



# 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](mailto:stmarys@rogers.com)**

**Website: [www.stmarysrchurch.ca](http://www.stmarysrchurch.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 Zettel – Outreach Coordinator  
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](mailto: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](mailto: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](http://tinyhometakeout.com) for more information.



## THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER

### MASS INTENTIONS

May 3 - 8, 2022



#### **Tuesday – St. Philip & St. James**

1 Corinthians 15.1-8 John 14.6-14

**12:00 pm †Laurel Rafuse**

#### **Wednesday – ferial**

Acts 8.1b-8 John 6.35-40

**12:00 pm For the Intentions of Fr. Joseph de Viveiros, C.R.**

#### **Thursday – ferial**

Acts 8.26-40 Joh 6.44-51

11:30 am Confession until 11:50 am

**12:00 pm †Jacob Berschl**

12:30 pm Eucharistic Adoration until 1:00 pm

#### **Friday – St. François de Laval**

2 Timothy 4.1-5 John 10.11-16

**12:00 pm †Marjorie Karn**

#### **Saturday – ferial**

4:00 pm Confession until 4:30 pm

### **FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER**

Acts 13.14, 43-52 Revelation 7.9, 14b-17 John 10.27-30

**5:00 pm For All Mothers, ††Ernie & Eileen McCue**

#### **Sunday**

**8:30 am For Our Parishioners**

**11:00 am For All Mothers**

### **OFFERTORY – April 23/24, 2022**

Sunday Donations	\$1,997.00
Building Fund	\$54.00
Diocesan Collections (yellow env.)	\$105.00
Outreach	\$374.00

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

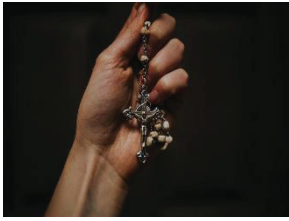
### **SORROW TO JOY!**

Chef Amy, Nada Offak, and Andrew Zettel all worked together to create a program where students from various schools can come to St. Mary's to learn about the integration between prayer and outreach here at St. Mary's. Not only do the students get to explore the church and attend weekday Mass but they get to enjoy some pizza afterwards and help make a difference in the lives of those dealing with food scarcity. Their teachers commented on how surprised everyone was with the experience. Sometimes a visit to church can seem somber, gloomy, or even boring. But the looks on everyone's faces seemed to indicate that this visit brought much engagement and joy!

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



### WEEKLY WEDNESDAY ROSARY



Come join us for a weekly Wednesday Rosary **beginning this Wednesday, May 4<sup>th</sup>** immediately following the 12 noon Mass. We will be praying for the various intentions of

our parish and our world - this week's intention will be peace between Russia and Ukraine. The rosary will also be livestreamed on our Facebook page at about 12:30 pm.

### IN OUR AREA

Cathedral Basilica of Christ the King, Hamilton

#### **PRIESTHOOD & CONSECRATED/RELIGIOUS LIFE**

Serra Club of Hamilton invites you to an Appreciation Mass on **Tuesday, May 3<sup>rd</sup>, at 7 pm**, celebrating and honouring our those who have chosen the Priesthood or Consecrated/Religious Life and have marked their 50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary serving the Diocese of Hamilton in 2020 - 2022. Please see the website: [Celebration of Priesthood and Religious Life Dinner](#) or call Margaret Carreiro at 905-628-5682 for further details.

Freeport Hospital, Kitchener

#### **PRAYER VIGIL**

**Thursday, May 5<sup>th</sup> from 10 - 11 am**, for babies being aborted. All are welcome to pray quietly for those who have no voice, but our own! Questions, contact Cathy at: [kwc.prayervigil@rogers.com](mailto:kwc.prayervigil@rogers.com).

Our Lady of Lourdes Parish Office, Waterloo

#### **THE CHOSEN SEASON 1 STUDY GROUP**



**The Chosen** is the first multi-season television series about the life of Christ, as witnessed through the eyes of those He impacted. Directed by Dallas Jenkins and distributed by VidAngel Studios. Join us starting **Friday, May 6<sup>th</sup> from 6 - 8 pm**. Our study group will begin watching one episode per week, followed by discussions and fellowship. For more information and or to register please send us an email: to [lourdeswaterloo@rogers.com](mailto:lourdeswaterloo@rogers.com) with your name and contact information.

St. Anthony Daniel Church Parking Lot

#### **THE BIG SPRING CLEANUP FOR 2022**



Signs of spring: The snow is gone, the robins are back, the umpire hollers "Play Ball" and the return of the very popular Kitchener Knights of Columbus Annual Great Big Spring Clean-up. Set to go on **Saturday May 7<sup>th</sup> from 9 am - 1 pm**,

bring your discarded and unwanted to the parking lot at Ottawa and Franklin. We will be collecting all your old electronics, TVs, computers, laptops and cellphones. Bring your scrap metal, including copper, stainless steel and brass. Also, any gently used clothing is acceptable. Girl Guides will be there offering their popular cookies for sale. It's been over two years but the Kitchener K of C is again able to support the community. Aid the Knights by helping to raise the necessary funds for local charities.

Our Lady of Lourdes Parish Hall, Waterloo

#### **MOTHER'S DAY HIGH TEA LUNCH**

**Sunday, May 8<sup>th</sup> at 12:00 pm**. Bring your whole family, Tickets are first come, first serve. For more information and to purchase tickets: please call Patrycja at 519-886-0342 or email [lourdeswaterloo@rogers.com](mailto:lourdeswaterloo@rogers.com)  
Adults \$20, seniors \$15, Child \$10 (under 8 years)  
Tickets are on sale now !!!!

Queen's Park, Toronto

#### **2022 TORONTO MARCH FOR LIFE**

**Friday, May 13, 2022**. KW Right to Life will travel by Great Canadian Bus Lines from Fairview Park Mall, Kitchener at 9 am and return by 6 pm. Bus Seat is \$25 and students ride free. Reserve your seat(s) now by calling 519-746-5433 or email [jane@kwrtl.ca](mailto:jane@kwrtl.ca)

#### **WATERLOO KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS DINNERS**

**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.





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