

April 14th, 2019

~ Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord ~

Mass Intentions...



April 15th - April 21st

Monday

8:30am ~ Tina Maher

Tuesday

8:30am ~ Chris Stanclik

Wednesday

8:30am (Fr. Ron) ~ Ed Kocsis

No Morning Mass on Thursday or Friday

Holy Week / Easter Schedule

Confession Time

Monday, April 15th ~ 7:00pm to 8:00pm

Note: No confessions on Holy Saturday, April 20th

Mass of Chrism

Tuesday, April 16th ~ 7:30pm

St. Alfred Church - St. Catharines (note location change)

Mass of the Lord's Supper

Thursday, April 18th ~ 7:00pm

~SVDP Parishioners Living & Deceased ~

Adoration until 10:00pm

Good Friday Service

Friday, April 19th ~ 3:00pm

Good Friday Ecumenical Service ~ 11:00am

St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church

Holy Saturday

Saturday, April 20th ~ 11:00am

Blessing of Easter Food

Easter Vigil ~ 8:00pm

~ SVDP Parishioners Living & Deceased ~

Easter Sunday ~ April 21st

9:00am (Fr. Ron) ~ Terry McGrath

11:00am ~ Sean Kirlin

Carrying the Cross

Jesus, grant us strength to carry our cross.

† On those days when life seems too demanding with all its cares, burdens, and concerns...

† When we experience great loneliness deep inside and the pain of separation fills our spirits...

† When we feel the pain of our world and unite in compassion with the Earth's suffering people...

† When we struggle with decision-making and the time comes to make good choices about our lives...

† When we are with others in their physical pain or when we vigil with one who has a terminal illness...

† When we are asked to go the extra mile, to be generous with our time and our presence...

† When we feel weary and worn out, when it seems like all of our energy has been drained away...

† When we are challenged to risk our security and to accept new growth in our relationship with you...

† When we experience the effects of aging or extended illness on our bodies or our minds...

† When we feel discouraged, desolate, and depressed and want to withdraw from others...

† When worries and concerns choke our peacefulness and leave us with anxiety and fear...

† When we harbor old wounds and are called to offer or to receive forgiveness...

Jesus, grant us strength to carry our cross.

Joyce Rupp

2019 Share Lent

Development and Peace - Caritas Canada thanks everyone who donated to Share Lent. **Thanks to your generosity, \$5,445.00 was collected last weekend here in our parish.** This sum will help support the actions of our sisters and brothers in Africa, Asia, Latin America, and the Middle East. **If you have not had a chance to donate, there is still time to place your Share Lent envelope in the offertory. To donate on line visit www.dev.org/give**

Thank you for continuing to pray for all those who are working to build a world of peace and justice.

Spanish Speaking Mass

The Catholic community of Niagara on the Lake invites all the Spanish speaking to put into practice their catholic faith at St. Vincent de Paul Church each Sunday at 6:00pm in the evening. All are invited to participate and all are welcome.

The Spanish Mass will begin this year on **Sunday, April 28th** and will continue until the last Sunday in September.

Confessions in Spanish will be heard before the Spanish Mass each Sunday beginning at 5:30pm. It is only necessary to tell the priest that you wish to confess yourself.

Thanks, Fr. Ron

St. Vincent de Paul Parish Annual Peach Festival Sunday, August 11, 2019 10am - 3:30pm

We will be looking for many volunteers in the coming months.

*Donations to the White Elephant table, adult and children's used books and games table, and the jewelry table can be dropped off at the parish hall. We appreciate your donations. Please drop off your donations by the front doors of the hall on **Mondays and Wednesdays only!***

We are also in need of plastic or paper grocery bags for this event. **Anyone wishing to be part of the organizing committee is asked to contact Terry Choules at terry.a.choules@gmail.com**

Offertory Collection Summary

March 31 st weekend	\$3,514.60
April 7 th weekend	\$3,503.05
Parish Hall upkeep (to date)	\$ 512.00
Share Lent (to date)	\$5,445.00

Thank You for your gift of treasure!

The Separated and Divorced Healing Ministry Support Group

Mount Carmel Spiritual Centre
7020 Stanley Ave., Niagara Falls
7:00pm - 9:00pm

April 8th ~ God's Grace

Presenter - Deacon Gunther Eyer

April 22nd ~ Who Am I Now

Pre-registration is not required.

For more information, please contact Mount Carmel at 905-356-4113 or email

separatedanddivorced@saintcd.com



CWL NEWS.....

SAVE THE DATE....

Daughters of Mary Breakfast

Speaker ~ Andrew Boon, Principal of Holy Cross School

Sunday, May 5, 2019

Mass at 9am, breakfast follows

Tickets available after weekend Masses in April.

Gentle Reminder...CWL Membership Dues - \$25.00

Include name, address, and phone number.

Place envelope in offertory basket.



St. Vincent de Paul Parish extends a warm welcome to any visitors who may be joining us this weekend!

If you are new to the parish and would like to register, or if you have recently moved and need to update your address, please complete this form and place it in the offertory basket or email the parish office at

st.vincentdepaul@bellnet.ca

Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____

Offertory Envelopes: Yes or No (please circle)

We look forward to you joining our Parish Family!

