

# 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 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
Tuesday, August 2	7:00 p.m.	+ Lewis Coutinho + Luigi Chiarot + Joseph Lance	Maria Mendonca The Natalizio Family Angela Lance
Wednesday, August 3	8:00 a.m.	+ Sharon Long	Pat Coghlan
Thursday, August 4	8:00 a.m.	Deceased Members of the Freiburger Family	Murray and Rita Freiburger
Friday, August 5	8:00 a.m.	+ Bernadette DiCarlo	Jim Haney
Saturday, August 6	5:00 p.m.	+ Ron Milne + Douglas Coghlan Intentions of Eleanor & Brian Berridge	The Milne Family Pat Coghlan The Berridge Family
Tuesday, August 9	7:00 p.m.	+ Gloria Schoenhals Intentions of Anna Altomare Intentions of Alonzo Tavares	Paul and Stella Logel Erika Gamero Erika Gamero
Wednesday, August 10	8:00 a.m.	+ Ed Teixeira	Gemma Lalljee
Thursday, August 11	8:00 a.m.	+ Martha Tran Thi Lai	The Nguyen Family
Friday, August 12	8:00 a.m.	+ Maria Nguyen Thu Trang	The Nguyen Family
Saturday, August 13	5:00 p.m.	+ Barbara Coghlan + Bernadette DiCarlo + Earl Hann Sr.	Pat Coghlan Katrena Borges Brendan Baragwanath & Hannah Nash



**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)

**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.



**BAPTISM:** In July we warmly welcomed into our family through the waters of Baptism: *Noah J., Maximus M., Ethan P., Ryker D., Amelia Rose U., and Chloe M.* May the Lord bless them always in their faith life.

**FEAST OF THE ASSUMPTION:** On August 15<sup>th</sup> we celebrate the Solemnity of the Blessed Virgin Mary into heaven. We normally do not have Mass on Monday's but because of the special nature of this feast day there will be **Mass at 8:00 a.m. on Monday, August 15.**



**BIBLE CAMP THANK YOU:** A great debt of gratitude needs to be extended to all those who made this year's vacation bible school such a resounding success. A special thanks to *Mrs. Aimee Quinless*, who took on the director's role, and to all the adult and student volunteers who gave of their time. The children had a blast as we all learned how the Blessed Virgin Mary leads us closer to Jesus.

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



**PARISH OFFICE HOURS:**

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

*Please note:* The parish office will be **closed on Monday, August 1<sup>st</sup>** for the Civic holiday.

**SUMMER BULLETIN:** Bulletins will be published bi-weekly during the summer months. (July 31, August 14, August 28, and September 14)



## 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.

### PARISH OFFERINGS

**July 16-17, 2022**

Sunday Envelopes: \$2,289.00  
Loose Offerings: \$ 337.95

**July 23-24, 2022**

Sunday Envelopes: \$1,418.50  
Loose Offerings: \$ 182.85

### PRE-AUTHORIZED GIVING for JULY 2022

Sunday Offerings (80): \$ 4,895.00  
Building Fund (49): \$ 900.00

*Your continued financial support is greatly appreciated.*

If you are looking for ways to support the parish, please visit [www.stmaryhespeler.ca/donate](http://www.stmaryhespeler.ca/donate)

**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!

**SYNOD RESULTS:** Thank you to all who participated in the initial stage of the preparation for the Synod of Bishops, which will take place in Rome in October 2023 on the theme of Synodality: Communion, Participation and Mission. Over 2,000 submissions were received in the Diocese of Hamilton, including both individual and group responses. Every effort was made to include your thoughts in the Diocesan summary, which is provided for your further reflection. The Diocesan summary was forwarded to the Assembly of Ontario Bishops (ACBO) and is included in the summary of responses which were received from the Dioceses and Eparchies in Ontario. A copy of this summary report can be read on the diocesan website: <https://hamiltondiocese.com/synod/#about>

### 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. **August 6** with Bishop Ustrzycki, **September 3** with Bishop Lobsinger and **October 1** with Bishop Crosby. Please see the poster in the parish hallway for additional details.

**VOCATIONS:** "Be on your guard against all kinds of greed." Grow rich in the sight of the Lord. Pray to know God's Will, especially if you think He's calling you to a Church vocation. 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](mailto:vocations@hamiltondiocese.com) [www.hamiltondiocese.com/vocations/](http://www.hamiltondiocese.com/vocations/)

### DIOCESE OF HAMILTON PRAYER CALENDAR

**August 1 – August 6**

Monday Most Rev. Anthony Tonnos  
Tuesday Rev. Ian Duffy  
Wednesday Catholic Teachers  
Thursday Rev. Vernon Boyd, S.J.  
Friday Rev. Roger Yaworski, S.J.  
Saturday *Transfiguration of the Lord*

**August 8 – August 12**

Monday Rev. Bernard Carroll, S. J.  
Tuesday Rev. William Clarke, S.J.  
Wednesday Legionaries of Christ (L.C.)  
Thursday Rev. Eric Jensen, S.J.  
Friday Rev. Gregory M. Kennedy, S.J.  
Saturday Very Rev. Paul Panaretos, S.J.



### 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](http://www.kofcontario5050.com)

**PRAYER VIGIL** - Thursday, August 4, 2022, from 10:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m. in front of Freeport Hospital, 3570 King St. E., Kitchener, for babies being aborted. All are welcome to pray quietly for those who have no voice, but our own! Parking - across the road, Schneider Park. Any queries, please contact Cathy at: [kwc.prayervigil@rogers.com](mailto:kwc.prayervigil@rogers.com)

**THE KIDS BULLETIN:** Visit [thekidsbulletin.com](http://thekidsbulletin.com) for a fun way for Catholic kids to learn about the Faith every week. A great resource for the summer months!

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