FOURTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME FEBRUARY 10, 2019

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Mass Intentions this week



Tuesday 7:00 pm †William Kane

Wednesday 9:00 am †Intentions of Frank Higman

Thursday 7:00 pm †Eleanor Huff

Friday 9:00 am Intentions of Lyle Wright Saturday 5:00 pm †Mario Zoysa, Theresa Soluk,

Rita Spencer, Encar Parpan Trecapelli and Fernando

Dicresce & deceased family,

Sanctuary Lamp this week

Intentions: Deceased members of the Deighan family and repose of their souls. Requests accepted by placing an envelope with the name of loved one and a donation of \$10 in the collection basket.

OFFERTORY: Thank you!

Sunday Envelopes	\$4,369.00
Loose Collections:	\$ 482.15
Average Weekly Preauthorized	\$ 692.00
Total Weekly Offering	\$5,543.15
Budget expenses for the week	\$4,265.00

Assumption College School presents

"Hairspray"! In 1960s Baltimore, dance-loving teen Tracy Turnblad auditions for a spot on "The Corny Collins Show" and wins. She becomes an overnight celebrity, a trendsetter in dance, fun and fashion. Perhaps her new status as a teen sensation is enough to topple Corny's reigning dance queen and bring racial integration to the show. Come join us on *Thursday, Feb. 28th at 7p.m., Friday, March 1st at 7p.m., Saturday, March 2nd at 2p.m.* or 7p.m.! Tickets are \$10 for students/seniors and \$15 for adults. Call (519) 751-2030 ext. 365

CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE –

Milk bags – The CWL is collecting clean outer bags to make plastic sleeping mats for Canadian Food for Children. Please place the bags in the bin at the back of the church.

FIRST RECONCILIATION

First Reconciliation:

• Wednesday, March 20th

Please Note: If you are unable to attend First Reconciliation, you may bring your child to our regularly offered Reconciliation any Saturday from 4:10 pm to 4:40 pm.

The Sacrament of First Holy Communion will be:

- April 27 5:00 pm Mass (**St. Basil School**)
- April 28 9:30 am Mass (**St. Gabriel School**)
- April 28 11:30 Mass (**Christ the King School**)

CONFIRMATION CANDIDATES ONLY

Our next session in our parish hall *Sunday March* 3rd, 2019. Between Masses 10:30 am to 11:30 am. Retreat for Candidates in our parish hall on *Saturday April 6*, 2019 – 1:00 – 4:45 p.m. Celebration of Confirmation is *Wednesday April* 24, 2019 at 7:00 pm in the Church.

C.W.L. 2019 MEMBERSHIP DRIVE

It's not too late to RENEW your CWL Membership for 2019. All ladies of the Parish are invited to join our very active League at St. Basil Church!

The National CWL office requests your Membership Dues be paid by February 28, 2019.

Ladies, if you are one of our Snowbirds, please attend to this before you leave. Thank you.

Also, please remember, if you move during the year, to contact a member of the Executive to update your records.

CWL Organization Convener, Pat Renaud

<u>KINDERGARTEN</u> <u>REGISTRATION</u> <u>BEGINS</u> JANUARY 2019

We are really looking forward to meeting our new families! Please register online via our easy to use Online registration system. If you have questions or are wondering what you require to complete the online registration procedure, our 7-step process will guide you through your questions and answers! If you experience any issues using the online system, no worries... just reach out to our Helpdesk at 519-756-6505 ext. 711 or email info@bhncdesb.ca {3} and our staff will assist.

Father/Daughter Dance: February 22, 2019 beginning at 6:00 pm. Blessed Sacrament Parish Hall (Burford). Open to all girls of school age and older. For tickets please contact 519-449-5143 or

pciallella@hamiltondiocese.com. Sponsored by the Knights of Columbus to help local charities.

MARIAN PILGRIMAGE

Everyone is invited to the Marian Pilgrimage. The pilgrimage will take place *October 17-28*, *2019*, travelling to our Lady of Fatima (Portugal), Our Lady of Lourdes (France), Spain and end up in Paris. For more information, please contact, Estolia Salera, Telephone: 226-240-0810, cell 519-771-2846 or email: estolia.salera@gmail.com

A school bus driver is needed for Brantford Christian School! Fully paid training is available. If you are interested, please contact the school at transportation@bcsbrantford.ca or call us at #519-752-0433. Come and be a part of our awesome school community here at BCS!

OUR LADY OF GUADALUPE: A Lenten Pilgrimage, March 26th - April 2nd, 2019. Please consider joining Father Luke Kopaniak SAC, Pastor of St Mary's, Brantford and Deacon Randy Matters on this pilgrimage to Our Lady of Guadalupe the patroness of the Americas, The Unborn and the New Evangelization. For more information regarding itinerary, etc. please

visit www.pilgrimdeaconrandy.com or email: randalmatters@gmail.com'

FRENCH IMMERSION KINDERGARTEN PROGRAM

Looking for a French Immersion Kindergarten program? We have you covered! Register for Kindergarten using our easy to use online registration system. During the process, simply select your Catholic French Immersion school and you will be on your way! Wondering where your closest Catholic French Immersion school is? Use our School Locator to find out. If you have any questions about our French Immersion Kindergarten program, please contact the school and our staff will assist.

NET CANADA

Application Now Open for NET Canada Executive Director! Are you passionate about reaching young people in the Catholic Church? NET Canada is looking for an experienced and dynamic leader to lead the staff and missionaries from the headquarters in Ottawa!

Position Summary:

Location: Ottawa, Ontario

Pay: Starting Salary \$70,000 (commensurate with

experience) Deadline: February 28, 2019

Start date: Negotiable

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

St Basil Council #13442

Meeting Tuesday February 12, 2019
in the Rectory meeting room at 7:30 PM after
the Mass at 7:00 PM
Grand Knight,

MEDITATION

I can hear myself in Peter's resigned words to Jesus: "We have worked all night long but have caught nothing. Yet if you say so, I will let down the nets." I have been doing what you are suggesting and it has not worked. Fine, I'll do it again.

So much of the spiritual life is about devoted repetition of the same actions, which sometimes seem to have no effect. I pray the same words day after day and year after year, and I do not see any change. I speak kindly and seem to be ignored. I mess up and say sorry and try to change, and then I mess up again.

On a fishing boat with seasoned fisherman, Jesus' advice is almost laughable. As if they had not thought to put down the nets. What God whispers into our souls is often not the shocking instruction to build an ark, but the ordinary invitation to try love again. Walk beside your people and laugh with them. Respond to those who ask you for help – again. Make something for dinner and share a meal.

And then, when all that habitual love produces something unexpectedly beautiful, do I respond like Peter? Forgive me for my doubt that loving again will actually change the world. Let me choose faith in love – again.

Leah Perrault, Saskatoon, SK Novalis, Living with Christ

DEVELOPMENT AND PEACE

This Lenten season Development and Peace and Pope Francis invite us to reach out and encounter migrants and refugees, to make a commitment to really go toward others, to stop, listen and really see them. To learn how to foster a culture of encounter in your parish or school join us for a SHARE LENT WORKSHOP at one of these parishes:

Tues. Feb. 12, St. Michael Parish, 80 University Av. West, Waterloo 7:30 – 9:30 pm

Wed. Feb. 13, Holy Rosary Parish in the classroom, 175 Emma St, Guelph, 7:00 – 9:00 p.m.

Tues. Feb. 19, Announciation Parish Hall, 280 Limeridge Rd. W, Hamilton 7:00 – 9:00 p.m.