THE FIFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIMES – February 9, 2020

EUCHARIST - THIS WEEK

Tuesday, February 11 7:00pm Karen Lemay

Wednesday, February 12

9:00am John Leyzer

Thursday February 13

9:00am Paula Morency (Spencer) & Mark

Spencer

Friday, February 14

9:00am Souls in Purgatory

Saturday, February 15

Confessions 4:00pm

Mass 5:00pm Margaret Keefe and John Leyzer and the intentions of John, Joe, &Angelo

Dicresce, Glen & Margo White, and Father Kevin D'Souza

Sunday, February 16

The Sixth Sunday of Lent 9:30 am 11:30am Our Faith Community

SANCTUARY LAMP

Lillian & Mike Maloney

Requests accepted by placing an envelope with the name of your loved one, your contact information and \$10 in the collection basket.

PREPARING FOR NEXT WEEK

Sirach 15.15-20 1 Corinthians 2.6-10 Matthew 5.17-37

OUR PARISH - THIS WEEK

Monday, February 10
10 am AA Meeting in Parish Hall
Tuesday February 11
Knights of Columbus Monthly meeting
10 am AA Meeting in Parish Hall
Wednesday, February 12
10 am AA Meeting in Parish Hall
Thursday, February 13
10 am AA Meeting in Parish Hall
12:00pm Sleeping Mats
Friday, February 14
9:00am Mother's Homeschooling Group
10 am AA Meeting in Parish Hall

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS St. Basil's Council 13442 NON-PERISHABLE FOOD ITEMS

The Knight's continue to participate in the Food for Families program. We are collecting non-perishable food items at the back of the church. All items collected are delivered to **St Vincent de Paul** Brantford. Thank you to those who have donated in the past and to those who will donate in the future

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS MEETING

The Knights of Columbus St Basil's Council 13442 will be having a meeting on Tuesday February 11th following the 7:00pm Mass in the rectory meeting room.



SHROVE TUESDAY PANCAKE DINNER

The Knights of Columbus Council 13442 are hosting a Shrove Tuesday

Pancake Dinner on **Tuesday February 25th** 5:00pm - 7:00pm at St. Basil's Parish Hall. Adults \$10. Kids \$6. Families \$25. Please



DIOCESAN WEDDING ANNIVERSARY MASS

Diocesan Wedding Anniversary Mass June 14, 2020. Are you celebrating your 25th, 40th, 50th, 60th, or 60+ Wedding Anniversary in the year 2020? If you are, you are cordially invited to join couples from across the Diocese of Hamilton for a Wedding Anniversary Mass on Sunday, June 14, 2020 at the Cathedral Basilica of Christ the King at 1:30 pm. (Space allows room for Anniversary couples only -those married 60 years or more may bring 1 guest if you require assistance). Please refer to the poster in the church for information on how to register for the celebration, or go to www.hamiltondiocese.com.

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ASH WEDNESDAY

Countdown to Lent **February 26**. Lent is a time for penance and repentance, for

almsgiving and prayer, for working to change attitudes that are not pleasing to God. Come and join us for Ash Wednesday Mass on Wednesday February 26th at 9:00am or 7pm.



CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE PARISH COFFEE & CHATTER

Parish coffee Sunday, Feb. 23, in the hall immediately following the 9:30

am Mass. Come and meet some of your Parish family. Donation of treats are always appreciated.

PERIOD PURSE

The CWL is collecting tampons, sanitary napkins and personal hygiene products to be distributed to female clients of the Food Bank, Nova Vita and other organizations in Brantford. Please check the bulletin board for a list of items and place donations in the blue storage container located at the back of the church.

Marriage Tip

February is often referred to as the month of love, since we celebrate Valentine's Day on Feb. 14th. Real love isn't a fairy tale though – it takes time and effort, good communication and spending time together. This Valentine's Day go big: write each other a love letter, write out a list of the 10 things you most love about your spouse, commit to a date night each month on the 14th to keep the love day alive, look through your wedding album together and remember that moment when you united your love into one. Perhaps most importantly, commit to praying together each day because God is always present to give us strength when we need it.

INCOME TAX RECEIPTS

Receipts will be issued for offerings in 2019. If you wish a receipt, please put a self- addressed envelope with, if possible, your envelope number and put it into the collection basket. This will facilitate getting a receipt to you. When you start using your **new 2020 envelopes** please put your name & address on the first couple of envelopes.

PILGRIMAGE TO QUEBEC



Overland Tours is organizing another pilgrimage to the Shrines of Quebec.

Monday, August 3, 2020 to Friday, August 7, 2020. Think about joining us

for 5 days of Masses, Stations of the Cross, recitation of the rosary and the Divine Mercies, tours of the shrines, and much more. Watch for our flyer advertising all the details. Please consider sharing a room with a friend.

For more information, contact Rose Gunn 519-744-5923 or

Angie Hunt 519-766-5262. Looking forward to seeing you in August. Thank you.

BE A MAN! PROGRAM



All men of the parish are invited to take part in a challenging and stimulating program called, "That Man is You". It is designed to help MEN become better

husbands, better fathers and better leaders in our communities. In short, to become *the man God has created you to be.*

Be a Man is a Brantford laymen's initiative that meets with men from all parishes in our area every Saturday morning, 7:00-8:30 a.m., at St Pius X Catholic Church, 9 Waverly St. A light breakfast is provided with **GOOD COFFEE** and **GREAT FELLOWSHIP**. Come out just once and see if it's for you!

