

St. Mary of the Visitation Parish

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SCHEDULE OF LORD'S DAY MASSES

Saturday 5:00 p.m.

Sunday 9:00 a.m. and 11:00 a.m.

Children's Ministry: Programs will resume in September 2022.

WEEKDAY MASSES

Tuesday 7:00 p.m.

Wednesday 8:00 a.m.

Thursday 8:00 a.m.

Friday 8:00 a.m.

PRAYING THE ROSARY

Tuesday at 6:30 p.m. and

7:30 a.m. on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday.

All are welcome.

PARISH ADORATION CHAPEL

Our Chapel is available seven days a week starting Sunday at 12 noon through Saturday at 5:00 p.m.

For more information please call Sheila at 519-658-9414.

OUR PARISH SCHOOLS

Our Lady of Fatima School 519-658-4041

St. Elizabeth School 519-651-0400

St Gabriel School 519-658-2008

St. Benedict Secondary School 519-621-4050

PARISH OFFICE HOURS

(Located in the lower level of the church)

Monday to Friday: 9:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

NEW PARISHIONERS

Please register through our parish website or by completing a form located at the parish entrances.

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Saturday 4:00 p.m. to 4:45 p.m. or
by appointment.

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

Please contact the parish office to begin the process of preparing your child and family for this Sacrament.

SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE

Please contact the parish office before setting a date of marriage in order to begin preparations.

PASTORAL CARE TO SICK AND HOMEBOUND

Please contact the office and Father Ed and Deacon Michael would be most willing to visit.

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL FOOD PANTRY

Please call 519-658-6511 for assistance.

Date	Time	Mass Intentions	Requested by
Monday, August 15	8:00 a.m.	+ Joaquim Canhoto	Carol and Richard O'Brien
Tuesday, August 16	7:00 p.m.	+ Ryan Kelly Nolan + Helene Kerr Intentions of Lynda Caron	Paul and Stella Logel Pat Coghlan Bonnie Frizzell
Wednesday, August 17	8:00 a.m.	+ Dennis Doye	Ellen Doye
Thursday, August 18	8:00 a.m.	Intentions of Linda Vicente and Family	Rosa Paiva
Friday, August 19	8:00 a.m.	Intentions of Ted Doyle	Mary Hamilton
Saturday, August 20	5:00 p.m.	+ Joaquim Canhoto + Bernadette DiCarlo	The Henderson Family The D'Arcy Family
Monday, August 22 – Friday, August 26 - No Mass			
Saturday, August 27	5:00 p.m.	+ Patrick Duggan + Elisabeth Tjioe + Ron Koenderink	Colleen, Nas and Family The Tjioe Family Anna Altomare



WELCOME TO ST. MARY OF THE VISITATION PARISH!

A special welcome to all new members and visitors! We encourage all new members to register with the parish. Please pick up a registration form at the church entrance or complete an online form: www.stmaryhespeler.ca/new-parishioners

FATHER ED ON RETREAT: Father Ed will be away on retreat from Monday, August 22nd to Friday, August 26th. There will be **no weekday Masses** on these days.

MASS AT ST. LUKE'S PLACE: Our next Mass is scheduled for **Wednesday, August 17th** at 2pm. Parishioners are invited to attend but you will need to undergo a rapid Covid test at the door and wear a mask in the building. If interested in attending please speak to Father Ed.

COMMUNION TO THE SICK AND HOMEBOUND: Are you, or anyone who you know, unable to attend Mass and would like to receive communion at home? Please contact the office and Father Ed and Deacon Michael would be most willing to visit. In light of the Covid situation and the fact that some people would prefer to keep their outside contacts to a minimum, we will allow family members and close friends to bring communion. Please speak to Father Ed and we can give some instruction on how to take communion to one's family/friends.

THE CATHOLIC FAITH & FAMILY BIBLE: Limited paperback copies are available in the parish office. Cost: \$20. A thoughtful gift for a family member or friend celebrating a Marriage or a special birthday.

FEAST OF THE ASSUMPTION: On August 15th we celebrate the Solemnity of the Blessed Virgin Mary into heaven. There will be **Mass at 8:00 a.m. on Monday, August 15.**

RCIA RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS
Interested in Becoming Catholic?

Any adults who have not been baptized and are considering becoming Catholic, or any adults who have already been baptized in other Christian churches and wish to become full members of the Catholic Church, please contact the parish office. A program of formation begins in the Fall.



11AM CHOIR: After the Covid hiatus we would like to re-launch our 11:00 a.m. choir. Sharing one's musical gifts can greatly enhance the richness of our Sunday liturgy. Under the direction of our choir leader, Bert Walter, we would like to begin after Thanksgiving. All are welcome, young and old! The only requirement is a love for music. If interested please call the parish office. If you have any questions feel free to call Bert Walter at 519-658-6547. More details to come as we gauge interest.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED! We are looking for additional Altar Servers, Ushers, Lectors and Ministers of Communion to begin in the fall. Please speak with Father Ed or contact the parish office if you are interested in joining one of these Parish Ministries. Thank you!

PARISH OFFICE HOURS: Office hours for August are: Monday – Thursday 9:00 a.m. – 4:30 p.m. and Friday 9:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.



COFFEE SUNDAY: Save the date for our next Coffee Sunday on **September 11, 2022** following the 9:00 a.m. and 11:00 a.m. Masses.

ARE YOU REGISTERED IN THE PARISH? Even though you attend Mass at our parish, you may not be registered if you have not submitted a registration form in the past. Please register your family in preparation for Baptisms, First Communion, Confirmation, etc. Register online at <https://www.stmaryhespeler.ca/new-parishioners>

PAVING OF THE SMALL PARKING LOT: We finally have a tentative date for the paving of the small lot off the office. The initial removal of the present surface will occur on August 19 and then repaving will take place on the following Monday, August 22nd. However, depending on weather conditions, these dates could change. While the construction is going on we will have to close the adoration chapel. Unfortunately, we will not be able to receive a final confirmation for these dates until the last minute.



ST. VINCENT DE PAUL COLLECTION: Our collection for July was \$1,706.70 Thank you for your generous support. It is greatly appreciated!

PARISH OFFERINGS
July 30-31, 2022

Sunday Envelopes: \$2,398.50
Loose Offerings: \$ 175.15

August 6-7, 2022

Sunday Envelopes: \$2,827.00
Loose Offerings: \$ 228.00

Your continued financial support is greatly appreciated.

If you are looking for ways to support the parish, please visit www.stmaryhespeler.ca/donate

ADORATION CHAPEL: The Adoration Chapel is in need of Adorers, especially during this holiday season when so many people are away. Please consider spending time with Jesus truly present in the Blessed Sacrament. God can never be outdone in generosity. Whatever we give to Him He will give back a hundredfold. Time spent before the Blessed Sacrament, in prayer and devotion, is exactly the same as time spent before the living God. Please prayerfully consider taking this beautiful step in your faith. For more information call Sheila Mauser at (519) 658-9414.

PRAYING THE HOLY ROSARY IN SPANISH: Members of our parish will begin praying the rosary in Spanish starting in September. If you would like more information please contact Erika (519-222-6333) or Carmen (905-483-9481).

HAMILTON DIOCESE MARIAN DAYS 2022: Join your brothers and sisters from around the Diocese in honouring Our Blessed Lady as we celebrate the 2022 Marian Days at the **Basilica of Our Lady Immaculate** in Guelph. **September 3** with Bishop Lobsinger and **October 1** with Bishop Crosby. Please see the poster in the parish hallway for additional details.

VOCATIONS: "...let us run with perseverance the race that is set before us..." If God is calling you to be a priest, religious or deacon, contact Bishop Wayne Lobsinger, Director of Vocations and Priestly Formation, Diocese of Hamilton (905-528-7988). Email vocations@hamiltondiocese.com www.hamiltondiocese.com/vocations/

DIOCESE OF HAMILTON PRAYER CALENDAR
August 15 – August 20

Monday	Rev. Wieslaw Berdowicz, S.Chr.
Tuesday	Rev. Alberto Ferreira
Wednesday	Sisters of Immaculate Heart of Mary Mother of Christ (I.H.M.M.C.)
Thursday	Rev. Laszlo Amaszka
Friday	Very Rev. Jeff Bergsma
Saturday	Rev. Donald Sanvido

August 22 – August 27

Monday	Rev. Msgr. Dennis Noon
Tuesday	Rev. Valentine Onwunjiogu
Wednesday	Ursuline Sisters (o.s.u.)
Thursday	Rev. Msgr. Pierre-Philippe Jean-Pierre
Friday	Rev. Aurimas Paulius Rudinskas
Saturday	Rev. Michael Downey



50-50 K. OF C. CHARITY DRAW:

Get your tickets for the next 50/50 draw! The Main Draw will be on September 30, 2022. To purchase tickets, visit the Ontario Knights of Columbus draw site at www.kofcontario5050.com. Thank you for supporting Knights of Columbus Charities.



THE POPE'S AUGUST PRAYER INTENTION: FOR SMALL BUSINESSES

We pray for small and medium-sized businesses; in the midst of economic and social crisis, may they find ways to continue operating, and serving their communities. *Pope Francis – August 2022* Visit www.thepopevideo.com

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