2nd Sunday of Easter - April 28, 2019

God’s divine mercy is for all. Jesus is God, and his mercy is both divine and eternal. His love is upon us for our sake and we, in turn, should grow in trust in our Savior.

### MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK OF APRIL 29 - MAY 5

**MONDAY:** April 29
(Vocation Support Prayer: Rev. Peter Keller)

**TUESDAY:** April 30 - NO MASS
(Rev. Benjamin Huyge)

**WEDNESDAY:** May 1 - NO MASS
(Rev. Zbigniew Rodzinka, C.S.M.A.)

**THURSDAY:** May 2
(Rev. Thomas Janisse)

- Bluewater Resthome - 3:30 pm
  + Lloyd Denomme - Virginia Denomme & Family
  + George Grenier Sr. - Lottie Grenier & Family

**FRIDAY:** May 3 - First Friday
(Rev. Matthew Bedard)

- St. Boniface Church - 9:15 am
  “Adoration from 8:00 am - 4:00 pm”
  + Clara Baker - Betty Grenier
  Int. of Fr. Patrick Beneteau
  - Staff & Students of St. Boniface School
  Int. of the Sisters of Our Lady Immaculate
  - Staff & Students of St. Boniface School

**SATURDAY:** May 4
(Rev. Daniel Bombardier)

- St. Boniface Church - 9:00 am
  Sacrament of Reconciliation - 8:00 - 8:45 am
  + Catherine DeCorte - Karl & Mary Regier
  + Bernadine Regier - Sister Mary
  + Hermann Gerdes - Ulrich & Anna Duttmann

- St. Peter’s Church - 5:00 pm

**SUNDAY:** May 6
(Rev. Richard Bester)

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

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### Prayer List

**Please remember in your prayers** the members of our parish family suffering from illness, Reese Thomson, Fr. Martin Nyland, Shirley Bedard, Marie Cyr, Theresa Davies, Pat Mihm, Carolyn Rau, Nanc Wilkins, Fr. Matt George, Tillie Rau and all who minister in hospitals.

**Bishop Fabbro’s Statement on Easter Sunday, April 21**

Sri Lanka Terror Attacks

“Along with the rest of the world, I learned this morning of the shocking and cruel terror attacks in Sri Lanka. Easter Sunday is our most holy day, a joyful day that has turned to tears for the innocents who have been injured and killed. These deliberate assaults were not just against our brothers and sisters but on everyone who values life, love, and peace. Together with Pope Francis, and on behalf of the faithful of the Diocese of London, I condemn these acts of hatred and express our sorrow for the victims and their families. “These attacks were made on Easter Sunday, the day we proclaim Christ’s victory over death and sin. Let us join in prayer with all believers and people of good will, asking God to deliver us from every evil. May God grant peace in our days, and may we redouble our efforts to live out Christ’s commandment to love one another as He loved us.”

### Mass Notations

There will be **NO WEEKDAY MASSES** celebrated at any of our parish sites on **Tuesday, April 30** and **Wednesday, May 1**.

**Adoration**

There will be Adoration on **Friday, May 3** from **8:00 am** - **4:00 pm** at St. Boniface Church. There is a sign up sheet in the Narthex of the Church.

**Bulletin News for the Weeks of May 6 - 19**

Please have all bulletin news from **May 6 - 19** to the Church Office **no later then Wednesday, May 1 at 4:30 pm** as we will be doing a 2 week bulletin.

### Development + Peace

Lenten Soup and Bread Meals

A heartfelt thank you to everyone who attended, volunteered to bring pots of soup, set up the tables and chairs, wash up the dishes used and help with video presentations. We set up a container for free-will offerings for our D + P Share Lent campaign. We raised $1,190.35 this year with an average participation of 30-35 parishioners at each meal plus those who contributed but didn’t get to taste the delicious soups. So sad. My appreciation. Kathy Regier

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**Vocation Support Prayer Program**

On the 4th Sunday of Easter also called “**Good Shepherd**” Sunday we will be starting a 4 week Vocation Support Prayer Program, where families and individuals will take a Crucifix home from a Sunday Mass and make vocations their prayer focus for the week. Please consider signing up for this important initiative. Call the church office to find out available weeks and Mass times. Materials and guidelines will be provided.
**Bible Study Group**

Bible Study will begin after Easter in St. Peter’s Hall on Tuesdays from 9:30 - 11:30 am. We will be studying the Book of Revelations. If interested contact Martha at 519-236-7321.

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**St. Teresa of Calcutta Faith in Action Award Recipients**

The Huron-Perth Catholic District School Board is pleased to announce that the following exemplary models of Catholic service will be awarded with the St. Teresa of Calcutta Faith in Action Award for 2019.

- Fr. Clare Coleman-St. Patrick’s Dublin; St. James Seaforth
- Denise Morris - St. Joseph’s, Clinton; St. Peter’s, Goderich
- Jim & Carla-Mae Nyenhuis - St. Patrick’s, Kinkora
- Naomi Paul - St. Mary’s & St. Peter’s, Goderich
- Angela Schuster - St. Josephs & Immaculate Conception, Stratford
- Eileen Sleightholm - St. Mary’s & St. Peter’s, Goderich

The Board looks forward to recognizing the award recipients at its Catholic Education Week Mass being held on Monday, May 6, 2019 at St. Patrick’s Church in Dublin at 5:00 p.m. We are honoured to have The Most Rev. Bishop Ronald Fabbro celebrate the Mass. The Huron-Perth Catholic Trustees’ Student Leadership Awards will also be given out at this time. Everyone is cordially invited to attend Mass. We look forward to welcoming you.

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**Kelly Franklin from Farmtown Canada Presentation**

The CWL Councils of Our Lady of Mount Carmel & Precious Blood invite the ladies of the Catholic Women’s League in Our Family of Parishes and their family members and/or guest to join us in listening to Kelly Franklin from Farmtown Canada. Kelly will speak to us about Farmtown, its response to Human Trafficking, Project ORoute along the 401 corridor and how we can help with this serious issue. Friday, May 10th at 7 pm at Precious Blood Church Hall, Exeter. Please note: No one under the age of 18; 16 and 17 year olds may be accompanied by an adult.

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**Mother’s Day Tea & Bake Sale**

There is going to be a Mother’s Day Tea & Bake Sale at the Bluewater Rest Home on Saturday, May 11th at 2 pm sponsored by the Ladies Auxiliary. Baking is appreciated. Everyone is welcome.

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**Wedding Anniversary Mass**

The Most Rev. Ronald P. Fabbro, CSB, invites all married couples to attend this year’s Wedding Anniversary Mass on Sunday, June 2 at 3 pm at St. Peter’s Cathedral Basilica. This special annual Mass is a celebration of the Sacrament of Marriage. All couples who register will receive a keepsake Certificate. To register please visit www.dol.ca/wedding-anniversary, phone your parish office, or use a sign-up form available at the back of the church.

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**Bishop’s Dinner for London & Surrounding Communities**

The Eleventh Annual Bishop’s Dinner for London & Surrounding Communities will be held on Wednesday, June 12 at the London Convention Centre. This annual event gathers our community with Bishop Fabbro in a “Celebration of Faith, Friendship and Charity” to raise vital funds for Vocations London and St. Peter’s Seminary. This year we welcome three-time Juno nominee Emm Gryner with her band. For tickets or sponsorship information, please email Mrs. Frances Barnard at bishopsdinner@dol.ca or phone 519-432-1414 or 1-888-548-9649, ext. 255.

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**Employment Opportunity**

CCLC, the Catholic Christian Leadership Camp of the Diocese of London, is seeking the following positions: Summer Leadership Camp Coordinator, Youth Leadership Inclusion Support Staff, Outdoor Learning Coordinator, Day Camp Coordinator, and Day Camp Counsellor. Details for these and other positions are available at www.dol.ca/employment

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**Huron-Perth Catholic District School Board**

The Huron-Perth Catholic DSB is seeking one volunteer Catholic ratepayer to serve on its Audit Committee for a 3-year term effective July 1, 2019. The primary role of the Audit Committee is to assist the Board of Trustees in fulfilling its duties related to governance and oversight.

**Candidate Eligibility:**

- Must have sufficient accounting, senior financial management or legal expertise to understand public sector accounting and auditing standards.
- Must not be a current employee or officer of the Board, or of any other district school board or school authority.
- Must not have a parent, child or spouse currently employed by the Board.

Interested candidates may submit a letter of interest and resume by 12:00 p.m. Monday, May 27, 2019 to the attention of Mary-Ellen Ducharme, Superintendent of Business and Treasurer at HR@hpcdsb.ca

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**Marriage Annulment**

Are you hoping to get married in the Catholic Church or to have a new union blessed? Or are you simply looking for some closure after a painful divorce? If so, consider applying for a Declaration of Nullity (“annulment”) from the Marriage Tribunal of the Diocese of London. This process is free of charge. We are here to help. If you want to start the process, or if you just have some questions about obtaining a Declaration of Nullity, feel free to call us at 519-439-1553 or Toll Free at 1-866-603-4317 or email tribunal@dol.ca

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**100 Years Zurich Library**

Join us in celebrating 100 years of library service in Zurich on Saturday, May 4 from 10:30 am - 12:00 pm. We welcome all to drop in, share stories and memories and view the changes in the library and services since 1919.
Are you interested in placing an ad on the back of our church bulletin. Please contact the church office at 519-236-4191.

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Please Support These Local Businesses That Support Our Parish

Events at a glance....

- First Friday & Adoration - Friday, May 3 at St. Boniface Church
- Catholic Education Week - May 6 - 10
- School Mass - Friday, May 10 at 9:15 am at St. Boniface Church
- St. Peter’s CWL Bake Sale - Sunday, May 19 after the 11 am Mass
- Community Card Party - Tuesday, May 28 at 7:15 pm at St. Boniface Church
- Cemetery Sunday - June 2 at St. Peter’s following the 11 am Mass

Be sure to buy a newspaper this week to read about the May events.

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

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Bluewater Plumbing & Heating
Gas Installations & Sales & Service
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Zurich, Ont. N0M 2T0
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Weekend Masses
Sat  5:00 pm  St. Peter  (mid April to mid October)
     St. Boniface  (mid October to mid April)
Sun  9:00 am  St. Boniface
     11:00 am  St. Peter

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 Officers and School Contact Information
Parish Office: 22 Mary St., Box 81, Zurich, ON N0M 2T0 519-236-4391 bluewater@dol.ca

St. Boniface School: 24 Mary St., Box 128, Zurich, ON N0M 2T0 519-236-4335 stbonifacecs@hpcdsb.ca

St. Anne’s Catholic Secondary School: 353 Ontario St., Box 490, Clinton, ON N0M 1L0 519-482-5454

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

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.

Parish Organizations
Parish Advisory Council: A combined council meets regularly 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
Kristie Cresswell
Cynthia Forler
Lynette Graham
Ray Mathonia
Janet Soudant
Marg Suplat

Fr. Matthew George
Lori LaPorte
Tuesday - Thursday
8:30 am – 4:30 pm
Friday - 8:30 am - 12:30 pm