ST. JOSEPH'S CHURCH

June 17, 2018 A.D. 11th Sunday in Ordinary Time



THIS WEEK MASSES

Mon., June 18

8:00 am † Souls in Purgatory

reg. Lucinda Rodrigues

Tues.. June 19 St. Romuald 7:00 pm † Eluminada De Gracia reg. Cris & Elouisa Cainoy

Wed., June 20

8:00 am † Souls in Purgatory

req. Antonia & Antonio Arruda

Thurs., June 21 St. Aloysius Gonzaga 8:00 am In Thanksgiving to St. Anthony

req. Rosa Paiva

Fri., June 22 Sts John Fisher & Thomas More

8:00 am † Doug Blake req. Pauline Blake

10:30 am Conestoga Lodge

Sat., June 23

† Wayne Marschall 9:00 am reg. Andy & Julie Wybenga

5:00 pm † Andrew & Mary Kossuth reg. Frank Kossuth

† Peter Fitzgerald reg. Landry Family † Souls in Purgatory reg. Julia Domingues

The Nativity of St. John Sun., June 24 the Baptist

9:00 am † Ildebrando Silveira reg. Maria Silveira

> † Vidal Rodrigues req. Family

† Americo & Maria da Silva req. Edita Periera & Family

11:00 am Intention of Parishioners **Eritrean Community Mass** 1:30 pm



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 2581.75 June 10, 2018 envelopes (109) June 10, 2018 loose change 327.90 **Diocesan Summer Jobs Program** 851.50

Thank you for your generous support!

Parish Bequests: Keep your love for your parish alive! Please Remember St. Joseph's in your Will and when recommending expressions of sympathy.

HAMILTON DIOCESE PRAYER CALENDAR

This week please pray for:

Mon., June 18 Rev. Michael Isabelle Rev. Ireneusz Koziak, S.A.C. Tues., June 19 Wed., June 20 **Our Parish Community** Thurs., June 21 Rev. Antonio Cunha Rev. Lourdy Dorismond Fri., June 22 Sat., June 23 Rev. William Foote

INTENTIONS FOR SANCTUARY LAMP

Week of June 18, 2018:

Main Church – Therese Eyono Chapel -

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



VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

Save the dates!! During the week of August 20 - 24, our parish will be having a VBS for all children entering grades 1-6. It

will run from 8:55 am to 12:30 pm each day. Please drop off registration form at the church office till Tues., July 3rd. We are suggesting a \$20 donation per child to help cover the cost of the program. This year, we are looking for volunteers: adults and youth entering grade 7 and older who are interested in helping run the crafts, games,

music, and skits during the camp and to decorate the church hall before hand. If you are interested in helping, please call Lisa at 519-749-2579.



ATTENTION. LADIES

All Ladies of our Parish are invited to our annual C.W.L.

dinner on Fri., June 22nd at 5:30 pm at the Concordia Club. Please sign the lists at the church doors and indicate if you can offer a ride or need one so that we can make arrangements. It will be a wonderful evening to honour the ladies of our Parish. You may contact Marie at mehocaliuk50@gmail.com.

Mark Your Calendar

PPC Exec. meeting – June 18, 7 pm

St. Bernadette School Year-end Mass - June 19, 9:30 am at the school

St. Bernadette School - Year-end BBQ, June 20, 5:30-7 pm

CWL Dinner at Concordia Club -June 22, 5:30 pm

Junior Youth Group meeting – June 23, 2-4 pm

Youth Group meeting – Jun. 24, 6-7

PPC meeting – June 25, 7 pm

St. Bernadette Graduation Mass -June 27, 6:30 pm at the church

EPICURE FUNDRAISER

Thanks for your support. We raised \$140.70.

PPC EXECUTIVE MEETING

The Parish Pastoral Council Executive Mon., June 18th at 7:00 pm in the rectory. Ministry Group Coordinators are kindly asked to have their 3-minute reports into the parish office by Sun., June 17th at the latest. The PPC will meet Mon., June 25th at 7 pm.

BABY BOTTLE CAMPAIGN

Please return your baby bottles. Thank you for your participation in the project.



SUMMER MASS SCHEDULE



From July 1 - Sept. 2 inclusive we will celebrate Mass on Saturdays at 5 pm and Sundays at 10 am. All other Mass times will remain the same.

BULLETIN PUBLICATION

During the summer months the parish bulletin will not be printed. The daily Mass schedule with Mass Intentions, will be posted on the bulletin board at each entrance of the Church.



DIOCESAN CAPITAL CAMPAIGN

A LISTENING SESSION - Mon., June 18th, 7 pm at Our Lady of Lourdes Parish. Waterloo.

MARRIAGE TIP

Expressing gratitude to those we love goes a long way to making them feel appreciated, but negativity bias, which scientists refer to as a tendency to be more sensitive to negative stimuli, often causes relationship problems. This bias makes it easy for us to slip into the habit of remarking on anything that is wrong or negative, but forgetting to express the good we experience and feel. We can help overcome this natural bias by being purposeful in our interactions: express appreciation often, say thank you frequently and remember to tell your spouse what you love about your relationship. Doing a frequent checkup is a sure way to ensure you are more positive than negative, which will be reflected in the positive feelings in your marriage.



<u>VOCATIONS OFFICE</u>: 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.

THE CARMEL OF ST. JOSEPH GUILD invites all members, families and friends to attend the Feast of Our Lady of Mount Carmel Mass to be held Sun., July 15th at 2 pm at the Monastery. The Rosary will precede the Mass. The celebrant will be Rev. Bishop Douglas Crosby.

"FATAL FLAWS" FILM SCREENING: THE DANGERS OF MEDICAL 'AID' IN DYING LAW — Are assisted dying laws leading society down a dangerous path? It's time to learn about the issue as it is experienced in lived reality. Local filmmaker and Kevin Dunn has spent the past three years travelling throughout Canada, The Netherlands, Belgium and the USA to learn more about the answer to this important question. Critics say "FATAL FLAWS" is a must-see for every patient, person or medical caregiver who wants to understand the difference between medical killing and medically-responsible caring. The film is produced by DunnMedia in association with the Euthanasia Prevention Coalition. Join us and learn more on Mon., June 25, 7 pm at SilverCity Hamilton Mountain Cinemas. Tickets can be purchased online, or/and to find out how to bring the film to your area contact FatalFlawsFilm.com or by e-mailing margaret@dunnmedia.ca.

<u>Do you have ideas on how to support families in our Diocese? We want to hear from you!</u> "The family is the community in which, from childhood, one can learn moral values, begin to honor God, and make good use of freedom. Family life is an initiation into life in society. (CCC #2207)" Home is the setting where an individual's physical, mental, emotional and spiritual growth is supported. Like a garden, a home must be tended, appreciated, nurtured and respected in order to thrive. Families today need more support than ever as they raise the future generation. Are you willing to add your voice at our gathering this fall to discover ways we can help families? Please call Lena at 905-528-7988 ext. 2249, or e-mail <u>familyministry@hamiltondiocese.com</u>.

PILGRIMAGE TO THE SHRINES OF QUEBEC: Mon., Aug. 6-Fri., Aug. 10. Info: Erna 519-743-1030 or Rose 519-744-5923, rosejgunn@gmail.com.

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.



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