

Father Roselle Cyrille R. Azares Deacons: William Carson P.D. Michael Conlin P.D. Anthony Ruta P.D. Timothy Dunlop P.D.

MASSES

Saturday Vigil 5:00 pm (fulfils Sunday obligation) 9:00 am, 11:00 am Sunday 7:30pm

Monday 12:05 noon Tuesday 5:00 pm Wednesday -Friday 12:05 pm Saturday 10:00 am

> **Holy Hour** Friday 11:00 - 12:00 noon in the main church

CONFESSIONS

Saturday 4:30 - 5:00 pm Sundays 30 minutes before each Mass or by appointment

BAPTISM Call to make arrangements

MARRIAGE

Twelve months notice and Marriage Course usually required

ST. MARGARET'S PARISH

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OFFICE HOURS: Tuesday - Friday

9am to 5pm closed from 12 noon to 1:30pm

Blessed Sacrament Chapel open during office hours for prayer and adoration.

PARISH LIFE				
Parish Secretary:			Sandy D'Alessandro	
Custodian:			Jim Lamers	
Choirs	Saturday	5:00pm	Diana Swift	705-527-9999
	Sunday	9:00am	Adele Heins	705-526-8816
	Sunday	11:00am	Denise Tinney	705-322-3239
Finance Council			Pauline Brabant	
Floral Decorations			Katie Goulbourne & Ruth Dusome	
Greeters & Ushers			Liz Gaudet	705-245-0820
Rectory Housekeeper			Katie Goulbourne	
			PARISH GROUPS	
Catholic Women's League			Sandra Morson	705-527-6375
Contemplative Prayer Group			Teresa Marchildon	705-999-1926
Knights of Columbus			Robert Sykes	705-529-6718
Legion of Mary			John Sweeney	705-245-2211

John Sweeney 705-245-2211 Carmelina Farrugia 705-549-4448 Food Bank, donations, all inquiries 705-526-7585

ST. MARGARET'S CEMETERY

Burials, Plots, Niches, Monuments, Cleanings and all other services email: stmargaretscemetery@rogers.com Stephanie Kulczycki

705-526-6313 ext. 5

CHILDREN & YOUTH MINISTRIES

Youth & Family Ministry Catechesis of the Good Shepherd

Marian Prayer Group

St. Vincent de Paul

Children's Liturgy

Patricia Stenton **Conrad Stenton**

Bev Main

stmargaretsym@gmail.com

OTHER SERVICES

Natural Family Planning Humanae Vitae Centre (Linda) Catholic Family Services Huronia Right-to-Life (Michael Vanden Heuvel)

Katie Heffernan

705-956-0632 705-529-1403 heffernankt@gmail.com

905-859-8351 705-526-9397

705-533-3028

SCHOOLS

Monsignor Castex School 705-526-2831 Sacred Heart School 705-526-0107 St. Theresa's High School 705-526-1311



This Weekend we celebrate Christ Che King Jesus Christ the King will restore all creation and restore his kingdom to the Father. The risen people of God will rejoice in a new heaven and a new earth; then we will be freed from the corruption of sin and death, and sing God's glory with every EPIV (Ordo 2019) creature. Mass Intentions for the Week Mondav November 25th 12:05 noon + Albertine Desroches Requested by Gabriel Desroches & family **Tuesday November 26th** + Louise Lamers 5pm Requested by Theresa Laurin Wednesday November 27th 12:05 noon Deceased members of the Rossi family Requested by Pia, Marce, John & family Thursday November 28th 12:05 noon + Capt. William Lavigne Requested by Bill Lavigne Friday November 29th 11am-12 noon Holy Hour 12:05 noon + John Bourgeois Requested by Marg & family Saturday November 30th 10am + John Buesnel Regeusted by Margaret Power Sunday Masses **First Sunday of Advent** Saturday November 30th Vigil Mass + Ronald & Rita Robitaille 5pm Requested by the family Sunday December 1st Intentions of Claude & Lorraine Moreau 9 am Requested by Peter & Marie Lacroix 11 am missa pro populo 7:30 pm + Larry Brunner Requested by Guy & Mary DiTomaso **Prayer Requests** Please pray for those who have asked for prayers: Shelley Smith; Stephen Roach; Anne Marie Radko; Anne Marie Calhoun; Dawn Sweeney; Gail LeClair; Brenda Toole; Vincentia Beelan; Corwyn Ophelders; Nadine Adams;

Brian McNamara; Yvonne Fielding; Theresa Murphy; Rita Smith; Christopher Johnson; Donald MacIssac; Verna Goneau; Deacon Tim Dunlop: Steven Laurin Please pray for our recently deceased relatives & friends

Fred Rutherford; Volker Hahn; Marie Nussbaum; Lorette Armsworthy

Sanctuary Lamp November 24th – 30th, 2019 This week the light burns in memory of Stefan Drvaric

Meetings/Events for the Week

Monday November 25th

Catechesis of the Good Shepherd 4 -6pm, for levels II/III (ages 7-9)

Wednesday November 27th

Catechesis of the Good Shepherd 4 – 5:30 pm, for level I, ages 3 -6 yrs

Life in the Spirit Group

7pm in the parish hall - registered participants

Thursday November 28th

Catechesis of the Good Shepherd 1 - 3pm, for home schooling families, ages 9 - 12 yrs

Friday November 29th

Marian Prayer Group

After the 12 noon Mass



K of C Laurier Council 2004 🥸 Dinner Meeting ~ December 2nd at 6 pm

Brother Knights are reminded that the general meeting for December will be on Monday December 2nd instead of the usual Wednesday Night meeting and will be our Annuual Turkey Dinner. Dinner 6pm, meeting to follow at 7:30pm . Cost \$5 per person. RSVP: Brother Peter Lacroix 705-526-2428

Caring for our Common Home Presentation

St Margaret's CWL and Knights of Columbus extend an invitation to you to attend a presentation by Anne Marie Jackson, Director of the Jesuit Forum on the environment featuring Pope Francis's encyclical, Laudato Si', Caring For Our Common Home.

Monday December 9 - 6:30 - 8:30 , St. Margaret's Parish Hall

First Light

November 28-30 and

December 5-7 5:30pm to 9:00pm ~ Martyrs' Shrine (Entrance & Admission at Sainte-Marie among the Hurons – No Vehicles Permitted at Martyrs' Shrine)

First Light, with a great line-up of family activities and performers, visitors can stroll the candlelit paths of St. Marie and continue their journey to Martyrs' Shrine to get their picture taken with St. Nicholas, and see inside the Church of St. Joseph – decorated for the festive season. Admission is \$10 per person with the donation of a non-perishable food item. Kids 5 and under are free!



*includes PAG & Donate Now

Sunday November 10, 2019

Offertory \$ 5,395.40* Shepherd's Trust \$ 2759.75

Building Fund \$ 274.00*

Thank You for your support!

Remember St. Margaret's in your Will Help the work of our parish continue.....

2020 Offertory Envelopes

Are available for pick-up at the office during the week Tuesday - Friday 9-12 & 1-5

2019-2020 Sundav Missals

Available at the office during the week for \$5 each

Family-Parish-School Corner

• For over 4 years with the support of school administration and the financial support of community partners and parish groups we have been able to provide financial support for the busing costs of bringing the staff and students from our two Catholic elementary schools, Monsignor Castex and Sacred Heart schools to the church once a month for Mass. This year the cost of busing drastically increased to \$306 per school per month. This means that we need to raise over \$6,000 to keep the students coming to mass here at the church once a month. Currently, donations from the Knights of Columbus, Catholic Women's League and Funeral Reception Committee total \$3,000. We are looking for parishioners and community members who are able and willing to support the remaining \$3,000. If you are able to help with any donation towards this please place an envelope in the collection basket labelled School Busing with your name on it so we can include your donation in your tax receipt. All donations will be gratefully accepted. Thank you

First Communion

If you missed the registration/enrolment and you have a child born in 2012 or later that would like to prepare for First Reconciliation (Confession) and First Holy Communion this year please contact the parish office as soon as possible or email our youth minister Bev Main at stmargaretsym@rogers.com

Confirmation

If you missed the registration/enrolment and you have a child born in 2007 or later that would like to prepare for Confirmation please contact the parish office as soon as possible or email our youth minister Bev Main at stmargaretsym@rogers.com

If you child is not baptized

** School aged children who are not baptized, or baptized in another faith. are also welcome to prepare for baptism or reception in to the Catholic Church along with the other sacraments.



Christmas Altar Flowers & Decor

As a way of remembering your loved ones this Christmas St. Margaret's is offering you the opportunity to make a donation towards the Christmas Floral Decor. When make a donation in memory of someone their name will be remembered during the Mass intentions on Christmas Eve and Christmas Day. Suggested donation amounts are \$10, \$15, \$20. Envelopes to make the donation in memory of your loved one are

Candlelight Memorial Service Thursday December 12th at 7:00pm At St. Ann's Parish, Penetang

This multi faith service is provided to assist families dealing with a loss over the Christmas season. There will be special

music, a time for remembrance and a reception in the parish hall after the service. For further information, please call the Nicholls Funeral Home at 526-5449

Cold and Flu Season

at either entrance to the church.

The cold and flu season is upon us. To avoid sharing germs remember that: At the Sign of Peace, if you don't want to shake hands, then simply bow, smile and say, "Peace be with you."

St. Margaret's CWL Christmas Luncheon & Bake Sale

Luncheon Includes: sandwiches, dessert, tea, coffee, and juice Draws for gift baskets

Saturday November 30th 11am to 1pm St. Margaret's Parish Hall \$ 7.00 per person **Everyone is Invited!**

NEEDED! Donations for the Luncheon. Homemade baked items for the luncheon and bake sale can be dropped off Friday November 29th between 9 & 12 Any questions, call Sandra 705-527-6375

CWL Christmas Dinner

Members, save the date for this delicious home cooked dinner Tuesday December 17th - 6pm

(cocktails 5:30pm) in the parish hall

The meal includes: turkey; ham; all the trimmings; plus dessert and a beverage. Bring a guest(s) if you wish. Cost is \$20 each. Tickets must be purchased at the parish office or from one of the CWL Executives before December 10th See you there!

St. Vincent de Paul needs your help



Your generosity enabled the Society of St. Vincent de Paul to support 96 applications for Christmas assistance in 2018. We anticipate that the need may be greater this year. These are ways you can help:

1. SPONSOR a needy family by calling 705 526 7585, the St. Vincent de Paul phone line expressing your interest. We will contact you.

2. GIVING TREE - select a tag from the Giving Tree. The tag will offer suggestions as discussed with the applicant. It will also give instructions for returning your unwrapped gifts with gift bags. ALL GIFTS WITH TAGS ARE TO BE DELIVERED TO THE BASEMENT OF THE CHURCH the following Sunday masses:



Chalice

Saturday November 30th – 5pm Sunday December 1st – 9am or 11am Saturday December 7th – 5pm Sunday December 8th 9am or 11am Due to storage constraints please DO NOT BRING GIVING TREE GIFTS TO THE PARISH OFFICE.

3. FINANCIAL DONATIONS are always appreciated. Thank you for your ongoing support!



Meaningful Gifts

Chalice invites you to share the blessings and joy of Christmas with children and families in the developing world. Our Christmas Gift Catalogue offers supporters the opportunity to purchase a gift on behalf of a friend or loved-one. The items in the catalogue are carefully selected based on the needs of the families we serve around the world. Your friend or loved-one will receive a beautiful card stating what gift or gifts you purchased in their name. You will also receive an official tax receipt.

Give a Christmas gift that makes an impact for a child in need by purchasing much-needed items for that child on behalf of your friends and loved ones. There are copies of the Gift Catalogue included in this week's bulletin or either entrance to the church. For more information call 1-800-776-6855 or visit www.chalice.ca

