**Mass Intentions for the Week of March 14 - 20**

**Monday:** March 14
(We pray for Mrs. Mary Heath, Pastoral Minister)

**Tuesday:** March 15
(We pray for Rev. Christian Gonzales-Campos, F.M.J.)

**St. Peter’s Church**
11:30 am - Stations of the Cross
12:00 pm - Mass followed by Devotions to St. Joseph & St. Andre & Sacrament of Reconciliation

• Alphonse Jeffrey - His Estate
• Yvonne Jeffrey - Her Estate

**Wednesday:** March 16
(We pray for Sister Magdalen Vogt, Pastoral Minister/Hospital Chaplain)

**St. Boniface Church** - 7:00 pm
"Devotions to Our Lady of Perpetual Help"
• Don MacDougall
  - Mary Lynn MacDougall, Marty Krebs & Family
• Dennis Vermue - John & Mary Jacobs
• Frank Crowley - Mary Lou Denomme

**Thursday:** March 17
(We pray for Mrs. Mary Jean Horne, Pastoral Worker)

**Bluewater Resthome** - 3:30 pm
• Clem Regier - Pete & Bonnie Regier
  Int. of Anne Van Raay - St. Boniface CWL

**Friday:** March 18
(We pray for Rev. Stephen Suel)

**St. Boniface Church** - 9:15 am
“Followed by Stations of the Cross
(90th Ann.) Stephen Watson - Angela Watson & Family
• Paul Watson & Adam Morrissey - Angela Watson & Family
A Special Intention - A Parishioner

**Saturday:** March 19
(We pray for Sisters of St. Joseph)

**St. Boniface Church** - 9:00 am
Sacrament of Reconciliation 8:00 - 8:45 am

Int. of Sister Mary Reta & Janice Hartman
Int. of Barb Regier - Kathryn Regier
• George Nevett - Clarence & Joan Regier

**St. Boniface Church** - 5:00 pm

**Sunday:** March 20
(We pray for Rev. Russell Shantz)

**St. Boniface Church** - 9:00 am
**St. Peter’s Church** - 11:00 am
**St. Peter’s Church** - 7 pm - Sung Evening Prayer

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**Dear Parishioners:** Here we are at Solidarity Sunday where has Lent gone? Never mind our warmest winter! Holy Week & Easter are just around the corner! I am learning how to sing the Eucharistic Prayer for the (revised) Mass of Creation having the old melody I have been has been like a trip down memory lane - I trust you’ll recognize the old standard and enjoy it throughout the Easter Season. I trust that the new Environment & Peace Life-style Awareness Calendar (available at www.devp.org) has impressed & inspired you with its many ideas. Please be as generous as you can when it comes to contributing! The Muhammed Family continues to find their way among us: God bless all the volunteers who are reaching out to these extraordinarily poor people. Have you been to a Chrism Mass? The priests of the Diocese spend Monday of Holy Week on retreat, go to Confession, then renew their vows after the Bishop blesses the Holy Oils: it’s really a wonderful celebration - consider joining in Mass at the Cathedral! (Check out the Holy Door for the Jubilee of Mercy and decide if this a thing or not) May the mercy of our God be our guide this week. God Bless! Fr. Matt

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**Mass of Chrism Retreat Day**

This annual retreat for secondary and post secondary aged students will once again be offered on the afternoon and evening of Holy Monday. The DLYMO has invited the Nashville Dominicans of St. Cecilia to once again and lead this time of prayer and reflection. We will gather at Mary Immaculate Parish in London at 1 pm and travel to the Cathedral at approximately 5:45 pm. To register visit www.dol.ca Family & Youth > Youth Ministry > Events.

**Holy Week Mass Times**

**Holy Monday, March 21**

**Holy Tuesday, March 22**

**Holy Wednesday, March 23**

**Holy Thursday, March 24**

**St. Boniface Church - 7 pm with Adoration till midnight**

**St. Boniface Church - 7 pm - Stations of the Cross**

**Easter Vigil, Saturday, March 26 - St. Peter’s Church - 8:30 pm**

**Easter Sunday, March 27 - St. Boniface 9 am; St. Peter’s - 11 am**

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**Share Lent Pilgrimage - Solidarity Sunday!**

Today is Solidarity Sunday. Thank you for your generosity. Every gift goes far to help our sisters and brothers around the world - from Haiti to Paraguay to Bethlehem and beyond! We end our Share Lent pilgrimage with the words of our Holy Father Pope Francis in this Jubilee Year of Mercy: “Mercy is the force that reawakens us to new life and instills in us the courage to look to the future with hope.” Thank-you for helping to create a hopeful future!

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**Eucharistic Minister Training**

There will be training for all Eucharistic Ministers on Thursday, March 17 at 7 pm at St. Boniface Church.

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**Easter Food Drive**

Both St. Boniface & St. Peter’s CWL will be collecting items for Blessings Food Bank. List of items needed: canned fruit, apple sauce, jellies, crackers, coffee, peanut free school snacks, diapers size 5-6. These or other items of your choice can be left in the boxes at the back of the churches. Please look for our donations to the churches by March 20.

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**St. Boniface CWL**

Anyone wishing to donate prizes or gifts for the CWL spring bazaar to be held on Sunday, April 10 please contact Debbie Cunnings at 519-236-7751.

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**C.M.O.B. Crossing the Goal Program**

The next C.M.O.B. meeting will be held on Tuesday, March 22 at 7:00 pm at St. Peter’s Church Sacristy.

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**Reader/Commentator & Eucharistic Minister Schedules for St. Boniface**

New schedules for Readers/Commentators & Eucharistic Ministers have been email out. If you don’t have email hard copies are available in the entrance of the Church.

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**SYRIAN REFUGEE FAMILY UPDATE**

Our family arrived Sunday Feb 28, Welcome Rustam, Falak, Aras and Lilas Muhammed! The first week has been very busy with enrolling the children in school at St. Boniface. Aras (boy) is in grade 4 and Lilas (girl) is in grade 2. Already are having English lessons in their home.  They have experienced their first hockey game, built a snowman and went sledding. We had our first shopping trip to Walmart and customers would come up and say "Welcome to Canada." It was quite emotional for them. They have experienced their first hockey game, built a snowman and went sledding. We had our first shopping trip to Walmart and customers would come up and say “Welcome to Canada.” It was quite emotional for them. We purchased work boots for the father. Rustem was so happy, every time I visit he asks if he can go to work soon. He is a skilled construction worker so please contact Pauline with any leads atpauline@hay.net. These boys are gentle spirits, so loving and eager to learn English. Please visit them at 25 Goshen St. N in Zurich (across from Post Office) They are so appreciative to the whole community for sponsoring them and their beautiful mission.

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**THE JUBILEE YEAR OF MERCY**

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| **Operating** |
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| Expenses | 0 |
| Surplus (deficit) | $15,971 |

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**Please note:** All money collected for the Refugee Fund in 2015 & 2016 is included in the St. Boniface Operating Revenue total. This is not income for St. Boniface to use for Church operating expenses. This money will be used for all Refugee expenses incurred in 2016. A line has also been added to the Expense side to show all Refugee expenses as of February 29, 2016.

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Parish Advisory Council: A combined council meets every month to discuss and plan pastoral initiatives and practical functioning of the parish. If you have suggestions please consider contacting one of the members.

Youth Ministry: Youth from grades 5 to 8 gather regularly for fun, faith and friendship. See the website for information.

Children’s Liturgy of the Word: Every Sunday at both the 9:00 am and 11:00 am masses.

Catholic Cemeteries: We have the privilege of having cemeteries associated with St Peter and St. Boniface Churches. Information can be found on the website.

Other Organizations: Catholic Women’s Leagues, Knights of Columbus and others.

Websites:
Parish website: www.bayviewgolfclub.ca
Support site: www.38ontario.streetdirectory.com
Macmillan: www.macmillan.ca

Sunday Offices:
St. Boniface: 9:00 am, 11:00 am
St. Peter: 9:00 am

Events at a glance:
- Sung Evening Prayer - Sunday, March 13 at St. Boniface at 7:00 pm.
- C.M.O.B. Crossing the Goal Program - Tuesday, March 15 at St. Peter’s Church at 7 pm.
- Eucharistic Minister Training - Thursday, March 17 at St. Boniface Church at 7 pm.
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- Chrism Mass - Monday, March 21 at 7 pm at St. Peter’s Baslica, London.
- K of C Card Party - Tuesday, March 22 at 7:00 pm at St. Boniface Church.
- Mufflers – Front Wheel Drive
- Sung Evening Prayer – Sunday, March 27 at St. Boniface at 7:00 pm.
- Chrism Mass – Monday, March 28 at 7:00 pm at St. Peter’s Basilica, London.
- K of C Card Party – Tuesday, March 29 at 7:00 pm at St. Boniface Church.
- Local Parish Organizations

St. Boniface and St. Peter Parishes
Parish Pastoral Staff:
Pastor: Fr. Matthew George
Secretary: Lori LaPorte
Office Hours: Tuesday - Thursday
8:30 am – 4:30 pm
Friday - 8:30 am - 12:30 pm

MISSION STATEMENT
And Jesus came and said to them, “All authority in heaven and on earth has been given to me. Go therefore and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, and teaching them to obey everything that I have commanded you. And remember, I am with you always, to the end of the age.” Matthew 28:18-20 (NRSV, Catholic edition)

Parish Organizations
Celebrating Our Faith

Baptism
Contact the office as you await the birth of your child or while you are awaiting adoption.

Reconciliation
God sent His Son so that we might be saved! Experience God’s healing through the sacrament of reconciliation after the 12:00 pm Mass and Devotions on Tuesdays at St. Peter’s or before Mass on Saturday mornings from 8:00 - 8:45 am at St. Boniface or by appointment.

Marriages
The sacrament of marriage is a beautiful expression of God’s love for the world! Minimum six months notice is required during which time the engaged couple must attend a Marriage Preparation Course.

Sacrament of the Sick
If you know of a person who is in hospital, or who is homebound because of illness and is desiring the sacrament of the sick, contact the office to make arrangements.

Bluewater Nursing Home
A weekly mass is offered on Thursdays at 3:30 pm in the chapel. All are welcome.

Devotions
St. Joseph and Saint André - Tuesday after the 12:00 pm Mass - St. Peter’s.
Our Mother of Perpetual Help - Wednesday after the 7:00 pm Mass - St. Boniface.
Every First Friday at St. Boniface Church there is exposition of the Blessed Sacrament from 8:00 am to 8:00 pm—come be transformed by the healing power of Jesus.

Weekend Masses
Sat: 5:00 pm St. Peter (mid April to mid October)
Sun: 9:00 am St. Boniface
Sun: 11:00 am St. Peter