

## Mass Intentions (May 20th - 26th)

### Tuesday 7 pm

† Teofil Polkiewicz - Larry & Sharon Hoffarth

### Wednesday 9 am

† Reggie Burley - BG Catholic District School Board

### 7 pm Confirmation at Sacred Heart, Walkerton

### Thursday 7 pm

† Dante Sanguigni - Armando

† Stan & Joan Purves - Larry & Sharon Hoffarth

† Shirley Kerr - Don & Donna Kroetsch

Debbie Davis (Int. of) - Dave & Marion Kuntz

Off-Topic Small Group (Int. of)

- In Thanksgiving Retreat Participants

### Friday 9 am

Mass of Thanksgiving - The Kroeplins

† Marie Agnes Kraemer - The Estate

† Stan Purves - Leo & Loretta Montag

† Jean Claude Guay - Jean Trafford

† Darryl Mawhinney - Ed & Elise King

### Saturday 9am Mass (First Saturday)

Mass for the conversion of loved ones and all parishioners.

Mass will be followed by exposition of the Blessed Sacrament, Adoration, Rosary & Divine Mercy Chaplet for the above intentions.

**What is the 1st Saturday Devotion?** *The Blessed Virgin Mary appeared to St. Lucia (one of the children from the apparitions in Fatima) and said, "I promise to assist at the hour of death with the graces necessary for salvation all those who, in order to make reparation to me, on the 1st Saturday of five consecutive months, go to confession, receive Holy Communion, say five decades of the Rosary, and keep me company for a quarter of an hour while meditating on the 15 mysteries of the rosary."*

### Saturday Vigil

7 pm For all the people of the parish

### Sunday 10 am

† Jerzy Gasior - The Zwardon Family

## Your Offering to the Lord Last Weekend

### Holy Family

Regular Sunday 2976.00

Mission Co-op 170.00

Pope's Pastoral Works 10.00

### St. Anne's

Regular 25.00



### Thank you for your generosity.

Sunday Offering Envelopes or Pre-Authorized Remittance are available on request and we will provide each donor with a year end income tax receipt for your church donations. Please consider remembering the church and Christ's work in your will as well. Your support is necessary and appreciated.

## A Children's Liturgy

The Children's Liturgy Program Serves Our Faith Community at the Sunday 10 am Mass



Next week we celebrate Pentecost Sunday. This is a wonderful time when we celebrate Jesus sending the Holy Spirit to his disciples, just as he had promised to do! Come and learn more!

## Reflections on Today's Gospel



**Gospel Verse:** John 14: 23-29

1. Where do you find hope in this passage? Why?
2. Of all the promises made, which one means the most to you?
3. What is the difference between how Jesus gives peace and how the world does?

### Holy Family Parish First Holy Communions

This weekend the following came to part take at the table of the Lord: Jacob Reay, Evan Davis Mylo Marshall, Josh Garvey, Maria McMurray. Congratulations on making the Sacrament of First Holy Communion. May you and your families continue to be blessed and nourished by the Holy Eucharist.

**Confirmation** Bishop Doug Crosby will be confirming youth from Hanover, Walkerton, Chepstow and Durham next Wednesday in Sacred Heart Walkerton. Congratulations to the following from our parish family: Jeff Carter, Brianna Garvey, Hailey Garvey, Emma Garvey, Raina Summers, Margaret Walicki, Ava Maria Wiseman, Kinda Ramos, Alex Grein, Ariel Thomson, Connor Hicks, Kurtis Kunkel, Kayden Kuipers, & Jordan Weber.

### Parish off-site retreat June 14th - 16th



♦ enrich your relationship with the Risen Lord by freeing time to listen to the Holy Spirit through a guided personal retreat in the atmosphere of creation

- ♦ enjoy building relationship with fellow parishioners, community meals, prayer, praise, fun and fellowship
- ♦ more details in the Narthex Cost \$75. child (6-12) \$25.

### CWL Rhubarb Pies for Father's Day

It's rhubarb time and you can order your own fresh rhubarb custard pie, made just in time for Father's Day, for only \$10 per pie. CWL members will take your orders after the weekend Masses on June 1 & 2 and June 8 & 9. Pies can be picked up on the 14th at the Church after 3 p.m. or at the KC Hall after 12 p.m. Proceeds go the works of CWL.



**Request for a bed** St. Vincent de Paul is seeking a double or queen gently used mattress (and bed) for a couple in need. If you have one to share please contact the parish office.

## The Holy Spirit alive and working . . .

**Did you know?** There is a wonderful article in the "Gaudium" A publications for the Companions of the Cross, called "It Takes a Parish to Raise a Saint" And it takes a parish to raise a priest. It refers to Successful Parish Evangelization and Formation . This is an article using the testimony of Christopher Zettel and he refers to the impact we here at HOLY FAMILY PARISH had on his journey.

Exert from the article: (pick up the Gaudium for the whole message available in the Narthex) *"Holy Family Parish has been calling youth to holiness since 1997. Alumni include three ordained priests, one temporary professed Sister of Life, one seminarian, many Catholic marriages and families and countless lives changed. They continue to influence the world in many ways, including youth ministry. Our vision is to become : An evangelizing parish, driven out of our comfort zones into the world by the Holy Spirit to proclaim Jesus Christ."*

**Thank you to all who pray and fast for the parish and community, who rely on the grace of Jesus Christ through the Sacraments and embrace the Mission and Vision of our Parish in everyday life, seeking to faithfully serve and bring Jesus Christ into the world.**

**The Holy Spirit is alive and working in and thru our lives - Rejoice!**

**Cursillo Ultreyas - 2nd Sat. (Walkerton), 4th Sat. (Hanover)** Coffee & gather at 8:45 am, 9-10 Ultreya. Call the parish office for more about Cursillo. 2019 Weekends: May 4th-5th (Women's) Oct 17-20 (Men's)

**Fatal Flaws** is a thought-provoking documentary, filmed in Europe and North America, to ask one of the most fundamental philosophical questions of our time: should we be giving doctors the right in law to end the lives of other people by euthanasia or assisted suicide? Filmmaker Kevin Dunn uses powerful testimonies and expert opinion from both sides of the issue to uncover how these highly disputed laws affect society over time.

Since 1998, five countries including Canada, and six US states have legalized assisted death under certain criteria. Almost every country in the world is discussing some form of legalization. Most doctors want nothing to do with assisted death. However a small minority do, and the number is growing.

This film is about the adoption of – and resistance to – a new cultural philosophy that may affect you at the most vulnerable time of your life. This important film will be shown in Walkerton at the Victoria Jubilee Hall on Sunday June 9th at 7:00 p.m. A freewill offering will be taken up. Sponsored by Walkerton & District Right to Life.

**Found:** A St. Patrick decade rosary in the Church. Claim from the parish office.

### Touch of Humour

Q: Why don't mummies go on summer vacations?

R: They are afraid to relax and unwind.



Q: Why did humpty dumpty have a great fall?

R: To make up for his miserable summer!

## Life in the Parish

### Baptisms

3rd Sunday - Applications in the Parish Office.

### Promised Land Child Care

Infant/toddler care is provided at the 10 am Sunday Mass for children from 0+ to 3 years old please register at 9:30 am.

### Children's Liturgy

Children's Liturgy at the 10 am Sunday Mass from Sept-June: ages 4-10. Call Shari at 364-6916

### Youth Ministry

Altar Serving Ministry (Grade 2 & up)

Not Ashamed: Jr. Youth (Grades 5-7)

The Mustard Seeds: Youth (Grades 8-12)

### Small Faith Sharing Groups

Please contact the office for a list of options.

### Outreach / Growth / Support

Call the parish office for more details

Alpha: Spring Session (starting 27/03/19)

Catholic Women's League

Knights of Columbus

St Vincent de Paul (Emergency Food Assistance)

### Adoration Chapel

Continuous Adoration from Mon. 9am until Saturday at 6 pm. Call Don at 364-1185

### The Rosary Group

Most weekdays following Mass

### Prayer Support - The Prayer Network

Call Pat at 379-3000 or Phyllis at 369-6579

### Marriage

6 months' notice and a marriage course required

### Natural Family Planning

Private consultation with a certified couple. Call Matt & Tracy Claassen at 519-506-5665

### Ministry to the Sick and Aged

Notify the parish office to arrange for a visit or the administering of the Sacraments of the Anointing of the Sick, Reconciliation and Communion

### Funeral & Burial Arrangements

When death occurs in your family, please advise the parish immediately and we will assist you in making liturgical arrangements

### Parish Registration

Become an official member of the family. Registration forms available in the Narthex or on line at [www.holyfamily.ca](http://www.holyfamily.ca)

### Formed.org

For entertainment, inspiration and on-going faith formation. Something for all ages! Parish Gift: Access Code: 766WCD