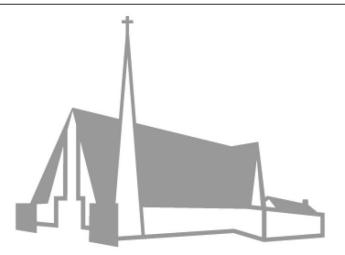
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# St. Eugene's Parish

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#### **Sunday Mass Schedule:**

Saturday – 5:00pm Sunday – 11:00am Children's Liturgy of the Word during 11am Mass

#### Weekday Masses:

Tuesday – 7:00pm Wednesday - Friday – 8:30am

#### Praying the Rosary:

Friday - 8:00am

#### **Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament:**

The  $1^{st}$  Friday of the month during the  $7{:}00pm$  Mass/Holy Hour

#### **Sacrament of Reconciliation:**

Tuesday 6:30pm Saturday 4:00pm – 4:45pm

#### Sacrament of Baptism:

Call the parish office to arrange. At least one month prepration time required.

#### **Pastoral Staff:**

Rev. Andrew Quarshie, *Pastor*Rev. Ambroise T. Ntumba, *Chaplain & Pastoral Assistant* 

Deacon Joseph Di Loreto Kim MacLellan, Parish Secretary Lisa White, Business Administrator Mr. Arturo Maldonado, Music Co-ordinator Mark & Rob, Custodians

#### **Office Hours:**

Tuesday to Friday:

9:00am -4:30pm Closed for lunch from 12:30-1:00pm daily

#### **Sacrament of Marriage:**

Contact the Parish Office one year in advance.

#### **Funerals/Burials:**

Please contact the parish office to plan date  $\&\ time$ 

#### Communion to the Homebound:

Please notify the parish office of any elderly or infirm in our parish who are unable to attend Mass.

#### TWELFTH SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME

Twelfth Sunday in Ordinary Time	Time	Mass Intention	Diocesan Vocation Prayer Intention
Sunday, June 25th, 2023 12th Sunday in Ordinary Time	11:00am	For Our Parishioners	
Monday, June 26 <sup>th</sup>	No Mass Today		Very Rev. Jeff Bergsma
Tuesday, June 27 <sup>th</sup>	7:00pm	<b>In Memory of:</b> Michelina Orlandi	Most Rev. Douglas Crosby, O.M.I.
Wednesday, June 28 <sup>th</sup> St. Irenaeus, Bishop & Martyr	8:30am	For the Intention of: Fr. Andrew	Holy Ghost Congregation (Spiritans) (C.S.Sp.)
Thursday, June 29th Sts. Peter and Paul, Apostles	8:30am	For the Intention of: Fr. Kevin Upendran	Saints Peter & Paul
Friday, June 30 <sup>th</sup>	8:30am	<b>In Memory of:</b> Eileen Dobrucki	Rev. Guillermo Diaz
Saturday, July 1st  Canada Day!	5:00pm	In Memory of: George & Eileen Jacobs Elsie Webb	Rev. Paul Edmondstone

#### From the Pastor's Desk

"But Jesus said to them, "I must proclaim the good news of the kingdom of God to the other towns too, for that is what I was sent to do."" (Luke 4:43)

These words of Jesus present the reality of our mission and ministry as priests. We are sent by God to proclaim the Good News to everyone, and this involves moving from one place to another. I am blessed that the Lord sent me to St. Eugene to serve you. My 5 years here has been a wonderful experience of sharing, learning and growing in the faith.

As I take on my new assignment at Our Lady of the Assumption Parish – Stoney Creek, I would like to use this opportunity to render my heartfelt gratitude to all parishioners, staff and volunteers for all the kindness, love, generosity, support and your life of faith. It has been an amazing experience serving you at St. Eugene.

THANK YOU, AND GOD BLESS YOU ALL! Please remember to pray for me always, as I will do same for you.

God is good! All the time! And all the time?... Fr. Andrew

#### News From the Parish

Our Summer hours have begun in the Parish Office



We are open Tuesday – Thursday ~ 9am - 4pm And Fridays from 9am – 12noon

## This week – for Thursday, June 29<sup>th</sup> – the Parish Office will be closed at 12:30pm for the day.

This is last bulletin until September, so during the summer months, Mass times and Intentions will be posted on the Bulletin boards of the church. Any special events or necessary announcements will be shared with you and posted.

**Please note:** next Sunday, July 2<sup>nd</sup> - we will be having our regular **Sunday Social time after the 11am Mass.** This will be a perfect opportunity to welcome and meet our new Pastor, Fr. Kevin Upendran. Any donations of sweets will be appreciated before the 11am Mass next week.

Our **Parish Picnic** scheduled for July is being postponed until **September 10**<sup>th</sup>. More details will follow later in the summer.

Fr. Kevin Upendran, our new Pastor to be, will have Confessions at 8am on the First Fridays of the month, before the morning Mass, beginning Friday, July 7<sup>th</sup>

Fr. Upendran will be celebrating Mass on the **First Saturday of the month at 9am**. This begins on Saturday July 1<sup>st</sup> here at St. Eugene <u>and will be rotating churches</u> with St. John's every other month....so Saturday, August 5<sup>th</sup> will be at 9am at St. John's Church.

#### News From around the Diocese

# From the Vocations Office of the Diocese of Hamilton: www.hamiltonvocations.com

"Have no fear." Considering a ministerial vocation is not popular, but it may be what God is calling you to. If God is calling you to to the priesthood, diaconate, religious, or consecrated life, contact **Fr. Mark Morley, Director of Vocations, Diocese of Hamilton** at 905-528-7988 or vocations@hamiltondiocese.com

#### PARENTING TIP OF THE MONTH

Summer should be a time of relaxation, slowed schedules and time spent together as a family. All three of these are essential elements for good mental health for all family members, including children. So, together spend time outdoors, play games, cook or bake and pray because these are the moments that will strengthen your family bond. Take a holiday from social media and devices while doing so, which can help to prevent the negative mental health issues in children, they are known to produce. Renew your commitment to in person, devise free, time together this summer and watch your children thrive.

#### HAMILTON DIOCESAN MARIAN DAYS

These days will be celebrated from June to October 2023 at the Basilica of Our Lady Immaculate in Guelph. The day will start with Confessions at 9:00am, followed by Mass at 10:00am, Rosary Procession at 11:00am, and lunch at 12:00pm, Holy Hour and Marian Catechesis at 1:00pm. The day will close with Benediction at 2:00pm. Please bring your own lunch. Coffee and Tea will be available. Presiders will be, Bishop Douglas Crosby – Saturday, July 1<sup>st</sup>; Bishop Gerard Bergie – Saturday, August 5<sup>th</sup>; Bishop Wayne Lobsinger – Saturday, September 2<sup>nd</sup>; Thomas Cardinal Collins – Saturday, October 7<sup>th</sup>

#### YOUNG ADULTS NIGHT - Saturday, July 1st

Our diocesan Vocations Office invites all young adults (ages 20s & 30s) of our diocese to attend our Canada Day Young Adults Night. Arrival and Holy Hour in the church (6:30-7:30pm), social with food, testimony/talk and Compline (9:00pm) in the Hall followed by Canada Day Fireworks rom the Hill. Basilica of Our Lady Immaculate (28 Norfolk Street, Guelph). For more info, please contact: vocations@hamiltondiocese.com

**DID YOU KNOW?** Children in our parishes benefit from the Catechetical Correspondence Program each year for ongoing religious education and preparation for the Sacraments. We need volunteers to support the program! If you are willing to accompany these children in their learning journey, please reach out to the Office for Evangelization and Catechesis at <a href="mailto:catechesis@hamiltondiocese.com">catechesis@hamiltondiocese.com</a> To learn more about the program, please visit: <a href="https://bit.ly/DOHCCC">https://bit.ly/DOHCCC</a>

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