okpuruka
Wed. Salesians of St. Don Bosco (S.D.B.)
Thu. Rev. Robert Hetu
Fri. Very Rev. Ian Duffy/World Tourism Day
Sat. Rev. Vernon Boyd, S.J.

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

** In the Parish **

Adoration Summer Schedule – Adoration is every Friday starting at 9:30 am with Benediction beginning at 10:30 am. Please come and spend some time with our Lord.

Adoration every Friday – Starting in October we would like to begin having adoration of the Blessed Sacrament beginning after the 9 am Mass and going until 6:30 pm. Benediction would start at 6:15 pm. To do this, we will need volunteers who can commit themselves to being in the Church for an hour every Friday. This is to ensure that our Lord is never left alone. If you have time and would like to donate an hour every Friday, please contact the parish office at 519-376-0778. We will try this out for a month or two and see if we can continue.



RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults)
If you or someone you know is thinking about becoming a Catholic, please contact the office to make an appointment to speak with Fr. Paul. Our next RICA program begins on **Tuesday, November 12th** at 7:30 pm in the St. Mary's Parish Centre.



Installation Mass – You are all invited to attend an Installation Mass for our new pastor, Fr. Paul Mathew on Saturday, October 5th at 5 pm. Bishop Crosby will be here to celebrate the Mass and install Fr. Paul as our pastor.

Bishop's Charity Dinner – Get Your Tickets

While They Last! - Don't miss out on the Bishop's Charity Dinner and Silent Auction happening on **Saturday, October 5, 2024**, at St. Mary's and the Missions Catholic Church in Owen Sound. We are honored to welcome Bishop Douglas Crosby, OMI, as our special guest for the evening! Tickets are \$50 and spots are filling up quickly! Enjoy a delicious meal, fellowship, and an opportunity to support our parish and the Bishop's charities. Mass at 5:00 PM followed by dinner at 6:30 PM. To reserve your tickets, please call (519) 807-4754 or email gk2092@ontariokofc.ca. Be sure to secure your spot soon—we look forward to seeing you there! *We are still looking for sponsorships and/or silent auction donations, God bless you for your support!*



Faith Sharing Group – You are invited to join a faith sharing group who reflect on and study the upcoming Sunday readings. No homework, just bring your Sunday Missal. Come out and meet your fellow parishioners **every Tuesday at 10:00 am** on the lower level of the parish centre. All are welcome!

Rosary Program – We are looking for some people to help with the Grade 2 Rosary Program. It will require 1 hour per month at St. Basil's School. If you are interested in helping us, please email st.maryscwl@outlook.com.

Invitation to Cursillo (ker-see-yo) – What is Cursillo? It is a renewal movement of the Church. It has been a powerful tool in achieving a new and deeper awareness of what Christianity means in many peoples' lives. Cursillo is an encounter WITH



ONESELF, WITH CHRIST, WITH OTHERS that can last your lifetime. Ultreya meet on the **2nd and 4th Saturday of each month at 9.00 am** in St. Mary of the Assumption Parish Centre, Owen Sound. Enjoy a Coffee at 8:45 AM. Everyone is welcome. Like Jesus said, "Come and See" John 1:39. For more information contact MaryAnn Kirkconnell rmkirkconnell@gmail.com 519-379-9858 or Pauline McGrath pauline_mc_grath@hotmail.com 905-702-3963.

Carmelite Spirituality Group – The Carmelite Spirituality Group will be having a **Scapular Enrolment and Blessing of the Roses** for the feast of St. T r se of Lisieux, **October 1, 2024**, at St. Mary of the Assumption and Missions, Owen Sound after the 7:00 pm Mass. All are welcome.

Divine Mercy Hour and Adoration – The Divine Mercy Chaplet and the Rosary are prayed every Friday from 3:00 pm to 4:00 pm at St. Mary of the Assumption in Owen Sound. If you cannot stay the whole hour, you are welcome to join for as long as you can. Please come and join us. You are certain to find peace & comfort in the presence of the Lord.



Altar Server Ministry - Parents and students, we need more Altar Servers!

Some of our older servers have retired after many years of service, leaving a substantial gap to fill. This is a very, very special ministry for our youth ages 8 and up. Please consider being part of it. Contact Corry Lapointe at outoftheloft@gmail.com.

St. Mary's Choir - St. Mary's Choir is meeting every Wednesday at 7:00 pm. Come and join us!

Pilgrimage to Portugal, Spain, Andorra, & France – You are welcome to join a pilgrimage, organized by QS Travel & Tours, under the spiritual guidance of our pastor, Fr. Paul, to Portugal, Spain, Andorra, & France. You will be visiting the cities of Lisbon, Fatima, Aljustrel, Valinhos, Porto, Braga, Santiago de Compostela, Leon, Lourdes, Meritxell, Andorra la Vella, Montserrat, and Barcelona. The tour departs from Toronto on **May 27th** and returns on **June 7th**. The cost for the 12-day pilgrimage is \$4,590.00. Please see the flyer in the foyer for more details or go to the website <https://www.qstours.com/pilgrimage-tours/rooms/pilgrimage-to-portugal-spain-andorra-and-france-5/>.

** In the Community**

VON Bereavement Support Groups – The VON bereavement support services provide information, skills, knowledge and coping strategies to help you through your grieving process.

They offer an 8-week Bereavement Support Group Wednesdays starting on **September 18th** from 10:00 am to 12:00 pm. This is a closed group which is offered for

anyone who has experienced the death of a loved one. You must register for this group by contacting 519-376-5895 ex 2 or by emailing amanda.tetzlaff@von.ca or Ingrid.bell@von.ca.

They are also offering a Drop-In Grief Support Group which will begin the 4th Tuesday of each month beginning on September 24th from 1:00 pm to 2:00 pm. Pre – registration is required by calling the number above or emailing either of the addresses above.

** In the Diocese **

Twenty – Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time - "Whoever wants to be first must be last of all and servant of all." This life is the ministry of a priest, sister, brother, or deacon. If you feel God is calling you to one such vocation, call **Fr. Mark Morley, Director of Vocations, Diocese of Hamilton at 905-528-7988**, email vocations@hamiltondiocese.com or visit the website: hamiltondiocese.com/vocations/

For the Sick, our fellow parishioners and family members who need our prayers: Anne MacDonald, Paul Nicholson, Jackie Furlotte, Donelda Woods, Bill Schinbein, Josee Costantini, Wayne Hillyer, Mike McFayden, Dennis Solomon, Colleen Warmington, Marie Beckberger, Rob Zaltron, James Gamble, Cheryl Watters, Lincoln Hogan, Lydia Foch, Alwyn D'Silva, Joan West, Colleen Wright, Andrew Gambal, Mike Adams, Bernadette Lewis, Lyn Hannigan, Becki Knisley, Tom McDonnell, Sharon Cantlon, Brad Cahoon, Ben Meissner, Helen Hunter, Felix Poole, Matt Bell, Arnold Hodgkinson, and Mike Couture. **We pray to the Lord.**



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Sauble Beach	1, 450
Meaford	1, 443
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Hepworth	221
Chatsworth	439
Tobermory	451
Lion's Head	<u>913</u>
	\$ 9, 830

May God bless you for your generosity.

Then he took a little child and put it among them; and taking it in his arms, he said to them, "Whoever welcomes one such child in my name welcomes me, and whoever welcomes me welcomes not me but the one who sent me."

Mark 9. 37



Beware of angling for compliments, lest you lose God's favour in exchange for people's praise.

St. Jerome

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