

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 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.

SOLEMNITY OF CHRIST THE KING

Date	Time	Mass Intentions	Requested by
Tuesday, November 22	7:00 p.m.	Special Intentions + Helena de Freitas Chaves & Family + Joey Woods	Lucinda Oliveira Carmen Chaves The Woods Family
Wednesday, November 23	8:00 a.m.	Intentions of Linda Vicente & Family	Rosa Paiva
Thursday, November 24	8:00 a.m.	Intentions of Jose Maria Irias Giron & Cedric Diaz Irias	Estella Rosa Irias Giron
Friday, November 25	8:00 a.m.	+ Stanislav Kubala	Cyril & Anna Dziak
Saturday, November 26	5:00 p.m.	+ Artemio Parada + Marco Antonio Mazariegos Caxaj + Pat Henderson	The Parada Family Estella Rosa Irias Giron The Henderson 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



ADVENT REFLECTION SERIES: This fall marks the 60th anniversary of the First Session of Second Vatican Council. In a homily on October 11 to

mark the anniversary of the beginning of the Council, Pope Francis said, *"To rekindle her love for the Lord, the Church, for the first time in her history, devoted a Council to examining herself and reflecting on her nature and mission"*. Join us Saturday mornings **November 26, December 3, and December 10** as Father Ed leads us through a look at the document *Lumen Gentium*, (The Light of the Nations) which is the Council's document on the nature of the Church. We will begin with Mass at 8:30 a.m. followed by a talk in the Parish Centre, concluding at 10:30 a.m. All are welcome. If you wish to read the document in advance a copy can be obtained on the Vatican website:

https://www.vatican.va/archive/hist_councils/ii_vatican_council/documents/vat-ii_const_19641121_lumen-gentium_en.html

CHRISTMAS FLORAL TRIBUTES: During the holy season of Christmas, it is a fitting gesture to dedicate floral tributes in memory of deceased relatives and friends. Christmas flowers for the church will be placed in memory of your loved ones and their names will be kept near the altar and remembered at all the Masses during the Christmas season. *Please pick up a floral tribute form at the church entrances or in the office. You may also print a form from our parish website or contact the parish office at 519-658-4443.*



PARISH CHRISTMAS BAZAAR:

Hosted by the Catholic Women's League this **Saturday, November 19th following the 5:00 pm Mass** and **Sunday, November 20th following the 9:00 & 11:00 am Masses.** *See you there!*



20TH ANNIVERSARY OF THE CHAPEL
Our Chapel of Eucharistic Adoration will mark its 20th anniversary on **December 8th, the Solemnity of the Immaculate Conception.**

For 20 years, a steady stream of pilgrims have been making their way to this hallowed place – the joyful, the sorrowful, the sick, the lonely, the depressed, the skeptical and the grateful – giving thanks for the many blessings received from God. They come seeking the peace of Jesus Christ which is found in the silence of the chapel. Kneeling before the Real Presence, His compassion, understanding, forgiveness and love sweeps all around. There are several hours still available. If you would like more information, please call Sheila or Frank - (519) 658-9414.



OFFERTORY ENVELOPES FOR 2023

Offertory envelopes for the coming year are available in the parish hallway **in alphabetical order.** Please note that we have reduced the number of boxes ordered. If you previously had a number 400 or higher, you will now have a new number. If you do not presently use envelopes and would like a set, or if you would like to switch to pre-authorized giving, please contact Rosanne in the parish office: 519-658-4443 or stmarycambridge@hamiltondiocese.com

PARENT MEETING FOR CONFIRMATION:

Wednesday, November 23rd at 7:00 p.m. in the church. Parents are asked to register online prior to attending the parent meeting.



ADVENT 2022: Advent begins next Sunday, November 27th. **Advent Devotion booklets** are available in the church entrance near the Holy Family statue.

"All is Bright – Daily Prayers of Advent", "A Season of Peace – Advent Devotions for Seniors" and "Wonders of His Love – Family Devotions and Activities for Advent". (Cost: \$2)

SPIRITUAL BOUQUET FOR BISHOP CROSBY

Parishioners are invited to participate in a "spiritual bouquet" of prayers and actions for the Bishop's 25th Anniversary of his Ordination as Bishop. All prayers will be added to a bouquet scroll to be shared with Bishop Crosby on January 2nd. If you would like to sign up for prayers and actions for Bishop Crosby's intentions, please add your name to our spiritual bouquet sign-up sheet **before November 27th**. (located in the parish entrance)

THE WORD AMONG US: Please note that our subscription for these booklets will end as of January 2023. Information on how to have the *Word Among Us* delivered to your home can be found in the booklet or online: <https://wau.org/>. We will continue to order a *limited* number of the 'Living With Christ' missalettes. Please consider purchasing a home subscription: <https://www.livingwithchrist.ca/index.php/subscriptions>

PARISH OFFERINGS
November 12-13, 2022

Sunday Envelopes (108):	\$2,065.00
Loose Offerings:	\$ 278.05

PRE-AUTHORIZED GIVING for NOVEMBER 2022

Sunday Offerings (85):	\$ 5,353.00
Building Fund (51):	\$ 970.00

Your continued financial support is greatly appreciated.

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



ST. VINCENT DE PAUL "HELPING OUR NEIGHBOURS" CHRISTMAS PROJECT: Begins next weekend! Please see the flyer in this week's bulletin.

MISSION MATS: The next gathering will be **Saturday, December 17** at 10 a.m. in the parish centre.

DIOCESE OF HAMILTON PRAYER CALENDAR
November 21 – November 26

Monday	Rev. Joseph de Viveiros, C.R.
Tuesday	Rev. Jungheon (Francisco) Kwak
Wednesday	Deceased Consecrated Brothers and Sisters
Thursday	Rev. Marian Gil, O.M.I.
Friday	Rev. Zygmunt Baranowski
Saturday	Rev. Timothy Higgins



SCULPTURE SALE: The weekend of **December 3-4**, the Knights of Columbus Council #4916 will have a display in the narthex of religious and hockey

sculptures by Timothy P. Schmalz. The cost is a good will offering for the sculpture of your choice. All proceeds from the donations will be donated to the Knights of Columbus Charities. Donations can be cash or cheque made out to Knights of Columbus Council 4916.

PARENTING TIP OF THE MONTH: Parents hold two important roles in their family, they lead and model. Healthy families come from parents who take both roles seriously. As leaders you set the household tone by staying on the same page (even if parenting from a different household), setting rules to be followed and by ensuring children know you are in charge. Even more important is your role as a model, since children watch more than listen! Modelling happens when you spend time with your children, really listen to them, encourage them and have deep and important conversations. When you take on these two roles you will become the primary influencers of your children and they will feel loved and secure. From: Teresa Hartnett, Family Ministry Office; 905-528-7988 ext. 2250.

MARRIAGE TIP OF THE MONTH: The culture often pushes us to pursue work, activities and socializing, without keeping us grounded in the fact that there are only 24 hours in a day. When we look at our lives through the lens of both a daily and weekly schedule, we can begin to see where our priorities are focussed. Do you spend both quality and quantity time with the one you love? Do you ensure that as a couple you engage in meaningful moments through texts, calls, face to face discussions and sharing meals, social time and other activities with your spouse? Many people feel lonely in their marriages, but loving someone means we spend enough time together to ward off loneliness and in so doing, bond and deepen our love. From: Teresa Hartnett, Family Ministry Office, 905-528-7988 ext. 2250.

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