

# St. Mary of the Visitation Parish



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*St Mary of the Visitation Parish exists to be a light on the hill and offer every person in our community  
a life-changing encounter with Jesus*



## 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 are suspended  
until further notice.*

## WEEKDAY MASSES

Tuesday 7:00 p.m.

Wednesday 8:00 a.m.

Thursday 8:00 a.m.

Friday 8:00 a.m.

## PARISH OFFICE HOURS

(Located in the lower level of the church)

Monday to Friday: 8:30 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

## 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 ADORATION CHAPEL

Our Chapel is closed until further notice.

## SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Saturday 4:00 p.m. to 4:45 p.m.

## 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

Current restrictions do not allow our Ministers of Communion to enter nursing homes or hospitals at this time.

## ST. VINCENT DE PAUL FOOD PANTRY

Please call 519-658-6511 for assistance.

**"Come to Me all who are weary"**

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament takes place in the church **every Tuesday** from **9:00 a.m. until 6:30 p.m.** Please consider spending some time in silent adoration. For more information call: Sheila Mauser 519 658 9414.

*"Jesus waits for us in this sacrament of love. Let us be generous with our time in going to meet Him in adoration." Pope St. John Paul II*

 **Mass Intentions**

**Monday, November 2 at 7 p.m.**

*The Commemoration of All the Faithful Departed*

**Tuesday, November 3 at 7 p.m.**

Intentions of Joanne Duggan  
Intentions of Helen Douglas

**Wednesday, November 4 at 8 a.m.**

+ Joe Doyle

**Thursday, November 5 at 8 a.m.**

Intentions of Michelle O'Neill

**Friday, November 6 at 8 a.m.**

+ Armandino Santos

**Saturday, November 7 at 5 p.m.**

+ Evelina Cabral  
+ Marie Clark



**JOIN IN PRAYING THE ROSARY**

The Rosary is prayed at 6:30 p.m. before Mass on Tuesday and at 7:30 a.m. before morning Mass on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday. All are welcome.

**CONFESSION:** Saturdays from 4:00pm to 4:45pm in the church or by appointment. **New location:** The children's liturgy room (across from the sacristy). If the door is closed, please wait.



**MANDATORY FACE MASKS:**

**Face coverings are mandatory in enclosed public spaces.** We ask that you arrive at church with your own face mask. Thank you for your cooperation.

**SUNDAY MISSALS FOR 2020-2021**

Sunday Missals for the new Liturgical Year (beginning Nov. 29) are available for purchase *only* in the entrance to the Parish Office. Please visit during office hours to ensure the outer office door is open. Missals are \$5.00 each.



**ALL SOULS DAY MASS**

A Mass of Remembrance will take place on **Monday, November 2 at 7 p.m.** We remember those in our parish that died this past year and all our beloved deceased family and friends. All are invited to attend.



**BOOK OF LIFE**

During the month of November, our parish "Book of Life" will be placed near the altar. You are invited to add the names of those you have known and loved in life and who are now with the Lord. They will be remembered in a special way in our parish Masses. *Pens and hand sanitizer will be provided, but if possible, please use your own pen.*

**ALL SAINTS DAY:** On Sunday, November 1<sup>st</sup> the Church celebrates all the saints: canonized or beatified, and the multitude of those who are in heaven enjoying the beatific vision that are only known to God. The feast of All Saints should inspire us with tremendous hope. Among the saints in heaven are some whom we have known. All lived on earth lives like our own. They were baptized, marked with the sign of faith, they were faithful to Christ's teaching and they have gone before us to the heavenly home whence they call on us to follow them. (catholicculture.org)

**Did you know?** Ordinary Time celebrates the mystery of Christ in all its fullness. In these last Sundays of the Liturgical Year, our focus turns to the return of Christ and the fulfilment of the Kingdom.

**CONFIRMATION FOR 2020-2021 STUDENTS**

A parent letter was recently distributed through the schools and is posted on our website under 'Confirmation'. Parents of grade 7 students who wish to participate in the Sacrament of Confirmation in the spring are asked to register online by Friday, November 20, 2020.

**FIRST RECONCILIATION AND FIRST COMMUNION FOR 2020-2021 STUDENTS**

Online registration for these sacraments, to be scheduled for spring 2021, will begin in November.

**PARISH OFFERINGS for October 25, 2020:**

Sunday Offerings:	\$2,517.70
Building Fund:	\$535.00
World Mission/Evangelization of Nations	\$60.00

***Thank you for your continued support!***



**GOD BLESS OUR CAMPAIGN, AND OUR PARISH**

If you have not received your One Heart, One Soul Campaign packet in

the mail, please contact the parish office. If you have any questions once you've read the material, feel free to contact: Chris O'Neill @ 519-400-3657, Jim Coppen @ 519-716-5536, Kevin Sanders @ 519-658-4795 or you can call the parish office and speak with Father Love.

There are 10 other volunteers that will or may have already called you on behalf of Father Love. We realize you may not know some of the volunteers so please feel free to call the office should you wish to confirm a volunteer's name. Also, with the number of parishioners vs. the number of volunteers, it will not be possible to call "each and every" person, so please contact any of the 3 listed above, or Father Love, if you wish to discuss your package and/or the campaign.

The *One Heart One Soul Campaign* started in 2018 and will finish its rollout (last wave) by early 2021, however, the 3-year pledge period for St. Mary's is based on our specific campaign start date, which is October 2020. Therefore, our 3-year pledge period begins October 2020 and runs through to 2023/2024. As stated in your campaign package, you have the option of contributing monthly, quarterly, semi-annually, annually or all upfront. It is entirely based on your personal preference.

Regarding Tax Receipts: Tax receipts will be issued for "every" gift/pledge received each year. Tax receipts for your campaign contribution will be mailed from the Hamilton Diocese since the campaign donations are directed to the Diocese. You will receive a separate tax receipt from the parish for your regular parish offerings.

**We ask you to continue to pray for the success of the campaign, and we will be grateful for any gift you can make!** For more information about the campaign, visit [www.oneheartonesoul.ca](http://www.oneheartonesoul.ca).

**CHRISTMAS BAZAARS AND BAKE SALES:**

Unfortunately, this year, due to the current restrictions on gatherings, it is not possible for our parish to schedule or host such events. Thank you for your understanding. We look forward to when it is possible to hold these social activities again in our parish!



**BEATIFICATION OF FATHER**

**MCGIVNEY:** Council 4916 is pleased to announce that on Saturday, October 31 at 11:00 am at St. Joseph's Cathedral, in Hartford Connecticut, the Mass of

Beatification of Father McGivney will take place. Father McGivney founded the Knights of Columbus in the basement of St. Mary Church, New Haven Connecticut on March 29, 1882. The founder of the Knights of Columbus, Father Michael J. McGivney was a central figure in the growth of Catholicism in America, and he remains a model today. His example of charity, evangelization and empowerment of the laity continues to bear fruit and guide Knights of Columbus around the world. To learn more about the upcoming beatification of Father McGivney, visit [www.kofc.org/beatification](http://www.kofc.org/beatification)



**ST. VINCENT DE PAUL COLLECTION**

The total collection in October was \$594.20. Your financial support is greatly appreciated!

Thank you also to those who continue to donate much-needed food items for the pantry.

**DIOCESE OF HAMILTON PRAYER CALENDAR**

*November 2 - November 7*

Monday	<i>The Commemoration of All the Faithful Departed</i>
Tuesday	Rev. David Mowat, C.R.
Wednesday	Chaplains
Thursday	Rev. Jim Valk, C.R.
Friday	Rev. Raymond Reitzel, C.R.
Saturday	Most Rev. Douglas Crosby, O.M.I.

**VOLUNTEERS NEEDED:** The Cambridge Food Bank needs volunteers Saturday mornings to prepare and package food for those in need. High school students can earn volunteer hours. Please contact Tara at [tcooper@cambridgefoodbank.on.ca](mailto:tcooper@cambridgefoodbank.on.ca)

**MESSAGE FROM ST. JEROME'S UNIVERSITY:**

Are you a student looking at university or a parent wanting to help guide your student to choose a university that lives the values of the gospel? St. Jerome's University (SJU) is a small, Catholic, liberal arts university federated with the University of Waterloo (UW) and located right at its heart. Think of us as a "neighbourhood within a city" – we are just a few steps across the creek from main campus UW; truly, the best of both worlds! We are a tight-knit residence and academic community with alumni and partners around the world, and no matter how you come to be connected with us, you are a part of SJU. Explore our campus, programs, and community by connecting with us live and virtually at [www.sju.ca/connect-with-us](http://www.sju.ca/connect-with-us)

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