

Mass IntentionsFebruary 15 – 21, 2016

Tuesday, February 16, 2016 – 7:00 p.m.

Wednesday, February 17, 2016 – 8:30 a.m.

+**Barry Wever**, *Rosemary and Shaun MacNeil*

Thursday, February 18, 2016 – 8:30 a.m.

+**Margaret Howard**, *Ruth Beingsner*

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Friday, February 19, 2016 – 8:30 a.m. & 7:00 p.m.

+**Helen Cooper**, *Rosemary and Shaun MacNeil*

Stations of the Cross – 7:00 p.m.

Saturday, February 20, 2016 - 5:00 p.m.

+**Gord O'Hagan**, *Bill and Mary Alice Zister*

Sunday, February 21, 2016 - 10:00 a.m.

Mass for the People of St. Teresa Parish

Hospitals and Privacy Laws:

H Because of privacy laws, hospitals do not notify us when parishioners are admitted. If someone in your family is admitted to hospital and you want the Parish Office to know, please call and tell us. Many hospitals, Catholic or not, have a priest assigned to visit the Catholic patients and bring them Communion, but the family must tell the admittance office of their wish for a clergy visit.

Prayer Network: for those not on the internet there is



an envelope on the bulletin board at the main entrance marked PRAYER NETWORK. Please take a copy of the prayer intentions inside this envelope and pray for fellow parishioners, family and friends.

Euchre Results

Next game will be on **Friday, February 26, 2016** at 7:00 p.m. in the parish hall.

Bingo

Matinee on **Saturday, February 20, 2016** from 12:30 – 3:30 p.m. at the Charities Bingo Hall, 510 Krug Street, Kitchener. To assist with this fundraiser for our parish, please call the office: 519-743-4525.

Stewardship ReportJanuary 31, 2016

Sunday Envelopes	2,595.90
Sunday Loose	16.30
Building and Maintenance	30.00
Initial Envelopes	15.00
Votives.....	52.35
Calorie Club Rent.....	80.00
Seminary Education.....	100.00

Diocese of Hamilton Prayer Calendar 2016

Monday, February 15 – Rev. Jarek Pachocki, O.M.I.

Tuesday, February 16 – Rev. Heininger Paucar, O.M.I.

Wednesday, February 17 – Lay Parish Ministers

Thursday, February 18 – Rev. Young Hoon Kim

Friday, February 19 – Rev. Msgr. William O'Brien

Saturday, February 20 – Rev. Florian Stasinski, C.R.

Sunday, February 21 – Second Sunday of Lent

2015 Tax Receipts

Tax receipts will be available for pick-up at the back of the church this weekend, **February 13/14, 2016**.

Coffee Sunday will be on **Sunday, February 21, 2016** after Mass. Come and join your fellow parishioners for a treat and time to share with each other.

Mass Times for All KW Catholic Churches

We now have a list of all Mass times for Kitchener Waterloo Catholic churches. If you would like a copy, they are at the back of the church in the pamphlet rack. Help yourself.

K-W Lenten Penitential Services

The dates and times of Penitential Services in our area are now available for pickup. They can be found at the back of the church in the pamphlet rack.

Vocations: Jesus was led by the Holy Spirit into the desert for forty days of prayer and fasting. Are you open to being led by the Holy Spirit into the life-commitment God has prepared for you? If you feel God's call to the priesthood or consecrated life, visit: www.HamiltonVocations.com

Waterloo Deanery Lenten Series

Come and be drawn deeper into the abundance of God's Mercy. There are four sessions being offered, one in the afternoon at St. Francis and one in the evening at Our Lady of Lourdes on the same day starting **Thursday, February 18, 2016**. See schedule on bulletin board.

World Day of Prayer will be on **Friday, March 4, 2016** at 7:00 p.m. at our parish. There will be a small reception in the hall following the service. The '**World Day of Prayer**' is a worldwide movement of Christian women of many traditions who come together to observe a common day of prayer each year. It is a movement carried out by women in more than 170 countries and regions and it is commemorated on the first Friday of March. It is a movement which brings together women of various races, cultures, and traditions. Through the World Day of Prayer women around the world affirm their faith in Jesus Christ and share their hopes and fears, their sorrows and joys, their opportunities and needs.

The theme this year is '**Receive Children. Receive Me.**' was prepared by the '**World Day of Prayer**' prayer Committee of Cuba.

In K-W the Churches are formed into groups and Prayer Services are offered in one Church where all participate.

St. Teresa Parish is part of a group that includes Calvary Memorial United, Bridgeport United, St. John's Roman Catholic, St. Mark's Lutheran, Sacred Heart Roman Catholic and St. Paul's Lutheran.

Please plan to attend this event and **WELCOME** our friends from other Churches in the area.

Diocesan Wedding Anniversary Mass

Are you celebrating your 25th, 40th, 50th, 60th, or 60+ Wedding Anniversary in the year 2016? If you are, you are cordially invited to join couples from across the Diocese of Hamilton for a Wedding Anniversary Mass on **Sunday, May 29, 2016** at the Cathedral Basilica of Christ the King at 1:30 p.m. (Space allows room for Anniversary couples only - those married 60 years or more may bring 1 guest if you require assistance). Please refer to the poster at the back of the church for information on how to register for the celebration, or go to www.hamiltondiocese.com.

Lincoln Series will continue at the Anglican church of Saint Columba, Lincoln Road, Waterloo, on **Friday, February 19, 2016** with a performance by the Leith Quartet. The concert features the Leith quartet, four very talented classically-trained string players, giving their take on pop music. While it will include some light classics, its main feature will be covers of pop groups from the Beatles to Led Zeppelin, with contributions from Tool, Nine Inch Nails, and lesser known artists such as Brian Crain and American Authors. If, like me, you're not familiar with all these groups, consult the younger members of your family! It bodes to be a supernova of a concert for strings. Tickets are \$30.00 with students at \$15.00. To ensure that you can get in please go to: saintcolumbachurch.com/saintcolumba/Lincoln_Series_2015_2016.html in order to download an order form, or call me at: 519 886 6395, or e-mail: phoroe@uwaterloo.ca, and I will reserve tickets to pick up at the door.

Pilgrimage Sunday at the Cathedral Basilica of Christ the King

You are welcome to make a Year of Mercy pilgrimage to the Cathedral Basilica of Christ the King, Hamilton on Sunday, February 21, 2016. You may enter through the Door of Mercy (located near the elevator entrance). At 2:00 p.m. we will begin with Exposition and Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament; the Chaplet of Divine Mercy will be offered at 3:00 p.m. followed by Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament. Pilgrims are most welcome to stay for our regular 4:00 p.m. Mass that day. All are welcome.

Lift Jesus Higher Rally

Be inspired, encouraged and healed by celebrating the 24th annual rally on **Saturday, March 5, 2016** at 9:00 a.m. - 5:30 p.m. at the Metro Toronto Convention Centre, 255 Front St. W., Toronto. Ralph Martin, Sr. Ann Shields, Peter Herbeck and guest speaker Deacon Larry Oney.

High Mass (with Sunday readings) celebrated by Cardinal Thomas Collins.

There will be a separate youth event (13-18 years) with great music, dynamic talks and inspirational skits.

Tickets are \$20 for adults and \$15 for the youth and can be purchased online on the web site below, or by phone at 416-251-4255 or 905-833-0360. You can also write to:

Catholic Renewal Ministries, PO Box #177, King City, Ontario, L7B 1A5 or

Email: info@lift-jesus-higher-rally.org, visit: www.lift-jesus-higher-rally.org

A Lifeline for Marriage – Do you feel alone? Are you frustrated or angry with each other? Do you argue ... or have you just stopped talking to each other? Does talking about it only make it worse? This program has helped 10's of 1000's of couples experiencing marital difficulty at all levels including disillusionment and deep misery. For confidential information about, or to register for the program beginning with a weekend on **March 11, 2016** please call: 905-664-5212 or email: hamiltonretrouvaille1@cogeco.ca or visit the web site at www.retrouvaille.org.

Into the Deep – Part II

This seminar is to revitalize your life and ministry. Being held on **Saturday, March 5, 2016** at St. Aloysius Parish, Kitchener. It will start at 8:15 a.m. with a Mass (optional), then registration and coffee beginning at 8:45 a.m. – 2:30 p.m. The seminar is put on by the Magnificat Ministries and the guest speaker is Marcel Dion. He has 40 years experience in teaching, evangelization and discipleship. To register you can e-mail to: Kathie.boryst@gmail.com or telephone: 519-893-6763. Registration fee is \$15.00/person if pre-registering or \$20.00/person at the door.