St. Anne's Parish Family 27th Sunday in Ordinary Time

October 6/7 2018

Mass Schedule and Intentions October 08 - 14

<u>Monday</u>	Thanksgiving Day
9 am	

Saints Denis & John Leonardi Tuesday

7 pm + Kay Maynard - Estate

Wednesday

8 am + Cleo Wagner - Estate

Thursday Saint John XXIII

8 am

Friday

8 am

Saturday

4 pm Sacrament of Penance **5 pm** + Angela & Gilbert Bender - Family

Sunday

10 am The Parishioners

+ Mass of Thanksgiving - John & Mary Kobetich

+ Sam Fackoury - Celeste & Family

Diocese of Hamilton Prayer Calendar

Monday Very Rev. Michael King

Tuesday Very Rev. Msgr. Murray Kroetsch

Jesuit Fathers (S.J.) Wednesday Very Rev. Adrian Lee Thursday

Friday Rev. Msgr. Edward Sheridan

Rev. Robert Kiffman Saturday

PARISH SUPPORT

\$2839 Weekend Offering (100 env) **Loose Donations** \$165 \$160 Building Fund (3 env)

Needs of the Cdn Church (23 env)

Sincere thanks to all who share the responsibility of parish support. Your care, concern and generosity are greatly appreciated!!

Matrimony - a beautiful vocation so misused today. Celibacy - a beautiful gift so misunderstood today. Whether we do God's work in pairs or as a single person in ministry or in a community, we do God's work because He calls us.

If you feel God is calling you with the gift to be a priest, religious, or permanent deacon, Contact Fr. Michael King, Vocation Director, Diocese of Hamilton 905-528-7988 x2246

MASS TIMES CONTINUE...UNTIL DEC 29/30



Saturday 5 pm Sunday 10 am



Last Weekend

\$559

Next Week's Liturgical Role *Commentator & Eucharistic **Ministers** Lectors * LeeAnn Walser Annemarie Currie 5 Mary Anne Reinhart Lynda Munz pm David Hickman *Paul Gordon 10 Marilou Kieswetter Aidan Grossi Cliff & Elizabeth Rooney am Kevin Grossi Children's Liturgy

UPCOMING PARISH EVENTS

	Oct 6, 7 & 8	THANKSGIVING FOOD DRIVE
Mon	Oct 8	OFFICE CLOSED Thanksgiving Day
Mon	Oct 8 9am	Thanksgiving Mass
Wed	Oct 10 7pm	Parish Bible Study
Thurs	Oct 11 7pm	Parish Pastoral Council Meeting
Mon	Oct 15 7pm	SVDP Meeting
Sun	Oct 21 10am	Coffee Sunday
Wed	Oct 24 7pm	Parish Bible Study
	Oct 25/26	NO MASS - Priest Seminar

Welcome to the Children's Liturgy



Children's liturgy starts again in our parish on October 7th at 10 am.

Mary Stolch & Bailey Stevenson

During the first part of the mass, children from JK to grade 2 gather to learn about their faith through stories, crafts and

games. It gives children an opportunity to know Jesus, to be influenced by His gospel teachings, and enables God to become the light of their life.

SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION

Confirmation

Young people entering Grade 7 or 8 who have not been confirmed, mark these dates on your calendar.



Initial Parent & Candidate Meeting:

Monday Oct 22 at 6:30 pm

Confirmation – Friday, May 24, 2019 with Bishop Crosby

St. Mary's/St. Anne's Catholic Women's League



Next meeting will be Sunday October 14, following St.Mary's 11 a.m. Mass. Please join us for a bite of lunch (soup and beverages provided - you may wish to bring you own brown bag

sandwich), in the Lower Hall. "The Rosary of the Blessed Virgin Mary" will be our special Liturgy, as October is the month of the Rosary! Come celebrate with us in Prayer and Fellowship, as we honour our Blessed Mother Mary. See you there!

ST. ANNE REFUGEE MINISTRY

The St. Anne's Refugee Ministry is embarking on our second refugee sponsorship. As you recall, St. Anne's parish sponsored the Kaekh



family, a Syrian refugee family of six from Jordan. The family arrived in Kitchener in June 2016 and is doing very well adjusting to life in Canada.

St. Anne's has received a donation of \$30,000.00 from some parishioners to help pay for a second refugee sponsorship. An additional \$16,000.00 is needed and fundraising will begin in the parish starting this Thanksgiving weekend. Special donation envelopes are found in the bulletin and at the doors of the church. The fundraising will extend until October 2019 and we hope to have secured all the necessary funds by then.

We are working with Erin Pease, Hamilton Diocese Director of Refugees to submit an application for a sponsorship family.

Please pray for the Refugee Ministry committee members as we take a leap of faith once again to sponsor and provide hope to a refugee family for a future of stability and peace. We ask for your continued generosity and support of this life-giving, humanitarian work. If you would like to be part of the refugee

ministry, please let us know. We can't do this alone.

We need your help to make this happen.

Thank you .

What is Palliative Care

Oct 14

Palliative care is for our loved ones who have life limiting illnesses. It manages physical and mental suffering and can happen in the home, hospices and hospitals. Palliative care supports families and caregivers, and integrates the patient's spiritual and cultural life. But palliative care is so much more than this. Come and learn more from a panel of speakers who have experienced the graces of palliative care.

Sun. Oct. 14 from 2-4:30pm at **St. Francis of Assisi Parish Hall**, 49 Blueridge Ave. Kitchener. *Palliative Care is Life-Giving!*



A SPECIAL MASS

Oct 20

A Special Mass for people dealing with Cancer or other Health Concerns, their families and caregivers, and for Cancer survivors will be celebrated on Saturday, October 20, 2018 1:30 pm at Blessed Sacrament Church, 305 Laurentian Drive, Kitchener, Ontario, N2E 2N6

The church is wheelchair accessible.

Celebrant and Homilist will be Bishop Emeritus Matthew F. Ustrzycki of Hamilton Diocese. The Sacrament of the Sick will be administered by the Bishop and Priests who will be present. Reception in the Church Foyer after the Mass. For more information please contact: Estelle at (519) 745-1936

THANKSGIVING FOOD DRIVE

Once again, St. Anne Parish is participating in the annual Thanksgiving Food Drive. Any donations brought here will be included in the



Food Bank's total at the end of the DRIVE. At this time, the Food Bank is <u>extremely</u> low in CANNED VEGGIES, PEANUT BUTTER, CEREAL, PASTA, PASTA SAUCE, KRAFT DINNER, TUNA/CANNED MEAT and SOUPS. Anything brought in will be gratefully accepted and used for the needy within our Parish boundaries. We ask that perishables NOT be included in your gifts of food. Thank you so much for your continued support and kind co-operation. Please bring your food donations the <u>weekend of Oct. 6,7,8</u> (Thanksgiving Day) – we are so grateful for whatever you can do!

Together in Faith



Ontario Catholic School Trustees' Association "As we prepare to celebrate Thanksgiving with our families, let us give thanks for the teachers, trustees and sports leaders in our Catholic schools who educate and

encourage our youth to realize their potential as unique children of God. All are invited to celebrate the gift and blessing of Ontario's publicly funded Catholic schools by visiting www.TogetherInFaith.ca."

GUELPH SPIRITAN GROUP – RETREAT DAY

Oct 20

Come and join the Guelph Spiritan Prayer Group for a day of spiritual anointing and fulfillment. There will be time of praise, worship and powerful witness talks. A healing service will take place before the Blessed Sacrament, celebrated by Fr. Bill Trusz, Papal Missionary of Mercy. Father Trusz was named Missionary of Mercy and commissioned by the Pope at St Peter's Basilica. The Sacrament of Reconciliation will be offered at 11am until Noon or it is recommended to receive the Sacrament prior to the day of worship. Location: St Joseph Church, Guelph. REGISTRATION: 8:00am (church entrance), Rosary 8:30am, Holy Mass: 9:00am. Bring your own bagged lunch, refreshments provided. Fee: \$10.

For more information contact Ana Percic 519-824-8456 or Doreen Mammolite 519-822-2814

In the Area & Diocese

....see bulletin board for details

Oct 11 Alice's Card Party – October 11th Prizes, Draws & Fun Columbus Conference Centre, 145 Dearborn Place, Waterloo, Doors open at 4:30 p.m. Dinner at 6:00 p.m. Oktoberfest Sausage on a bun, Sauerkraut, and more Cost: \$15.00, in Support of our Building Fund

Oct 20 Rock 'n Roll dance fundraiser at Bridgeport Rod & Gun October 20th 8 p.m. The proceeds from this dance will be going to Lissard House & the War Amps.

Websites to check out
Parish Website – www.stanneskitchener.ca
Diocese Website – www.hamiltondiocese.com