

# 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 6:30 – 7:00 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!)

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



**Sunday 02-12**

10:00a.m. ++Natale & John Licari  
 12:00 p.m. +Zofia Czajka, 1 rocznica  
 Jan Czajka, o zdrowie i potrzebne łaski z okazji 94 urodzin  
 7:00 p.m. ++Edward & Paul Garcia

**Monday 02-13**

8:15 a.m. +Ryszard Gadzinski

**Tuesday 02-14**

7:00p.m. +Ned Furfaro

**Wednesday 02-15**

8:15a.m. 1.) +Michal Rutyna  
 2.) For living & deceased Parishioners  
 3.) Fr. Pawel Stankiewicz, God's blessings  
 Safe travels

**Thursday 02-16**

7:00p.m. 1.) Souls in Purgatory  
 2.) Birthday blessings for Adrian  
 3.) Catholic Women's League  
 4.) +Irene Hoffbauer  
 5.) +Grandma Mary Belford  
 6.) +Jolanta Szymańska-Pętak

**Friday 02-17**

8:15 a.m. +Sherry Ibrahim  
 7:00p.m. +Ignacy Danowski

**Saturday 02-18**

8:15a.m. ++Annunziato & Vincenza Furfaro  
 7:00p.m. +Zygmunt Hajduk, 1<sup>st</sup> Anniversary

**NEXT SUNDAY**

**Sunday 02-19**

10:00a.m. ++Agostino & Teresa Leo  
 12:00 p.m. +Maria Czarzasta  
 7:00 p.m. Marjan Percic, birthday blessings & guidance

**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**SUNDAY COLLECTION:** \$ 2, 725.00  
**Loose Collection:** \$ 837.15  
**Seminarian Collection:** \$ 672.00  
**THANK YOU AND GOD BLESS!**

**SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME  
 FEBRUARY 12, 2023**

"No eye has seen, nor ear heard, nor the human heart conceived, what God has prepared for those who love him." If you feel you are being invited to spread the Good News of God's love as a priest, deacon, brother or sister or consecrated virgin, contact Fr. Mark Morley, Director of Vocations, Diocese of Hamilton at 905-528-7988.  
[vocations@hamiltondiocese.com](mailto:vocations@hamiltondiocese.com) [hamiltondiocese.com/vocations/](http://hamiltondiocese.com/vocations/)

**LITURGICAL SERVERS**

**Saturday 02-11 7:00 p.m. –altar servers**

- Lector: A.Marchione-Faragher  
 - E.O.M: A.Marchione-Faragher  
 - Ushers: M.Veroni, T.Pellizzari, S.Phan, L.Tonin

**Sunday 02-12 10:00 a.m - altar servers:**

-Lector: C.Maiocco

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

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

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

**Sunday 02-12 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 02-13** - Rev. Francis Noronha, C.S.C.

**Tuesday 02-14** - Rev. Rafal Tomon

**Wednesday 02-15** - Discalced Carmelite Sisters (O.C.D.)

**Thursday 02-16** - Very Rev. Tim Uniac, C.R.

**Friday 02-17** - Rev. Pat Aiello, C.R.

**Saturday 02-18** - Rev. Chris Buda, C.R.

**FEBRUARY CALENDAR OF EVENTS**

**Sunday 12** – Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time

**Tuesday 14** – St. Cyril, Monk and Methodius, Bishop

- St. Valentine

- National Flag Day

**Sunday 19** - Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

**Monday 20** - Family Day

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

**Wednesday 22** - Ash Wednesday

**Thursday 23** - St. Polycarp, Bishop & Martyr

**Sunday 26** – First Sunday of Lent

**6<sup>TH</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

Imperfections are part of being human. Yet God, as our Father, has set higher standards and wants the best for us. He wishes us to open our eyes to his ultimate plan. He intends us, as sinners who are not immune to toxicity and temptations, to join his kingdom.

God has given us free will. Will we follow him? Are we living only with self-centered goals and desires, or do we make God's Ten Commandments and Jesus' teachings our guiding light?

Today's readings stress the urgency of aligning ourselves – our behavior, values and intentions – with God's will. Being faithful to God goes beyond a checklist of rules – and yet we aren't hopeless for breaking them, for with a contrite heart our sins can be forgiven. We are encouraged to recognize the importance of righteousness in our hearts, minds and souls. We are asked to love beyond ourselves-making the love of God and others a priority. Our merciful and loving Father isn't expecting perfection. He desires us to at least strive to walk in his ways.

While living the Christian way is demanding, let us give thanks to God. He forgives our human imperfections, offering us a life of true joy and peace on this earth and, most importantly, in heaven. Blessed are those who walk in the law of the Lord!

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**COUNTDOWN TO LENT**



Ash Wednesday is approaching! Lent begins on February 22<sup>nd</sup>. Lent is time for penance and repentance, for almsgiving and prayer, for working to change attitudes that are not pleasing God.

**Ash Wednesday Masses will be 8:15am and 7pm.**

We place ashes on our foreheads as an external symbol of entering the road of penance. Ashes remind us that everything comes from nothing and will turn into nothing again.

**"Remember man that you are dust and into dust you shall return."**

**LIFT JESUS HIGHER RALLY “EMPOWERED TO STAND”**

Metro Toronto Convention Centre, Toronto. Join the Catholic Renewal Ministry on Saturday, **March 4, 2023**. Variety of speakers. Closing Mass celebrated by Cardinal T Collins. Tickets \$25 and bus tickets are \$18. For tickets and bus transportation please call: Ana Percic 519 824 8456.

**FILM FESTIVAL**

Join the **Reel Justice Film Festival February 23, 2023 7:00 PM – 9:00 PM** for a film screening featuring two short films that highlight challenges and approaches to affordable housing. ***A Better Tent City*** follows a group of dedicated individuals, including those living rough, service providers, community members and municipal staff, working together to create a self-organized housing community in Kitchener, ON. ***Safe*** explores the housing and opioid crises through the stories of tenants that live in Indwell affordable housing units, available for people experiencing poverty because of their mental health and/or substance use disorders, in Hamilton, London, Woodstock, Simcoe and Mississauga. Both films focus on the necessity for low barrier housing, community building, and respect for our shared home.

Special discussion following the screening with **Fr. Toby Collins, C.R., Pastor at St. Mary, Kitchener** speaking about his work and ministry with **Tiny Homes and A Better Tent City**, as well as with **Jess Brand, Indwell regional manager for Hamilton** discussing the community engagement, programs, and initiatives offered through Indwell to provide supportive affordable housing.

**The screening and discussion will be hosted online. R.S.V.P. and view our full schedule of events at: [reeljusticefilmfestival.wordpress.com/](http://reeljusticefilmfestival.wordpress.com/)**

**CATHOLIC YOUTH ORGANIZATION – CAMP BREBEUF**



C.Y.O Camp Brébeuf is preparing for another exciting summer of offering Catholic camping experiences to young people as well as job opportunities for high school students and young adults.

This summer we will be offering 7 weeks of both overnight and day camp programs. Our summer camp program helps children in building independence, confidence, friendships by participating in a variety of games and activities such as high ropes, canoeing, swimming, archery and sleep outs all in a catholic camp setting.

We are looking for teenagers and young adults that would be interested in working with youth this summer. The ideal candidate would have a passion for working with children of varying abilities and be able to work both independently and as a team.

Successful candidates will learn valuable skills such as time management, organization, resiliency, and adaptability. It is our goal to return these leaders to your parish community with a willingness to share their knowledge with peers, which in turn will create a greater awareness in your youth and an openness to make a difference in our world.

**STS. CYRIL AND METHODIUS-FEBRUARY 14<sup>TH</sup>**

Cyril and Methodius, the apostles of the Slavs, were brothers who hailed from Thessalonica. After receiving an excellent education, they were sent by the Eastern Emperor Michael III (842-856) into the kingdom of Grand-Moravia; through great effort and in spite of tremendous difficulties they converted the Slavonic nations. They translated the Bible into Slavonic and devised a kind of writing, called glagolitic (Cyrillic), which even to the present day is used in the liturgical services of some Eastern rites.

In 867 the two brothers came to Rome, were met by Pope Hadrian II (867-872) and the whole papal court. They gave a report of their labors but encountered opposition on the part of jealous clergy who took offense, it was said, because of their liturgical innovations.

Cyril and Methodius explained their methods and from the Pope himself received episcopal consecration (868). Soon after, Cyril died at Rome, only forty-two years old, and was buried in St. Peter's; later his body was transferred to San Clemente, where his remains still rest. His funeral resembled a triumphal procession.

Methodius returned to Moravia and labored as a missionary among the Hungarians, Bulgarians, Dalmatians, and the inhabitants of Carinthia. Falling again under suspicion, he returned to Rome and defended the use of the Slavonic language in the liturgy. The Pope bestowed upon him the dignity of archbishop. After his return to Moravia, he converted the duke of Bohemia and his wife, spread the light of faith in Bohemia and Poland, is said to have gone to Moscow (after the erection of the See of Lemberg), and to have established the diocese of Kiev. After his return he died in Bohemia and was buried in the Church of St. Mary at Velehrad, the services being conducted in Greek, Slavonic, and Latin.

—Excerpted from *The Church's Year of Grace, Pius Parsch*

**VALENTINE'S DAY-FEBRUARY 14<sup>TH</sup>**

Valentine's Day, also called **Saint Valentine's Day or the Feast of Saint Valentine**, is an annual holiday celebrated on February 14. It originated as a Western Christian liturgical feast day honoring one or more early saints named Valentinus and is recognized as a significant cultural and commercial celebration in many regions around the world. Several martyrdom stories associated with the various Valentines that were connected to February 14 were added to later martyrologies, including a popular hagiographical account of Saint Valentine of Rome which indicated he was imprisoned for performing weddings for soldiers who were forbidden to marry and for ministering to Christians, who were persecuted under the Roman Empire. According to legend, during his imprisonment, Saint Valentine healed the daughter of his jailer, Asterius, and before his execution, he wrote her a letter signed "**Your Valentine**" as a farewell.

**WELCOME TO SACRED HEART PARISH**

**WOULD YOU LIKE TO REGISTER?**

PLEASE COMPLETE FORM AND DEPOSIT IN THE COLLECTION OR HAND IN TO THE PARISH OFFICE.

Family Name \_\_\_\_\_

First Name (s) \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Phone No. \_\_\_\_\_

Email address \_\_\_\_\_

**Sunday Offering Envelopes: Yes----- No-----**  
**Tax receipts available for your donations. Please obtain envelopes at the Office. Tax receipts for all donations over \$20 are issued every January.**

*We encourage all the members of Sacred Heart Parish who did not register yet, to fill out the registration form. Being a Registered Parishioner is helpful in the future requirements related to the religious life.*



the health of Maria Aramini, Baby Ava, Ellen Norrie, Virginia Everson, Cathy Caravaggio (Mammoliti)

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