

MASS INTENTIONS

Tuesday, 7:00 p.m. November 15
+Connie Dietrich, Helen Deckert

Wednesday, 8:30 a.m. November 16
+Deceased Members of the Edward Halley Family, Sheila Halley

Thursday, 8:30 a.m. November 17
+Edith Borutski, Florence Cybulski

Friday, 8:30 a.m. November 18
+Marie Taylor, Donna Eckert & Family

Saturday, 5:00 p.m., November 19
+ Paul McTaggart, Florence Richter & Family
+Camilla Paleczny, Scott & Glenda Burns

Sunday, November 20
9:00 a.m. +Jose Canhoto, Maria Canhotor
11:00 a.m. For the People,

HOSPITALS AND PRIVACY LAWS: Because of privacy laws, hospitals do not notify us when our 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 - A reminder to all that our prayer network will pray for your intentions. Please call the parish office, 519-743-4525 or Pam, 519-576-9610 with your prayer requests.

HAMILTON DIOCESE PRAYER CALENDAR

Please Pray for:
Monday, November 14 - Fr.. Ronald Hodara
Tuesday, November 15 - Fr. Harry Schmuck
Wednesday, November 16 Our Parish Community
Thursday, November 17 - Fr. Charles Schefter.
Friday, November 18- - Fr. Angelico Valeriotte
Saturday, November 19 - Fr. Kyran Kennedy

MINISTRIES FOR NOVEMBER 19/20

Eucharistic Ministers
5pm: Colin Whaley, Kitty McDonald, Mary Henhoeffter
9am:, Cole Brenner, Erma Williams, Howard Kavelman
11am Paul Rouleau, Francis Weiss, Robert Targosz
Lectors
5pm (R) Maureen Flynn, (P) Yassmin Ghobt
9am (1) Cyndy Gerhardt, (2) Mary Helen Stroeder, (P) Maggie Daly
11am (1) Lou Reitzel, (2) Joanna Macgillivray, (P) Carole Reitzel

Altar Servers
5pm Colin W., Olivia C., Thalia C.,
9am Elijah W., Isaac W., Sam W.,
11am Andrew H., Danielle H., Anemer M.,

STEWARDSHIP REPORT	
Weekly donation needed to cover budgeted costs:	\$ 4,100.00
November 6th (Envelopes)	\$ 3,042.10
Loose Change:	\$ 247.28
Below Average:	\$ -810.62
Building Fund:	\$ 40.00
Evangelization of People	\$ 31.00
<i>Thank you for your continued Support</i>	

Holy Name Society at St. Teresa of Avila Parish As with so many groups and organizations, be it in our society or our Church or our parish, there is a life as well as a death cycle. Sometimes we fight with all our might to instill life into a group or organization but some times we must also allow a group to live its life to the fullest and then at some point die with dignity.

In his monthly newsletter of November 1st to the priests of our Diocese, Bishop Crosby brought forth an issue presented to him regarding the Holy Name Society and does it or does it not still exist and to put to rest confusion that seems to exist in our Dioceses. He stated to the priests: **"I hereby confirm that the Society has ceased operations in the Diocese of Hamilton, as clarified in a letter issued by Bishop Anthony Tonnes dated February 2, 2007. In the event a Holy Name Chapter is operating in your parish, please advise them that they should cease all activities."**

I wish to thank Bill Zister as president and his executive and any other members who may be active for their efforts. In being obedient to the will of both Bishop Tonnos and Crosby, effective immediately the Holy Name Society of St. Teresa of Avila Parish ceases to exist. God bless you all for your service to the Lord. Fr. Tom

Christmas Flowers in Honour of: Let's make our altar beautiful for baby Jesus! This year we are offering an opportunity to honour your loved ones, living or deceased by sponsoring, a Christmas Poinsettia. Envelopes will be available to collect \$5 person being remembered and used towards Christmas flowers. These envelopes will be available the weekend of November 19-20th in the bulletin and at the entrances to the Church. Please put completed envelopes in the collection basket at any of the Masses

ST. VINCENT de PAUL SOCIETY:



It's that time of year again.... The wonderful time to get ready for bringing extra smiles to our families in need with our Christmas hampers and yes TOYS for the kiddies. Please read the insert which outlines the Angel Tree process and dates of the tasks for preparation and delivering of the hampers and toys. **"Many hands make light work"....and it's FUN** ... thank you God Bless us everyone.

CATHOLIC WOMENS LEAGUE NEWS:



Annual Craft and Bake Sale After all Masses the weekend of **November 19th and 20th**. Donations of baking, crafts and raffle table items (new items \$20.00 minimum) can be dropped off at the hall after 2pm on Nov 19th. Raffle table items can be dropped off at 304 Edwin St before the 19th. Call ahead 519-578-8136.

The Hamilton Diocesan Council of the Catholic Women's League is sponsoring a **'Day of Spirituality'** on **Saturday November 26th at St Anthony Daniel Parish in Kitchener.**

The day will begin at 9:30 with coffee and conversation. At 10am the first guest speaker, Father Rico Passero will be introduced. Father Rico was ordained in May following a successful career in the business world. Father Rico will speak on 'His Journey to the Priesthood.' The afternoon session will bring the introduction of Father Ted Hughes a former Diocesan Spiritual Advisor who will speak on 'Poverty of the Spirit.' The cost to attend is \$10 and a hot lunch will be provided. Please contact Pat Wilkins before November 21st at 519- 744-8669 if you wish to attend this very special event!

St Teresa Parish Children's Christmas Party will be held in the Parish Centre on **Saturday December 17th** following the 5 pm Mass. Tickets will be available the weekends of November 26/27, December 3/4 and December 10/11. A hot turkey dinner with all the trimmings will be served and there will be crafts for the kids as well as a visit by a 'very special guy in a red suit! Cost is \$7.00 per adult, \$5.00 for children 10-15 and \$3.00 for children under 10 or \$25.00 for the family.

Families with their last name starting with A-M are asked to bring a salad and families with their last name ending in N-Z are asked to bring a dessert. There are a limited amount of tickets available on a first come first served basis.

FUNERAL CHOIR PRACTICE: The Funeral Choir



(Resurrection Choir) will rehearse EVERY Thursday during the month of November 1 p.m. in the Choir Loft. The extra time is needed for the music from Celebrate in Song and for Christmas preparation. You can still join the fun & friendly group!

BINGO will be held **Saturday, November 19th at 9:30 p.m. Late Night Bingo** and **Saturday, December 3rd at 12:30 p.m. Matinee Bingo** at the Charities Bingo Hall, 510 Krug Street, Kitchener. To assist with this fund raiser, please call the office.



St Teresa School is looking for a volunteer from our community to help out with the **Breakfast Program**. We are looking for one volunteer from 8:30-9:30am on Mondays and one volunteer from 8:30-9:30am on Fridays.

If you are able to help keep this incredibly important program running, please contact Caroline Pla @ (519)-742-1231 or Pam Cruz @ (519)-576-9610. Thanks!

Flu Shots through the K-W Urgent Care Clinic: Influenza can be prevented by a simple vaccination and these vaccines are available to all residents of Ontario **Free of Charge**. The vaccine is safe and effective. K-W Urgent Care Clinic is helping the Provincial Government achieve its goal of vaccinating all Ontario residents by holding free flu shot clinics. **From October 25th until December 7th, K-W Urgent Care Clinic at 385 Fairway Road, South in Kitchener will be opening every Tuesday and Wednesday evening between 6:30 and 8:30 p.m. to administer flu shots.** The physicians of the Urgent Care Clinic feel that we can play our part in creating a healthy community

COME AND SEE WEEKEND "Ask the Lord of the harvest to send out labourers into his harvest." (Matthew 9:38) Hosted by St.

Augustine Seminary in Toronto and St. Peter Seminary in London. A Come and See weekend offers a special opportunity for men considering a vocation to diocesan priesthood to reflect on the call of God in their lives, immerse themselves in Seminary life and interact with seminarians who can share and witness from personal experience. November 25 to 27 at St. Peter Seminary, beginning with registration on the Friday evening between 7 and 7:30 p.m. and concluding with lunch on Sunday afternoon at about 2 p.m. The weekend is open to men who are in grade 12 and older. Please feel free to contact the Vocation Office of the Diocese of Hamilton at www.vocationinfo.ca for further information or to register as a participant. A registration form may also be obtained from Fr. Tom

THE REASONS FOR THE CHANGE IN THE TEXT...All are invited to join us on **Thursday, November 17th at 7:00pm** at St. Michael's Church, 240 Hemlock St., Waterloo to hear Father Joseph de Viveiros, St. Francis Parish, Kitchener speak about the reasons for the upcoming changes to the text of the Mass. Please join us for this very informative talk. Barrier free access.

Holy Family CWL Bazaar will take place on **Saturday, November 19th** from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. (329 Huron St., New Hamburg) Bake Table, Christmas Craft Table, Silent Auction, Penny Sale Table, Craft Table and a Tea Room where lunch is available.

WINE TOUR The 1st Annual Parish Wine Tour will be held on Saturday, November 19th. We will be visiting Joseph's Winery and Riverview Winery, as well as going to Niagara-On-The-Lake and Niagara Falls to see the lights. There are only 56 seats available. Cost is \$45/person. Contact Lisa or Bill Cleasby at 519-745-9516 to purchase your ticket.

"VOICES OF HOPE" SING FOR ALS: On Sunday, November 20th, 3:00 p.m., at Our Lady of Lourdes Church, 173 Lourdes St., Waterloo, the Voices of Hope Choral Ensemble, conducted by founder Gordon Burnett, will present a concert of well-known sacred choral favourites, featuring the Vivaldi Gloria. Soloists will be Holly Reiter, Jennifer Capa and Valerie Nunn. This is a "pay what you are able" event. All proceeds will go to the ALS Society of Ontario. (ALS is short for Amyotrophic Lateral Schlerosis, also known as Lou Gehrig's disease.)

ANSWERING DIFFICULT QUESTIONS On **Sunday, November 20th**, join us in St. Mary's Lower Church, 56 Duke St. W., Kitchener, at **3 pm** as we present another in the Answering Difficult Questions series. We will discuss "Aids, Condoms & the Catholic Church". Everyone is welcome!

St. Agnes CWL is holding a **Let's Travel Card Party** on **Monday, November 21st**, from 7 to 9:30 p.m. in the St Agnes Parish Centre (75 Bluevale St. N., Waterloo) Admission \$7. Sandwiches, Dessert, Coffee, Teas, Door Prizes & Raffle. Draw begins at 9 p.m.

WATERLOO KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS ANNUAL TOY DRIVE Help us to bring Christmas to each and every needy child. The Waterloo Knights of Columbus in conjunction with the Firefighters and Police of Waterloo Region are holding its **15th Annual 2011 'New Toys for Needy Kids' Toy Drive**. Drop off toys at your local fire station, police detachment or 145 Dearborn Place, Waterloo. Call 519-884-2060 for further information.