23rd Sunday in Ordinary Time

#### Sentember 4 2016

## **Mass Intentions**

## **September 5 – 11, 2016**

Tuesday, September 6, 2016 – 7:00 p.m. +Dawn Morris. Lee Binkle

Wednesday, September 7, 2016 – 8:30 a.m. +Joseph & Catherine Spiegl, Spiegl Family

Thursday, September 8, 2016 – 8:30 a.m. +Fred Boegli, Edna Boegli and Family

Friday, September 9, 2016 – 8:30 a.m. +Fred Boegli, Bill and Mary Alice Zister

Saturday, September 10, 2016 – 9:00 a.m.

Saturday, September 10, 2016 - 5:00 p.m. +Joe Gerger, Rose Gerger

Sunday, September 11, 2016 - 10:00 a.m. Mass for the People of St. Teresa Parish

## **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.

# **Hospitals and Privacy Laws:**

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.



## **Euchre Results**

High Score - Bill Zister Most Lone Hands - Chris Hennebry, Lucy Koch, Bernard Brohman Low Score - Anita Hutter 1st Draw - Stella Lemieux / 2nd Draw - Sheila D'Aguilar

Next game will be on Friday, September 9, 2016 at 7:00 p.m. in the parish hall.

#### **Bingo**

Late Night on Saturday, September 17, 2016 from 9:30 -11:30 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 Report**

August 14, 2016	
Sunday Envelopes	1,883.00
Sunday Loose	246.75
Building and Maintenance	10.00
Initial Envelope	174.30

#### **Diocese of Hamilton Prayer Calendar 2016**

Monday, September 5 – Rev. Todd Arsenault, Tuesday, September 6 – Very Rev. John Van Hees Wednesday, September 7 - Holy Ghost Congregation

Thursday, September 8 – Rev. Tomislav Friday, September 9 – Rev. Marko Puljic Saturday, September 10 – Rev. Fulbert Jonas Ahouansou

Sunday, September 11 –24th Sunday in Ordinary

## **CWL Fall Regional Meeting**

for information.

The Regional Meeting is being held on **Saturday**. September 17, 2016 beginning with Mass at 9 a.m., 10:15 will be the start of business and ending by 2 p.m. It will take place at the Basilica of Our Lady Immaculate, 28 Norfolk St., Guelph, ON. The meeting is for all members of the CWL. The purpose of this yearly gathering is to: Meet, Learn, Share, Discuss and Pray. If interested in going please contact Ann at annonn55@gmail.com

#### St. Teresa of Avila CWL Kitchener 13th

Annual Walking Pilgrimage to the Shrine of Our Sorrowful Mother, St Agatha will be held on Sunday, **September 11, 2016**. Gather at Beechwood Plaza, 450 Erb St. W. at 12:00 noon. Pilgrimage begins at 12:30 p.m. We walk to St. Agatha Church for a break followed by refreshments after Mass. At Chapel Shrine: Seven Sorrows Rosary at 2:45 p.m. led by St Teresa Kitchener CWL Members. Followed by Mass at 3:00 p.m. Celebrant: Father Brendan McGrath. It is a 6 km. walk from Beechwood Plaza to the Shrine. Walk one way only. We receive a ride back by anyone who wants to participate in the Mass only. Open to Men, Ladies and Youth of all Parishes. Seven Sorrows Rosaries and Prayer cards for sale. Call: 519-744-8330

CWL Christmas Craft and Bake Sale will be on November 26 and 27, 2016. It is never too early to plan. create, and save for this annual event in our parish. We would love to have your crafts and gift ideas for the sale. We will need prizes for the penny table and goodies for the bake table. Gift bags would also be appreciated. Let's start now to make this the best sale vet. For more information call 519-578-2019.

#### St. Teresa Sunday Morning Choir

If you enjoy singing or playing guitar, we would love to have you join us the 3rd, 4th and 5th Sundays of each month in the choir loft. Please contact Barbara if you are interested at: bmdaly@me.com

**Prayer Shawl Ministry** - St. Teresa Parish has an active prayer shawl ministry. If you know someone who, because of illness, bereavement or for any reason, would like a prayer shawl, please contact the parish office and arrangements will be made. We are in need of people who would like to knit or crochet prayer shawls. Prayer shawls are made with prayer and all have been blessed by the priest. We will provide the yarn for making a prayer shawl.

## **Attention to All Parishioners attending the** 5:00 p.m. Mass on Saturday's

We are in need of Ushers and Readers. As with everything else in life 'many hands make light work'. If we have enough people willing to serve, these ministries can be shared equally. As well, new participants for the 10 a.m. Mass would be appreciated. Schedules will be ready before the end of September.

## Vocations – September 4, 2016

Letting go of our attachment to the things of this world leaves room in our lives for God. Can you let go? If you feel God's call to the priesthood or consecrated life, visit: www.HamiltonVocations.com.

## **Foundations for Ministry Program 2016-17**

The 'Foundations for Ministry' program is a course designed to offer lay Catholics the opportunity to learn more about the foundations of our Catholic faith: Church history, scripture, morality, sacraments and prayer. This foundation is useful to parishioners who serve in a variety of ministries. The course will be offered in Hamilton starting Monday, September 8, 2016. Contact Monica at the Discipleship & Parish Life Office at: 905-528-7988, x2238 or check out our website at: www.hamiltondiocese.com for more information and for registration forms.

## **Thinking of the Sisterhood? 2016 Vocation** Retreat

Daughters of St. Paul: Media Evangelization and Eucharist Adoration will be holding a retreat in Toronto on **October** 1-3, 2016 for ages 18-33. For more information go to: DaughtersOfStPaul.org or tinyurl.com/Vocation Story.

#### **Hospice of Waterloo Region**

The CWL at St. Francis of Assisi, 49 Blueridge Ave., Kitchener have invited a representative from Hospice, to talk about hospice, the services they provide and the needs they have where community members can help. Please take the time to join them on Wednesday, September 14, 2016 at 7:00 p.m. in the church hall. All are welcome.

#### **Fifteenth Annual Vocations Mass**

All are invited to join in the celebration of vocations in the Diocese of Hamilton by attending the Fifteenth Annual Vocations Mass, which will take place on **Sunday**, September 18, 2016 at 2:00 p.m. at St. Matthews Parish in Oakville. For more details please visit: www.HamiltonVocations.com

**The Annual Red Mass** will be celebrated at the St. Mary's Pro-Cathedral, 146 Park St. North in Hamilton on Wednesday, September 7, 2016 at 9:30 a.m. The St. Thomas More Lawyer's Guild sponsors this annual Mass whose long history dates back to the 13th century. The faithful come together to invoke the wisdom of the Holy Spirit upon all those who work in the court system and law enforcement: we pray for Divine guidance and strength upon them and all that they do to guard and promote justice in society.

The celebrant of the Mass is the Most Reverend Douglas Crosby, Bishop of Hamilton. Father Michael King, Diocesan Director of Vocations and Formation, is the homilist. All are cordially welcomed to participate in this Eucharistic celebration.

#### **Bereaved Families of Ontario - Midwestern**

**Region** is currently accepting registrations for our Healing Little Hearts and Parents Grieving the Death of a Child Programs. This group focuses on helping children ages 3-6 understand and cope with feelings of loss when they have experienced the death of a loved one. A concurrent group for caregivers is also held. Registration and intake are required. Go online at: www.bfomidwest.org/our-programs/healinglittle-hearts/