

SACRED HEART PARISH

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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
Fax: 519-822 -6699

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 02-18

10:00 a.m. In thanksgiving to God for all graces received for Justine Ntembo Family

12:00 p.m. +Maria Czarzasta

7:00 p.m. ++Franca & Lorenzo Stefanelli

Monday 02-19

8:15 a.m. ++Teresa & Agostino Leo

Tuesday 02-20

7:00p.m +Marcin Bancarz

Wednesday 02-21

- 8:15a.m. 1.) +Marie Bolzon
 2.) Joseph Mott, Mary Raymond, Victoria Traore-God's blessings
 3.) +++Mary, Joseph, Paul Simpson

Thursday 02-22

7:00p.m. **Stations of the Cross**

- 1.) Special intention for Juliana
- 2.) +Maria Bartus
- 3.) For Parishioners

Friday 02-23

8:15a.m. +Ned Furfaro

7:00pm. **Droga Krzyzowa**

- 1.) O Boze bogoslawniostwo i potrzebne laski dla Agnieszki i Piotra Rzeznik
- 2.) +Henryk Mieczkowski
- 3.) Teresa Palczewska, w Bogu wiadomej intencji

Saturday 02-24

8:15a.m. +Amelia Stradiotto

7:00p.m +Boleslaw Ciucmanski

NEXT SUNDAY

Sunday 02-25

10:00 a.m. +Enzo Miotto

12:00 p.m. Za ojczyzne i Zolnierzy Wykletych

7:00 p.m. +Nikola Milkovic

ANNOUNCEMENTS

SUNDAY COLLECTION: February 11	\$ 1,935.00
Loose Collection:	\$ 534.00
Initial Collection:	\$ 10.00
Mission Appeal:	\$ 10.00
Solemnity of Mary:	\$ 10.00
Seminary Collection:	\$ 117.00
New Year's Collection:	\$ 10.00

THANK YOU AND GOD BLESS!



LITURGICAL SERVERS

Saturday 02-17 7:00 p.m. -altar servers

- Lector: A. Marchione-Faragher
- Ushers: T. Pellizzari, S.Phan,

Sunday 02-18 10:00 a.m. - altar servers:

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

Sunday 02-18 12:00. p.m. - ministranci:

- Lektorzy: M. Perschke/A. Mocarska
- Kolektorzy: B.Gonczar/T.Brod/S.Dobron

Sunday 02-18 7:00 p.m. -altar servers:

- Lector: L. Reyhipolito
- E.O.M.: M. Trent

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

Monday 02-19 -Rev. Robert Bulbrook

Tuesday 02-20 - Rev. Ron Cote

Wednesday 02-21- Discalced Carmelite Sisters (O.C.D.)

Thursday 02-22 - Rev. William Foote

Friday 02-23 - Rev. Michael Isabelle

Saturday 02-24- Consecrated Virgin Candidates

FEBRUARY CALENDAR OF EVENTS



Sunday 18 - First Sunday of Lent

Monday 19 - Family Day

Wednesday 21 - St. Peter Damian, Bishop & Doctor of the Church

Thursday 22 - Chair of St. Peter, Feast

Friday 23 - St. Polycarp, Bishop & Martyr

Sunday 25 - Second Sunday of Lent

LENT



The season of Lent is a time of fasting, sacrifices, as well as prayer; its aim is to prepare our hearts for a fruitful celebration of our Lord's Resurrection. Commandments of the Church require us to restrain from participating in parties during the season of Lent, as well as to confess and receive Holy Communion during Easter. We encourage everyone to give up something for Christ. It is still not too late. What will you give up? Smoking, alcohol, wasting time online? Perhaps you will try to be more understanding towards your spouse, or other family members. Perhaps you will give up sweets, gossiping or watching TV. Pick just one thing so that you can fully experience the season of Lent. Do this for the crucified Christ.

FIRST SUNDAY OF LENT

Why did Jesus subject Himself to the most cruel and ignominious of deaths. One drop of his Precious Blood would have saved a thousand worlds. He chose this death to prove to us the infinite sincerity of his love for us. And we - careless, insensible, thoughtless blind - remain unmoved at the sight of all He did for us. We look at a crucifix and feel no pity for our Crucified Lord. We look on the Stations of the Cross and feel no answering sorrow stir our hearts. He did all that God could do to constrain our love, but our coldness, our incredible blindness nullifies all that Divine Love did to gain our affection. Worse still: "By our sins," the Apostle tells us, "we crucify again the Son of God and make a mockery of Him." We know and believe that

He is God, that He suffered and died for each one of us, yet we remain hard and ungrateful at the sight of all that Jesus has done for us. Why do our hearts not burn with love of Him? Because we do not trouble to think about the Passion; we do not ponder on it; we do not love it. Clearly, we must love and honour the Passion. Here are a few ways to help us to do this: 1. Making the Sign of the Cross slowly and reverently. Remember that each time we make the Sign of the Cross we offer the Passion and death of Jesus to the Eternal Father and thank Jesus for dying for us. We also console the Heart of Jesus; we obtain pardon for our sins; we help to save the world from great evils.

FR. P. O'Sullivan

FORMED



LENT

FORMED is excited to present curated content to help the Church journey through this Lenten season. In this collection are resources to help the faithful deepen their understanding of various Lenten days, practices, and devotions. You can find resources on prayer, the mystery of Christ's Passion, the roots of Holy Week found in Judaism, and many things to help guide the faithful through the holiest days in our liturgical year—the Triduum. We pray that all of these resources draw us deeper into the mystery of Lent, Holy Week, and the Triduum as we look forward to the joy of the Resurrection.

FORGIVEN: THE TRANSFORMING POWER OF CONFESSION



Forgiven: The Transforming Power of Confession explores the grace and healing offered in Confession and shows how this sacrament of mercy reveals the depth and bounty of God's love.

By looking at God's revelation of his mercy in Scripture and making a step-by-step examination of the Rite itself. Forgiven communicates God's invitation to each one of us to come experience his indescribable love in the Sacrament of Reconciliation. **Join us for six Tuesday evenings starting February 20th after the 7pm Mass in the church hall.** The following Tuesdays are Feb 27, Mar 5, 12, 19 and 26th. Please RSVP to the Parish Office (519-822-8944) so that we have enough books for everyone.

STATION OF THE CROSS



Starting February 15th, we invite you to a Lenten Devotion on **Thursdays at 7:00pm**. Followed by a Mass. In Polish, Stations of the Cross will be on **Fridays at 7:00pm** (starting February 16th). Everyone welcome!

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 RAFFLE



The estimated Prize value is \$17,000.00!

Draw Date- APRIL 28/24

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- purchase tickets

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LIFT JESUS HIGHER RALLY

"Take Heart: By His Wounds We Are Healed"

Metro Toronto Convention Centre, Toronto. Join the Catholic Renewal Ministry on **Saturday, March 2, 2024**. Variety of speakers. Closing Mass celebrated by Archbishop Francis Leo. Tickets are \$30 and bus tickets are \$20. For tickets and bus transportation please call: Ana Percic 519 824 8456. For more information on the rally go to <https://www.ljhr.ca/>.

LENTEN PRAYER

Jesus, before witnessing your Passion and death, many proclaimed you blessed. But when you came in the name of the Lord, you were nothing like what we expected. Your heavenly triumph offers neither power nor prestige. Instead, you show us how to bless the world though charity, forgiveness and self-sacrifice. Fill our hearts with joy so that we can forever sing "Hosanna!" united as one with you. Amen.



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



+Joe Holody, +Elisa Di Leonardo, + Krystyna Szczesna, + Adelio Miotto, +Amelia Stradiotto.

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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