

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 David and
Deacon Michael would be most willing to visit.

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL FOOD PANTRY

Please call 519-658-6511 for assistance.

ASCENSION OF THE LORD

Date	Time	Mass Intentions	Requested by
Tuesday, June 3	7:00 PM	Intentions of Anna Altomare Intentions of Carol Ryan Intentions of Freddie Cripps <i>In Thanksgiving</i>	Susie Koenderink Chris O'Neill Anna Altomare Carmen and Tony Chaves
Wednesday, June 4	8:00 AM	+ Joey Woods	The Woods Family
Thursday, June 5	8:00 AM	+ Michelle O'Neill	Chris O'Neill
Friday, June 6	8:00 AM	+ Diane Brenner	Ross and Leone Schuett
Saturday, June 7	5:00 PM	+ Mario Can + Antonio Nordelo Melo & Family + Nicholas McGraw + Intentions of Michelle	The Nguyen Family Carmen and Tony Chaves Hannah Nash & Brendan Baragwanath her Mother
Sunday, June 8	9:00 AM 11:00 AM	For the people of St. Mary of the Visitation Parish For the people of St. Mary of the Visitation Parish	



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



CHALICE: Chalice is coming to St. Mary of the Visitation Parish! During the Masses on **June 14 and 15**, Canada's largest Catholic Child Sponsorship organization will provide

you the opportunity to begin a journey of support with a child in the developing world through the benefits of Child Sponsorship. It is a powerful way to reveal God's love for those most in need. Chalice envisions a world where all children and families have the means to overcome the cycle of poverty. Prayerfully consider a call to sponsorship, a unique way to live out your faith by providing hope for a child in need. Visit chalice.ca for more information on our mission and to sponsor a child today.

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION: Summer holidays are near and many of our regularly scheduled adorers are going away. If you have any time to spare this summer, please consider volunteering in our Chapel of Adoration. By volunteering, you not only contribute to the spiritual vitality of our parish but also experience the profound blessings that come from spending time in adoration. Whether you can commit to a regular weekly hour or offer your support during vacation, your presence is deeply valued and appreciated. Several hours are available. For more information, please call Frank or Sheila (519) 658-9414



BIBLE CAMP 2025: July 14-18 *The Great Journey with Jesus*

Spaces are limited. Please pick up a registration form at the parish or print from our parish website.

Cost: \$55/camper. Completed forms with payment must be returned to the parish office.

We are still in need of adult and teen volunteers. If you are interested, please complete a volunteer form found at the parish entrances and return to the office. High school students are invited to participate and will receive community involvement hours.

DEACON MICHAEL FAREWELL: Please join us for a farewell celebration for Deacon Michael following all Masses on **June 21 and 22**. We pray for Deacon Mike that God may bless him in his new assignment.



CARE FOR RETIRED PRIESTS: SPECIAL COLLECTION ON JUNE 7/8

This collection provides support for the retired priests in the Diocese of Hamilton. Please use the yellow envelope in your offertory box or your own marked envelope. Thank you in advance for your contributions.

SUMMER WITH THE SAINTS: Walk with the saints this summer. Faith-filled stories for the whole family on Formed. Join *Summer with the Saints* - 12 weeks of faith-filled videos and family-friendly activities, delivered weekly to your inbox.

New to FORMED? Registration is FREE for parishioners. Go to signup.formed.org and type **St Mary of the Visitation Cambridge** to find and select our Parish. Provide your name and email address and "Sign Up".

PARISH OFFERINGS

May 24/25, 2025

Sunday Envelopes (124):	\$2,651.80
Loose Offerings:	\$341.85
Pope's Pastoral Works (32):	\$560.00

Your continued financial support is greatly appreciated.

OUR LADY OF GOOD COUNSEL AWARD: Once again our CWL is offering an award of \$250 to a graduating student from St. Benedict's Secondary School. This student must be an active member of St. Mary of the Visitation Parish who has demonstrated strong Christian volunteerism and leadership, and who is pursuing a post-secondary education. You will find applications at the entrance of the church. **Deadline for submission is June 1st.** If you qualify, you will be notified by June 6th.



CWL FATHER'S DAY FUNDRAISER:

June 7th and 8th following each weekend Mass. We are thankful to our sponsors who have provided the following raffle items: Toronto Blue Jay

tickets for Saturday, June 21st / Set of 18 hole golf passes from Merry-Hill Golf Club / 4-person Tour and Taste at Four Fathers, as well as many other items in each raffle basket! There will also be a 50/50 Draw. Save the date, save some cash and support our great cause. We hope to see you there!



CWL CLOSING MASS AND POTLUCK:

All Ladies of the parish are welcome to join us for our CWL closing Mass and Potluck supper on **Tuesday, June 10th** beginning with Rosary at 5:00 p.m., Mass at 5:30 p.m. and followed by a Potluck Supper at 6:00 p.m. Come and bring your favorite dish and enjoy an evening of fun and fellowship with lots of wonderful ladies, Fr. David and Seminarian Jangho. Please email your attendance to chriseoneill@rogers.com by **June 6th** so that we know how many place settings to setup. We hope to see you there!



CWL & ST. LUKE'S FUNDRAISER: Our Catholic Woman's League will partner with St. Luke's Retirement Home to help raise funds for their Building Project. The

CWL ladies along with Fr. David and Seminarian Jangho will put on their walking shoes on **Saturday, June 14th** for this most important event. The day begins at 9:00 a.m. with a special Mass offered for the residents of St. Luke's, and the success of their project. Following the mass we will walk to and through New Hope Cemetery, come up Ellis road and walk back to the church. With St. Luke's being a major part of our community and with family and friends who currently live there or may some day, we felt it was very important for us to help them achieve their fundraising goals. St. Luke's pledge forms, along with envelopes, will be placed at all entrances. Please consider donating towards this worthwhile cause! Envelopes can be placed in the collection box after all masses for the next few weeks. Donations can also be made online directly through St. Luke's. Thank You – please pray for a successful fundraiser and a sunny day!!

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL COLLECTION: Our collection amount this past weekend was \$1,163.70. Thank you for your generosity!



JOIN THE KNIGHTS: Are you interested in deepening your faith, serving others, and growing in brotherhood? Join the Knights of Columbus—Catholic men

putting their faith into action. To learn more about the Knights of Columbus Council #4916: Contact Grand Knight George Harris (519-621-3665) or visit our Facebook page:

facebook.com/profile.php?id=61574810413544

SUPPORT THE KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS: Ontario Knights of Columbus 50/50 draw for 2025 Tickets are on sale now. **September 1, 2025** draw date. Council 4916 thanks you. To purchase tickets or learn more, scan the QR code or visit:

<https://www.rafflebox.ca/raffle/k-of-c-ont/35>



Upcoming Events at the Parish

- June 7/8 ----- CWL Father's Day Fundraiser after all Masses
- June 10 ----- CWL Closing Mass at 5:30PM & Potluck in the Parish Centre
- June 12 ----- Knights of Columbus meeting at 7:00PM in the Parish Centre
- June 14 ----- 9:00AM Mass followed by walk-a-thon for St. Luke's Place
- June 14/15 ----- Presentation by Chalice during all masses
- June 19 ----- Ushers Meeting for all current and new Ushers
- June 21/22 ----- Coffee Sunday and Farewell for Deacon Mike in the Parish Centre
- June 24 ----- Volunteer Appreciation Night (more details soon)

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