

St. Ambrose Church



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OFFICE HOURS: Monday to Thursday 9am to 4pm, Friday 9am to 2pm. After hours by appointment only.

WEEKEND HOLY MASSES:

Saturday 5:00 pm

Sunday 9:00 am and 11:00 am

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION:

Tuesday, Thursday from 8:30 am to 9:30 am

Wednesday 6:00 pm to 6:45 pm

Friday 6:00 pm to 6:45 pm

Saturday 4:00 pm to 4:45 pm

Sunday 8:00 am to 8:45 am; 10:15 to 10:45 am

Fr. Gary Schlack - Pastor

Fr. Michael King, retired - in residence

Rev. Mr. Paul Klaassen - Deacon

Barbara Roy - Administrative Assistant

Rose Capistrano - Youth Ministry

Sandy Figueiredo - Sacristan/Custodian

PARISH SCHOOLS: St. Anne School 519-621-8920
Holy Spirit School 519-621-8973

St. Vincent de Paul School 519-740-0678
Monsignor Doyle High School 519-622-1290

BAPTISM - The Baptism Preparation Program for parents is required before a Baptism date is scheduled.

MARRIAGE - Contact the parish office at least 12 months in advance, as Marriage Preparation is required.

VISITS and COMMUNION TO THE SICK - Inform the parish office of hospitalization or home confinement.

FOR THE HOSPITAL/HOSPICE/PATIENTS

Need a Catholic Priest? Please call 519-404-5344

Priests are available 24/7, for emergency ministry, e.g. 'Anointing of the Sick' or 'Last Rites'

For non-emergency ministry please contact your local parish or the hospital/hospice spiritual care team.

SOCIETY OF ST. VINCENT DE PAUL - for assistance with food vouchers, leave a message at 519-623-8764

- St. Vincent de Paul Value Store 519-629-0103

First Saturday Promise:

"Behold, my daughter, my Heart encircled with thorns, with which ungrateful people pierce It at every moment by their blasphemies and ingratitude. Give me consolation, you, at least; and make known on my behalf that I promise to assist at the hour of death, with the graces necessary for salvation, all who on the First Saturday of five consecutive months: 1) confess their sins, 2) receive Holy Communion, 3) recite five decades of the Rosary, 4) keep me company for fifteen minutes meditating on the mysteries of the Rosary, 5) and have the intention of making reparation to my Immaculate Heart."

(Our Lady of Fatima's message to Lucia)

First Saturday Masses are held at 8:00 am each month at St. Ambrose Church.



Tuesday, September 22

8:00 am + FRANCISCO FARIA – his wife

CONFESSIONS at 8:30 am to 9:30 am

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament 8:30 – 9:30 am

Wednesday, September 23

7:00 pm + SOULS IN PURATORY

+ FRANK CEKAN – Daniel

+ JORGIANA MELO & DECEASED FAMILY

+ TERESINHA ANDRADE – her husband

+ JOSPEH NGUYEN – Thanh

- in honour of Santo Pio – Mrs. Teresi

CONFESSIONS at 6:00 pm to 6:45 pm

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament 6pm to 7pm

Thursday, September 24

8:00 am + DECEASED PAIVA FAMILY - Maria

CONFESSIONS at 8:30 am to 9:30 am

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament 8:30 – 9:30 am

Friday, September 25

7:00 pm + MILA ELJUGA - Slobodan

CONFESSIONS at 6:00 pm to 6:45 pm

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament 6pm to 7pm

Saturday, September 26

CONFESSIONS at 4:00 pm to 4:45 pm

5:00 pm + MARIA ALBUQUERQUE

+ TOM HICKEY – Barb Lynch

+ PIERINA MAGLIOCCO – her husband

+ MICHAEL GRANWEHR – Lirusso family

+ VICTOR DaSILVA – Mr. & Mrs. Lobao

Intentions of John and Theresa on their anniversary

Sunday, September 27 – 26th Sunday in Ordinary Time

9:00 am + ANTONIO FERREIRA – Doreen and Tony

11:00 am – for the intentions of all parishioners

CONFESSIONS: 8:00 to 8:45 am and 10:15 am to 10:45 am

Holy Mass in Spanish and guest speaker evening at St. Mary of the Visitation Church in Hespeler –

Thursday, September 24 with Mass at 6:00 pm. The theme is “*transformando un corazón de piedra en un nuevo corazón.*”

Guest speakers: Fr. Gaston Kitegroski and seminarian

Nicolas Grandi, from Argentina. Fee \$15.00

For information please contact Erika 519-222-6333

(St. Mary Church 16 Cooper St. Cambridge)



Ages 12 to 18 are welcome Tuesday Sept. 22 6pm to 8pm in the Church Hall.

Join us for **Faith – Fun – Friendship!**

Snacks provided. Email Rose

if you have questions: Youth@stambrosecambridge.ca

Sports Night – Monday Sept 28 at Langs Community Centre, Concession Road in Preston from 5pm to 7pm.

Cost is \$5.00 to play. Come on out to join us!!

“Be A Man” Men’s Group resumes...

Hello men, mark your calendars, as the Fall session will start on **September 26th**, from 7:00am to 8:30am, and it will run to December 12th. There will be no gathering on the Thanksgiving long weekend. Men 18 and over welcome!

Just a reminder... on the last weekend of each month

the St. Vincent de Paul Society have their donation boxes at the church exits. Your financial support of those in need is greatly appreciated! With children now returned to school, the need for essentials for school lunches will be needed.

Mom & Tots Pray & Play: Introduce your child/children to Eucharistic Adoration at our parish. Bring your children to adoration, and when you're ready, leave them to enjoy supervised play time with other children, while you pray in solitude in the Chapel. This is held the LAST Monday of each month from 10:00-11:30am in the Adoration Chapel and Children's Liturgy room at St. Ambrose Church. **Registration is required**, please email momtotsprayplay@gmail.com Please register for the upcoming date of September 28th.

Collection for the Needs of the Church in Canada

The Collection for the Needs of the Church in Canada will take place next weekend, **Sept 26/27**. Your donation helps strengthen the Church in Canada and especially in remote parishes in our country.

Please give prayerfully and generously, next weekend.

Our Children’s Liturgy program has resumed, and children from JK to Grade 2 are welcome. This is held at our 11am Sunday Mass. At the beginning of Mass, the children are invited to follow the facilitators to the downstairs liturgy room, and then return to the Church during the offertory.

Sanctuary for Mental Health

Join us for the introduction of the Sanctuary for Mental Health course for Catholics, beginning **Friday, October 2nd, 6:30 pm to 8:30 pm in St. Ambrose Parish Hall.**

According to the World Health Organization, one in four people will be affected by mental health problems at some point in their lives, either through personal experience or through the diagnoses of a relative or friend.

Through this series, we will watch videos providing us with a psychological, social and theological perspective of mental illness and we will meet people in these videos who share their lived experience with various forms of mental illness.

Topics to be covered are Mental Health, Mental Illness, Stigma, Recovery, Championship, Self-Care and the Church.

Registration is required and the deadline is Sunday, September 27th. For more information and to register, please **email** myrajaneklaassen@gmail.com

Also, view information on this course at:

Sanctuarymentalhealth.org



Saturday, October 3rd Rosary Procession

Celebrant: Bishop W. Lobsinger



Please join us for our second annual candlelight Marian procession on **Saturday October 3rd. Bishop Wayne Lobsinger will be our celebrant at 5pm Mass.** At the conclusion of Mass, there will be a procession around the church to honour "Our Blessed Lady".

Countless saints have spoken of the importance of the Rosary and devotion to the Mother of God, as a great weapon to counter the difficulties of our times. Please join us in asking Our Lady's intercession for our parish, our families and our world. Invite your family and friends to join us!

Adult Volunteers Welcome!

We are looking for adult volunteers to help support **Youth Nights!** If you have a heart for young people and would like to be part of something meaningful, we would love to hear from you. Your time, support, and presence can make a lasting difference in the life of a young person. If you are interested in volunteering, please email to Rose at youth@stambrosecambridge.ca or phone the parish office to leave a message. Thank you.

Everyone invited for this Marian Event

Sunday, October 4, at 7 PM at St. Ambrose Church Hall

Join us, as we will view the video of Fr. Donald Calloway's conversion story. He is a member of the Congregation of Marian Fathers of the Immaculate Conception. Before his conversion to Catholicism, he was a high school dropout who had been kicked out of a foreign country, institutionalized twice, and thrown in jail multiple times. Let's learn how he turned his life around to welcome the Lord, and our Blessed Mother who guided him. *Deacon Paul Klaassen will facilitate this evening.*

We will conclude the evening by praying the Holy Rosary. Everyone is welcome!

Our parish RCIA program will begin on Thursday, September 24th in the parish hall at 7pm to 8:30 pm.

RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults) is a gradual process through which adults are able to learn about the Roman Catholic faith, and then at Easter, be received into the Catholic Church as full members, through the reception of the sacraments.

Each evening consists of a ½ hour video presentation, group discussion and a period for questions and answers.

The topics will include themes such as:

- The existence of God
- Why the world is in such a mess.
- Who is Jesus and what He has done for us.
- Prayer, and Sacraments
- Moral life
- How we can become the best version of ourselves and live a holy life
- Modern ethical questions

The program is for interested adults who are not Roman Catholic, as well as for Catholics who have not yet received their First Holy Communion and/or not have received their Confirmation.

Please phone the parish to register or if you have questions.

NOTICE from the parish office – Please, do not use outdated donation envelopes for any purpose. If you haven't used your church envelope for a couple of years, please throw them away. Often the envelope number has been given to another parishioner.

In order to ensure accuracy with all donations, your help with this matter would be greatly appreciated.

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