



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

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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

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.

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 1 - 6, 2022**



Tuesday – ferial

2 Samuel 18.9-10, 14b, 24-26a, 30-19.3 Mark 5.21-43

12:00 pm †Marjorie Karn

Wednesday – the Presentation of the Lord

Malachi 3.1-4 Hebrews 2.10-11, 13b-18++
Luke 2.22-40

12:00 pm †Brian Clement

Thursday – ferial

1 kings 2.1-4,10-12 Mark 6.7-13

11:30 am Confession until 11:50 am

12:00 pm †Jakob Berschl

12:30 pm Eucharistic Adoration until 1:00 pm

Friday – ferial

Sirach 47.2-11 Mark 6.14-29

12:00 pm For the Intentions of Lulu Régimbal

Saturday – St. Agatha

4:00 pm Confession until 4:30 pm

FIFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Isaiah 6.1-2a, 3-8 1 Corinthians 15.3-8, 11
Luke 5.1-11

5:00 pm †Mila Navaleza, †Margaret Mary Hill

Sunday

8:30 am For Our Parishioners

11:00 am For the Intentions of Andrew Olinski

OFFERTORY – January 22/23, 2022

Sunday Offertory	\$1,054.00
Building Fund	\$50.00
Outreach	\$50.00

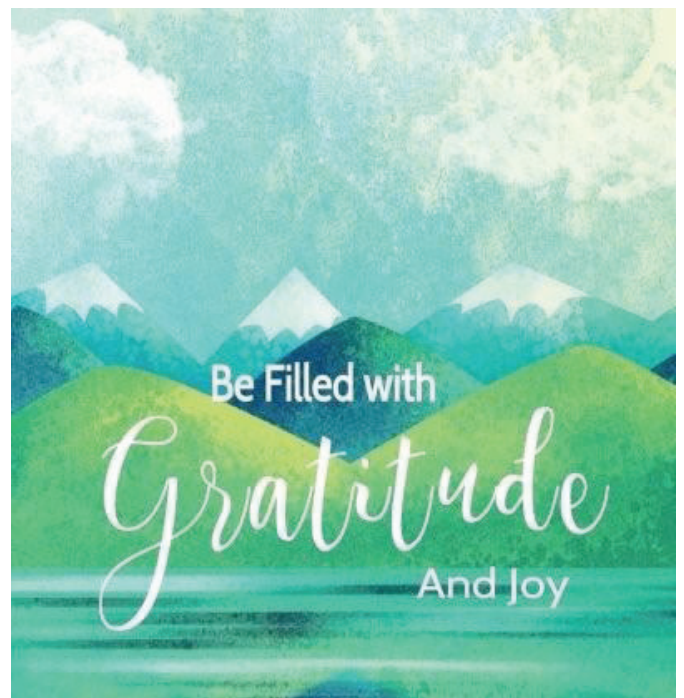
Thank you to all our Parishioners, Visitors and Benefactors for your generous support!

FROM SORROW TO JOY!

Why is it that when people give us something out of genuine appreciation we often receive it with more gratitude and joy than we would if we bought it for ourselves? I went to buy a mattress when I had some time later in the evening the other night and noticed that the salespeople seemed worn out as they came to the end of a long day. Even so, they did such a great job going out of their way to show me all of the options to help me make the right purchase. When coming back to pick up the mattress I couldn't help but stop by McDonald's to pick up a few McFlurries to thank them. When I gave them the choice between Smarties, Oreo, and Skor Bar flavours their faces lit up with joy!

Sometimes that's all it takes to bring joy to the lives of others. A small expression of gratitude always seems to go a long way. That, and a choice between three great flavors! Which one is your favorite?

Written by: Fr. Toby Collins, C.R.



VOCATION SEEDS

No prophet is accepted in the prophet's hometown. Do not be discouraged by jeers when considering priesthood, diaconate, or religious life. If God is calling you contact Bishop Wayne Lobsinger, Director of Vocations and Priestly Formation, Diocese of Hamilton 905-528-7988 vocations@hamiltondiocese.com.

FEAST OF ST. BLAISE



Thursday, February 3rd. Mass will be celebrated at 12 noon with the blessing of throats. Everyone is invited to attend.

Prayer: Through the intercession of St. Blaise, Bishop and Martyr, may God deliver you from every disease of the throat and from every other illness. In the name of the Father, and of the Son, + and of the Holy Spirit. Amen.

WORLD DAY FOR CONSECRATED LIFE



Wednesday, February 2nd. The purpose of this day is "to help the entire Church to esteem ever more greatly the witness of those persons who have chosen to follow Christ by means of the practice of the

evangelical counsels". Catholics throughout the world are invited on this day to give thanks for those men and women who live out their baptismal commitment by professing the evangelical counsels of poverty, chastity and obedience. We pray for those who have dedicated their lives to God through these vows, especially our priests here at St. Mary's and all those who are living and serving within our Diocese of Hamilton. We also pray for the many men and women from our Diocese who are currently in formation with various religious communities.

MASS INTENTIONS

To ensure that everyone's desire regarding Mass Intentions is satisfied, you are encouraged to make your requests known as soon as possible. All intentions are on a first come basis. The offering of Mass for special intentions such as wedding anniversaries, for healing, for comfort to those who are sick, for deceased members of family and friends, for personal intentions, in thanksgiving for favours received, for a special intention, etc., is an act of deep faith and a desire to unite oneself with Christ in the mystery of the Eucharist. Families may request 1 Sunday Mass (8 or 11 am), and any number of Weekday Masses each calendar year. Multiple Intentions are available on Saturday at 5 pm Mass. Please visit our website and see if your preferred date(s) is available. Thank you.

IN OUR AREA

In front of Freeport Hospital, Kitchener

PRAYER VIGIL

Thursday, February 3rd from 10 - 11 am, for babies being aborted. All are welcome to pray quietly for those who have no voice, but our own! Any queries, please contact Cathy at: kwc.prayervigil@rogers.com.

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.

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

[https://us02web.zoom.us/meeting/register/tZAvdeisrzooGNFct-S9 ECVkGC 0Kmdc6fi](https://us02web.zoom.us/join/joinMeeting?meetingid=92378564940&meetingcode=00GNFct-S9 ECVkGC 0Kmdc6fi) to register.



RESTART

Starting over after separation or divorce with support, care and tools for your journey. We invite you to check out the Diocesan website to see the programs we offer and to find out dates of the new programs in early 2022. If you have questions, call the Family Ministry Office at 905-528-7988 ext. 2249.

<https://hamiltondiocese.com/offices/family-ministry/divorce-separation.php>



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