

Sacred Heart Parish

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Pastor

Sacred Heart Parish, Walkerton

Mass Schedule

Tuesday Mass 9:00 am
Friday Mass 9:00 am
Saturday Mass 5:00 pm
Sunday Mass 11:00 am

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Wednesday Mass 9:00 am
Thursday Mass 9:00 am
Saturday Mass 6:30 pm
Sunday Mass 9:00 am

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SUNDAY LITURGIES

Saturday: 5:00 pm.

Sunday: 11:00 am.

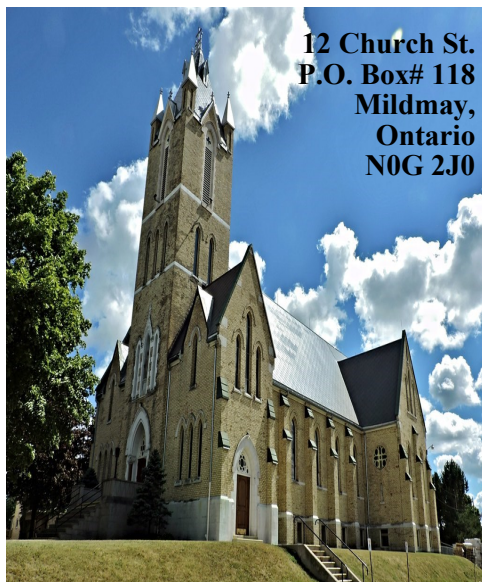
Sacrament of Reconciliation:

Tuesday's 30 minutes before Mass
and Saturday's at 4 pm.
or by appointment

PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Monday – Friday
9 a.m. to 12 noon
& 1p.m. to 4:30 p.m.

Valerie Austin
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Saturday: 6:30 pm.

Sunday: 9:00 am.

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Roy Haskins
Parish Secretary/Bookkeeper



First Reading:
Isaiah 53.10-11
Second Reading:
Hebrews 4.14-16
Gospel:
Mark 10.35-45

Twenty-Ninth Sunday In Ordinary Time
October 20, 2024

Diocesan Newsletter

For information about Activities and Events of interest in the Diocese of Hamilton, subscribe to the online Diocesan Newsletter at www.hamiltondiocese.com.

Twenty - Ninth Sunday In Ordinary Time

MASS SCHEDULE FOR WALKERTON

October 22-27, 2024

Tues. Oct. 22

9:00 a.m.

+Anna Oehring *req by:* Jim & Kim & Family

Fri. Oct. 25

9:00 a.m.

+Marlene De Carrion *req by:* Marie Waechter & Family
Intention of Joan & Alf Ernewein in celebration of their
65th Wedding Anniversary *req by:* The Family

Sat. Oct. 26

5:00 p.m.

+Donald Waechter *req by:* The Family

Sun. Oct. 27 The 30th Sunday In Ordinary Time

11:00 a.m.

+Jim & Don Niesen *req by:* Phyllis & Family

MASS SCHEDULE FOR MILD MAY

October 22-27, 2024

Wed. Oct. 23

9:00 a.m.

+Kay Hryb *req by:* The Family

Thurs. Oct. 24

9:00 a.m.

+Theresa Voisin *req by:* Gerard & Pat Lane

Sat. Oct. 26

6:30 p.m.

For the intentions of our Parish and its benefactors

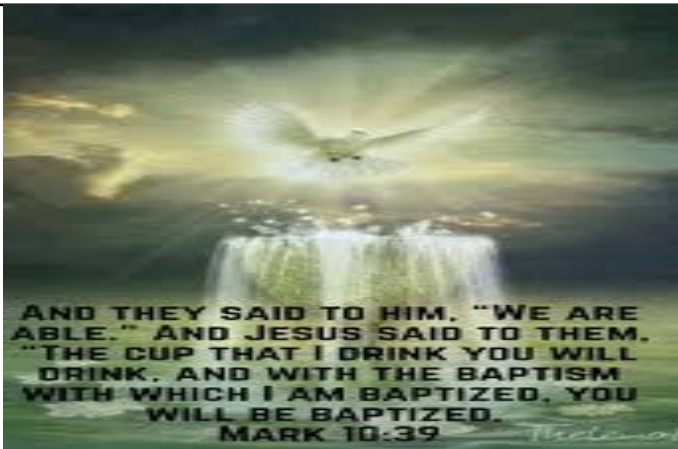
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9:00 a.m.

+Jean Martin *req by:* Lisa Martin

Twenty-Ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Jesus' life was the best 'job description': sympathy; mercy; service; compassion; and total giving. Life is rewarding when one lives for others. Do you want to serve or be served? If you are willing to serve as a priest, religious or deacon, call **Fr. Mark Morley, Director of Vocations, Diocese of Hamilton at 905-528-7988.**
email mailto:vocations@hamiltondiocese.com



In Deepest Sympathy

Please pray for the repose of the souls
and families of:

**Joe Foster, Gregory Cousins, Irvin Wand
& John Murphy**

May God grant them eternal rest.



HAMILTON DIOCESAN PRAYER CALENDAR FOR ALL WHO MINISTER IN THE CHURCH

Creator God, life is your gift. Through baptism you invite us to share in service in others. Give us the courage and generosity to respond to your call. Bless those who serve you as priests, religious, deacons and lay ministers. Open the minds and hearts of men and women to accept your challenge to build the kingdom of God. Amen.

This week, **October 21-26, 2024** we pray for:

Oct. 21....Very Rev. Joseph Okoko, i.v.Dei

Oct. 22....Rev. Emmanuel Azike, O.P.

Oct. 23....Congregation of the Holy Cross (C.S.C.)

Oct. 24....Rev. Livinus Okamgba

Oct. 25....Rev. Paul Mathew Vellimoozhayil

Oct. 25....Rev. Romelito Guillen



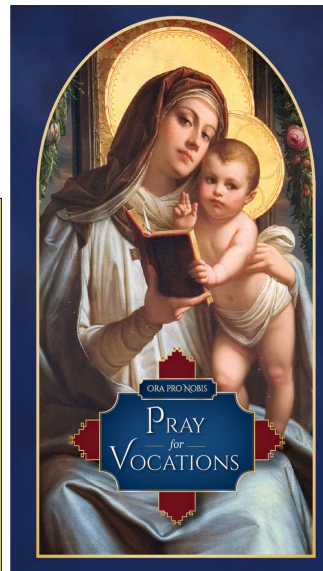
Sacred Heart Walkerton,

If you ordered pictures from your photo sessions with Universal Studios, you will be able to pick them up at the Walkerton Parish Office.



DIOCESAN VOCATIONS MONTH

October is Diocesan Vocations Month. Please pray for the men and women of our diocese who are discerning their vocations to marriage, priesthood, the permanent diaconate, the dedicated single life, and consecrated life, that is, as a consecrated virgin living in the world, or as a religious priest, brother or sister. Since it is also the month of Our Lady of the Rosary, you are encouraged to offer the Rosary, in particular, the Luminous Mysteries, for vocations. Blessed Virgin Mary, Our Lady of the Rosary and Mother of Vocations, pray for us!



O Mary, who raised your Divine Son with the guidance of the Holy Spirit, intercede for all young people, especially those clouded by doubt about their vocations. May the light of grace pierce their hearts so they may answer your Son's call, especially those whom He is inviting to the priesthood and consecrated life.
Amen.

Pray For Our Sick.

Father of goodness and love, hear our prayers for the sick members of our community, especially,

Ron Weiler, Rita DeBaincat, Carol McDonald, Jason Hart, Margarita, Sharon Anstett, Dwayne, Jerome Zettler, Barry Smith, Marianne Poechman, Lorraine S., Gerard Schmidt, Marg Weber, Mila Schnerch, Sandra Berry, Ron & Rose Wilhelm, Theresa Filsinger, Helen Kastner, Barbara Illerbrunn, Charlie Fischer, Patti Bycraft, Clayton & Dorothy Schmidt, Marlene Self, Nancy Litwak, Pat Weiler, Mike Weiler, Katie Zambrzycki, Vincenzo Lanci, Terry Green, Jim Walter, Sr. Simone, Gord Maxwell, Al Schumacher, Carrie Anne Quish, Roland Siegfried, Tom Donnelly, Darlene Thorne, Paul Schnurr, Wayne O'Leary, Dianne & Bernard Cotter, Adam Tovey, Anne Marie Hammer, Patricia Jacklin, Janos Janossy, Shirley A. Grubb, Helena Morley, Len Kraemer, Fr. David Weise, Jerome Stroeder, Mary Louise Hauser, Denise Desroches, Dianne Kieffer, Julie McLaughlin, Regina Heaney, Linda Spitzig, Helen Beveridge, John Watson, Mary Benninger, Deborah Seigfried, Leonard Manion, Bonnie Quinnell, Vera Schmidt, Teresa Schnurr, Marg Kleist, Francis Zettler, Joan Miller, Glenn Schnurr, Betty Etherton, James Falkingham, Angela Cavanagh, Lloyd Gutscher, & Rosemary O'Hara and for all special intentions.

Amid mental and physical suffering may they find consolation in your healing presence. Show your mercy as you close wounds, cure illness, make broken bodies whole and free downcast spirits. May these people find lasting health and deliverance, and so join us in thanking you for all your gifts. We ask this through the Lord Jesus who healed those who believed. Amen.



CURSILLO WEEKEND 2024

Women's Weekend Thurs. Nov. 14-17, in Deemerton. A three day Cursillo weekend, which is a short review of Christianity, is designed to help you on that journey. Beginning on Thursday night and ending Sunday afternoon, through a series of talks by lay people and clergy, For more information, please contact Tony or Colleen at 519-496-8114

The Social Justice Committee and the Walkerton and District Food Bank **THANK ALL** who donated to the Food Drive on Oct. 5/6. Donations were 42 lbs of product (2 grocery carts full) plus \$940.00 in cash / cheques. What a great offering to help "feed the hungry" Matthew 10.25 **THANK YOU!**

Walkerton CWL News:

CWL General Meeting –Tuesday, November 5th 7 pm in the Church Hall.

CWL Membership Drive Starts November 3rd

The Walkerton CWL are collecting bars of soap for the Walkerton Foodbank. There will be a bucket at the back of the church by the information wall. Please only deposit the bars in the bucket provided. Thank you for your generosity!



Gift to the Church

Leaving a gift to the Church in your Will is a profound way to return to the Lord a share of the blessings you received during your life. A bequest to the Church helps accomplish the mission entrusted to us by Christ. As the Church was there for you in your lifetime, you can now provide for your Church's future ministry and maintenance.

Three common types of bequests are:

1. **RESIDUARY BEQUEST:** Once your loved ones have been looked after, you may wish to leave the rest of your estate to your Parish.
2. **GENERAL BEQUEST:** Should you wish to leave Sacred Heart Parish a specific dollar amount, a certain asset or a percentage of your estate.
3. **CONTINGENCY BEQUEST:** Helps you leave a portion of your estate to Sacred Heart Parish if a named beneficiary does not survive you.



Please remember your Parish, Sacred Heart, Walkerton or Mildmay in your Will. It is only through your generosity that we can maintain and upkeep our beautiful historic buildings.

Sacred Heart Parish Senior Card Party

Please join us every Thursday for the Senior Card Party at Sacred Heart Parish, Walkerton, in the church hall from 1:30—4:00 pm for the Progressive Euchre & Progressive Solo Card Games.

We apologize to our dedicated senior card players, but unfortunately we do not have a confirmed start date for the Card Party.



Mildmay CWL News:

We are still looking for a Family and or friends to look after Coffee Sunday's on Sunday, Nov 17, 2024.

Duties would be to supply treats, baked goods & or cheese with crackers. A great time to socialize.

Contact Pauline at 519-367-2795



OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD

is a hands-on project of Samaritan's Purse. Canadians are able to assist the lives of children living in the developing world by packing gift-filled shoeboxes with a variety of toys, school supplies and hygiene items. Boxes and accompanying brochures are found at church entrances. Filled boxes can be left in the back of the church by the deadline of Sun. Nov.17. Call 519-363-2245 for more information. Shoeboxes can also be packed online at <https://packabox.samaritanpurse.ca/>.

Children are so appreciative of all gifts received. Love from Canada reaches many hearts!



40 Days for Life Prayers at Sacred Heart Church, Walkerton Daily from 1 – 2 p.m. for 40 days (until Sun., Nov. 3). Please join us in the church, or in spirit wherever you are.




The month of October is dedicated to the Holy Rosary.

The Memorial of Our Lady of the Rosary is celebrated on Saturday, October 7. October usually is an enjoyable time of the year. The autumn season manifests itself with wonderful fall foliage in many parts of the country. The temperatures are cooler, inviting people outdoors for nature walks, apple, or pumpkin picking. School routines are more established and football season is in full swing. The celebrations of the Church for the month of October are also wonderful and unique. The feasts of some of the most popular saints of the universal Church are celebrated during this month: St. Therese the Little Flower (France), St. Francis of Assisi (Italy) and St. Teresa of Avila (Spain). These saints come from different countries, and in honoring these saints we can include cultural dishes or activities from each country to make the feast day even more special. Read more about the lives of these saints. Perhaps the family can pick one virtue that each saint practiced well and try to implement it.



Sacred Heart Church Mildmay is looking for an organist to play for the Saturday evening 6:30 pm Mass. This is a paid position! If you are interested please, contact the Walkerton Parish Office. 519-881-0692.



WHEN LIFE CHANGES

Has someone you cared about died? Are you grieving the loss of the person's presence in your life? Are you looking for relief from the feelings associated with the loss of this loved one? The Hamilton Diocese is offering our six-week grief program from **November 6th to December 11th, 2024**. The program runs from 7:00-8:30 pm at the Chancery Office at 700 King St. West. in Hamilton To register go to hamiltondiocese.com and look for the start date under upcoming events on the home page.

The Walkerton and District Food Bank say **THANK YOU** to everyone for your support of the Food Bank. As we give thanks at this time of the year, we are most thankful for your donations and for all those who volunteer. Thanksgiving is over and our need is still there. Items of all non perishable food, children's school snacks, lunch supplies, jam, peanut butter, canned lunch meats, canned fruit and vegetables. Our Client visits are up in 2024 over 2023. You can take items to the Food Bank on Thursdays between 9:00am – 4:00pm. Our Food Bank is open every Thursday 1:00~4:00pm. Clients are able to receive food twice a month. Emergency needs are always met. Thank you for sharing what God has gifted to us with, our community.

Sacred Heart Church Mildmay Update: All the construction is now done with the exception of a final coating on the floor tiles at the elevator entrance. Unfortunately, we can not proceed with the updates to the main entrance and the side entrance facing Sacred Heart School due to the lack of funds, as well as the furnishing for the Sacristy and the 1950's look of the Hall washrooms. For those wondering, the remaining balance for the One Heart, One Soul Campaign is \$20.00 We are very thankful to our Parishioners who have already generously donated to our Building Fund. **However, we encourage EVERYONE TO PLEASE consider donating to the Church Building Fund to help with the remainder of the much needed repairs.**

The Walkerton & Mildmay Parish Offices will be **CLOSED Wed. October 23rd**. Sorry for the inconvenience.

Due to a Specialist Appointment the Walkerton Parish Office will be **CLOSED Tuesday, October 29th**. Sorry For the inconvenience. Val

Thank you for your donations to Sacred Heart **WALKERTON**. Your contribution is greatly appreciated as we seek to encourage all with God's Love and Word!

Sunday Offerings.....	\$2,498.00
Building Fund.....	\$2,175.00
Needs of the Cdn. Church.....	\$40.00
Evangelization.....	\$50.00

Thank you for your donations to Sacred Heart **MILDMAY**. Your contribution is greatly appreciated as we seek to encourage all with God's Love and Word!

Sunday Offerings.....	\$1,180.00
Building Fund.....	\$3,138.00
World Mission.....	\$50.00