



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.



SECOND SUNDAY OF LENT

MASS INTENTIONS March 15 - 20, 2022



Tuesday – ferial

Isaiah 1.10, 16-20, 27-28, 31++ Matthew 23.1-12

12:00 pm For the Intentions of Liza Regimbal

Wednesday – ferial

Jeremiah 18.18-20 Matthew 20.17-28

12:00 pm For Deceased Resurrectionists

Thursday – ferial

Jeremiah 17.5-10 Luke 19-31

11:30 am Confession until 11:50 am

12:00 pm †Betty Hale

12:30 pm Eucharistic Adoration until 1:00 pm

Friday – ferial

Genesis 37.3-4, 12-13a, 17b-28

Matthew 21.33-43, 45-46

11:30 am Stations of the Cross

12:00 pm For the Intentions of Davila Pazmino & Family

Saturday – ferial

4:00 pm Confession until 4:30 pm

THIRD SUNDAY OF LENT

Exodus 3.1-8a, 13-15 1 Corinthians 10.1-6, 10-12

Luke 13.1-9

**5:00 pm †Noble Galloway, †Joe MacDonald,
†Paulina Dresar, †Avelino Garcia,
†Sylvester Joseph, For the Intentions of
Madeline Dvorak**

Sunday

8:30 am †Charlotte Kraus

11:00 am For Our Parishioners

OFFERTORY – February 26/27, 2022

Sunday Offertory	\$3,183.00
Building Fund	\$252.00
Outreach	\$265.00

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

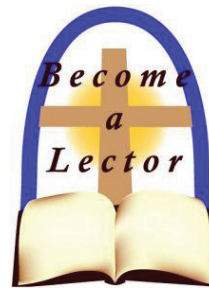
SORROW TO JOY!

Recently I had the privilege of visiting a parishioner of 70 years in her home. I say privilege because I've never seen somebody so full of faith it's such a time of letting go. Bedridden and completely dependent upon her daughter for assistance, she smiled and expressed her gratitude to me, Fr Joseph and all of the parishioners for providing a home for her for 7 decades. A home where her faith could be nourished and she could participate in the life of a community centered on Christ's love.

I'm not sure what the coming days or weeks will bring for her and her family but I do know one thing: in moments of sorrow like these we could all learn a thing or two about gratitude and what it is to appreciate the community we are so blessed to be a part of. In good times and in bad, may a grateful disposition for the gift of our faith community always bring us a sense of peace and many moments of joy.

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

LECTORS NEEDED



We are still in need of lectors at all Masses, especially Saturday 5 pm. Persons High School age or older are asked to seriously consider joining our team as a reader at Sunday Masses. All training is provided. Please call the parish office for more information and to sign up. You will be contacted for training and you will only be scheduled at the Mass of YOUR choice.

USHERS NEEDED



We are also in need of Ushers at all Masses. In addition to helping with the Offertory Collection, Ushers welcome and assist those who attend Mass, hand out bulletins, answer questions, help with seating and help to secure the church after Mass. If you are able to help at whichever Mass you attend, please contact the parish office and let us know. Thank you.

ST. MARY'S CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE



"Welcome Back" start-up Meeting will be on **Sunday, March 20th, following 11 am Mass!** Please join us in the newly renovated church hall - special thanks to Chef Amy, who is arranging tea, coffee, water and a plate of sweets for

us! This will enable us to share Prayer, Fellowship and Companionship, as we gather together for the first time since the Pandemic. Gentle reminder to League Members, that your membership is due - many thanks to all who have already paid! Looking forward to celebrating our first meeting with you!!

IN OUR AREA

WATERLOO K OF C 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.

EVENINGS WITH HIS EXCELLENCY

Join Auxiliary Bishop, Wayne Lobsinger, for *Evenings with His Excellency*, an opportunity to learn more and ask questions about our Catholic Faith. You may attend online or in person at Canadian Martyrs Parish, Hamilton, on the 2nd Friday of every month from 7 - 8:30 pm. For more information, visit:

<https://www.canadianmartyrshamilton.com/upcoming/2021/9/10/evenings-with-his-excellency>.

UKRAINE RELIEF

Anyone wishing to make a donation to the Ukraine Humanitarian Crisis can do so online through Development & Peace by calling 888-664-3387 or online at:

https://www.devp.org/en/wp_press_release/solidarity-prayers-and-support-for-ukraine-development-and-peace-joins-relief-efforts/. If you wish to send a donation by mail, their address is

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Montreal QC H3G 1T7.

CELEBRATING LENT

The webpage of *The Office for Evangelization and Catechesis* and the *Liturgy Office* has tips for families celebrating the Lenten rituals of prayer, fasting and almsgiving, as well as resources available for purchase at the Diocesan Office. Check it out at <https://hamiltondiocese.com/lent2022/>

3 KEYS TO CREATING YOUR CATHOLICHOM (Household on Mission)

This is the third talk in our Hamilton Diocesan Speaker Series - What does it take to create a happy, holy family life? Is that even possible these days? It is! Join us for a dynamic discussion of the three things every Catholic family can do to relate more lovingly, connect more meaningfully, and care for each other and the world more deeply. Discover simple, practical ways you can create a more joyful, peaceful family life, encounter Christ more meaningfully at home, and experience your faith as the source of warmth in your home. Join us on **Tuesday, March 22nd from 7 - 8:30 pm** as we welcome Dr. Greg and Lisa Popcak, creators of CatholicHOM (CatholicHOM.com) a dynamic online community, directors of CatholicCounselors.com, founders of The Peyton Institute for Domestic Church Life, as well as authors of over 20 popular books integrating the timeless wisdom of our Catholic faith with contemporary research in counseling psychology. Visit: <https://amorislaetitia.hamiltondiocese.com> for more information on the series and to register.

MARRIAGE TIP OF THE MONTH

The season of Lent is a perfect time to reflect on how we are living our lives according to God's call to discipleship and vocation. The vocation of marriage is an essential call since the Sacrament of Marriage is meant to be the visible sign or God's invisible love to the world. Lent then, is a perfect time to examine what you are bringing to your vocation, to see if forgiveness is readily available when needed and to contemplate whether you might make changes to better fulfill your call to marriage. As well, consider praying with your spouse, reflecting on a short Bible passage daily and working on holding anger during Lent, since all of these will strengthen your bond of love and bring you feelings of joy as the Easter season draws near.



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