Easter Sunday, April 16, 2017

Today, and for the next fifty days, we will celebrate and rejoice in the triumph of Christ over the power of death. It is our primary and foundational Christian feast. Through it, the course of human history is changed forever as Christ has, in the words of Exsultet, broken “the prison-bars of death and rose victorious from the underworld.”

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK OF APRIL 17 - 23

MONDAY: April 17
(We pray for Rev. Charles Goakery, C.Ss.R.)

TUESDAY: April 18
(We Pray for Rev. Pierre Wood, O.F.M. Cap.)

St. Peter’s Church - 12:00 pm
“Devotions to St. Joseph & St. Andre”
Sacrament of Reconciliation
+Larry Langan - John & Gayle Dunn
+Bernie Mitchell Jr. - Anthony & Monique Hartman & Family

WEDNESDAY: April 19
(We Pray for Rev. Donald Pumputis)

Queensway Nursing Home - 3:30 pm
Int. of Marie Cyr - St. Boniface CWL

St. Boniface Church - 7:00 pm - Teaching Mass
“Devotions to Our Mother of Perpetual Help”
+(Ann) Madeline & Barbara Smith - Bill Smith
+Marilyn Adams, mother of Michelle DePaepe
- The Hunt Family
+Ed Smith - Cecelia Farwell

THURSDAY: April 20
(We pray for Rev. Danny Santos)

Bluewater Resthome - 3:30 pm
Int. of Theresa Regier - St. Boniface CWL
Int. of Therese Stark - St. Boniface CWL

FRIDAY: April 21
(We Pray for Mrs. Judy Bertram, Pastoral Minister)

St. Boniface Church - 9:15 am
Int. of Fr. David Johnston
- Anthony & Monique Hartman & Family
Int. of Margaret Suplat - Lloyd & Mary Lou Aubin
+Ray Denomme - Tillie Rau

SATURDAY: April 22
(We Pray for Deacon Leonard Hughes)

St. Boniface Church - No Morning Mass
St. Peter’s Church - 3:00 pm
Wedding of Eryk Burns & Jillianne Reinseth

***St. Peter’s Church - 5:00 pm

SUNDAY: April 23
(We Pray for Rev. David Furlonger, C.Ss.R))

St. Boniface Church - 9:00 am
St. Peter’s Church - 11:00 am

Prayer List
Please remember in your prayers the members of our parish family suffering from illness, Joyce Waller, Roxanne Rau, Louise Merner, Reese Thomson, Joyce Cole, Steve Brock, Fr. Martin Nyland, Shirley Bedard, Madeleine Denomme, Ken Mittelholtz, Alex Malcolm, Bernie Denomme, Ted Soudant, Jerome Durand and Marie Cyr.

Office Closed
The office will be closed on Thursday, April 20. Please make sure to have all bulletin news to the office by no later then Wednesday, April 19 at noon.

Reminder!!!
Our Saturday night mass will move back to St. Peter’s Church on Saturday, April 22 at 5:00 pm.

The Word Among Us
The Word Among Us Booklets for April/May are available in the entrances of the Churches. Cost: $2/each.

Everyone is Invited!!!
On Wednesday, April 19 during the 7 pm Mass at St. Boniface Church Fr. Matt will be explaining the parts of the Mass during the Mass to the children and their families preparing for First Holy Communion. All are invited to come and get refreshed on the reason why we do what we do!

Adult Faith Development Series
Our Adult Faith Development Series will begin on Thursday, April 27th at 7 pm at St. Boniface. Please mark your calendars!

Bible Study Group at St. Peter’s
Our Bible Study Group at St. Peter’s will start up again after Easter on Tuesday mornings at 9:30 am. Please contact Martha Mungar at 519-236-7321 or by email mkmungar@hay.net if you are interested.

St. Andre 100 Years April Celebration
On Sunday, April 23 at the 11 am Mass at St. Peter’s we will be celebrating married couples and families. Special anniversary couples - in multiples of 5 - please register with Phil LaPorte by email at laportep@hay.net.

St. Andre 100 Years Website
http://standre100.weebly.co
Knights of Columbus
Executive/General Meeting - Wednesday, April 19 at St. Boniface Church at 8:00 pm.

St. Boniface CWL
General Meeting - All members are invited to join us for the CWL General Meeting on April 18 at 7:30 pm in the St. Boniface Church hall. Joan and Rose’s group will be in charge of the meeting. Looking forward to seeing everyone there.

Gift Bags for The Women’s Shelter - St. Boniface CWL is collecting gift bags for women and children to be donated to area shelters. Suggested items include: shampoo, conditioner, bar soap, brush or comb, feminine hygiene products and for children: diapers, wipes, socks. There will be a box in the Narthex. The last day to donate will be April 23.

St. Peter’s CWL
Spring Food Drive - Blessing Food Bank is in desperate need of fruit, jam. A box will be at the back of the church for donations.

Have a Rosary - Need a Rosary?
There is a box at the back of our Churches containing several rosaries. If you wish a rosary, please feel free to take whichever one you like. If you have extra rosaries at home which you are not using, please put them in the box. At the end of the year, if there is a large number, we will send them to the missions.

St. Joseph's Listowel Men's Conference
St. Joseph’s parish, Listowel will be hosting a Men’s Conference and is inviting all of the men of our family of parishes (age 16 & up) to attend. NOTE: This is a free event. Please plan to join us: Saturday, April 22, 2017 from 10am – 2pm for Mass, confessions, steak dinner and a fabulous guest speaker. Please contact either Father Morrison 519-291-4400 ext. 4 or Mike Cronin at: 519-530-9158 or mcronin@cyg.net for more information and to RSVP. St. Joseph’s is located at 1025 Wallace Avenue North, Listowel, ON

Theology on Tap
Everyone is invited to the Huron-Perth Catholic Theology on Tap on Tap on April 25 at Westover Inn, St. Mary’s at 7:00 pm. Fr. Nate Wills from The University of Notre Dame will be the guest speaker. Rev. Nathan Willis, C.S.C. is a Catholic priest of the Congregation of Holy Cross. Fr. Wills serves on the faculty of the Mary Ann Remick Leadership Program. A native of St. Paul, MN, he began his career at the University of Notre Dame as an undergraduate seminarian in the Old College program. He completed a double major in Theology and Computer Applications in 1999, and as a part of his seminary formation, taught at Notre Dame High School in Niles, IL as a member of the Alliance for Catholic Education (ACE) program. He completed his M.Ed. from Notre Dame in 2003 and his M.Div. in 2005. Father Nate was ordained in the spring of 2006 and served as the associate pastor at St. Joseph Parish in South Bend, IN. He entered graduate studies at the University of Wisconsin-Madison and completed his Ph.D. in 2015, studying technology policy in K-12 Catholic schools. Father Nate’s research interests include blended learning, innovative uses of technology, and leadership in Catholic schools.

Power & Purpose Conference
The clustered parishes of St. James, Seaforth and St. Patrick’s Dublin is taking a bus for adults 19 years old and up to the Power and Purpose Conference at Franciscan University in Steubenville June 9 – 11, 2017. We are sharing the bus with another parish. For more information please call Karen Doyle at 519-345-2972 ext. 26 or email kdoyle@dol.ca.

Voices Needed
Join us on Friday nights from April 21 – June 16 at Voices from the Heart for an opportunity to sing, meet new people, and enjoy a time of refreshments and fellowship. Voices from the Heart will be hosted by Trivett Memorial Church at 264 Main Street South in Exeter. Registration begins at 6:30 pm ($30 cash-only fee for 9-week membership). Rehearsal 7:00-8:30 pm. Voices from the Heart is a choir open to everyone of all ages and all levels of experience. For more information regarding joining or volunteering, please contact Hannah (226-222-9545) or Gloria (519-440-9256).
Please Support These Local Businesses That Support Our Parish

Events at a glance....

- **Teaching Mass for 1st Communion Candidates & Families** - Wednesday, April 19 at St. Boniface at 7 pm
- **K of C Meeting** - Wednesday, April 19 at St. Boniface Church at 8 pm
- **Saturday Night Mass moves back to St. Peter’s** - Saturday, April 22
- **St. Andre Celebration** - Celebrating married couples and families - Sunday, April 23 at St. Peter’s at the 11 am Mass
- **K of C Card Party** - Tuesday, April 25 at St. Boniface at 7:00 pm
- **Finance Meeting** - Wednesday, April 26 at St. Boniface following the 7 pm Mass
- **Adult Faith Development** - Thursday, April 27 at St. Boniface Church at 7 pm
- **Catholic Education Week** - May 1 - 5
- **Adult Faith Development** - Thursday, May 4 at St. Boniface church at 7 pm
- **First Friday School Mass & 12 Hour Adoration** - Friday, May 5 at St. Boniface Church

SHOW YOUR LOVE FOR YOUR PARISH BY REMEMBERING TO INCLUDE YOUR PARISH IN YOUR WILL.
**Weekend Masses**

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**Parish Office & School Contact Information**

**Parish Office:**
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stbonifacecs@hpcdsb.ca

**St. Anne’s Catholic Secondary School:**
353 Ontario St., Box 490
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519-482-5454

**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**

**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 the 9:00 am mass.

**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.

**Website**

Our website is regularly updated. There is a monthly calendar of events, important information and great pictures.
www.bluewater.dionet.ca

**Parish Pastoral Council**
Cynthia Forler
Lynette Graham
Phil LaPorte
Kathryn Regier
Janet Soudant
Marg Suptat

**Celebrating Our Faith**

**Baptism**
Please 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.