

Ordination to the Priesthood: May 6, 2023
With praise and thanksgiving to Almighty God,
The Diocese of Hamilton joyfully announces and invites you to attend
the Ordination of: Jonathan Reitzel
to the Ministerial Priesthood of Jesus Christ
through the Imposition of Hands and The Invocation of the Holy Spirit by:
The Most Reverend Douglas Crosby, O.M.I.
Bishop of the Diocese of Hamilton
Saturday, May 6, 2023 at 11:00 a.m.
at the Cathedral Basilica of Christ the King

A livestream link via the Cathedral Basilica will be made available closer to the Ordination date.
If you wish to attend, we suggest that you carpool and arrive early as seating and parking is limited.

Fr. Jonathan Reitzel will be presiding at Mass here at Holy Family on
Saturday, May 13th at 5 pm and Sunday, May 14th at 10 am.
There will be a small reception after Mass on Sunday May 14th to congratulate
Fr. Jonathan on his Ordination.

Council of Catholic Men Spaghetti dinner - Thursday May 18

We will sponsor a spaghetti dinner in Jonathan Reitzel's honour.

The simple menu will be spaghetti with either meat or tomato sauce, garlic bread, ceasar salad, and coffee, tea or punch.

The cost is \$12.00 adults, 7.00 children under 16, \$35.00 family (2 adults and all children under 16)

There will be 2 sittings at 5:30 pm (100 people), 7:30 pm (100 people)

We will also offer take out for pickup at 5 pm or 7 pm.

We will do limited delivery in New Hamburg only. Reservations are required.

All proceeds will be given to Jonathan.

If you are unable to attend and wish to support him, donations will be accepted.

Fr. Jonathan will be present that day so you can visit with him.

For tickets:

- 1) they will be available at the main entrance of the church. Payment by cash or cheque
- 2) Call Pat at 519 242 4763
- 3) email Pat at patlangford99@gmail.com-ettransfer will be available

Orders must be placed by May 14.



Holy Family Roman Catholic Church (1883)

329 Huron Street, New Hamburg, ON N3A 1K3 ~ 519 662-1744
holyfamily@rogers.com • www.holyfamilynewhamburg.com

*Sunday, April 30, 2023
Fourth Sunday of Easter*



*John 10: 1-10
I am the gate for the sheep.*

Pastor:

Reverend Bob Love
Secretary: Sherry Reitzel

Office Hours

9 am - 11:30 am
Monday, Tuesday & Thursday

Mass Times

Tuesday—7:00 p.m.
Wed-Friday 8:30 am
Saturday 5:00 p.m.
Sunday 10:00 a.m.
Rosary - 30 min before Mass

Confession

*Saturday 4-5 pm
Or upon request*

Marriage

*Please contact the parish
at least six months in advance.*

Baptism

*Contact the office at least four
month in advance
Request forms at back of the
church*

Holy Family Catholic School

Principal: Mark Modolo.
519-662-1734

MASS SCHEDULE

TUESDAY **May 2**

7:00 pm
+Sandra Musclow
Req. Sharon Young

WEDNESDAY **May 3**

8:30 am
+Eileen Plouffe
Req. Moe Plouffe

THURSDAY **May 4**

8:30 am
+Pasquale Paciello
Req. Giovanna Paciello

FRIDAY **May 5**

8:30 am
+Judith Kroetsch
Req. Estate

SATURDAY **May 6**

5:00pm
Intentions for Fr. Jonathan Reitzel
On his Ordination day.

WEEKLY OFFERING

April 23, 2022

Sunday Offering: \$ 1,197.00
Building Fund : \$ 0.00
Easter: \$ 50.00

Thank you for your generosity

Prayer Network

To request special prayers contact:
Marcella 519 - 662-2962
Sharon 519 - 634-8401
If you would like to join the prayer chain
please contact Sharon Diebold.

News from the Diocese of Hamilton

Evenings with His Excellency – Bishop Wayne Lobsinger invites everyone to join him for “Evenings with His Excellency”. This is an opportunity to learn more about our Catholic Faith based on the Catechism of the Catholic Church. Class is the second Friday of each month, at 7pm - 8:30 p.m. at St. Ann Church, Ancaster. This month we will continue our look at The 10 Commandments. It is also available by livestream on St. Ann’s YouTube channel. No cost, no homework, just an opportunity to learn about our faith, all are welcome.

Young Adults Night – May 6, 2023 – Hamilton- Fr. Mark Morley invites all young adults (ages 20s and early 30s) of our diocese to attend a night of Adoration, Fellowship and Praise Music. Arrival and Holy Hour (6:30pm-7:30 pm), Social with Food (7:30pm-8:30pm), Praise Night and Vocation Testimony (8:00pm-9:00pm), and Compline (9:00pm) on Saturday, May 6th, at Canadian Martyrs Catholic Church and Chaplaincy, 1349 Main Street West, Hamilton Ontario. Sponsored by the Vocations Office of the Diocese of Hamilton. For more information, please contact: vocations@hamiltondiocese.com.

Grief Relief - Has someone you cared about died? Are you grieving the loss of the person’s presence in your life?

Join us on Thursdays from 7 – 8:30 p.m. from April 13th - May 18th, 2023 to learn more about what you are feeling and how to gently move forward. You are not alone! This program will be offered online using Zoom. To register, go to www.hamiltondiocese.com and look under Upcoming Events. For information, call Teresa at 905 -528-7988 ext. 2250.

Vocation Seeds:

Fourth Sunday of Easter - April 30, 2023 - World Day of Prayer for Vocations
The Good Shepherd calls his own sheep by name and leads them. Is He asking you to help others to find Him? Pray for an increase in vocations to the priesthood, diaconate, religious and consecrated life, especially for our diocese, that God will raise up good shepherds in our midst. If God is calling you, contact Fr. Mark Morley, Director of Vocations, Diocese of Hamilton at 905-528-7988.
email vocations@hamiltondiocese.com
hamiltondiocese.com/vocations/

Vocations Prayer Week of May 1

Rev. Joe Selvanayagam
Rev. William Foote
Sisters Servants of Mary Immaculate (S.S.M.I.)
Rev. Terence Sehl
Rev. Scott Whitfield

Catholic Women’s League
YEAR END DINNER - Thursday June 8.
Gathering at 6:00, Dinner at 6:30 at Schmitsville, Wellesley.
Buffet Dinner. \$33.00 which includes dinner, dessert, tea or coffee, tax, gratuity.
All women of the parish are invited to join us.
Sign up sheets at both church entrances.

Join us for an ELEGANT AFTERNOON TEA on Saturday, May 13th at St. Teresa of Avila Parish, 19 Flamingo Drive, Elmira. Come and enjoy the ritual of an authentic English Afternoon Tea. There are two sittings: 1:30 p.m. and 3:00 p.m. Tickets are \$25 per person. For tickets please contact the Parish Office at 519-669-3387 or email stteresaelmira@hamiltondiocese.com. There will be handcrafted scones with jam and devon cream, delicately filled sandwiches, delicious mini desserts and a choice of traditional teas. If gluten free is needed please request this when you purchase your ticket.

Lives of the Saints

*The English Martyrs
England
Feast day May 4*

On 4 May 1535, at Tyburn in London, there died three Carthusian monks, the first of many martyrs of the English Reformation. Of these martyrs, forty-two have been canonized, and a further 242 have been declared Blessed; but the true number of those who died on the scaffold, perished in prison, or were tortured or persecuted for their faith cannot now be reckoned. The persecution lasted a hundred and fifty years and left a permanent mark on English culture: to this day Catholics continue to suffer certain minor disabilities under English law.

The martyrs celebrated today came from every walk of life. There were rich and poor; married and single; men and women. They are remembered for the example they gave of constancy in their faith and courage in the face of persecution.

From 2001, there are also celebrated on this day the forty martyrs of England and Wales who were canonized on 25 October 1970 and formerly celebrated on that day. They include Saints Cuthbert Mayne, John Houghton, Edmund Campion, and Richard Gwynn, as well as Saints John Roberts and Ambrose Barlow from the Benedictine monastery of St Gregory at Douay (now at Downside Abbey in Somerset),