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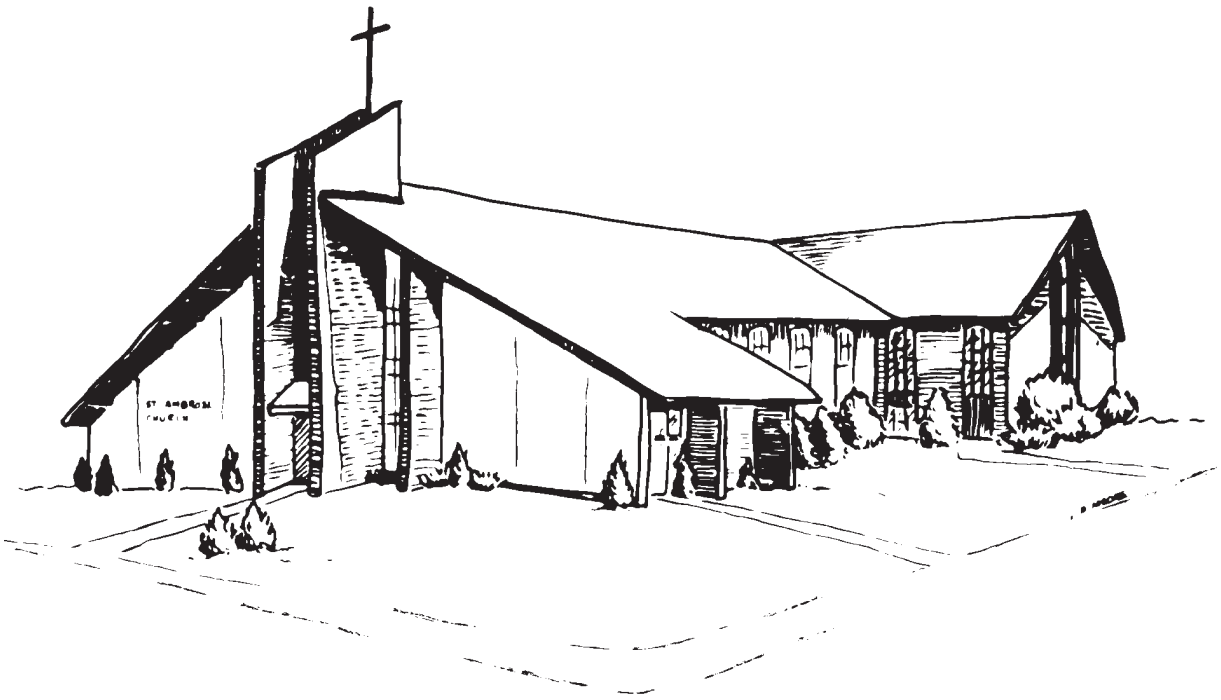

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SUNDAY MASSES

Saturday: 5:00 p.m.
Sunday: 9:00 a.m., 11:00 a.m.

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

- Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday from 6:00 pm to 6:45 pm
- Saturday from 9:00 am to 10:00 am

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OFFICE HOURS
Monday to Thursday 9am to 4pm
Friday 9am to 2pm

BAPTISM

Please contact the parish office for information on booking a Baptism date and the dates of upcoming Baptism preparation meetings.

MARRIAGE

Adequate preparation including Marriage Preparation Course is required.
Contact the parish office at least 12 months in advance.

COMMUNION TO THE SICK

Please inform us of hospitalization or confinement to home due to illness.

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Holy Trinity
Sign of Our Faith

The greatest dogma of the Christian faith is the mystery of the Holy Trinity. *(Mystery, in this connection, means a supernatural fact revealed by God which in itself transcends the natural power of human reasoning.)* During the first thousand years of Christianity there was no special feast celebrated in honour of this mystery but, as Pope Alexander II (1073) declared, every day of the liturgical year was devoted to the honour and adoration of the Sacred Trinity.

The custom of observing a special feast in honour of the Trinity became increasingly popular in the northern countries of Europe. Several synods *(assemblies of church delegates)* prescribed it for their respective territories in France, Germany, England, and The Netherlands. In the thirteenth century the orders of the Benedictines and Cistercians adopted the annual celebration of the feast. It was held on different Sundays in different places, until in 1334 Pope John XXII accepted the festival into the official calendar of the Western Church and ordered that from then on it should be held everywhere on the Sunday after Pentecost.

The Feast of the Holy Trinity now belongs among the great annual festivals of Christianity. Although it is not observed with additional liturgical services outside the Mass, its celebration quickly took root in the hearts and minds of the faithful, and in all countries of Europe popular traditions are closely associated with this feast.

God does not exist in isolated individualism but in a community of relationships. In other words, God is not a loner or a recluse. This means that a Christian in search of Godliness (Matthew 5:48) must shun every tendency to isolate oneself.

The doctrine of the Blessed Trinity challenges us to adopt an *I-and-God-and-neighbour* principle. I am a Christian insofar as I live in a relationship of love with God and other people. May the grace of the Holy Trinity help us to rid all traces of selfishness in our lives and to live in love of God and of our neighbour.

Let us Pray, *to the one God ~ Father, Son, and Holy Spirit ~that our lives may bear witness to our faith:*
Father, You sent Your Word to bring us truth
and Your Spirit to make us holy.
Through them we come to know the mystery of Your life.
Help us to worship You, one God in three Persons,
by proclaiming and living our faith in You.
We ask you this, Father, Son, and Holy Spirit,
one God, true and living, for ever and ever.

While the Church is closed, Father will still celebrate his daily Mass for the following scheduled intentions:

Tuesday, June 1
+ TONY SOUSA – his family

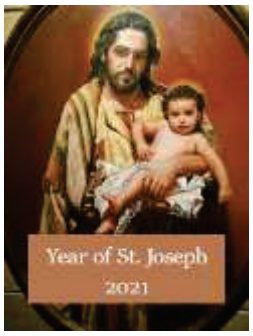
Wednesday, June 2
+ JOSE & BERNARDINA SOUSA – Maria Sousa
+ SOULS IN PURGATORY

Thursday, June 3
+ VIRGINIA REIS – her family

Friday, June 4
- intentions of Jody Boyd – her family

Saturday, June 5
+ MARK CHAVES – Ilda, Rick and family
+ EDUINA ROSA – Lizette Medeiros and family
+ Deceased TEIXEIRA, PERREIRA, RODRIGUES FAMILIES
- Marie and Theresa
+ ANTONIO MEDEIROS and in honour of Corpus Christi
- Maria

Sunday, June 6 – Solemnity of Corpus Christi
- for the intentions of all parishioners



During the hidden years in Nazareth, Jesus learned at the school of Joseph to do the will of the Father. That will was to be his daily food (cf. Jn 4:34)."

The home of the Holy Family was a domestic church in which virtue flourished and sanctity was cultivated. As the head of the family, Joseph served as a priestly figure and an earthly shadow of God the Father. Joseph would have been a man of Scripture who obeyed God's commandments and lived a life of authenticity and virtue. How beautiful it is to think that Jesus "learned at the school of Joseph." St. Joseph, teach us to do the will of the Father.

Catholic Moms Group are delighted to be working with the Diocese of Hamilton in helping parishes start Catholic Moms Groups! Dozens of moms from the Hamilton diocese have attended previous Dynamic Women of Faith conferences and many of the Catholic Moms Group events. We are now partnering with the Diocese of Hamilton to bring you our materials, enthusiasm and mission in ministering to Catholic Moms! https://www.catholicmomsgroup.com/
There is a webinar coming up on **Tuesday June 1st at 7pm** in which will share information in starting a Catholic Moms Group. Click on the link below for the Hamilton Diocese website to register.
Registration

July 31- Aug 7 Guelph Virtual Walking Pilgrimage
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This year, like last summer, we are not able to walk the pilgrimage as we have for the last 18 years. Covid - 19 brought the birth of a Virtual Walking Pilgrimage in a slightly different format. To register or for more information go to www.ignatiusguelph.ca (under programs - Guelph Walking Pilgrimage) Registration fee $75 https://ignatiusguelph.ca/programs/walking-pilgrimage/guelph-virtual-walking-pilgrimage-2020/

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St. Francis de Sales once said, ***"Every one of us needs half an hour of prayer a day, except when we are busy – then we need an hour."*** It makes logical sense….the more weight we need to carry, the more strength we need to carry it.
Let God help carry your burden.

Online Donations for Our Parish

St. Ambrose Parish depends entirely on the financial generosity of our parishioners.
Parishioners are able to donate to St. Ambrose Church through a program called "CanadaHelps".
How does it work??
- go to our parish webpage www.stambrosecambridge.ca
- click on the "donate now" icon
- you will be redirected to our parish page on CanadaHelps website
- fill in the online form, which asks for your donation information. There is a selection of payment options. Click on "donate" and then within a few seconds you will be redirected back to our parish website.
- **Important** - CanadaHelps will also provide the donation receipt by email. (not the parish)

Sacraments of First Communion and Confirmation Canceled until further notice:

Dear Parents, thank you for your patience with this ongoing situation. It has been a struggle to plan for these celebrations, and there have been many frustrations along the way.

Due to the announcement from the Ontario Government, of the phased reopening, the Sacraments of First Holy Communion and Confirmation will be canceled until a later date.

As stated by the Ontario government website, "places of worship" for inside celebrations are in Step 2, which would permit 15% capacity inside the Church. There is no "date" given for the Step 2 at this time.

The Sisters of the Carmel of Saint Joseph will pray for your personal intentions during the Novena to Our Lady of Mount Carmel, July 8th to July 16th, 2021
Are you troubled? Do you need spiritual support?
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