

Sacred Heart Parish

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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
Office Administrator
Allan MacDonald
Bookkeeper

**Rev. Leszek
Szczygiel**
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

Sacred Heart Parish, Mildmay

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



First Reading:

Acts 5.12-16

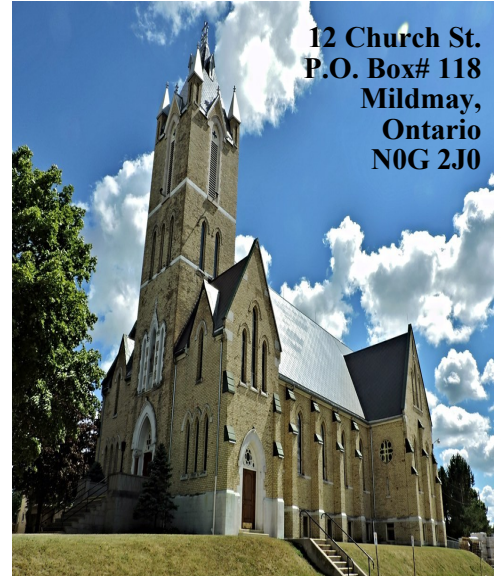
Second Reading:

Revelation 1.9-11a 12-13

Gospel:

John 20.19-31

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Sunday: 9:00 am.

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and Saturday's in Walkerton at 4pm

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& Friday
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& 1 p.m.- 2:30 pm

Roy Haskins
Parish Secretary/Bookkeeper

**Second Sunday Of Easter (or of Divine Mercy)
Sunday April 27, 2025**

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.

Second Sunday Of Easter (or of Divine Mercy)

MASS SCHEDULE FOR WALKERTON

April 29 - May 4, 2025

Tues. April 29

9:00 a.m.

+Bill Ernest *req by:* The Ernest Family

Thurs. May 1

10:30 a.m. Anointing Mass @ Brucelea Haven

+Theresa Manion *req by:* Fr. Les

Fri. May 2

9:00 a.m.

+Corinne Louther *req by:* Jim & Judy Sloan

Sat. May 3

5:00 p.m.

+Francis Lang *req by:* The Merchant Families

Sun. May 4 Third Sunday Of Easter

11:00 a.m.

+Dave Slosser *req by:* Clare Kraemer

2:00 p.m. First Communion in MILD MAY

MASS SCHEDULE FOR MILD MAY

April 29 - May 4, 2025

Wed. April 30

9:00 a.m.

+Harold Priebe & Gertrude Meyers *req by:* The Estate

Thurs. May 1

9:00 a.m.

+Joe Kuntz *req by:* Knights of Columbus Council #2042

Sat. May 3

6:30 p.m.

For the intentions of our Parish and its benefactors

Sun. May 4 Third Sunday Of Easter

9:00 a.m.

+Albin Huber *req by:* The Family

2:00 p.m. First Communion

For the intentions of all our students receiving the Sacrament of First Holy Communion

Second Sunday of Easter

Thomas believed because he saw Jesus. What will it take for you to respond to God's Call to priesthood, diaconate, or consecrated life? If God is calling you contact Fr. Mark Morley, Director of Vocations,

Diocese of Hamilton at 905-528-7988.

Email vocations@hamiltondiocese.com



In Deepest Sympathy

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



Mary Beggs

May God grant her eternal rest.

"Blessed are those who have not seen and have believed."

John 20: 29b

Sunday, April 27, 2025

Second Sunday of Easter (Divine Mercy Sunday)

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, **April 28-May 3, 2025** we pray for:

April 28....Rev. Francis Noronha, C.S.C.

April 29....Rev. Shajymon Mandapathikunnel Lucka, C.S.C.

April 30....Permanent Deacons

May 1.....Rev. Michael Isabelle

May 2.....Rev. Alberto Ferreira

May 3.....Rev. Gary Schlack



3 O' Clock Prayer

You expired, O Jesus but the source of life gushed forth for souls and an ocean of mercy opened up for the whole world.

O Fount of Life, unfathomable Divine Mercy, envelop the whole world and empty Yourself out upon us.

O Blood and Water, which gushed forth from the Heart Of Jesus as a fount of mercy for us, I trust in You. Amen. (3x)

JESUS, I TRUST IN YOU



The 3 o'clock prayer to the Divine Mercy,

also known as the "Hour of Mercy," focuses on the moment Jesus expired on the cross, when the source of life and an ocean of mercy were opened to all. The prayer emphasizes the power of Jesus' sacrifice and the overflowing mercy offered to humanity.

Pray For Our Sick.

Father of goodness and love, hear our prayers for the sick members of our community, especially, **Catherine Regier, Lloyd Gutscher, Barb Tuinema, Helen Meyer, Helen McLean, Dwayne, Maryanne Buehlow, Phyllis Siegner, Ron Weiler, Rita DeBaincat, Carol McDonald, Jason Hart, Margarita, Jerome Zettler, Barry Smith, Gib, Lorraine S., Gerard Schmidt, Marg Weber, Mila Schnerch, Sandra Berry, Ron & Rose Wilhelm, Theresa Filsinger, Gordon & Helen Kastner, Jim Walter, Barbara Illerbrunn, Charlie Fischer, Clayton & Dorothy Schmidt, Marlene Self, Nancy Litwak, Pat Weiler, Mike Weiler, Vincenzo Lanci, Terry Green, Sr. Simone, Gord Maxwell, Wayne O'Leary, Al Schumacher, Carrie Anne Quish, Roland Siegfried, Tom Donnelly, Darlene Thorne, Paul Schnurr, Bernard Cotter, Anne Marie Hammer, Shirley A. Grubb, Helena Morley, Len Kraemer, Marg Kleist, 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, Vera Schmidt, Teresa Schnurr, Glenn Schnurr, Betty Etherton, James Falkingham, Angela Cavanagh, & Rosemary O'Hara and for all special intentions.**

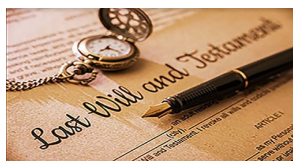
Amid mental and physical suffering may they find consolation in your healing presence. Show your mercy as you close wounds, cure illness, make broken bodies whole and free downcast spirits. May these people find lasting health and deliverance, and so join us in thanking you for all your gifts. We ask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



*Eternal rest grant unto Francis, O Lord.
And let the perpetual light shine upon him.
And may his soul, and the souls of all the
faithful departed, through the mercy of God,
rest in peace.*

Pope Francis

1936-2025



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.

WALKERTON CWL NEWS:

**CWL General Meeting
on Tuesday, May 6th**
will start with Mass at 6:30 pm
followed by the meeting at 7:00 pm.



**National Family and Life Week from
May 11 to May 18th.
Prayer for National Family and Life Week 2025**

Heavenly Father,
we place our trust in you.

You have given us the precious gift of life and entrusted us to care for, nurture, and sustain it. Help our families to be sanctuaries of joy and light, where both young and old are cherished and embraced, and where your gifts of faith, hope, and love may flourish.

May your tender loving care inspire all families to abound in hope so that we may live out our call to holiness as missionary disciples in the service of life and peace.

Through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, God, for ever and ever. Amen.

*Lord Jesus, you have called
Pope Francis to yourself.
Grant him now your mercy and
let him rest eternally with you in
your Kingdom.
Through Christ our Lord.
Amen.*

APRIL IS DEVOTED TO THE HOLY SPIRIT



The month of **April** is dedicated to The Holy Spirit. The first few days of the month fall during the season of Lent which is represented by the liturgical color purple — a symbol of penance, mortification and the sorrow of a contrite heart. The remainder of April falls during the Easter season which is represented by the liturgical color white — the color of light, a symbol of joy, purity and innocence (absolute or restored).

April boasts the most solemn and sublime event of human history: The Resurrection of Jesus Christ – the Paschal mystery. Though the way to the Resurrection was the Via Crucis, the Sacrificial Lamb of God is now and forever Christ our Light, the Eternal high priest of the New Covenant. And his sorrowful mother, the Stabat Mater of Good Friday, is now the jubilant Mother of the Regina Caeli. We the members of Christ’s Mystical Body exalt in the mystery by which we were redeemed. If in Baptism we were buried with Christ, so also will we share in his resurrection. By his death we were reborn; “by his stripes we were healed.” (Is 53:5) Easter, the epicenter of time, is the event that links time and eternity. It is indeed “the day the Lord has made; let us be glad and rejoice in it.”

THE DIOCESAN WEDDING ANNIVERSARY MASS

Wedding Anniversary Mass on **Sunday, June 1, 2025, at the Cathedral Basilica of Christ the King in Hamilton at 1:30 pm.** (Space allows room for Anniversary couples only - those married 60 years or more may bring one guest if you require assistance). Registration is found under Upcoming Events on the home page at hamiltondiocese.com.

Proposal to Add Additional Accessible Parking Space on Jane Street, Walkerton

The Accessibility Advisory Committee and Municipality are seeking the public’s feedback on a proposal to amend the Traffic and Parking By-Law to add another accessible parking space along Jane Street, Walkerton, beside Sacred Heart Parish to accommodate persons with disabilities. There are currently two (2) existing accessible parking spaces on Jane Street beside Sacred Heart Parish.

Comments can be submitted to **Fiona Hamilton**, Director of Legislative and Legal Services (Clerk) by [email](mailto:), or by mail to Municipality of Brockton 100 Scott Street, P.O. Box 68, Walkerton, ON N0G 2V0 until **May 1, 2025 at Noon.**

Council will consider comments on this proposal to amend the Traffic and Parking By-Law at their Council Meeting on **May 13, 2025.**



Mildmay CWL

needs your help with the **Cold Plate Supper.**

We are in need of donations of pies, cheese cake or money would be much appreciated. Please call Pauline @ 367-2795.

CWL Cold Plate Supper

Tickets are available at the Parish Office, Harleys Pub & Perk, or after mass or call **Jean Beitz at 367-2233.**

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.....	\$2,231.00
Building Fund.....	\$1,345.00
Good Friday.....	\$735.00
Share Lent.....	\$500.00
Easter.....	\$3,150.75

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.....	\$1,398.05
Building Fund.....	\$320.00
Share Lent.....	\$20.00
Easter.....	\$1,268.00
Good Friday.....	\$718.50