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CLERGY

Father Wieslaw Berdowicz S.Chr., Pastor

PARISH OFFICE

Monday – Friday
9:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.
Tel: 519-822-8944
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CATHOLIC SCHOOLS

Sacred Heart Catholic School
Tel: 519-824-2751
St. James Catholic High School
Tel: 519-822-4290

OUR LORD'S DAY LITURGIES

Saturday 7:00 p.m.
Sunday 10:00 a.m., 7:00 p.m.
12:00 p.m. – Polish Mass

WEEKDAY MASSES

Please check schedule next page

St. Vincent de Paul: 519-265-8944

Sacrament of Penance:

Before each weekday Mass,
Saturday 6:20 p.m. - 6:50 p.m. Any time upon request.

Sacrament of Baptism:

Please contact the Parish Office at least a month prior to the proposed date of Baptism. Application forms are available at the office.

Sacrament of Marriage:

Please contact the Parish at least six months before the proposed date of marriage.

Sacrament of Anointing and Communion to the sick:

Available upon request

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament:

Fridays from 9:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m.
All Night Adoration Every First Friday of the Month.

Catholic Funeral Rites:

For information regarding Catholic burial please contact the Marymount Cemetery & Our Lady Immaculate Mausoleum at 519-836-8814

Catholic Womens League (CWL):

Contact person: Iole Cazzola 519-824-6022

Knights of Columbus

St. George Council 16183

General Meeting - 2nd Wednesday of each month.
For information, contact - Grand Knight - Mr. Mike Macerollo
519-710-5354 email: macerollo.m@gmail.com

PARISH MINISTRIES (please contact the people listed below to volunteer in **YOUR** parish!)

Extra- Ordinary Ministers	Angela Marchione-Faragher	519-831-4377	Polish Ministries:	Jadwiga Wrzalka	519-760-0040
St. Vincent de Paul	Patricia Franceschini	519-822-7765	Lectors	Angela Marchione-Faragher	519-831-4377
Altar Servers	Roandre Villegas	519-823-0482	Ushers	Jack or Monica Glazier	519-822-7629



Sunday 03-03

10:00 a.m. Fr. Jacek Walkiewicz, birthday blessings
 12:00 p.m. +Michalina Boron
 7:00 p.m. Theresa Heeley, God's blessings

Monday 03-04

8:15 a.m. For Parishioners

Tuesday 03-05

7:00p.m +Shirley Escanlar

Wednesday 03-06

8:15a.m. 1.) +Maria Aramini
 2.) Partick Mott, Maria Mott, God's blessing
 3.) +Adelio Miotto (from Stella Beltrame)

Thursday 03-07

7:00p.m. **Stations of the Cross**
 1.) ++Natalina & Cosmo Maugeri
 +Yolanda Maugeri-Hall
 2.) Special intentions for Juliana
 3.) +Maria Barus
 4.) Renzel & Roandre, God's blessings &
 all necessary graces
 5.) Patricia Grierson, birthday blessings

Friday 03-08

8:15a.m. +Augusta Tonin
 7:00pm. **Druga Krzyzowa**
 1.) +Jerzy Polaski
 2.) +Henryk Mieczkowski
 3.) +Grzegorz Potepski
 4.) O Boze Bogoslawnienstwo dla Julii z
 okazji pierwszych urodzin i jej rodzicow
 5.) O zdrowie dla Grazyny Belza

Saturday 03-09

8:15a.m. ++Annunziato & Vincenza Furfaro
 7:00p.m. +Danica Tomas

NEXT SUNDAY

Sunday 03-10

10:00 a.m. Fiona Kenny & Mary Kenny, birthday
 blessings
 12:00 p.m. +Jan Rzeznik, + Laslo Kanzamar, + Jozef
 Winiarczyk
 7:00 p.m. For Parishioners

ANNOUNCEMENTS

SUNDAY COLLECTION: February 25 \$ 2, 505.00
Loose Collection: \$ 611.20
Seminary Collection: \$ 50.00

THANK YOU AND GOD BLESS!

LITURGICAL SERVERS

Saturday 03-02 7:00 p.m. -altar servers

-Lector: D. Seitz
 - Ushers: T. Pellizzari, S.Phan,

Sunday 03-03 10:00 a.m. - altar servers:

-Lector: M. Veroni
 - E. O. M. A.M. Maiocco/P.Stradiotto
 - Ushers: R. Saretta, T. Gobbi

Sunday 03-03 12:00. p.m. - ministranci:

- Lektorzy: A. Stankiewicz/M. Rzeznik
 - Kolektorzy: W. Rzeznik/M. Babol/T. Wrzalka

Sunday 03-03 7:00 p.m. -altar servers:

- Lector: A. Percic
 - E.O.M.: M. Trent



Jesus cleaned out the temple of money-changers. He was angry; He was zealous; He spoke with authority. He was doing what He had to do even though it involved risk, danger, insult, and wonder. Such is a religious vocation in the Church. If you think God might be calling you to be a priest, religious, or permanent deacon, call **Fr. Mark Morley, Director of Vocations, Diocese of Hamilton at 905-528-7988.vocations@hamiltondiocese.com hamiltondiocese.com/vocations/**

IN THE NEXT WEEK IN THE DIOCESE OF HAMILTON WE PRAY FOR THE FOLLOWING PRIESTS

Monday 03-04 -Rev. George Nowak, C.R.
Tuesday 03-05 - Rev. Edward Hinsperger
Wednesday 03-06- Disabled Persons
Thursday 03-07 - Rev. Pat Aiello, C.R.
Friday 03-08 -Rev. Chris Buda, C.R.
Saturday 03-09- Rev. James Link, C.R.

MARCH CALENDAR OF EVENTS



Sunday 03 - Third Sunday of Lent
Thursday 07 - Saints Perpetua & Felicity
 - Stations of the Cross (English)
Friday 08 - John of God, Opt. Mem
 - International Women's Day
 - Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament @ 9am – 7pm
 – Stations of the Cross @ 7pm (Polish)
Saturday 09- Saint Frances of Rome, Opt. Mem
Sunday 10 - Fourth Sunday of Lent
 - Daylight Saving Time begins

40 DAYS FOR LIFE PARISH WITNESS



We will witness and pray across from the Guelph Community Health Centre downtown on the weekend of March 23-24. Signup sheets and all necessary information are

posted in the vestibule. Please contact Stella Mott, 519-763-9991 if you need a partner to witness with.

KNIGHT Rider

Need a ride to mass? ... or to any church event? If you answered "YES" to either of the questions, then the answer is "YES" to our new program "KNIGHTRIDER". This is a "FREE" service to the parishioners of Sacred Heart, to help to get everyone to mass! If you, or anyone you know needs assistance to get to church, please call Mike @ 519-241-9741. Leave your name and phone number, and we will get back to you to discuss the details. This is Another Knights of Columbus ST. GEORGE Council 16183, adventure.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS, ONTARIO 50/50 DRAW IS COMING CLOSER!

Don't forget to credit our parish, if we are listed as the council that is registered as the Council of the winning ticket, we get a portion of the Knight's earnings. The more that register, the more we can potentially receive. Today's estimated prize is worth \$ 19, 260.00.

CHURCH PAINTING

Our dearly loved church is in the very capable and professional hands of Courtney Painting. Ken and his two sons, Kyle and Tyler have been painting professionally, together as a team since 1985! Ken started in the Vestibule and in the Organ Loft, and the part of the Nave by the Confessionals.

This past week, Ken started on the Gym side wall, from the entrance to the Altar Servers Sacristy to the Confessional wall. The Stations of the Cross, and the statue of St. Anthony, all got a good cleaning while they were down. Keep up the GOOD WORK guys!

MAJOR EVENTS...COMING UP...

BACK TO THE WARD STAG...Fri. April 26/24 at the Legion, just 9 weeks away!

PARISH BAZAAR- been absent for 3 years, and returns Fri. July 05 & Sat. July 06/24, just 15 weeks away.

SACRAMENT RECONCILIATION BEFORE EASTER

- Monday, March 18, 2024 -7:30am – 8:00am
- Tuesday, March 19, 2024 – 6pm – 6:50pm
- Wednesday, March 20, 2024 – 7:30am – 8:00am
- Thursday, March 21, 2024 – 6pm – 6:50pm
- Friday, March 22, 2024 – 7:30am – 8:00am
- Friday, March 22, 2024 – 6pm – 6:50pm
- Saturday, March 23, 2024 – 7:30am –8:00am
- Saturday, March 23, 2024 – 6pm – 6:50pm



FORMED



Lent Week Three | Return: Lent with Fr. John Burns

Fr. John Burns reflects on the practice of fasting to return to the Lord. Fr. John affirms for us that it is in our suffering—our experiences of betrayal and rejection—that we are united with Christ and experience the victory of Christ on the cross as we carry our own crosses in life. In Lent, we are reminded that we are not alone. Christ walks with us every step of the way to bring us into communion with the father. How will you unite your suffering to Christ's this Lent?



Lent Week Three | Restore: Lent with Sr. Miriam James Heidland, SOLT

In week three of Restore, Sr. Miriam James Heidland, SOLT, explores the root of personal sin and reflects on a quote from Bob Schuchts of the John Paul II Healing Center, "Behind every disordered desire is a good and holy desire, an unmet need, an unhealed wound, and a hidden pattern of sin." Sr. Miriam will help you open your heart to the Lord and let him go to the root of your sin—the why. It is here that the Lord wants to encounter you.

SUMMARY OF WHAT LENT IS ALL ABOUT

It's about remembering our priorities. This is a time of purification and penance, of prayer and fasting, of giving alms and giving of ourselves, of doing without and turning away from the distractions of life to rediscover what it means to love

God and love our neighbor — all in anticipation of the greatest feast on our calendar, Easter.

And so, this week, just when a lot of us might need it, we hear once again God's commandments — challenging us, humbling us, maybe even convicting us. The first commandment we hear should have all of us wondering: "Wait. 'Other gods?' I don't have other gods in my life. Do I?"

Well, maybe. Think about it.

Maybe those other gods don't speak from mountaintops. Maybe they're closer than that. Maybe we're hearing them in the next cubicle, in the elevator or in emails and texts that arrive after hours. Maybe we're worshipping our careers, or we're enamored with status and influence. Maybe we've carved mythical statues in tribute to our own success, or we worry too much about the opinions of others.

The other gods that clutter our lives can even be closer than that — in the kitchen, in the bar, in the garage. What takes up our time and attention, and pulls us away from our walk toward holiness?

Lent is a good time to ask whether we need to turn away from those empty gods and turn toward the God who loves us, comforts us, uplifts us, redeems us.

It's fitting that this reading from Exodus is paired with the gospel account of Jesus cleansing the temple — spilling the coins of the money changers and overturning their tables. He wanted to rid his Father's house of the mercenary distractions that cheapened that sacred space. Well, Lent is a moment for us to turn over the tables of our lives and stand before God as penitent people, seeking to be made new. How is that going? Are we consumed with zeal for him — or are we obsessed with other things, other distractions, other gods, instead?

It can be tempting amid the busy-ness of daily life to lose sight of what really matters, and to forget The One who makes it all matter. This week, as we near the halfway point of Lent, we can take a breath and take stock. Are we making the most of this season of opportunity and introspection, this time of self-examination and self-discovery? It's alright to ask ourselves if we're doing all we can to (as we heard on Ash Wednesday) "repent and return to the Gospel." The gospel reading is more than simply a dramatic confrontation in the temple. It's a call to action — to drive out the things within us that might be keeping us from drawing closer to God. Because, whether we realize it or not, every now and then we need to flip over the tables in our own lives.

Deacon Greg Kandra is an award-winning author and journalist, and creator of the blog, "The Deacon's Bench."



Please pray for: the health of Baby Ava, Ellen Norrie, Virginia Everson.

+Joe Holody, +Elisa Di Leonardo, + Krystyna Szczesna, + Adelio Miotto, +Amelia Stradiotto, +Jadwiga, Marianna Gasiorowska

Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon them. May the souls of all the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace.

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