

ST. JOSEPH’S CHURCH
April 7, 2019 A.D.
5th Sunday of Lent

THIS WEEK MASSES

Mon., Apr. 8 8:00 am	† Ildebrando Silveira req. Maria Silveira
Tues., Apr. 9 7:00 pm	Int. of sick & shut-ins of St. Clement’s CWL
Wed., Apr. 10 8:00 am	† Louis Fortin req. St. Anne’s Prayer Group
Thurs., Apr. 11 8:00 am	St. Stanislaus † John Lopes req. Otilia Lopes
Fri., Apr. 12 8:00 am	Int. of Gertie Kuntz req. Family
2:00 pm	Mass at Millwood Manor
7:00 pm	Stations of the Cross
Sat., Apr. 13 9:00 am	St. Martin I Priest’s Intention
5:00 pm	† Victor Alves req. Julia Domingues
	† Carl Runstedler req. Irene Runstedler
	† Dec’d members of the De Francesco Family req. Nina De Francesco
	† Souls in Purgatory req. Fernanda Lameira
Sun., Apr. 14 10:00 am	Palm Sunday Intention of Parishioners
	† Orlanda Amorim req. Sister & Family
	† Joe Camara req. Family & Friends
	† Americo & Maria da Silva req. Family
	† Maria Teixeira
	† Christian Teixeira req. Family
	† Paulina & Luis da Rosa req. Antonio & Antonia Arruda
1:30 pm	Eritrean 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
Mar. 31, 2019 envelopes (90)	\$	2873.25
Mar. 31, 2019 loose change	\$	230.25
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> <u>recommending expressions of sympathy.</u>		

HAMILTON DIOCESE PRAYER CALENDAR

This week please pray for:

Mon., Apr. 8	Rev. Mark Sullivan
Tues., Apr. 9	Very Rev. Ian Duffy
Wed., Apr. 10	Immaculate Heart of Mary Srs
Thurs., Apr. 11	Rev. Joseph Akanbi
Fri., Apr. 12	Rev. Piotr Golinski
Sat., Apr. 13	Very Rev. Lukasz Kopaniak

INTENTIONS FOR SANCTUARY LAMP

Week of Apr. 8, 2019:

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



HAMILTON DIOCESE YOUTH RALLY

The annual Diocesan Youth Rally is coming to
Bingemans Kitchener! Youth in grades 7-10,
mark your calendar for Sat., May 25th.
Registration is now open for a full day spent
with hundreds of other young Catholics. Info:
talk to Mary or hamiltondioceseyouthrally.com.

Mark Your Calendar

- Confirmation Session – Apr. 9, 6:30-8 pm
- First Eucharist Retreat – Apr. 13, 1-4 pm

- Confirmation Retreat & Potluck dinner –
Apr. 27, 1:30-7 pm
- First Holy Communion – Apr. 28, 10 am



STATIONS OF THE CROSS

7 pm, each Friday, led by different
parish ministries:
April 12 – 7 pm - Ministers of

Hospitality
April 19 – 9 am - Priests



BIBLE STUDY

A detailed study of the Gospel of
Luke that promises to enrich your
knowledge led by **Fr. Brian Quigley**, till April
17, Wednesday evenings at 7 pm, St. Anne’s
Church Hall. All are welcome!

RUMMAGE SALE

Attention all spring
cleaners! CWL Rummage Sale is happening
on Sat., May 11th and we need your gently
used items! We will be accepting clothing,
linens, dishes & household items, books,
CD’s & DVD’s, games & toys & jewelry. We
will NOT be accepting any furniture or
electronics. Stay tuned for a more detailed list
and other information closer to the date. Any
questions, contact Cathy McFadden 519-578-
0785.



SHARE LENT

Share the journey with Syrian refugees in
Lebanon. Since the war broke out in Syria in
2011, some 12.5 million Syrians have had to
flee their homes. Development and Peace
partner House of Peace (HOPE) is working to
build bridges between Syrian refugees and
their host communities in Lebanon. On this
Solidarity Sunday, we extend a warm thank
you for your generosity. Your donation will
help our sisters and brothers across the
world, from Colombia all the way to Lebanon,

Nigeria, and elsewhere! Thank you for helping
us build a world of peace and justice, where no
one will be forced to flee their home!
devp.org/give



GOOD FRIDAY FISH FRY

Join us on Good Friday April
19th for a fish fry meal after
the 3 pm Service. Menu: battered fish, brown
beans, breads, salads, tea, coffee, dessert.
Pop \$1.00. Cost: No Fish -\$5.00, 1 piece fish -
\$9.00, 2 piece fish - \$12.00. To plan for
adequate portions and seating, meal splitting
will not be allowed. One person per ticket only.
Tickets available after all Masses Apr. 6/7 and
13/14 only. No tickets at the door. Limited
quantity – purchase early!

HOLY WEEK SCHEDULE



Holy Thursday - *Mass of the Lord’s
Supper*, April 18, 7 pm (with incense)
Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament
until 10:00 pm

Good Friday – April 19
Station of the Cross - 9 am
Celebration of the Lord’s Passion, 3 pm

Holy Saturday – *Easter Vigil*
Resurrection of the Lord, April 20, 8 pm

Easter Sunday *Resurrection of the
Lord*, Apr. 21, 10 am

BUILDING FUND COLLECTION

There will be the special second collection at
all Masses next weekend for the Parish
Building Fund. Please be generous.

VOCATIONS OFFICE: If you think God is calling you to be a priest, religious or deacon, contact Fr. Michael King, Vocation Director, Diocese of Hamilton; 905-528-7988 or email: vocations@hamiltondiocese.com, or www.hamiltonvocations.com.



FOOD ITEMS NEEDED ST. JOSEPH’S SVDP FOR APRIL: cold cereal, rice, bean in sauce, peanut butter.

NATIONAL CATHOLIC TV MISSION: SIN, FORGIVENESS & RECONCILIATION – Cardinal Thomas Collins is this year’s Mission leader, and he will explore the healing power available to all of us in the Sacrament of Reconciliation. The Mission will air on Salt + Light and VisionTV during Holy Week. Please check your local listings, call the NCBC toll-free 1-888-383-6277 or visit www.dailytvmass.com for more information.

THE CARMEL OF ST. JOSEPH GUILD invites everyone to attend the Mini-Retreat & Grocery Shower (No Meat) to be held Sat., Apr. 27th from 10:45 am – 2 pm at the Monastery. Mass will be preceded by the Rosary. Guest speaker: Very Rev. Michael King.

ST. MICHAEL’S PARISH GRIEF SUPPORT GROUP - Kathie Shaw will be giving a talk on how to handle those events which cause sadness. All welcome, Mon., Apr. 22nd, 6:30 pm.

THE NEW EVANGELIZATION SUMMIT: Registration to attend this year’s New Evangelization Summit on Sat., May 4th is now open. This conference, which will be held in Ottawa and streamed live to Blessed Sacrament Parish, Kitchener, is intended to inspire and encourage us in growing in our Catholic faith. This year attendance is free however, seating is limited. If you would like to attend, you must register at www.newevangelization.ca.

MARYHILL KNIGHT OF COLUMBUS VEGAS NIGHT: Sat., Apr. 27th at the Bridgeport Rod & Gun (1229 Beitz Rd., RR #1, Breslau). Doors open 7 pm, fun begins 8 pm. Free admission. Fast Food available. Many generous prizes to be won at the “Big Wheel” – grocery hampers, meat boxes, cash prizes and others. Penny Table, other games of chance. A light lunch will be served at the end of the evening. Arrive early to get a good seat. ALL proceeds are given to charity to be announced that night. Contact Mike Runstedler 519-648-3394 or Doug Zinger 519-648-2939.

SEPARATED AND DIVORCED PERSONS: Our Diocesan levels programs are designed to accompany women and men suffering after a divorce or separation. Info can be found on the Diocesan web page <https://hamiltondiocese.com/offices/family-ministry/divorce-separation.php>.

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.
