

**Mass Intentions****April 16 – April 22, 2018**

Tuesday, April 17 – 7:00 p.m.

+Jerome Bastian – Helen Bastian &amp; Family

+Gregory Grubb – Helen Bastian &amp; Family

Wednesday, April 18 – 8:30 a.m.

Thursday, April 19 – 8:30 a.m.

+Joseph &amp; Mary Kiss – John Kiss

Friday, April 20, 2018 – 8:30 a.m.

Friday, April 20, 2018 – 2:45 p.m.

Pilgrimage Cross brought to the church

Saturday, April 21, 2018 – 9:00 a.m.

Saturday, April 21, 2018 – 5:00 p.m.

+Maria Porco – Dora Vizza

Sunday, April 22 - 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.

**Bingo**

Matinee on **Saturday, May 12th** from 1:00 – 3:00 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.

**Euchre Results**

Next Euchre Night will be **Friday, April 27th** in the church hall.

**Stewardship Report****April 1, 2018**

Sunday Envelopes.....	\$1,237.00
Easter Sunday.....	1,303.00
Loose.....	298.75
Good Friday.....	1,345.60
Share Lent.....	35.00
Seminary.....	10.00
Hall Rental – Sue's Calorie Club.....	80.00
Funeral – Gatchene.....	150.00

**Diocese of Hamilton Prayer Calendar 2018**

Monday, April 16 – Rev. Jim Valk

Tuesday, April 17 – Rev. Frank Reitzel

Wednesday, April 18 – Holy Ghost Congregation

Thursday, April 19 – Rev. Edwin Lapinski

Friday, April 20 – Rev. Pat Aiello

Saturday, April 21 – Rev. Patrick McKelvie

Sunday, April 22 – Fourth Sunday of Easter

**Prayer Shawls** are blessed and available. Please call the parish office if you would like one.

**The "Faith in Action" Cross** has been travelling from school to school throughout the Waterloo Catholic District School Board as a link and a way of sharing our community focus on faith. The cross will be coming to St. Teresa School in Kitchener on **Monday, April 16th** with the Welcoming Liturgy and Prayer Celebration at 1:30 p.m. in the school gym (All are Welcome) and remain until **Friday, April 20th** at 2:45 p.m. when the students, staff and any community members who wish to join, will walk the cross across the front of the school and to the Church as a symbolic journey to the Church.

**Parish Town Hall Meeting**

We would like to invite all parishioners to attend a Parish Town Hall meeting on **Wednesday, April 25th** at 7:00 p.m. in the church. Jim Long and Monsignor Murray Kroetsch from the Diocese will be present to speak to us about the recent Diocesan study of our Parish and its vitality and viability. Parishioners will have an opportunity to share their concerns as well.

**Amoris Laetitia: "The Joy of Love"**

This event takes place from 7:00 – 9:00 p.m. on **Thursday, April 19th** - St. Anthony Daniel Parish, 29 Midland Dr., Kitchener. An overview of Pope Francis' Apostolic Letter will be explored by the Diocesan Family Ministry Office in each Deanery. Register with Lena at: 905-528-7988 ext. 2249, or on-line by clicking on 'Upcoming Events' at [www.hamiltondiocese.com](http://www.hamiltondiocese.com)

**St. Francis of Assisi Annual Card Party**

Join us for an afternoon of fun at the annual Card Party, **Wednesday April 18th** from 1-4 p.m. Lunch at 1 p.m., tickets are \$15, purchased at the St. Francis of Assisi Parish, 49 Blueridge Ave., Kitchener, 519-745-7301. Proceeds will be donated to Hospice-Palliative Care. Sponsored by the CWL.

**Service of Taizé Prayer and Song** on **Sunday, April 22nd** at 7:30 p.m., hosted by St. Michael's Catholic Church, University Ave., Waterloo, with Brother Emile from the Ecumenical Community of Taizé in France. For more information call: 519-884-9311.

**43rd Annual Waterloo Region Interfaith Community Breakfast**

Join us for this annual breakfast beginning at 7 a.m., **Wednesday, April 25th** in the Ballroom at Bingemans Conference Centre, 425 Bingemans Centre Dr., Kitchener. Our guest speaker is Dr. Hind A. Al-Abadleh, professor of chemistry at Wilfrid Laurier University. She will be speaking on 'Caring for our Common Home: Climate Change and Faith'. Tickets cost \$25 each, or \$175 for a table of eight, at Erb & Good Funeral Home (519) 745-8445. For more information, contact: [ICBreakfastTickets@gmail.com](mailto:ICBreakfastTickets@gmail.com)

**New Evangelization Summit (NES)** at Blessed Sacrament Parish, Kitchener on **Saturday, April 27 & 28th**, serving as a host site. Join thousands of Catholics from across North America at the premier conference on the New Evangelization which will be webcast from Ottawa. This summit will feature several world class Catholic speakers. The cost for the two day event is \$60 per person and includes snacks and lunch on April 28th. Child care services for kids between the ages of 4 and 11 are also being offered on the Saturday. If you

need additional information please contact Blessed Sacrament Church at: (519) 742-5061 or Ian Mendes at: [ianmendes2@gmail.com](mailto:ianmendes2@gmail.com).

**Third Sunday of Easter**

What could convince someone to turn to God? The story that God became human? The story that Jesus cured the sick? The story that Jesus forgave sin? The story that Jesus rose from the dead? Or, perhaps, the story of the witness of your own life! If you have the continuing inclination that God is calling you to be a priest, religious or deacon, contact: Fr. Michael King, Vocation Director, Diocese of Hamilton: 905-528-7988 x2246 [vocations@hamiltondiocese.com](mailto:vocations@hamiltondiocese.com) or [www.HamiltonVocations.com](http://www.HamiltonVocations.com)

**St. Anne's Parish 70th Jubilee Celebration**

"TELL THE NEXT GENERATION"

All former parishioners and guests are invited to Celebrate the 70th Jubilee of St Anne's Parish on **Saturday, May 5, 2018**. Jubilee Mass: 5 p.m., 268 East Ave, Kitchener, with Monsignor Murray J. Kroetsch, former pastors, and guest priests. Jubilee Banquet: 7 p.m. at Schwaben Club 1668 King St. E., Kitchener. Dinner: \$35.00/person. For tickets call: St Anne's parish office 519-745-5302.

**The Saint John's Bible Reception**

Sing for Joy! A concert of music inspired by the illuminations of The Saint John's Bible takes place on **Sunday, April 29th** at 7 p.m. at the Cathedral Basilica of Christ the King. Music will be performed by the Diocesan Choir, the combined choirs of the Basilica of Our Lady Immaculate and the Cathedral Basilica of Christ the King, and the Grand Philharmonic Choir. A highlight of the evening will be excerpts from Bernstein's Chichester Psalms. All are welcome!

**Seeing the Word Session**

Seeing the Word on **Thursday, May 3rd**. You are invited to ignite your spiritual imagination, praying with The Saint John's Bible, using the method of visio divina ("divine seeing"), to prayerfully reflect upon Scripture. The session running from 1:30-3:30 p.m. will focus on Wisdom Woman in the Scriptures. If interested in attending, contact Anthony De Feo at the Liturgy Office: [adefeo@hamiltondiocese.com](mailto:adefeo@hamiltondiocese.com) / 905-528-7988 ext. 2336.

**Diocesan Wedding Anniversary Mass**

Are you celebrating your 25th, 40th, 50th or 60th, or 60+ Wedding Anniversary in the year 2018? On **Sunday**,

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**June 10, 2018**, at 1:30 p.m., Bishop Douglas Crosby will celebrate the Diocesan Wedding Anniversary Mass at the Cathedral Basilica of Christ the King in Hamilton. See poster in the main entrance of the church for information.