

ST. JOSEPH'S CHURCH

February 10, 2019 A.D.

5th Sunday in Ordinary Time



THIS WEEK MASSES

Mon., Feb. 11	<i>Our Lady of Lourdes</i>
8:00 am	† Ildebrando Silveira req. Maria Silveira
Tues., Feb. 12	
7:00 pm	† Dec'd members of the Skvarek Family req. Arek
Wed., Feb. 13	
8:00 am	† Allan McQuillan req. Maureen & Rudy Levacic
Thurs., Feb. 14	<i>Sts. Cyril & Methodius</i>
8:00 am	In Thanksgiving req. Antonia & Antonio Arruda
	† Jose de Sousa req. Alda de Sousa
Fri., Feb. 15	
8:00 am	Priest's Intention
Sat., Feb. 16	
9:00 am	† Maria Afonso req. Odete Tinoco
	† Manuel Lameira req. Fernanda Lameira
	† Robert Hocaliuk req. Ruth Ann & Bert Dietrich
	† Dorothy Barrett req. Denise Simpson
Sun., Feb. 17	
10:00 am	Intention of Parishioners Intention of Mary Koechl req. Marie & Callum Vandenberg
	† Joe Camara req. Family & Friends
	† Americo & Maria Julia Da Silva req. Family
	† Maria & Manuel Novo req. Antonia & Antonio Arruda
	† Robert Hocaliuk req. Maria Rosa Issler
1:30 pm	Eritrean Community Mass
5:00 pm	S. Sudanese Community Mass



ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

Tuesday after 7 pm Mass
in the Rectory Chapel

STEWARDSHIP REPORT

Average weekly contribution needed to cover budgeted expenses:	\$	3500.00
Feb. 3, 2019 envelopes (93)	\$	2326.75
Feb. 3, 2019 loose change	\$	149.30
Seminary Education	\$	1017.15
Thank you for your generous support!		
Parish Bequests: Keep your love for your parish alive!		
Please Remember St. Joseph's in your Will and <u>when</u> recommending expressions of sympathy.		

HAMILTON DIOCESE PRAYER CALENDAR

This week please pray for:

Mon., Feb. 11	Rev. Mark Morley
Tues., Feb. 12	Rev. Jason Kuntz
Wed., Feb. 13	Salesians of Don Bosco
Thurs., Feb. 14	Rev. Martin Mikulski, S.A.C.
Fri., Feb. 15	Rev. Bill Trusz
Sat., Feb. 16	Rev. David Reitzel

INTENTIONS FOR SANCTUARY LAMP

Week of Feb. 11, 2019:

Main Church –
Chapel –
Requests accepted by placing an envelope with the intention and a donation of \$10 in the collection basket.

TAX RECEIPTS

Church and SVDP tax receipts are available for pickup at the back of the Church.

Eucharistic Ministers



EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS

If you would like to be a Eucharistic Minister to give Communion on Sundays after the 10 am Mass to shut-ins, please call the church office at 519-745-9302.

Mark Your Calendar

- Confirmation Session – Feb. 12, 6:30 - 8 pm, church hall
- Liturgical Committee meeting – Feb. 13, 6:00 pm, Rectory
- Jr Youth – Feb. 16, church hall, 2-4 pm
- Youth – Feb. 16, church hall, 6-8:30 pm
- Parish Office closed – Feb. 18, Family Day
- Family Movie Night – Mar. 2



BOARD GAME NIGHT

Family Day Weekend Youth Fundraiser, 6-8 pm, Feb. 16th. A great opportunity to spend time with your family and get to know others in the parish. Hot dogs, chili dogs and pizza will be available for sale. Suggested entrance donation \$2/person or \$5/family to support our Youth Group.

ST. JOSEPH'S S.V.D.P.

Items needed for the month of February: cookies, jam, soup and pasta.



CANADIAN CATHOLIC ORGANIZATION FOR
Development and Peace

DEVELOPMENT and PEACE

This Lenten season D&P and Pope Francis invite us to reach out and encounter migrants and refugees, to make a commitment to really go toward others, to stop, listen and really see them. To learn how to foster a culture of encounter in your parish or school join us for a SHARE LENT WORKSHOP, Feb. 12th, St. Michael Parish, Waterloo, 7:30-9:30 pm.

EVENTS

Lift Jesus Higher Rally – Toronto, Mar. 2nd, 9 am- 5:30 pm, *Hope In The Midst of Suffering*. Our Lady of Lourdes Parish, Waterloo, is organizing transportation. Cost - \$55. Info/tickets: Mel Raos at 519-504-9980.

According to Your Word - Diocese of Hamilton Youth Rally at Bingemans,

Kitchener, May 25th, registration fee - \$30. Register: www.hamiltondioceseyouthrally.com.

Nurse On Board - Sun., Feb. 10th, 3 pm, Blessed Sacrament Parish, Kitchener. Guest speaker, Susan Hagar, RN, founder of Nurse on Board, will explain health care navigation and advocacy, the myths and the realities of long-term care and share info on complementary treatments and things you don't hear from most doctors. The purpose of Nurse on Board is to help you stay in your home as long as you can.

Lenten Preparation – Mar. 12th, 7:30-9 pm, 6:30 pm Rosary, 7 pm Mass, St. Michael's Parish, Waterloo. Join us for a reflection on *Our Life in Community* through the lens of the illumination of the Saint John's Bible.

Defending The Faith Conference (Adult) – Join parishioners of Blessed Sacrament and others July 26-28, Steubenville, Ohio, to receive a deeper understanding of our Catholic Church teachings. Discounts for registrations before Feb. 28th. Info: Mary Anne 519-578-6218 or mackerns@hotmail.com.

Carmelite Novena - The Sisters of the Carmel of Saint Joseph will pray for you during the Novena to Saint Joseph, Mar. 11-19. Send your prayer intention slip with your name and address to: Carmel of Saint Joseph, 1127 Carmel-Koch Road, St. Agatha, ON N0B 2L0.

Alpha...Come and See! –an opportunity to explore the Christian faith. It will begin Feb. 28th and run until May 2nd, St. Mark's Church, Kitchener. "Come & See" – Thurs., Feb. 14th, 7 pm. Questions, please contact Ian Kangaloo at 226-808-4733 or stmarkalpha@gmail.com.

Valentine's Card Party – Blessed Sacrament Parish, Feb. 12th, doors open 6 pm, dinner 6:30 pm, \$10. Info/tickets: Judy 519-894-5599.

HELP THE PARISH AND YOURSELF

by subscribing to *Living with Christ* through the parish. Subscription forms are available at all Church entrances. Fill in the form and return it with your payment to the Parish office before March 15th and the parish will receive \$10.00 for each subscription.

ST. BERNADETTE SCHOOL IS LOOKING FOR A LUNCH HOUR SUPERVISOR. This is a paid position that would require an application and interview. Lunch Hour supervisors work for an hour a day over lunch (5 days per week) with the students in the classroom and on the school yard. If you would like more info about being a Lunch Hour Supervisor please stop by the office or call at 519-743-1541. Please pass this info on to others that may be interested in this position.



The Diocese of Hamilton is conducting the One Heart, One Soul Campaign to raise money for every parish in the Diocese and for shared ministries. Answers to a set of Frequently Asked Questions appear in parish bulletins regularly. A compilation of all questions that have been published are available throughout the campaign at oneheartonesoul.ca.

What are the potential benefits of the campaign’s focus on campus ministry?

We know that many Catholic young people who go away to college and university are going to Mass less when they graduate. We want to help college and university students form networks and communities that help them to be comfortable living out their faith. In short, the Diocese wants to support Catholic students during an important time in their lives. Campaign funds will be allocated toward staff and program costs for chaplaincy programs associated with post-secondary institutions within the Diocese.

How would the hospital ministry goal be beneficial?

Hospital ministry is a way for the Church to be Jesus for us during a difficult time, providing comfort, peace and healing as we tackle big questions. The campaign goal will serve to improve what we already do to make the Church present to a population that might not be present in our parishes. Funds will provide for:

- Pastoral formation and training for those who minister to the sick, whether it be priests, deacons, seminarians or lay hospital ministers.
- Resources for and promotion of palliative care, which aims to relieve the symptoms, pain and stress of a serious illness.

Why the focus on prison ministry and help for migrant workers?

These goals aim to help raise the consciousness of the Diocese at large to these populations and their needs. The Church is theirs, too, and the Church needs to be there for them for the same reason it ministers to all of us. Funds from the campaign will enhance the mission and vision of prison ministry, in particular by formalizing the structure of the ministry in the Diocese. That will include the training of deacons and lay volunteers to help them share the healing and compassion of Jesus with those confined in correctional institutions. For migrant workers, the Diocese is committed to ensuring their spiritual and pastoral care for the period they spend in the area providing labour in the industries in which they work.

Mission Statement

St. Joseph Parish is a faith-based community - founded on Baptism, nurtured by prayer and centred on the Eucharist - that welcomes and serves all with compassion, united under the guidance of the Holy Spirit, while sharing our talents and growing as disciples of Jesus Christ.

<u>Loyalty Funding Program</u>	<u>www.loyaltyfunding.ca/stjoseph</u>
<u>Diocese of Hamilton</u>	<u>www.hamiltondiocese.com</u>