

# 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.

#### TWENTY-SIXTH SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME

Date	Time	Mass Intentions	Requested by
Tuesday, September 27	7:00 p.m.	+ Edward Proud + Claudio Scigliano + Helen Jewer (Trottier)	Mildred Scapinello Paul & Marilyn O'Neill Richard Trottier
Wednesday, September 28	8:00 a.m.	+ Dennis Doye	Ellen Doye
Thursday, September 29	8:00 a.m.	In Thanksgiving	Carmen Chaves
Friday, September 30	8:00 a.m.	Intentions of Linda Vicente & Family	Rosa Paiva
Saturday, October 1	5:00 p.m.	+ Manuel Soares + Jim Haney + Bernadette DiCarlo	The Takacs Family Knights of Columbus The Walter 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

**MONDAY EVENING PRAYERS:** All are welcome to join in prayer on Monday evenings at 7:00 p.m. in the church. Please contact Lisette at 519-239-4988 for more information.

# 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.



#### PRAYING THE HOLY ROSARY IN

**SPANISH:** Members of our parish will be praying the rosary in Spanish **every Wednesday at 6:15 p.m.** in the Hearth

Room. If you would like more information please contact Erika (519-222-6333) or Carmen (905-483-9481).

**CHILDREN'S LITURGY**: We are planning to begin our Children's Liturgy program on **Sunday**, **October 16<sup>th</sup>.** Additional volunteers are needed. Please contact the parish office for more information. Teen volunteers are encouraged to join!

**OFFICE CLOSED**: Please note that the parish office will be closed on **Friday, September 30**<sup>th</sup> for the National Day for Truth and Reconciliation.

**ALTAR SERVER TRAINING:** For new and current altar servers! **Saturday, October 1**<sup>st</sup> **at 11:00 a.m.** in the church. One parent is required to attend with their child. All children grade 4 and up are invited to join.





**11AM CHOIR:** Under the direction of our choir leader, Bert Walter, we will begin after Thanksgiving. The first choir practice is **Wednesday, October 12 at 7:00 p.m.** 

All are welcome! If you have any questions feel free to call Bert at 519-658-6547.



#### ST. VINCENT DE PAUL MEETING:

There will be a meeting this **Tuesday**, **September 27**, following the 7:00 p.m. Mass. New members are welcome!

**MONTHLY COLLECTION:** Members of the St. Vincent de Paul Society will be collecting donations after all Masses this weekend. Envelopes are available for those who would like a tax receipt.



#### THANKSGIVING FOOD DRIVE: The

food pantry shelves are getting bare! Please bring your donations of non-

perishable food items to the boxes by the doors of the church beginning October 1<sup>st</sup>. We thank you for your support of this worthy cause.

## NEEDS OF THE CANADIAN CHURCH COLLECTION: SEPTEMBER 25

This collection helps each diocese contribute financially to the national Episcopal Conference and to the respective regional episcopal assembly (in the Atlantic, Quebec, Ontario, and Western Regions) The Canadian Conference of Catholic Bishops is the national assembly of Catholic Bishops. Contributing to this collection is an act of collaboration with the Bishops in their ministry of teaching, sanctifying and pastoral governance.

**THANK YOU:** We wish to thank the Knights of Columbus Council 4916 for their generous donation to St. Mary of the Visitation Parish.

### PARISH OFFERINGS

September 17-18, 2022

Sunday Envelopes (88): \$1,762.00 Loose Offerings: \$225.10 Needs of the Canadian Church: \$20.00

Your continued financial support is greatly appreciated.

If you are looking for ways to support the parish, please visit <a href="https://www.stmaryhespeler.ca/donate">www.stmaryhespeler.ca/donate</a>

brothers and sisters from around the Diocese in honouring Our Blessed Lady for the last Marian Day of the year with Bishop Crosby on **October 1, 2022** at the Basilica of Our Lady Immaculate in Guelph. Join us for confessions at 9:00 a.m. followed by the

HAMILTON DIOCESE MARIAN DAYS 2022 - Join

Join us for confessions at 9:00 a.m. followed by the Holy Mass with Bishop Crosby at 10:00 am, the Solemn Crowning of Our Lady with Rosary at 11:00 a.m., and The Queen's Tea at 12:00 p.m., honouring the crowning of the image of our Lady. Cost for lunch is \$20.00 payable at the door. Call the Basilica to reserve your spot: (519) 824-3951.

**PUBLIC SQUARE ROSARY RALLY:** You are invited to pray the rosary on **Saturday, October 15<sup>th</sup>, 2022**, at noon beside the statue of Our Lady at the Basilica in downtown Guelph. All are welcome!



SUNRISE CEREMONY: September 30<sup>th</sup> at 6:30 a.m., St Clements Parish, 745 Duke St, Cambridge. As we continue the

important and historic journey of the Pope's visit, as he has encouraged us to, we are offering a Sunrise Ceremony, led by a local Indigenous Elder. Join us outside the main doors of St Clement Church at 6:30 am, rain or shine, followed by 8 am mass. Let us come together to offer prayers and give thanks for all creation. As the sun rises, it looks over us and provides us with light and warmth. Let us take this light as our Holy Father has requested and bring new light into the world. This is a beginning, the beginning of a new day, the beginning of our journey. If you feel so inspired, wear orange in honour and remembrance of the thousands of Indigenous children who were forced to leave their families and were taken to residential schools in Canada.

### DIOCESE OF HAMILTON PRAYER CALENDAR September 26 – October 1

Monday Rev. Andrew Quarshie Tuesday Rev. Drago Gacnik, S.D.B.

Wednesday Sisters Adorers of the Precious Blood

(R.P.B.)

Thursday Rev. Andrew Lopatniuk Friday Rev. James Link, C.R. Saturday Rev. Piotr Jurzyk



#### 50-50 K. OF C. CHARITY DRAW:

Get your tickets for the next 50/50 draw! The Main Draw will be **September 30<sup>th</sup>**. To purchase tickets, visit the Ontario

Knights of Columbus draw site at <a href="https://www.kofcontario5050.com">www.kofcontario5050.com</a>. Thank you for supporting Knights of Columbus Charities.



# THE POPE'S SEPTEMBER PRAYER INTENTION: For the abolition of the death penalty

We pray that the death penalty, which attacks the dignity of the human person, may be legally abolished in every country.

Pope Francis – September 2022 Visit www.thepopevideo.com

CRISIS IN PAKISTAN: Our sisters and brothers in Pakistan are currently suffering a great climate disaster. Over 33 million people have been affected by unprecedent flooding across most of the country. To help our partners, Caritas Pakistan, cope with this crisis, Development and Peace has launched an appeal for funds. We have published an article about it on our website (www.devp.org). The Government of Canada is matching all donations to the cause dollar for dollar, up to September 28. Go to: <a href="https://www2.devp.org/en/civicrm/contribute/transact?reset=1&id=3&gl=24501">https://www2.devp.org/en/civicrm/contribute/transact?reset=1&id=3&gl=24501</a>

Thank you for your support.

**YOUNG ADULTS NIGHT:** Holy Hour, Fellowship and Praise. **Saturday, October 1**<sup>st</sup> at the Basilica of Our Lady Immaculate, Guelph.

- Arrival and Holy Hour: 6:30PM to 7:30PM
- Social with Food: 7:30PM to 8PM
- Praise Night and Testimony: 8PM to 9PM
- Compline: 9PM

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**BASILICA GIFT SHOP:** Did you know the Basilica Gift Shop in Guelph is open after all weekend Masses? They carry many religious items for purchase: books, rosaries, Baptism gifts, Bibles, Crucifixes, cards, scapulars and other Sacramentals.

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