

# St. Mary of the Visitation Parish

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Rev. Ed Henhoeffler, Pastor

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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 Liturgy runs during the 11:00 a.m.  
Mass for children in Kindergarten to Grade 2*

## 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.

## EPIPHANY OF THE LORD

Date	Time	Mass Intentions	Requested by
Monday, January 9	8:00 a.m.	Intentions of Noreen & Paul Tenechuk	Brian and Sharon Prior
Tuesday, January 10	7:00 p.m.	+ Alf and Rose Logel + Stan and Anna Pietrzyk Intentions of Paul Martinak	Paul and Stella Logel Paul and Stella Logel The Henderson Family
Wednesday, January 11	8:00 a.m.	+ Joseph Lance	The Lance Family
Thursday, January 12	8:00 a.m.	+ Joey Woods and Ted Tourout	The Woods Family
Friday, January 13	8:00 a.m.	+ Robert Newton	Carol and Richard O'Brien
Saturday, January 14	5:00 p.m.	+ Bob Halliwell + Michael Pauze + Marcel, Albertine, & Maurice Lacroix + Peter Huu Nguyen	Wendy Halliwell Bette and Tim Eaton Monique Lacroix The Nguyen Family



### 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](http://www.stmaryhespeler.ca/new-parishioners)

**THE BAPTISM OF THE LORD:** The Feast of the Baptism of the Lord marks the last day of the Christmas Season and is celebrated on the Sunday after January 6. In countries where the Solemnity of the Epiphany is transferred to the Sunday after New Year's, depending on the year, the Feast of the Baptism of the Lord can lose its place in the calendar and is transferred to the following Monday. This year The Feast of the Baptism of the Lord will be celebrated on **Monday, January 9**. In honour of the Feast, Father Ed will celebrate Mass that morning at 8:00 a.m. Join us for the last day of the Christmas season.



**WINTER VACATION:** Father Ed will be on vacation from **January 23<sup>rd</sup> - February 1<sup>st</sup>**. In his absence there will be no weekday masses. On the weekend of January 28/29, we will welcome Father

Raphael Ma of the Congregation of the Resurrection to celebrate Mass for us.

**FIRST RECONCILIATION 2023:** Parents that have registered their child for First Holy Communion are reminded to sign up for a Reconciliation time on **Thursday, February 23<sup>rd</sup>** or **Thursday, March 2<sup>nd</sup>**. Please sign up online:

<https://www.stmaryhespeler.ca/date-registration>



**COFFEE SUNDAY:** This **Sunday, January 8<sup>th</sup>** following the 9:00a.m. and 11:00 a.m. Masses. Plan to stay after Mass to wish your fellow parishioners a happy new year!



### THANK YOU TO PAUL CURTIN

This weekend Paul will be retiring from music ministry. We thank him for his service to our parish and the Catholic community.

**TAX RECEIPTS:** Annual Tax Receipts for the 2022 year will be available for pick-up in early February. Envelopes that are not picked up will be mailed by February 13, 2023. If you moved in 2022, please provide your new mailing address to the office.

### PARISH OFFERINGS

#### December 24-25

Sunday Envelopes (90):	\$6,064.00
Loose Offerings:	\$1,801.35
Christmas Offerings (106)	\$10,630.00

#### December 31-January 1

Sunday Envelopes (86):	\$2,087.00
Loose Offerings:	\$377.05
New Year's Day Offerings (50)	\$1,150.00

**Your continued financial support is greatly appreciated.**



**MEETING NOTICE:** Happy New Year from Knights of Columbus Council 4916. The Council's next meeting is **Thursday, January 12/23 at 7:00 pm at St. Clement Church Hall**. Enter via the Westminster Drive door.



### CATHOLIC WOMENS' LEAGUE

Our next general meeting will be held on **Tuesday, January 10<sup>th</sup>** at 7:30 p.m. in the parish centre. The Rosary will be prayed at 6:30 p.m. followed by Mass at 7:00 p.m. A reminder that your CWL annual membership fee of \$35 will be collected during the month of January. Please use the blue envelope provided in your envelope box or simply use a regular envelope marked 'CWL fee'. These envelopes may be placed in the collection baskets at any of the weekend masses during the month of January. Thank you for your support towards St. Mary's CWL.

### BIBLE SUNDAY 2023: JANUARY 22, 2023

The Third Sunday of Ordinary Time marks the celebration of Bible Sunday in the Diocese of Hamilton. At the conclusion of the Year of Mercy, Pope Francis encouraged every Christian community to choose one Sunday a year to renew its efforts to make the Sacred Scriptures better known and widely diffused. Our celebration of Bible Sunday is a call to listen to how #TheBibleSpeaks in our hearts and within our communities of faith. The Pastoral Offices of the Diocese of Hamilton have prepared a wide variety of resources for youth and adults in celebration of Bible Sunday 2023. Visit: <https://hamiltondiocese.com/thebiblespeaks/> for more information.

### DIocese OF HAMILTON PRAYER CALENDAR

**January 9 – 14**

Monday	<b>Baptism of the Lord</b>
Tuesday	Rev. Fernando Ferreira Pinto, C.S.Sp.
Wednesday	Sisters of St. John the Baptist (C.S.J.B.)
Thursday	Rev. Allen Varlaki
Friday	Rev. Jerzy Tomon
Saturday	Rev. Aurimas Paulius Rudinskas

**MASTERING YOUR MONEY:** A Financial Wellness Presentation for the Diocese of Hamilton - Financial worries are the top source of stress for all Canadians, ranking above work concerns, health worries and even relationship struggles. The need for financial literacy has never been more pressing. Join us for this special zoom session on **Tuesday, January 24, 2023** from 7:00-8:30 p.m., presented by Mr. Fred Masters, President & Founder of Masters Money Management Inc., and the author of the critically-acclaimed new book '*Lessons on Mastering Money*'. He has delivered dozens of financial literacy presentations and is a sought-after media commentator on financial literacy. This is a free virtual event, but you must register at [hamiltondiocese.com](http://hamiltondiocese.com) under Upcoming events, or call 905-528-7988 ext. 2249, to receive the link.

**RESTART:** Refresh, Renew Revive – This program offers continual support and insights for people on their journey through the divorce/ separation process and beyond. Join us on the second and third Friday's of each month from 7:00-9:00PM. Either in person or via ZOOM. No registration is required. For the ZOOM link please contact Sarah at [familyministry@hamiltondiocese.com](mailto:familyministry@hamiltondiocese.com).

**JOIN THE REEL JUSTICE FILM FESTIVAL** for a special discussion and film screening to raise awareness and understanding of Indigenous Reconciliation, **January 26, 2023 7:00PM – 9:00PM**. The film *Doctrine of Discovery, Stolen Lands, Strong Hearts* is a challenging, truthful documentary, meant to educate people about the historic policy, which established a justification for colonization and seizure of land. The legacy of the Doctrine and the impact on the current state of Indigenous affairs is discussed. Understanding the Doctrine of Discovery and its manifestations are important as we strive for reconciliation. Special discussion following the screening with Rev. Val Kerr, Indigenous Elder, and former Archdeacon for Truth, Reconciliation, and Indigenous Ministry for the Anglican Diocese of Niagara, Sarah Guinta, Coordinator Office of Justice and Peace, Roman Catholic Diocese of Hamilton, and Christina Mines, Director of Evangelization and Catechesis, Diocese of Hamilton. The screening and discussion will be hosted online. R.S.V.P. and view full schedule at: <https://reeljusticefilmfestival.wordpress.com/>

**PARENTING TIP OF THE MONTH:** As the New Year begins we often set "resolutions" to changes habits, behaviours or actions. This year set a resolution that will benefit the whole family: decide to purposely spend more time with your children, sending a message that family time matters. Build a snow fort together, make snow angels or go for a midnight walk in the snow. Cook, clean and play together. Look back on family albums and share memories and stories. Pray before/after meals, attend Mass and say the Rosary, all as a family. The possibilities are endless, as are the benefits. (From: *Teresa Hartnett, Family Ministry Office; 905-528-7988*)

**ALPHA 2023:** All are welcome to join this 11-week program, bringing people together for conversations about life, faith and Jesus; helping to answer questions like: *Who is Jesus? Why and how do I pray? Does God heal today?* Join us Thursday evenings, **February 16 to April 27**, from 6:45 to 9:15 p.m. at St. Mark Parish Hall (55 Driftwood Drive, Kitchener). For more info, or to sign up, please contact Ron Denomme at [rondenomme@gmail.com](mailto:rondenomme@gmail.com) or 226-748-3210.

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