

St. Mary Our Lady of the Seven Sorrows Roman Catholic Church

56 Duke Street West, Kitchener ON N2H 3W7



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Our Parish Team

Fr. Toby Collins, C.R. – Pastor Fr. Joseph de Viveiros, C.R. – Assisting Priest Penny Laurette – Administrative Assistant Robert Tasse – Music Director Amy Cyr – Chef, Kitchen Project Manager Andrew Olinski – Caretaker

Parish Office Hours

 Monday to Thursday:
 8:30 am - 4:30 pm

 Friday:
 8:30 am - 1:00 pm

Parish Outreach

Are you interested in getting involved? Do you have ideas about how we might better serve our neighbours? If so, please contact the parish office at stmarys@rogers.com.

St. Vincent de Paul

For assistance with groceries and other needs call 226-988-5915 weekdays, from 10:00 am to 12:00 noon. For information on volunteering, please email Don McClure at don@teambilton.com.

Welcome to St. Mary's Parish!

No matter who you are or where you're from, we extend you a warm welcome and hope that you feel at home. For information on registration and to find out how you can get more involved with parish activities , please contact us at:

> Phone: 519-576-3860 Email: stmarys@rogers.com Website: www.stmarysrcchurch.ca

Sunday Masses Saturday: 5:00 pm Sunday: 8:30 am and 11:00 am

Weekday Masses Tuesday – Friday: 12:00 noon

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Thursdays:	11:30 – 11:50 am
Saturday:	4:00 – 4:30 pm
	and by appointment

Eucharistic Adoration

Thursday after Mass until 1:00 pm

Baptism and Marriage

Please email the parish office for details.

Visits to the Sick

Please contact the parish office to arrange for Holy Communion and Sacrament of the Sick.

Tiny Home Takeout



Everyone deserves a great meal, free of charge. Visit us Tuesday – Saturday from 5 – 6:30 pm and 'grab a bite, give if you can'! Visit tinyhometakeout.com for more information.

MASS INTENTIONS February 8 - 13, 2022



<u> Tuesday – ferial</u>

1 Kings 8.22-23, 27-30 Mark 7.1-13

12:00 pm For the Intentions of Sylvia Keresztes

<u>Wednesday – ferial</u>

1 Kings 10.1-10 Mark 7.14-23

12:00 pm For the Intentions of Mike Scott

<u> Thursday – St. Scholastica</u>

1 Kings 11.4-13 Mark 7.24-30

11:30 am Confession until 11:50 am

12:00 pm For Living Benefactors & Parents of the Resurrectionists

12:30 pm Eucharistic Adoration until 1:00 pm Friday – ferial

1 Kings 11.29-32; 12.19 Mark 7.31-37

12:00 pm +Venancio Fernandes

<u> Saturday – ferial</u>

4:00 pm Confession until 4:30 pm SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Jeremiah 17.58-8 1 Corinthians 15.12, 16-20 Luke 6.17, 20-26

5:00 pm ⁺Charlotte Kraus, ⁺⁺Alex & Linda Loghrin

<u>Sunday</u>

8:30 am For Our Parishioners 11:00 am †Serene Eassy

OFFERTORY – January 29/30, 2022

Sunday Offertory	\$2,036.00
Building Fund	\$110.00
Outreach	\$682.00

Thank you to all our Parishioners, Visitors and Benefactors for your generous support!

FROM SORROW TO JOY!

As I sit at my computer writing this reflection I am being both blinded and warmed by the sun's rays! At first, I was becoming annoyed because I could not see the screen and I was overheating from the sun's rays. I was definitely not happy. Then I snapped out of it and realized what was happening. It is absolutely glorious! I am so blessed to be bathed in the radiance of the sun. Then I was filled with joy! So often in life it depends on your perspective as to how you experience things.

So let's put on our "glasses of faith" to be able to see Christ's light coming to shatter our darkness. If your life is like mine there is so much darkness because of different circumstances and the pandemic. However, when I put on my "glasses of faith" I am able to see the Light of Christ coming into my world. This morning it was the sun for me! Let's be on high alert to experience the Light of Christ scatter the darkness of gloom despair and sorrow.

Written by: Fr. Joseph de Viveiros, C.R.



VOCATION SEEDS

Do not be afraid. If the Lord is calling you to the ordained or consecrated life, do not be afraid. Jesus calls and will give you the grace to respond wholeheartedly. If God is calling you to be a priest, religious or deacon contact Fr. Raphael Ma, C.R., Director of Vocations Congregation of the Resurrection 519-885-3030 ext. 130.

<u>IN OUR AREA</u>

WATERLOO KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS DINNERS

WERE BACK - FRIDAY KNIGHT FISH FRY - Take-out ONLY. Pick up time is between 4:30 - 6 pm. 1 pc \$15., 2 pc \$18. Call Derek, 226-748-8378 by 4:15 pm with your order.

ALSO ...

WEDNESDAY KNIGHT SINGLE ORDER SPAGHETTI & **MEATBALL DINNER** complete with Garlic Bread \$13.50 ea. Take-out ONLY. Pick up time is between 4:30 - 6 pm. Call Martin, 519-884-2060 by 3 pm with your order.

Our Lady of Lourdes Parish, Waterloo <u>HONOUR OUR LADY OF LOURDES</u>

Friday, February 11th. Join us in honouring Our Lady by adoring her Son in the Eucharist, attend Confession and Anointing of the Sick at 6 pm, Holy Mass at 7 pm followed by a talk from Guest Speaker, Anita Healy reflecting on the heart of Mary. Bonus, the first 24 people to attend can join in a procession of roses to Our Lady.

Anita Healy is a local Catholic mom of 7 and holds a degree in Theology with a concentration in Religious Education from the Franciscan University of Steubenville. Her family has been actively involved in parish life in Mothers' groups and teaching RCIA. She has given talks for the Archdiocese of Toronto on the Feminine Genius and Midday Moms (part of the Catholic Moms Group) as well as her blog. She is definitely a Catholic voice that needs to be heard. Please email the parish office if further information is needed <u>lourdeswaterloo@rogers.com.</u>

SHARE LENT WORKSHOP

Wednesday, February 16th from 7 - 8:30 pm on Zoom. Join us for a night of prayer, music, fellowship and fun as we "see-judge-act" our way to a more just world. Celebrate the impact of your solidarity in Madagascar, Honduras, and Cambodia! Visit <u>https://us02web.zoom.us/meeting/register/tZAvdeisrz</u> <u>ooGNFct-S9 ECVkGC 0Kmdc6fi</u> to register.

THE WITNESS OF FAITH IN THE HOME

This is the second talk in our Hamilton Diocesan Speaker Series - Join us on Wednesday, February 16th from 7 - 8:30 pm for this wonderful talk by Connie Clark. Connie is the author of numerous books, booklets and articles for parents, catechists, teens and kids. Sharing engaging personal stories, encouragement, and practical ideas, Connie helps families recognize their beautiful, vital role in the Christian community and in the family of God. She will focus on how parents, grandparents, teacher, aunts, uncles, catechists and everyone can guide families as they grow in faith. The entire series, running once per month until June, will be presented by zoom, so you must register for each talk, but can join in by internet or phone. Check the Diocesan website at https://amorislaetitia.hamiltondiocese.com/ for more information on the series and to register. For more information, contact Teresa Hartnett at thartnett@hamiltondiocese.com, or 905-528-7988 ext. 2250.

REEL JUSTICE FILM FESTIVAL

Join us Thursday, February 24th 7 – 9 pm for "After the Storm: Building the Pope Francis Village", part of the Reel Justice Film Festival! The film documents the transformational journey of 550 families in Tacloban, Philippines following the devastation of Super Typhoon Haiyan in 2013. In the aftermath of this natural disaster, Development and Peace - Caritas Canada, supporting local organizations, transformed a piece of land into new homes, a new community, and new lives. This documentary is a celebration of the fruits of your solidarity with our brothers and sisters in the Global South. The Reel Justice Film Festival is a partnership between Development & Peace and the Bishop Farrell Library & Archives. Visit us online at https://reeljusticefilmfestival.wordpress.com/ to view our 2022 schedule or to secure your spot at any of our virtual screenings!

RESTART

Starting over after separation or divorce with support, care and tools for your journey. Visit <u>https://hamiltondiocese.com/offices/family-</u><u>ministry/divorce-separation.php</u> to see the programs we offer. If you have questions, call the Family Ministry Office at 905-528-7988 ext. 2249.



