

**Mass Intentions****November 21 – November 27, 2016****Tuesday, November 22, 2016 – 7:00 p.m.****+Jose and Don Canhoto - Maria Canhoto****Wednesday, November 23, 2016 – 8:30 a.m.****+Helen Thomas - CWL****In Thanksgiving of Prayers from Parishioners and  
CWL – Helen Murphy****Thursday, November 24, 2016 – 8:30 a.m.****+Dunning and Martin Families - Ruth Beingsner &  
Ann Targosz****Friday, November 25, 2016 – 8:30 a.m.****+Helen Thomas, Bill and Mary Alice Zister****Saturday, November 26, 2016 – 9:00 a.m.****+Don Niesen – Helen Bastian****Saturday, November 27, 2016 - 5:00 p.m.****+Michael Downing – Marion Jagelewski****Sunday, November 28, 2016 - 10:00 a.m.****Mass for the People of St. Teresa Parish****Prayer Network:**

For those not on the internet there is an envelope on the bulletin board at the main entrance marked 'PRAYER NETWORK'. Please take a copy of the prayer intentions inside this envelope and pray for fellow parishioners.

**Hospitals and Privacy Laws:**

**H**Because of privacy laws, hospitals do not notify us when parishioners are admitted. If someone in your family is admitted to hospital and you want the Parish Office to know, please call and tell us. Many hospitals, Catholic or not, have a priest assigned to visit the Catholic patients and bring them Communion, but the family must tell the admittance office of their wish for a clergy visit.

**Bingo**

Matinee on **Saturday, November 26, 2016** from 9:30 – 11:30 p.m. at the Charities Bingo Hall, 510 Krug Street, Kitchener. To assist with this fundraiser for our parish, please call the office: 519-743-4525.

**Euchre Results**

High Score – Phyllis Rodina

Most Lone Hands – Bill Zister

Low Score – Charlotte Wilson

1<sup>st</sup> Draw – Mary Alice Zister / 2<sup>nd</sup> Draw – Helen Bryce-Hoy

Next game will be on Friday, December 9, 2016 at 7:00 p.m. in the parish hall.

**Stewardship Report****November 6, 2016**

Sunday Envelopes.....	2,100.00
Sunday Loose.....	230.85
Building and Maintenance.....	10.00
Haiti Relief.....	490.00
Pilgrimage Donation.....	50.00

**Diocese of Hamilton Prayer Calendar 2016**

Monday, November 21 – Rev. David Wilhelm

Tuesday, November 22 – Rev. Robert Stainsby

Wednesday, November 23 – Discalced Carmelite Fathers

Thursday, November 24 – Rev. Hanh Van Tran

Friday, November 25 – Rev. Charles Jordan

Saturday, November 26 – Rev. Saju Oreethaparambil

Sunday, November 27 – First Sunday of Advent

**CWL - Christmas Craft and Bake Sale**

Come one, come all! If you have donations, the drop off times are from 7:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. on Thursday and **Friday, November 24 and 25**. We would appreciate having raffle prizes no later than Friday evening. Baked goods can be dropped off from 1:00 p.m. Saturday until before the Mass and again on Sunday before Mass. For information call: 519-578-2019.

**Save the Date - Parish Christmas Party**

Please mark your calendar and plan to attend this wonderful parish event on **Saturday, December 10th** following the 5 p.m. Mass. As in years past, we will enjoy turkey, mashed potatoes, gravy, stuffing, vegetable and cranberries. There will be sign-up sheets at the doors of the church the weekends of November 26/27 and December 3/4. A free will offering will be gratefully accepted the night of the dinner and everyone is asked to bring either a salad or dessert. If your last name starts with A to M bring a salad and N to Z please bring a dessert. Everyone is welcome, all we ask is you let us know how many are coming! Santa Claus will be making an appearance to help us celebrate this very special time of the year and it won't be the same if YOU don't come ..... so make plans now to attend!!!!

**Resurrection Choir Practice** will be holding its next practice on **Thursday, November 24th** in the choir loft at 1 p.m. New members are always welcome.

**SVDP – Christmas Hampers**

Your St. Vincent de Paul Society is in the process of planning the 2016 Christmas Hampers for the people of our neighbourhood. Our financial resources are very low at this time and we would appreciate any monetary contributions to help with this meaningful endeavour. Please use the St. Vincent de Paul envelope found in your regular envelope box for your donation.

We will also have the Angel Tree setup for the weekend of November 26th and 27th. Please return your gift, unwrapped with the tag, by the weekend of December 10th and 11th.

**We greatly appreciate your generosity and support.**

**Vocations – November 20, 2016**

“Jesus, remember me when you come into your Kingdom.” Can you lead others to make this request of our Lord and King? Give your life to Jesus and others are sure to hear. “Truly I tell you, today you will be with me in Paradise.” If you feel God’s call to the priesthood or consecrated life, visit: [www.HamiltonVocations.com](http://www.HamiltonVocations.com)

**Soulful Christmas Elvis Concert on Sunday,**

**November 27<sup>th</sup>** at 7:30 p.m. Doors open at 7 p.m.. The tickets are \$35.00 and can be purchased after every Mass at the back of the church and in the PLC foyer. This is a concert you do not want to miss. ?

**Euchre Card Party on Friday, November 25th**

Come one come all to the Progressive Euchre Card Party being hosted by the Campus Ministry Fundraising Committee at St. Jerome’s University starting at 7 p.m. This will be a great opportunity to come together as a community, to show off your card skills or learn a new game. Tickets are \$20 for adults and \$15 for students with all proceeds going to the chapel renovations! To reserve your ticket please contact Martha Fauteux at: [mfauteux@uwaterloo.ca](mailto:mfauteux@uwaterloo.ca) or by phone at 519-884-8111, ext. 28215.

**EWTN – Calling All Parents**

Help to enrich your children’s Catholic faith by tuning in to EWTN’s ‘Faith Factory’ on television and internet at: [ewtn.com/kids](http://ewtn.com/kids) to catch all the action Join EWTN Monday- Friday 4 p.m. to 6:30 p.m. and Saturdays from 9 a.m. to 10:30 a.m. for EWTN's Kids Faith Factory.

**Serra Club of Kitchener Waterloo**

A 50th Anniversary Celebration will take place on **Thursday November 24, 2016**. It will begin with Mass at 5:00 p.m. at St. Teresa Church, Edwin and Leonard St, Kitchener followed by Reception and Dinner at Golf’s Steak House, Lancaster St., Kitchener. Dynamic guest speaker is Bishop Gary Gordon, Episcopal Advisor to Serra Canada. Tickets will be sold in advance. No tickets will be available at the door. Price is \$60.00 per person and will be available until November 21st. Please contact Betty Martin at: 226 647 5750 or email: [marbet67@gmail.com](mailto:marbet67@gmail.com)

**Healing Mass for Those Mourning the Loss of a Child**

– Losing a child is a painful and life-altering experience for parents, grandparents and other family members. The feeling of loss, regardless of the amount of time that has passed, is often more profound during the Christmas season. A Diocesan Healing Mass, meant to bring hope to all those trying to cope with such grief, is planned at the Cathedral Basilica of Christ the King for **Sunday, November 27, 2016** at 4 pm. Anyone who has lost a child of any age from any cause, including those that have lost a child prior to birth, or who have had a still birth are invited to this Mass celebrated by Bishop Douglas Crosby. God is close to those who mourn, come and experience His healing presence. **Registration is preferred**, but not necessary, as it will assist us in knowing how many spaces to reserve and to ensure we have enough of the small memento each family will receive. Please call Lena at 905-528-7988 ext. 2249, or register on-line at [www.hamiltondiocese.com](http://www.hamiltondiocese.com).

**St. Mark’s Parish Mission & Exposition of Relics**

St. Mark’s Parish invites all to join in a spiritual renewal as we lead into the holy season of Advent. Join us for a series of talks with Fr. Carlos Martins, one of the world’s foremost experts on relics and their importance in the life of the Church. Fr. Martins will celebrate Mass and give a talk according to the following schedule: Nov. 26 at 5 p.m.; Nov. 27 at 9:30 & 11:30 a.m.; Nov. 28 at 10:30 a.m. & 7:00 p.m.; Nov. 29 at 10:30 a.m. & 7:00 p.m.; Nov. 30 at 10:30 a.m. At 7:00 p.m. on Wednesday, Father invites you to the parish hall for a teaching and exposition of over 150 sacred relics, some as old as 2000 years. In addition, there will also be a portion of what is believed to be the veil of Our Lady, as well as one of the largest remaining pieces of the True Cross. Those in attendance will be able to examine and venerate each relic. You are encouraged to bring your rosaries, holy cards, etc. and pictures of ill friends/family members which you will be able to touch to the reliquaries as a means of intercession.