The Thirtieth Sunday of Ordinary Time

Masses this Week

No Weekday Mass, Adoration or Benediction



Saturday, October 29

5:00 p.m. - Sung Mass

- + Natalina De Santis The De Santis Family
- + Jesus & Lucila Cortes Carna Cortes
- + Marie Dwyer Wanda & Steve Dwyer
- + Nelson Couto Filomena Couto
- + Rosemarie Bevan A Friend
- + Rosaria Leto The Family

Sunday, October 30 - 31st SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

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, October 24

7:30 p.m. - Knights of Columbus Mtg. (Parish Hall)

Tuesday, October 25

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

Friday, October 28

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

Saturday, October 29

10:00 a.m. - Baptism Preparation (Church)

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

Sunday, October 30

12:15 p.m. - Baptisms (Church)

Preparing For Next Week

Wisdom 11: 22 - 12: 2; Psalm 145; 2 Thessalonians 1: 11 - 2: 22; Luke 19: 1 - 10

Offertory		
Envelope Contributions Last Week	\$3,328.00	
Loose Collection	\$ 412.60	
Total Collection – Thank you	\$3,740.60	

Liturgical Ministers - October 29 & 30			
	5:00 p.m.	9:00 a.m.	II:00 a.m.
Greeters	T. Nearing	P. O'Donnell	R. France
	H. Nearing	B. Sousa	H. France
Lectors L1	M. Applebee	B. Sousa	R. St. Cartier
L2	N. Applebee	J. Streppel	J. St. Cartier
Communion	B. Seguin	B. Koopmans	B. O'Brien
	C. McArthur	A. Sousa	R. O'Brien

If you are visiting today,

St. Patrick's Parish welcomes you.



Special Collection

Given the large scope of the emergency in the aftermath of hurricane Matthew, Develop-

ment and Peace is mobilizing its staff and network to launch a campaign to assist Haiti. His Excellency, Bishop Crosby is advocating support for the campaign and on the weekend of **October 29 & 30** St. Patrick's Parish will take a special collection for the Haitian emergency. Please use the pink envelopes in the pews. All cheques should be made payable to St. Patrick's Parish. Should you require a receipt for income tax purposes your name and address should be included on the outside of the pink envelope. Many thanks.

October Weekday Masses Cancelled

Please note that there will be no weekday masses from **Tuesday, October 25th to Friday, October 28th**. In addition, there will be no adoration or Benediction on Friday, October 28th. All priests will be at the diocesan clergy seminar.

Our Book of Life

Beginning **November I**, All Saints' Day, and continuing 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 throughout the month of November.

All Souls' Day Mass

The Catholic Church around the world will celebrate All Souls' Day on **Wednesday, November 2nd** and will pray on that day for all those Christian men and women who have gone before us in the faith of our crucified and risen Lord. St. Patrick's Parish will be celebrating a special **Sung Mass at 7 p.m.** in the church on that day. At that time, the names of all those who have been buried from St. Patrick's during the previous year will be read during the intercessions.

CWL Anti-Pornography Campaign

The C.W.L. campaign against pornography campaign raised \$372.55. Thank you for you support and generosity.

Diocesan Prayer Calendar		
Mon. Oct 24	Rev. Malcolm Katzenberger	
Tues., Oct 25	Rev. Neil Haight, O.M.I.	
Wed., Oct 26	Deceased Priests of the Hamilton Diocese	
Thurs., Oct 27	Rev. Bradley Markus	
Fri., Oct 28	Rev. David Wynen	
Sat., Oct 29	Rev. Martin Vallely	

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Canadian Food for Children

Throughout the month of October the CWL will be collecting **rice and candy** 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.

The Bible and the Virgin Mary

St. Patrick's CWL is sponsoring a DVD study series by Scott Hahn that seeks to unveil the mystery of Our Lady that is woven into sacred scripture. Based on Hahn's book *Hail, Holy Queen,* the DVD study series presents a new look at the Marian doctrines: Her Immaculate Conception, Perpetual Virginity, Assumption and Coronation. As Hahn guides modern-day readers through passages filled with mysteries and poetry, he helps them rediscover the ancient art and science of reading the scriptures to gain a more profound understanding of their truthfulness and relevance to faith and the practice of religion in the contemporary world. The next session will be held in the parish hall on **Tuesday, November 8** from 6- 7 pm. All parishioners are welcome to attend.

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.

Year of Mercy Closing Celebrations

The conclusion of the Year of Mercy will be celebrated with an Evening Prayer celebration on **Friday, November 18**th, **2016** in the Cathedral Basilica of Christ the King, Hamilton. Archbishop Donald Bolen of Regina will offer a reflective talk on the Year of Mercy following Evening Prayer.

On Sunday, November 20th, Bishop Crosby will preach at the Masses on the Feast of Christ the King at the Cathedral Basilica. All those attending will enter the church through the Doors of Mercy. Masses at the Cathedral Basilica are Saturday at 5:00 p.m.; Sunday at 9:00 a.m.; I 1:00 a.m.; and 4:00 p.m. All are welcome.

Convalidation

Church law requires baptized Roman Catholics to marry before a bishop, priest or deacon and two witnesses. Catholics who have married outside of the Catholic Church are encouraged to have their civil marriage recognized by the Church. This is called *convalidation*. The process does not cost anything, is often not very difficult and always helps the couple live their faith more fully. Please contact the parish office for more information or to arrange an appointment to begin the process of convalidating your civil union.

St. Patrick's Supper & Movie Night

Date: Saturday, November 12 Time: 6:00 p.m.

Place: Parish Hall

A light supper will follow the 5 p.m. Mass. The movie, "Rudy," will begin at 6:45 p.m.

Based on a true story, Rudy Ruettiger (Sean Astin) wants to play football at the University of Notre Dame, but has neither the money for tuition nor the grades to qualify for a scholarship. Rudy redoubles his efforts to get out of the steel mill where his father works and brother work. Overcoming his dyslexia thanks to his friend and tutor, D-Bob (Jon Favreau), Rudy gains admission to Notre Dame and begins to fight his way onto the school's fabled football team. Please plan to join us.

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*.

Hospital Visits and Holy Communion

As the result of ever increasing privacy restrictions at the Cambridge Memorial Hospital, the members of our Ministry of Compassion Team may not be able to identify some of our Catholic parishioners who have recently been admitted. In order to assure that one of our team members will visit or bring Holy Communion to your loved one while in hospital, please be certain to call the parish office and give the name and room number of the person needing to be seen. St. Patrick's hospital visitation usually takes place on Wednesday.

The Gospel Of Luke Study Sessions

The Gospel of Luke study sessions conclude on **Friday, October 28 from 7 - 8:30 pm** at the Basilica of Our Lady Immaculate, Guelph. Facilitated by Cardinal Thomas Collins, the theme for the session will be "The Walk to Emmaus." There is no cost for the session; however, supplemental reading resources will be available at the cost of \$5. Please bring exact change. For more information or to register, please contact Monica Verin at:

mverin@hamiltondiocese.com or at 905.528.7988 x 2238.

Loyola House Retreats

Loyola House, renowned internationally for its work in Ignatian Spirituality, offers both silent and directed retreats aimed at deepening one's relationship with God, creation & others. Upcoming retreats include:

Advent Prayer Weekend - November 25-27
Directed Prayer Weekend - November 25-27
Advent Taize Weekend - December 2-4

For more information about Loyola House, upcoming retreats or to register visit: loyolahouse.com or call 1-519-824-1250 \times 266.