

## TWELFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME - June 21, 2015

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### Mass Intentions this week

**Please note: Weekday Masses are celebrated in the Rectory Chapel unless otherwise indicated.**

*June 22 to June 29*

**Tuesday: 6:30 pm** †Fr. Philip Fink, Intentions of the Maruzin Family, in thanksgiving to the Holy Family

**Wednesday 11:00 am Grade 8 Graduation Mass for our 3 elementary schools (in Church)**

**Thursday 1:30 pm (John Noble Home)** †Joseph & Hoa Nguyen, Paul Tran, Intentions of Theresa Neary

**Friday 9:00 am** Assumption College School (Staff Mass)

**Saturday 5:00 pm** †Arthur Myers, Cesar Medeiros, Joan Redmond, Margaret Rita Young, Therese White, Margaret Patricia Smith, Joe Zammit, Intentions of: The Wright Family.



### Sanctuary Lamp this week

Intentions of Msgr. Earl Talbot Requests accepted by placing an envelope with the name of loved one and a donation of \$10 in the collection basket.

DIOCESAN PRAYER CALENDAR	
Monday, June 22	Rev. Ed Henhoeffler
Tuesday, June 23	Rev. Paul Hrynczyszyn
Wednesday, June 24	Parish Staff
Thursday, June 25	Rev. Archange Kebe
Friday, June 26	Rev. John Voytek, O.F.M. Conv.
Saturday, June 27	Rev. Antonio Cunha

**OFFERTORY** for last week was \$3308.35 and our Budget expenses for the week \$5,580.00.

**THANK YOU:** Father Roger Formosi appreciates your prayers. If you wish to send him a note, his address is: Mary Mother of God Parish, 2745 North Ridge Trail, Oakville, ON L6H 7A3

**Novena in honour of St. Ann July 18<sup>th</sup> to July 26<sup>th</sup>** at St. Ann's Church, 120 Sherman Avenue North in Hamilton, Ontario. Mass, novena prayers and blessing with the relic of St. Ann takes place each evening at 7:00 p.m. Confessions are heard after each evening Mass. Anointing of the Sick will take place Friday, July 24<sup>th</sup> at 7pm. Bishop Douglas Crosby of the Diocese of Hamilton will celebrate the Feast of St. Ann Mass on Sunday, July 26<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 p.m. There will be a light reception following the closing Mass in St. Ann's School gym next door.

### MEDITATION

Today's Gospel is about faith in Jesus, and how our human fears, like those of the apostles, weaken our faith. What do we fear? Losing our job? A death in the family? A broken marriage?

The apostles are in a boat with Jesus when a violent squall comes and waves break over the boat. Fearing for their lives, they awaken Jesus, asleep in the stern, and ask: "Teacher, do you not care that we are perishing?" After calming the wind and the waves, he asks in return, "Why are you afraid? Have you still no faith?"

Like the apostles, how often do we fail to recognize Jesus' presence when our lives are buffeted by adversity? It is only our belief in Jesus that enables us to weather the storms that wreak havoc in our lives. At such times, we have a choice: to seek Jesus through prayer or to lose hope. How strong is our faith? How strong is our hope in prayer? How focused are our eyes on the person of Jesus?

Fear challenges us; faith sustains us. Faith is nourished through developing a relationship with Jesus: faith is the source of hope. Without faith, we, like the apostles, find ourselves threatened by the stormy waters that surround our lives. Faith in Jesus enables us to say with the apostles, "Who then is this, that even the wind and the seas obey him?"

Sr. Jobanna d'Agostino, IBVM, Toronto

**TRAINING IN CHRISTIAN HEALING – An opportunity for learning.** Presented by Henri Lemay, President of the Catholic Charismatic Renewal Services. This formation in healing series is the outcome of the November 2001, symposium held in Rome which concluded there was a need to train people in the areas of healing from the perspective given to us through our faith and Christ himself. Level 2 will be offered July 30 – Aug. 2. This program will provide learning, praying, and ministry practicums, providing the tools needed to assist people through the work of this ministry. To register, go to the Hamilton Diocesan website at [www.hamiltondiocese.com](http://www.hamiltondiocese.com) and look for Christian Healing under programs/workshops, or contact Mary Ann Crosland 905 469-9930 or Ina Caplette 905- 510-7930.

**SUMMER OFFICE HOURS** – July and August  
The parish receptionist and secretary will be in the office normally from 9 am – 12 noon and 1 pm – 4 pm from Monday to Thursday . . . and until 3 pm on Fridays . . . beginning June 29<sup>th</sup>.  
The office is closed for Canada Day – Wednesday, July 1<sup>st</sup>.

**PLEASE DETACH AND PLACE IN THE** Collection basket. Check one or more! Thank you.

- I would like to assist at our **Parish Rummage Sale**, September 19, 2015 \_\_\_\_\_
- I would like to assist with our **Parish Golf** tournament and dinner on Sunday afternoon – evening Sept 27<sup>th</sup>, 2015 \_\_\_\_\_
- I would like to assist with our **Parish Bazaar** and Vendors Marketplace October 31<sup>st</sup>. \_\_\_\_\_
- Please call me about my daughter/son being an **Altar Server** (training in September) \_\_\_\_\_
- I am able to assist with **Sacristan** duties \_\_\_\_\_
- I would like to be involved in other ways please mention here \_\_\_\_\_

Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Phone #: \_\_\_\_\_  
e-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

## National Evangelization Teams Canada

Hello fellow parishioners,  
Thank you again, so much, for your prayers and financial support! I am very excited to tell you that I have been accepted to serve with NET for another year! My last year of NET was the most transformational year of my life. It really gave me the opportunity to make my faith my own and develop a personal relationship with God and at the same time, invest in my teammates and the youth that we encountered. I feel as though God wants to challenge me with a different kind of ministry this next year. If you are financially able, please consider supporting me again for my 2015-16. If you cannot, please continue to pray for me! To make a donation you can call Morgan at the NET office toll-free 1-877-521-4426 or visit [www.netcanada.ca](http://www.netcanada.ca) and click sponsor a missionary. Please do not hesitate to contact me at 519-751-1100 or email me at [ben.mombo@gmail.com](mailto:ben.mombo@gmail.com) if you have any questions or would just like to chat.

Thanks and God bless,  
You are in my prayers,  
Ben Mombourquette

### BULLETIN ADVERTISING

We now have 4 spaces available at the back of our bulletin for advertising. If you can fill these empty spaces, please call Bialas Printing at 519-752-4268. Thank you!

## PARISH EVENTS:

**St. Basil Father's Day parish Breakfast, Sunday June 21, 2015, 8:30 – 11:30 am** in Church Hall (Crown St.) Youth over 13 and adults: \$7.00 p/p Child 5-12 yrs. of age \$4.00 p/p Pre-school free.

**St Basil Parish Bazaar and Vendors Marketplace Is Returning this fall - Saturday, October 31<sup>st</sup>.** - We are looking for donations for the silent auction, craft and baked good tables, homemade gifts, decor, hand knits, crocheted dishcloths, food, etc. Vendors will pay a table rate. If you sell Avon, Pampered Chef, etc., or know someone that does, please contact 519-754-4392 to book your table now.

## PARISH GOLF TOURNAMENT!

Mark your calendars now so you don't miss our **First Annual Parish Golf Tournament**, Sunday, Sept 27, at Arrowdale Golf course, tee off starts at 1:00 pm, 9 holes "best ball" format with dinner to follow - more details to come. Register now by calling 519-754-4392 or sign up on the registration form at the back of church.

**CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE** – general meeting, **Tuesday June 23**, in the rectory meeting room following the 6:30 pm Mass. All women are invited to a wine and cheese social including a brief business meeting.

The rummage sale will be held Saturday, September 19<sup>th</sup>. Please keep us in mind when cleaning out your closets and cupboards over the summer. Donations will be accepted on Friday, September 18<sup>th</sup>.

**PARISH COFFEE** – **Sunday June 28**, after the 9:30 Mass. Those attending the 11:30 Mass are invited to come early to join in this time of fellowship. The donation of sweets is always appreciated. This is the last parish coffee until September. Sincere thanks to those who have donated during this past year.

## VACATION MASS SCHEDULES

Go to the website – [masstimes.org](http://masstimes.org). and submit your current zip or postal code and you get a map of all Catholic Churches and their Mass times within about a 2 hr drive. This comes from the Lansing Michigan Diocese.

Thanks to one of our parishioners for bring this to our attention.

**PORK B.B.Q.** at Blessed Sacrament Parish, Burford on Sunday, June 28, 2015, at 4 p.m. Tickets \$15.00 per person; children 10 and under \$7.00; under 3 is free. For Tickets call 519-449-5143. Menu: pork, buns, coleslaw, parsley potatoes, pasta salad, tea & coffee – ice cream and toppings for dessert.

## ON THE LIGHTER SIDE

Where will you be sitting in eternity? Smoking or non-smoking?