

The Thirty Third Sunday of Ordinary Time

Masses this Week

Tuesday, November 15

5:00 p.m. + Luiza Lima - *John & Maria DaCosta*
 + Norberto & Odilia Branco - *Maria Branco*
 + Jack Furlong - *Eleanor Furlong*
 + Jerome Graff - *Stan & Marjorie Bolger*

Wednesday, November 16

8:00 a.m. + Raymond Chinn - *Knights of Columbus # 2184*

Thursday, November 17 - St. Elizabeth of Hungary

10:00 a.m. - St. Teresa of Calcutta School Mass

5:00 p.m. + Teresa Moniz - *Bert & Ana Sousa*

Friday, November 18

8:00 a.m. + Rosemary Wilson - *The Hiller Family*

Saturday, November 19

5:00 p.m. - Sung Mass

+ Vicente Moniz - *Goretti Moniz*

+ Eduarda Melo - *The Family*

+ David Borges - *The Borges & Vicente Families*

+ José Sousa - *Emilia Moura*

+ Presti Giovanni - *The Family*

Sunday, November 20 - SOLEMNITY OF CHRIST THE KING

8:00 a.m. - Said Mass at the Altar of Our Lady

9:00 & 11:00 a.m. - Sung Mass

This Week In Our Parish

Monday, November 14

6:00 p.m. - OCDS Meeting (Parish Hall)

Tuesday, November 15

5:30 p.m. - Holy Spirit Prayer Community (Church)

7:00 p.m. - Finance Council Meeting (2nd Flr. Conf. Room)

7:00 p.m. - SVDP Meeting (Parish Hall)

Friday, November 18

8:30 a.m. - Adoration (Benediction 9:30 a.m.)

Saturday, November 19

4 - 4:30 p.m. - Confessions (Church)

Preparing For Next Week

2 Samuel 5: 1 - 3 ; Psalm 122;
 Colossians 1: 12 - 20; Luke 23: 35 - 43

Offertory

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| Envelope Contributions Last Week | \$4,316.00 |
| Loose Collection | \$ 618.45 |
| Total Collection - Thank you | \$4,934.45 |

Liturgical Ministers - November 19 & 20

| | 5:00 p.m. | 9:00 a.m. | 11:00 a.m. |
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| Greeters | G. Ward D. Dal Bello | T. Moniz <i>Vol. Needed</i> | M. Bertoni S. Bolger |
| Lectors L1 L2 | J. Kelly A. Kelly | A. Jamieson B. Mclsaac | J. Frias L. Jenkins |
| Communion | P. Cooper T. Derks | B. Koopmans A. Sousa | H. France R. France |

If you are visiting today,

St. Patrick's Parish welcomes you.

Please take your bulletins home with you. We request that you do not leave bulletins and other items in the pews. Many thanks.



Our Book of Life

Throughout the month of November our Book of Life will be placed near the baptismal font. The Easter candle, representing the new and eternal life we have in Christ, will burn beside it. Parishioners are invited to write the names of deceased family and friends in our Book of Life so that they may be remembered, as a group, at each mass offered in our parish during the month.

Confirmation Enrolment Weekend November 19 - 20

The sacrament of Confirmation is necessary for the completion of baptismal grace. By the outpouring of the Holy Spirit the sacrament of Confirmation impresses on the soul an indelible (permanent) spiritual seal. On the weekend of **November 19 - 20** the grade 7 students at all four parish schools will formally begin a programme of formation for the reception of the sacrament of Confirmation. Let us remember to support and pray for these students as they prepare to complete their Christian initiation.

Canadian Food for Children

Throughout the month of November the CWL will be collecting **tomato paste, pasta and canned beans** for CFFC. All donations may be placed in the Canadian Food for Children box located in the narthex of the church. Thank you for your continued and generous support.

Adult & Youth Sunday Missals & Calendars

2016 - 2017 Sunday Missals for Adults and Youth as well as 2017 Calendars are available for purchase at \$5 each in the narthex of the church while supplies last. Place your donation in the box. Please bring exact change. Thank you.



Children's Nativity Play

Children between the ages of 8 and 13 from St. Patrick's Parish will be presenting the Nativity Play prior to the 5 p.m. Mass on Christmas Eve. Practices will take place on four Saturdays beginning Saturday, November 26th in the Church (one practice will be a dress rehearsal). If your child(ren) would like to take part in this Christmas presentation, please contact Bonnie O'Brien at 519-740-2735.

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Cambridge Right to Life AGM

The annual general meeting of the Cambridge Right to Life will be held at 7 p.m. on **Thursday, November 24** at the Knights of Columbus Hall, Lounge Room, 333 Speedsville Rd. This year at the AGM the Cambridge Right to Life will be hosting a screening of "The Euthanasia Deception." This documentary reveals the devastating impact of legalized euthanasia in countries such as Belgium and reveals the direction that Canada may be headed now that euthanasia is also legal here. Kevin Dunn, the director and producer of the film will be the guest speaker. Suggested free will offering of \$5. All are welcome.

What Relationship Exists Between Truth, Beauty and Sacred Art?

The truth is beautiful, carrying in itself the splendour of spiritual beauty. In addition to the expression of the truth in words there are other complementary expressions of the truth, most specifically in the beauty of artistic works. These are the fruit both of talents given by God and of human effort. Sacred art, by being true and beautiful, should evoke and glorify the mystery of God made visible in Christ, and lead to the adoration and love of God, the creator and Saviour, who is the surpassing, invisible Beauty of Truth and Love (c.f. CCC # 2500 - 2503; Comp. CCC # 526).

SVDP Christmas Giving Tree



The Society of Saint Vincent de Paul will once again be inviting parishioners to take a gift tag from the Giving Tree in the church beginning **November 27**. In past years, your generous response has been heartwarming and sincerely appreciated by those families who turn to SVDP for assistance at Christmas time. Please return **unwrapped gifts with the tag attached** to the church by **Sunday, December 11th**. Cash donations are also welcome. SVDP Christmas offering envelopes are available on the Giving Tree and in the narthex. With your continued support, many needy families in our parish district will be able to have a... "Very Merry Christmas."

The God Jesus Reveals

Mr. Berkowitz, a Jewish tailor, was out walking one day when he was run over at a busy crossing. A crowd gathered and a Catholic priest who happened to be passing pushed his way through to see if he could assist the dying man. The priest knelt beside Mr. Berkowitz and whispered, "Do you believe in God the Father, God the Son and God the Holy Spirit?" Mr. Berkowitz raised his eyes to heaven and said: "I'm dying and he asks me riddles."

Mr. Berkowitz's difficulty with the Christian doctrine of the Trinity (the doctrine that the Trinity is one God and three persons) is shared by many people—including some Christians. It look like a mathematical puzzle. How can three be one and one be three?

God alone reveals the Trinity since it is the mystery of God's very being. Human reason can know that there is a God; we cannot know God as he knows himself except from what God has revealed and this needs to be accepted by faith.

Jesus Christ did not reveal to us a puzzling doctrine, he spoke of a reality which he himself experienced. Nevertheless, the relations within the Trinity differ from those among human persons. Our relationships are changeable, and are established from person to person over time. By contrast, the relations of the divine person are the very being or "substance" of God. They are eternal and unchanging.

This has important implications for us as God's creatures. For we are made in his image. That means we are made for relationship, for communion, for love. So the revelation of God as Father, Son and Holy Spirit tells us something about our own destiny. We are created to share in the community of love which is the living God. We are not in the realm of riddles here, we are in the realm of mystery.

Taken from: How to Survive Being Married to a Catholic; Evangelium.

Healing Mass for Those Mourning the Loss of a Child

A Diocesan healing mass will be offered at the Cathedral Basilica of Christ the King on Sunday, **November 27 at 4 pm**. The mass will be celebrated by Bishop Douglas Crosby. Those who have lost a child are invited to attend. Registration is preferred, but not necessary. Please call Lena at 905-528-7988 ext. 2249, or register on-line at www.hamiltondiocese.com.

Icon of the Holy Family November 26 & 27

"The future of the world and of the Church passes through the family," observed St. John Paul II. Recognizing the vital role of families, the Knights of Columbus Galt Council # 2184 will be hosting a travelling icon of the Holy Family on the weekend of **November 26 & 27** here at St. Patrick's Parish. Please join the Knights in venerating the icon of the Holy Family that was blessed by Pope Francis as the Knights work to strengthen the family (*the domestic church*).

Please Observe a Reverent Silence in Church

Talk to God before Mass – and talk to each other after Mass – and please ensure that all mobile devices are switched off to avoid distracting others who are in prayer. Children are most welcome. The narthex or the parish hall should be used as a crying room if needed. *Thank you.*

Diocesan Prayer Calendar

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| Mon. Nov 14 | Rev. Ambrose Tshiaba Ntumba |
| Tues., Nov 15 | Rev. Gregory Michel |
| Wed., Nov 16 | Eudiste Fathers (C.J.M.) |
| Thurs., Nov 17 | Rev. Donald Wilhelm |
| Fri., Nov 18 | Rev. Aurimas Rudinskas, O.P. |
| Sat., Nov 19 | Rev. Wallace Metcalf |