Weekend Masses: Saturday 5p.m. Sunday 9a.m, 11a.m. & 4p.m.	IMMACULATE HEART OF MARY PARISH SUNDAY, APRIL 18, 2021 Mass Intentions: April 19-25, 2021 ~Please Pray for each other and for the end of the COVID-19 Virus~	Diocesan Vocation Prayer Intention
9:00A.M	IN REPARATION OF SINS OF THE APONTE & AGUDELO FAMILIES—Aponte/Lopez Family	Rev. Christopher Tracey
6:30P.M -Rosary 7:00P.M	 DIANNA MALVASO—IHM Catholic Women's League MARIA LUCIA TIMPERIO & GIUSEPPE TIMPERIO—Lucia Caruso 	Rev. Mark Morley
9:00A.M	SPECIAL INTENTION FOR JADWIGA ZYCHOWICZ—Theresa Sapra	Jesuit Fathers
9:00A.M	SPECIAL INTENTION FOR NET TEAM—Lopez Family	Rev. George Nowak
9:00A.M	SPECIAL INTENTION FOR FR. MARK SULLIVAN—Kusmierczak & Podsada Families	Rev. Ireneusz Koziak
5:00P.M	 † GETULIO & RINA BALDELLI—Ivana Baldelli † STEFANIA & JOSEPH BURY—Family † FRED MISCIO & GINA PERRY—Giroux Family † MARIETTA GIORDANOI—Terry & Angelo Ferrelli & Family † LEONARDO & ANGELINA CORTIULA—Reno & Lillian Cortiula & Family SPECIAL INTENTION FOR DEACON PETER, SIMONE & VICTORIA ROBINSON—Kathleen Whyte 	Rev. Charles Galea
9:00A.M 11:00A.M 4:00P.M	 † BATTISTA DIPIETRO—Lina DiPietro † ROSEMARY & RALPH POSER—Steve, Ann-Marie, Sarah, Isabella, Sophia Schneider ************************************	SCRIPTURE READINGS: EASTER SUNDAY SUNDAY, APRIL25 1st Reading Acts 4:7-12 2nd Reading: 1 John 3:1-2 Gospel: John 10:11-18
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DEAR FELLOW PARISHIONERS,

From the Pastor's Desk I have a great deal of exciting news to convey to you from the vocations front.

Firstly, Reverend Mr. Peter Robinson is to be ordained to the priesthood on Saturday, May 1st at our beautiful Cathedral of Christ the King. Sorry, due to the pandemic restrictions, this will be an invitation — only event.

Secondly, our dear friend Daniel Naim is to be ordained to the transitional diaconate (with a view to priestly ordination next year) on August 10th, the feast day of St. Lawrence Deacon & Martyr. Daniel's ordination will be at Holy Cross Church in Georgetown and may be by invitation only.

Thirdly, Mr. Paul Niesiobedzki, a seminarian of our diocese, is coming to stay with us for his year of pastoral formation, beginning on May 1st.

Whenever the diocese asks me to welcome a seminarian intern to the parish I never hesitate to comply. Why? Because I know that the parishioners will open their hearts widely and generously. Because the Immaculate Heart of Mary is a big, and welcoming heart.

Please pray for Rev. Mr. Peter Robinson, Daniel Naim & Seminarian Paul Niesiobedzki.

EUCHARISTIC ADORATION in the Church, **Tuesday to Friday 10a.m. to 5p.m**. please sign in at the parish office. Our Lord is always waiting for you!



HEALING VIGIL—Friday, April 16 beginning at 7p.m. All Social distancing and Covid protocols in place. Everyone must wear a proper Mask.

PUBLICATION OF BANNS OF ORDINATION ANNOUNCEMENT

Reverend Mr. Peter Samuel Robinson is scheduled to be ordained to the Priesthood at 11am. On Saturday, May 1, 2021 at the Cathedral Basilica of Christ the King, Hamilton. If anyone knows of a serious cause why this ordination should not take place, please notify Fr. Bill. Let us all pray that Rev Mr. Peter Samuel will be a good and faithful

servant of the Lord and His Church.

IMPORTANT MESSAGE FROM PUBLIC HEALTH REGARDING MASKS & FACE SHIELDS: Anyone who comes to mass or enters the church building, <u>MUST</u> wear a proper mask, this means one that covers your nose and mouth, the <u>CLEAR</u> <u>PLASTIC MASKS ARE NOT</u> considered a form of virus protection. <u>FACE SHIELDS MUST BE WORN WITH A MASK UNDER IT OR A</u> <u>PROPER MASK ONLY</u>.

These precautions are for everyone's safety.

We ask that you please comply with these requirements as we **<u>do not</u> want to be shut down. ***



KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

FOOD DRIVE - April 10-11 & 17-18 - Please bring nonperishable food items to the church and place in the boxes provided in the narthex. Your donations are greatly appreciated.

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THANK YOU to everyone who donated to the bottle drive! The next one will take place **August 7-8**. Start saving up now!

FREE seminar about: Eliminating Financial Insecurity During the Pandemic, featuring insurance expert Jim Ruta, from Hamilton. Anyone can join, but please register. April 21. Contact gk14421@ontariokofc.ca for details.

> CHARITY - UNITY - FRATERNITY - PATRIOTISM JOIN THE KNIGHTS and make a difference.



CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE

DO YOU HAVE A FAMILY MEMBER OR FRIEND WHO IS SICK? Let the parish office know and we will make sure you will receive a **PRAYER SHAWL** made by our CWL members.

2021 CWL Membership Dues (\$30) must be received by April 16, 2021. Your dues can be dropped off at the Church, mailed to the parish. New Members are always welcome!



SOCIAL ACTION MINISTRY: This weekend is **BLUE BOX** weekend so thank you to all who have donated. If you forgot you may still donate by going to the parish website and click on the DONATE

button and then on DeMazenod Door to make a contribution. Last Thursday Genuine Bakery, on our behalf, provided Fusilli with Chicken and a Garden Salad to feed over 300 people who came to the Door. In addition, those who came to the Door were provided with a drink, a snack bag and a Fruit Cup. A delicious meal indeed and it is all made possible through your generosity. All who received a meal that day were thankful to Immaculate Heart of Mary parishioners for this meal and are looking forward to next Thursday's meal which is also being provided by our parish. **THANK YOU.**



CHRISTIAN MEDITATION: every **Tuesday beginning at 8pm in the church.** All are welcome!



PRAISE & WORSHIP—Join us on THURSDAY EVENINGS beginning at 7p.m. in the parish hall. Social distancing measures are in place. Please wear a mask, bring your own drink, notebook, pen and Bible. If

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ANNIVERSARY MASS 2021 REGISTRATION -The Anniversary Mass scheduled for June of 2021 has been cancelled due to restrictions and concerns around COVID-19. We invite you to register your 25, 40, 50, 60 and 60 plus years of marriage by contacting our parish

office at 905-643-1637; email: ihmchurch@cogeco.net. You will receive a certificate signed by Bishop Crosby.



Follow OUR IHM NET TEAM on our Youth Instagram Account: ihmyouth_, ZOOM & IN PERSON!

IN-PERSON PRAISE & WORSHIP NIGHT - Tuesdays 8-9pm

ONLINE YOUTH NIGHT - Wednesdays 7-8 pm

IN-PERSON OUTDOOR REC TIME - Thursdays 4:30-5:30pm every 1st & 3rd week of the month

> **ONLINE GAMES NIGHT** - Thursdays - 7-8pm every 2nd & 4th week of the month

LIVE INSTAGRAM & YOUTUBE ROSARY HOLY HOUR

Wednesdays, Thursdays, Fridays -4pm

AFTER 4PM YOUTH MASS ON SUNDAYS, THE NET TEAM WILL HAVE THEIR OPEN OFFICE From 5-6pm, for anyone who would like to come hang out & have fun.

We are excited to present our very own Youth Youtube channel for Youth activities. Click on the Link below:

https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCJe0bZhGlDaynP45DCH0Wow?

If you do not have Instagram, you can still join the activities through **ZOOM; Password for all Events- YOUTH NIGHT**

Wednesday Youth Night - https://zoom.us/j/94439841428

Thursday (2nd & 4th) Fun Nights - <u>https://zoom.us/</u> j/95531588497?pwd=MnovMEF5N0lkUUpGenMxM1IxampBQT09

Check out the exciting activities they have planned! Join in the FUN & BRING A FRIEND!



FIRST COMMUNION: We ask that you pray for all the children who will be receiving their First Communion in the next few months from Immaculate Heart of Mary & St. Gabriel's schools. Keep their parents and families also in your prayers.



~STEWARDSHIP~ WE <u>THANK YOU</u> FOR YOUR CONTINUED & GENEROUS SUPPORT OF OUR PARISH DURING THIS TIME OF

UNCERTAINTY THROUGH; ONLINE GIVING: This can be done by going to our website, clicking on the ribbon at the top of our page "Donate to our Parish" and then clicking on "DONATE NOW". You may use your credit and donation receipts are given right from this site. *****

MAILING/DROPPING OFF DONATIONS TO THE PARISH 934 Highway #8, Stoney Creek, ON L8E 5H7 We are so grateful for everyone giving to the parish, your generosity is most appreciated. We continue to pray for your Health and Safety.