

**Mass Intentions: March 30<sup>th</sup> – April 7<sup>th</sup>**

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| <b>SATURDAY</b>  | <b>March 30<sup>th</sup></b>                            |                                      |
| 9am              | <i>Mass at Homewood</i>                                 |                                      |
| 5pm              | †Ronald Hunt  |                                      |
| <b>SUNDAY</b>    | <b>March 31<sup>st</sup></b>                            | <i>4<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Lent</i> |
| 9am              | Living & Deceased Members of the Parish                 |                                      |
| 11am             | †Kathleen Stubbart                                      |                                      |
| <b>MONDAY</b>    | <b>April 1<sup>st</sup></b>                             |                                      |
| 9am              | †Dino Peloso  |                                      |
| <b>TUESDAY</b>   | <b>April 2<sup>nd</sup></b>                             | <i>Saint Francis of Paola</i>        |
| 9am              | †Dino Peloso  |                                      |
| 10:30            | <i>Mass at Lapointe Fisher</i>                          |                                      |
| <b>WEDNESDAY</b> | <b>April 3<sup>rd</sup></b>                             |                                      |
| 9am              | †Leo Yaskowich  |                                      |
|                  | †Maria de la Cruz Pena                                  |                                      |
|                  | Intentions for Rose Charbonneau                         |                                      |
|                  | Intentions for Holy Souls in Purgatory                  |                                      |
| <b>THURSDAY</b>  | <b>April 4<sup>th</sup></b>                             | <i>Saint Isidore</i>                 |
| 9am              | †Attilio D’Ulisse                                       |                                      |
|                  | <i>Adoration 9:30 - 11:30am</i>                         |                                      |
| 7pm              | †Jean Ferraro   | †Rita Sanford                        |
|                  | †Frank Curtis   | †Emilia Baires                       |
| <b>FRIDAY</b>    | <b>April 5<sup>th</sup></b>                             | <i>Saint Vincent Ferrer</i>          |
| 9am              | †Leo Yaskowich  |                                      |
|                  | <i>1<sup>st</sup> Friday Adoration 9:30 – 10:30am</i>   |                                      |
| 7pm              | <i>Stations of the Cross</i> – led by CWL               |                                      |
| <b>SATURDAY</b>  | <b>April 6<sup>th</sup></b>                             |                                      |
| 9am              | <i>Mass at Homewood</i>                                 |                                      |
| 5pm              | Living & Deceased Members of Facchini and Mora Families |                                      |
| <b>SUNDAY</b>    | <b>April 7<sup>th</sup></b>                             | <i>5<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Lent</i> |
| 9am              | Living & Deceased Members of the Parish                 |                                      |
| 11am             | †Ted Bachusky   |                                      |

**Weekday Altar Server & Reader: April 1<sup>st</sup> – April 5<sup>th</sup>**

Weekday Server: Rodney Bell  
Weekday Reader: Alana Forrester

**Liturgical Ministry - Saturday/Sunday, April 6<sup>th</sup> & 7<sup>th</sup>**

**E – Eucharist    L – Lector    S – Server**

5pm **E** Diane Drone, Hugh Peloso, Joan Mawhinney  
**L** Paul Drone & Tim O’Connor  
**S** Alexandra & Myra Johnson, Nora, Denise & Peter Dempsey

9am **E** Denise Trainor, Pat & Mike Stuart  
**L** Tom & Marilyn Nolan  
**S** Lauren & Christopher Cathcart, Issac Sijo

11am **E** Lourdes Arellano, Dennis & Dorothy Galon  
**L** Dennis Galon & Barb Jones  
**S** Sarah Obbema, Jane Wood & Isabella McDowel-Cotlear

**Parish Meetings / Events: April 1<sup>st</sup> – April 7<sup>th</sup>**

**Monday, April 1<sup>st</sup>**

- **Adult Faith:** 10:00am– Our Lady of the Rosary Comm. Rm.
- **Prayer Group:** 7:00pm – Adoration Chapel

**Tuesday, April 2<sup>nd</sup>**

- **First Communion Retreat Holy Rosary School:** 9:00am – 2:00pm - Our Lady of the Rosary Comm. Room
- **Fundraising:** 6:00pm – Our Lady of the Rosary Community Room

**Wednesday, April 3<sup>rd</sup>**

- **First Communion Retreat St. Pat’s School:** 9:00am – 2:00pm - Our Lady of the Rosary Comm. Room
- **Volunteer Screening:** 10:00am – Youth Room
- **Stewardship Executive:** 7:00pm – St. Ignatius of Loyola Classroom

**Thursday, April 4<sup>th</sup>**

- **RCIA:** 7pm – St. Ignatius of Loyola Classroom

**Sunday, April 7<sup>th</sup>**

- **One Heart, One Soul Campaign Kick-Off** – after 9 & 11am Masses – in the Church and Lunch following in the Hall.

**Communion Ministers Needed**

Interested in joining our team of Ministers taking Communion to Long Term Care and Retirement residents of the Elliott Community or to parishioners ill at home? Please call Nadia Martin at 519-826-0759 for more information.

**Marymount Cemetery - Reminder**

Families are kindly reminded to remove all wreaths on stands and other winter decorations from their lots by **April 1<sup>st</sup>** to facilitate the spring clean-up. Any wreaths and decorations remaining after April 1<sup>st</sup> will be removed and discarded. For further information, please contact 519-836-8814.

**Praying for an Unborn Child**

Are you willing to pray for an unborn child for nine months? If so, please consider starting on March 25<sup>th</sup>, the Feast of the Annunciation. The prayer is repeated daily until December 24<sup>th</sup>. The prayer will be made available at the next Family Prayer Group held on **Monday, March 25<sup>th</sup>** at 7pm in the Chapel. Please consider joining the group for one hour of prayer.

**Last Income-Tax Clinic**

The last date for the Community Volunteer Income Tax Program at Holy Rosary is **on Tuesday, April 30 – 4:30pm to 7:00pm** in Our Lady of the Rosary Comm. Room. No appointment necessary. Walk in only on a first come, first served basis. Bring your tax papers & forms.

**March 31, 2019 – 4<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Lent**

*“No longer was there manna for the Israelites, who that year ate of the yield of the land of Canaan”.*

*(JOSHUA 5:12)*

Over the forty years that the Israelites journeyed through the desert, God provided them with manna to eat. As soon as they were able to enjoy the fruits of the Promised Land the manna ceased. Likewise, God’s blessings to us may change over the years but it is important to trust that God will always provide us with all that we need.

**Lenten Family Rosary**

All are welcome to join in the recitation of the family rosary every **Wednesday** during Lent at **6pm**. Rosaries and prayers provided.

✧ IGNATIUS JESUIT CENTRE ✧

**Easter Brunch - Sunday, April 21<sup>st</sup>**

Loyola House, Ignatius Jesuit Centre, is again hosting an Easter Brunch. Be sure to book a spot for this year's feast. There will be a smorgasbord of breakfast and lunch favourites that is sure to delight your palate! Tickets are \$25pp; seniors & children under 12 - \$16pp. Under 6 yrs. are free. **Reserved seating – 10am or 12 Noon.** To reserve call 519-824-1250 ext 241 or email [officecoordinator@ignatiusguelph.ca](mailto:officecoordinator@ignatiusguelph.ca) by **April 10.**

**Come Retreat at Loyola House**

Are you looking to break away and spend some time in silence? See our website at [loyolahouse.com](http://loyolahouse.com) for more information on these upcoming retreats and programs:

- The Mystics, Earth & You: Loving Your Place in the Family of Things – May 24 – June 1- facilitated by Bill Clarke SJ, Yvonne Prowse, & Greg Kennedy SJ
- 8-Day Directed Retreat- May 24 - June 1

Register online at [loyolahouse.com](http://loyolahouse.com) or contact [registration@ignatiusguelph.ca](mailto:registration@ignatiusguelph.ca) or call 519-824-1250 - Ext 266.

✧ HAMILTON DIOCESE ✧

**Diocesan Wedding Anniversary Mass**

**Sunday, June 9, 1:30pm**, Bishop Douglas Crosby will celebrate the Diocesan Wedding Anniversary Mass at the Cathedral Basilica of Christ the King. Mass is for couples married 25, 40, 50, 60 or 60 + years in the year 2019. (*Space for Anniversary couples only*) - Those married 60 years may bring one guest if assistance is required. Registration Forms located on the Bulletin Board at the Parish Office Entrance. [hamiltondiocese.com](http://hamiltondiocese.com)

**Holy Rosary Guelph Blood Donor Clinic**

Please join Holy Rosary Parishioners **on Saturday, April 13<sup>th</sup>** to donate blood at the Guelph Donor Center (130 Silvercreek Pkwy, North). Sign up after all masses **on March 30/31** weekend. A representative from Canadian Blood Services will be available to speak after all masses, and do sign-ups for the clinic being held **on Saturday, April 13.** If you have any medical questions about blood donation please call 1-888-236-6283.

**St. Jerome's University - Lectures in Catholic Experience**

Next Lecture is on **Friday, April 5, at 7:30pm.** The topic is "**Architecture as Social Transformation**". LGA Architectural Partner, Janna Levitt, will talk about how a process of deep engagement with communities results in buildings and environments that delight, resonate and challenge us. For more information email to: [cristina.vanin@uwaterloo.ca](mailto:cristina.vanin@uwaterloo.ca)

**Catholic Women's League - Lenten Retreat**

The Catholic Women's League is inviting all its Members to a Lenten Retreat "**COME STAY WITH ME**" at Loyola House. **On Thursday, April 11 from 9:30am – 3pm.** Fr. Bill Clarke will lead us in a day of quiet & reflection. Mass & lunch included. Registration \$10. For more information call 519-826-0385. Retreat envelopes are available on the shelf at Parish Office window. Please place in mail slot at office door.

**Our Lenten Project**

We are inviting all parishes to Our Lenten Project. **On Saturday, April 6, 2019** at the Maryhill Heritage Park Community Centre (58 St. Charles St. E., Maryhill) at 10am- 12:30pm. Guest speaker is Ania Krysciak, chaplain at the University of Guelph. Her topic is "**How Do We Save Ourselves – Our Salvation**". Refreshments and a snack will be provided at break. A small free will offering would be appreciated. All welcome. For more information, please call 519- 648-2939.

**Advance Notice**

On **Saturday, May 4**, this parish will host a webcast of the New Evangelization Summit to be broadcast from Ottawa. Some well-known speakers will be participating. This will be an all-day event with refreshments and lunch provided. Attendance will be free. See the notice boards regarding registration.

**Marriage Encounter Weekend**

St. Joseph Guelph Prayer Group is sponsoring a **Marriage Encounter weekend** retreat **on May 24 – 26, at the Valley Mother of the God Retreat Centre, 7<sup>th</sup> Line EHS, Mono.** It is an opportunity to look carefully into your relationship with each other and with God. For more information, contact **Rey & Mary Ann Repaso, 519-766-9026** or email: [rmgrepasso@gmail.com](mailto:rmgrepasso@gmail.com) or see Bulletin Board.

**WELCOME TO HOLY ROSARY PARISH**

***WOULD YOU LIKE TO REGISTER? - COUNT YOURSELF IN.***

Please complete form & deposit in the collection or hand in to the Parish Office.

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

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

Address \_\_\_\_\_

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

Sunday Offering Envelopes: Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_

*Tax receipts available for your kind donations. Please obtain envelopes at the Office or fill out a form to donate through monthly automatic withdrawal. Tax receipts for all donations over \$20 are issued every January.*