

Welcome To St. Joseph's Parish

We extend you a warm welcome to St. Joseph Parish. We pray that you feel at home. Please introduce yourself and consider becoming a member of our Family of Faith.

Prayer Intentions

Tuesday, May 24, 2022

7:00pm Ben Rider – Jane Thatcher

Wednesday, May 25, 2022

8:30am Intentions of Fr. Jim Petrie – John & Mo

Rutherford

Thursday, May 26, 2022

8:30am Intentions of Berney & Gwen Sytsma – Mary

Epoch

Friday May 27, 2022

8:30am Charlie MacLeod Saturday, May 28, 2022

5:00pm Doug MacLean - Anne MacLean

Ben Rider Pat Morgan

Intentions of Fr. Ken – John & Mo Rutherford

Intentions of Sonny Clerkin Agnes Givens - Leo & Family

Sunday May 29, 2022

9:00am Intentions of the Parish 11:00 am Special Intentions

Sixth Sunday of Easter - May 22, 2022

Whoever loves me will keep my word, and my Father will love him and we will come to Him. How will I respond to that love? Am I being called to the priesthood, diaconate or religious life? If God is calling you contact Bishop Wayne Lobsinger, Director of Vocations and Priestly Formation, Diocese of Hamilton (905-528-7988).

vocations@hamiltondiocese.com Email www.hamiltondiocese.com/vocations/

Diocesan Prayer Calendar Rev. Kevin D'Souza

May 23	Rev. Kevin D'Souza
May 24	Rev. Piotr Golinski
May 25	School Sisters of Notre Dame
May 26	Rev. Andrew Czarny
May 27	Rev. Phillip E. Cook
May 28	Rev. Peter Ciallella
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Fr. Ken's Retirement Celebration

Join us in celebrating Fr. Ken's upcoming retirement at a "Come and Go" Party planned for June 26th, 12:00 -3:00pm. We are asking everyone who plans to attend to RSVP on the sign-up sheets located in the Narthex. Full details of the event are described on the Invitation attached to this bulletin.

Thank You – From The Knights of Columbus

The Knights of Columbus would like to thank all those who helped our bottle drive earn over \$400.00 for our various charities. A special thanks to Centre Wellington Racquets and the Mulder family for their efforts.

St. Vincent de Paul May Meeting

A reminder to all members of our local St. Vincent de Paul Society that the monthly meeting will take place on Wednesday, May 25th at 4pm in the Parish Hall. Anyone who might be considering becoming involved with this group is welcomed to attend!

Pregnancy Centre Presentation

The Knights of Columbus have organized a presentation by Joanne Pronk, Director of the CW Pregnancy Centre at 7:30 pm Tuesday May 24th in the Parish Hall prior to the regular Knights' May meeting. The Knights would like to extend an invitation to any Catholic Women's League members who would be interested in attending this 15-minute update presentation. The presentation will be followed by opportunity for questions. We hope to see you there!

Office Closed

This weekend we will celebrate the Victoria Day holiday, and therefore the Church Office will be closed on Monday, May 23rd



Maryhill Historical Society's Canada Day Celebration

The Maryhill Historical Society will be holding Canada Day celebrations this year on Friday July 1, 11am to 3pm. This year people will be asked to bring their own picnic lunch but treats and water will be supplied. There will also be a limited supply of free ice cream cones for all and also limited craft kits for the children. There will be walking tours of the village and the Old Walled Cemetery but no horse wagon rides. There will be an antique display and of course music and reminiscing. People will be asked to gather at the flagpole at 11 a.m.

On-Line Learning Offered Through Dayton University (VIcff)

The Diocese of Hamilton is pleased to have The University of Dayton: Virtual Learning Community for Faith Formation (VLCFF) as a partner in adult faith formation. The VLCFF is a living adult faith community offering online learning opportunities to address the learning needs of adults in our Diocese. *To Inform, Encourage and Heal* is a NEW four-week online seminar in which you will have opportunity to engage meaningfully in the work of the Truth and Reconciliation Commission. Following the course texts and online discussions, you will gain a greater understanding of your role as a Catholic Christian in the work of reconciliation and solidarity in support of Indigenous communities. For more information or to register for the June 2022 session, visit

https://www.hamiltondioceselearns.com/ or email catechesis@hamiltondiocese.com.

Chalice Festival of Prayer

Everyone is invited to join Chalice online at www.chalice.ca for a June Festival of prayer:

Mary Mother of the Church

Beginning June 6 at 12:30 pm AST, we're magnifying our matron saint, *Mary Mother of the Church*, with a one-hour celebration with our sites around the world. Join us for song, Scripture, reflection and prayer as we thank our Blessed Mother for her constant care and protection.

St. Anthony of Padua

One week later, June 13, we will gather again to celebrate the Feast of St. Anthony of Padua, patron saint of the poor and a Franciscan Doctor of the Church. We will be led by Dr. Nathanael DesRoches of Halifax. This will be an online morning celebration at 8:30am AST. Our brothers and sisters in western Canada will be able to view a recording of it at a more 'awake' hour!

The Anger Iceberg



Saturday, June 11, 2022 Led By Anna Racine Cost: \$65 (includes lunch) 9:30am-3:30pm

Getting Angry is only the tip of the Iceberg. Anger is a secondary emotion. Understanding the cause of anger is the first step to managing it.

This Workshop will identify the causes of anger and explore our own beliefs and patterns of response. Learn how to respond to anger on a day-to-day basis in a healthy, constructive, and creative ways.

Presenter bio at www.annaracine.org

Register at 905 356 4113 x4200 OR reservations@carmelniagara.com

Mount Carmel Spiritual Center 7020 Stanley Avenue Niagara Falls, Ontario www.carmelniagara.com

St. Boniface Corpus Christi Procession

"You are invited to St. Boniface Church in Maryhill for their traditional annual Corpus Christi procession to the two outdoor altar houses. The procession will take place immediately after the 10 a.m. Mass on Sunday, June 19th Everyone is welcome!"





You are invited to help us congratulate

Father Ken Miskiewicz

On his retirement by gathering for a

Come & Go Party

on June 26th, 2022

12:00pm to 3:00pm with a presentation at 1:30pm

St. Joseph's Parish Hall 760 St. David Street North, Fergus, ON

Finger foods and non-alcoholic beverages will be available from 12:00pm onward. A guest book will be available for you to sign and a special table will be set up for cards & gifts.

To ensure we have enough food and drink, please RSVP on sign-up sheets at the Parish or call Judy Daniel 519-843-1622 no later than Monday June 20/22 by noon.