

EUCCHARIST – THIS WEEK**Monday, July 16**

8:00 am Rosary
8:15 am Morning Prayer

Tuesday, July 17

8:00 am Int. of Urszula Ozdrowie

Wednesday, July 18

8:00 am Sophie Molnar

Thursday, July 19

8:00 am Joseph & Theresa Nguyen & Dominic Phan

Friday, July 20

8:00 am Thanksgiving

Saturday, July 21

5:00 pm Joseph Preca & Manuel Aguis; Claire Pink;
Sante Polidori; Jose R. Nunes; Shirley Beach;
Sebastiano Rossi; Lillian Edwards

Sunday, July 22 – 16th Sunday in Ordinary Time

9:00 am 11:00 am 7:00 pm
Our Faith Community

THIS WEEK IN OUR PARISH**Wednesday, July 18**

VBS Training Session – Emergencies 1:00 pm

Friday, July 20

Adoration (until 3:00 pm) 8:30 am
Benediction 3:00 pm

Saturday, July 21

Reconciliation 4:00 pm
Rosary 4:15 pm

PREPARING FOR NEXT WEEK

Jeremiah 23.1-6; Ephesians 2.13-18; Mark 6.30-34

THIS WEEK'S FAITH COMMUNITY

Remember in your prayers this week the community of St Mark's Anglican Church. May they continue to be the hands that serve the community.

VOCATION SEEDS

In today's first reading Amos says he did not choose to be a prophet; God selected him. Maybe God is asking you to consider what you are doing at this time and perhaps begin the special work He has for you. If you feel God may be selecting you for the special life of priest, religious or deacon, call Fr Michael King, Vocation Director, Diocese of Hamilton at (905) 528-7988 x2246 or email vocations@hamiltondiocese.com

YAUTEPEC GRUPO FOLKLÓRICO

A Mexican Folkloric Dance Troupe will visit Blessed Sacrament Church (Burford) on **Wednesday, July 18th** at 7:30 pm. The *Yautepec Grupo Folklórico* will perform a dance dedicated to seasonal agricultural workers and the local communities that share space with them during their time in Ontario. All are welcome. This is a wonderful one-hour performance called "Life and Mexican Lotería: two games of chance." The performance in Burford is part of Yautepec Grupo's tour in Ontario.

NOVENA TO ST ANN

Our annual nine-day Novena to St Ann will begin with 7:00 pm evening Mass on **Wednesday, July 18th** and conclude **Thursday, July 26th**. The Novena will include Mass starting at 7:00 pm each evening throughout, blessing with the relic of St Ann and novena prayers as well as confessions following the Mass. Anointing of the Sick will take place on Friday, July 20th at 7:00 pm. The Most Reverend Douglas Crosby, OMI, Bishop of Hamilton, will celebrate the Feast of St Ann Mass on Thursday, July 26th at 7:00 pm. A reception will follow in St Ann's School gymnasium. Everyone is welcome. Wheelchair / Walker accessible.

**ST PIUS X C.W.L. FALL & CHRISTMAS BAZAAR**

We would like to extend an invitation to you to attend our Bazaar on **Saturday, October 20th** in our Parish Hall.

Currently, we are looking for donations for the **Chance Table**. They should be new items valued between \$20 to \$25. Please contact Ann Harangozo (519)753-1226 if you would like to make a donation. Plan now to participate, attend and bring your family and friends. Some things to consider:

⇒When doing your preserves this year, do a few extra jars for the bazaar.

⇒While relaxing with your knitting, crocheting or working on your special crafting talent, think of the bazaar.

⇒When cleaning through your cupboards or closets, remember attic treasures.

Watch the bulletin for more information about this annual event.

**BLUE JAYS BASEBALL TRIP**

MCs and altar servers, we thank you for your dedication and service to our Parish – whether it be for a few months now, or whether you have been serving with us for years.

We acknowledge your service with a thank-you trip to see the Toronto Blue Jays versus the Baltimore Orioles on **Sunday, July 22nd**. Information letters and permission forms will be emailed or mailed to MCs and Altar Servers. Please complete the permission form in full and return to the Parish Office or drop in the collection basket in an envelope labelled "Jay's Game: Attn. Andrew Beach" by Thursday, July 12th.

We are limited to 30 tickets and will be taking MC and Altar Servers first. Parents, spouses and other parishioners that wish to join us are welcome to leave their name with Ann at the parish office. The cost of the tickets are \$25 for adults and \$15 for children 14 and under. We will let you know how many tickets are available.



YOUTH MINISTRY CORNER



UPCOMING YOUTH PROGRAMMING

PORT DOVER TRIP

Come join us for our ninth annual trip to Port Dover for a day at the beach on **Saturday, July 21st**. This will be our final event before our summer break. Permission Forms are required for this activity and are available online. Cost to participate: \$15.

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL 2018

Vacation Bible School 2018 will run the week of **August 13th – August 17th** from 9:00 am to 12:00 pm for children ages 5 to 11 years old. Registrations are filling quickly. The cost to register is \$40 per camper.

VBS LEADERSHIP TEAM KEY DATES

Here are important dates for our VBS Leadership Team:

- Emergency Training – **Wednesday, July 18th** from 1:00 pm to 4:00 pm
- VBS Set up – **Tuesday, August 7th to Friday, August 10th** from 8:30 am to 12:30 pm
- VBS Camp – **Monday, August 13th to Friday, August 17th** from 8:00 am to 1:30 pm

YOUTH MINISTRY PROGRAMMING 2018/2019

Youth Ministry is open to students in grades 6 to 12. There is no cost to be part of the group; there is only a cost for trips.

Details and forms for upcoming trips can be found on the calendar page for Youth Ministry at www.stpius.ca/youth

- Port Dover Trip – **July 21st**
- Halloween for Hoodies – **October 27th & 31st**
- Ti-Cats Faith & Family Night – **September 29th**
- Care Package Creation – **December 8th**
- Advent Party – **December 15th**
- Parish Christmas Event – **January 13th**
- Kookies for Kenya – **February 8th**
- Rock- Climbing – **March 2nd**
- Stations of the Cross Rehearsal – **April 3rd & 10th**
- Stations of the Cross – **April 12th**
- “Earth Day” Cleanup – **April 27th**
- Diocesan Youth Rally – **May 25th**
- Year-End Recap & Social – **June 8th**

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DIOCESAN PRAYER CALENDAR

Monday, July 16	Rev. Michael McHugh
Tuesday, July 17	Rev. Francis Trzupsek
Wednesday, July 18	Catholic Teachers
Thursday, July 19	Rev. Victor McNamara
Friday, July 20	Rev. Mike Myroniuk
Saturday, July 21	Rev. Ron Cote



WELCOME TO OUR CHRISTIAN COMMUNITY

We welcome the following child to the household of faith through the waters of Baptism: **Sebastian Antonio Bautista**. Let us pray that he will continue to grow in faith.



PRAYERS FOR THE DECEASED

In your charity, please remember in your prayers: **Edna Graham**, mother of Bob; **Lucy Karakas**, wife of Ken; **Michael Cassidy**, husband of Jean. May they rest in the peace of Christ and rejoice in the glory of Heaven.

FIRST SACRAMENTS DATES

Make note of these important dates if your child wishes to receive First Holy Communion.

December 5, 2018 – Initial Parent & Child meeting

December 14, 2018 – Registration Forms Due

January 9, 2019 – Reconciliation Catechetical Mtg.

February 16, 2019 – First Reconciliation Retreat

February 23, 2019 – First Reconciliation

March 20, 2019 – Communion Catechetical Meeting

A large portion of the preparation program will take place in the home. It is important that the parent **and** child attend each session.

CONFIRMATION DATES

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

Wednesday, September 19th – Initial Parent & Candidate Meeting at 7:00 pm

Sessions: Wednesday evenings from 7:00 p.m. to 8:45 p.m. **October 10th to November 28th**.

Confirmation – **Monday, November 26th** at 7:00 pm

PILGRIMAGE TO ITALY – ST PADRE PIO

50th Anniversary Pilgrimage to Italy – St Padre Pio September 16th to 27th, 2018. Join Fr Tom Sullivan on a grace filled pilgrimage to Rome, Vatican Museum, Assisi, Montecassino, San Giovanni Rotondo, St Michael's Cave, Lanciano, Loreto, Greccio and much more! Cost is **\$3995.00**; includes all travel accommodations and two meals daily. For more information and/or registration contact Alex Lemos at 1(800)847-6279 or Louise Kunkel, Tour Leader at 905-664-1871; email: louisekunkel@yahoo.ca