

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 Ed and Deacon
Michael would be most willing to visit.

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL FOOD PANTRY

Please call 519-658-6511 for assistance.

THIRTIETH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Date	Time	Mass Intentions	Requested by
Tuesday, October 31	7:00 p.m.	+ Vitale Bourgeois	Donna Baglolo
Wednesday, November 1 All Saints Day	8:00 a.m. 10:00 a.m.	+ Joe Doyle For the Parishioners	Agnes Doyle
Thursday, November 2 All Souls Day	8:00 a.m. 6:30 p.m.	Commemoration of All the Faithful Departed	
Friday, November 3	8:00 a.m.	+ Stanislav Kubala	Sidonia Kubala
Saturday, November 4	5:00 p.m.	Intentions of the Maurice Family + Hilario & Valentina De Los Angeles + Marilou Parada + Randy and Rose Wilson	Gus and Suzanne Maurice Jaena Parada



BOOK OF LIFE: During the month of November, we pray in a special way for the faithful departed. The names of our deceased loved ones can be inscribed in the Book of Life. The Book is currently located in the Church Hall. Stop by and inscribe the names of your loved ones. On November 1st it will be moved into the church near the altar.

CALLING ALL MOMS! A Mother's Group book study will run for six weeks **starting this Wednesday, November 1st** through Wednesday, December 6 at 7:00 p.m. in the Hearth Room. Please register by Monday, October 30 in order to receive your book in time (Cost: \$20). Email Catherine: stmaryv@gmail.com

PARENT INFORMATION MEETINGS FIRST COMMUNION & CONFIRMATION

First Holy Communion: Thursday, November 16th at 7:00 p.m. in the church.

Confirmation: Wednesday, November 22nd at 7:00 p.m. in the church. **Please note date change** Online registration for these sacraments is available on our parish website. Parents are asked to register prior to attending the parent meetings.

HAVE YOU SIGNED UP FOR FORMED? You can access beautiful and faithful Catholic content: movies, e-books, award-winning studies, inspiring audio content, and kids' programming. 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 your email address and click "Sign Up". Enjoy!

Halloween Candy: There will collection boxes at the doors of the church for the first two weekends of November for anyone who would like to donate excess Halloween candy. The donations will be delivered by volunteers to Canadian Food for Children.



ALL SOULS DAY: On **Thursday, November 2nd** there will be two Masses: 8:00 a.m. and 6:30 p.m. At the evening Mass we will pray in a special way for those whose funerals were celebrated in our parish this past year.

THE SEARCH: Join us for the conclusion of this video series on **Thursday, November 2 at 7:30 p.m.**, following Mass, in the parish centre. Everyone is welcome.

MEMORIAL MASS: There will be a Memorial Mass for the deceased members of the Knights of Columbus and the Catholic Women's League on **Thursday, November 9 at 7:00 p.m.** All are invited.

ENCOUNTERING JESUS: A wonderful opportunity awaits you in our Adoration Chapel. An opportunity to encounter Jesus - to spend quality time with Him in silent adoration. Please consider becoming part of this devotion. For more information, call Frank or Sheila Mauser at (519) 658-9414.

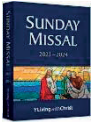


CWL CHRISTMAS BAZAAR:

The CWL Bazaar will be held after the masses on the weekend of **November 18th and 19th.**

Donations for the craft and Christmas centres would be greatly appreciated. Please place your items in the boxes located at the entrances of the Church *before Friday, Nov. 17th*. All baked items can be brought to the Church on Friday, Nov. 17th from 6:30 p.m. until 9:00 p.m. and Saturday, Nov. 18th from 10:00 a.m. until noon. Please indicate if you have used any kind of nuts in your donations. We look forward to seeing you at the Bazaar. Thank you for your generous support.

SAVE THE DATE: The next "Coffee Sunday" will be November 12 following ALL weekend Masses.



SUNDAY MISSALS: Missals for the new Liturgical Year (*beginning Dec. 3*) are available for purchase at the entrances of the church. Cost: \$5.00.

PARISH OFFERINGS

October 21/22, 2023

Sunday Offerings (113):	\$3,643.00
Loose Offerings	\$522.00
World Mission Sunday (31)	\$490.00

Your financial support is greatly appreciated.

If you are looking for ways to support the parish, please visit www.stmaryhespeler.ca/donate



ST. VINCENT DE PAUL COLLECTION

The monthly collection takes place after all Masses this weekend. Donations of any amount are greatly appreciated.

SYNOD OF BISHOPS: The Diocese of Hamilton is pleased to offer a variety of resources to inform our various communities of the work of the 16th Ordinary Assembly of the Synod of Bishops taking place in Rome during the month of October. The Office for Evangelization and Catechesis has produced a series of short, informative videos on a series of topics/themes that have been highlighted in the *Instrumentum Laboris*, rooting the work of the Assembly of Bishops. Each video is less than 4 minutes and features a variety of voices including our very own Bishop Crosby, expert theologians, religious, young people, educators and the laity. You are invited to share the joy of this Synodal journey: <https://hamiltondiocese.com/synod-21-24/diocesan-resources/>

ATTENTION YOUNG ADULTS: Fr. Mark Morley invites all young adults (ages 20s and early 30s) to attend a night of Adoration, Fellowship and Praise Music. Schedule for the Evening: Arrival and Holy Hour (6:30pm-7:30pm), Social with Food (7:30pm-8:30pm), Praise Night and Vocation Testimony (8:00pm-9:00pm), and Compline (9:00pm) on **Saturday, November 4th at Saint Pius X Church** (9 Waverly Street, Brantford). Sponsored by the Vocations Office of the Diocese of Hamilton. For more information, please contact: vocations@hamiltondiocese.com

BAZAAR: St. Francis of Assisi Parish Christmas Bazaar is back! Join us on Saturday, Nov. 11th from 9:00 AM to 1:00 PM, and enjoy some baking, pies, crafts, raffles, treasures and famous Hungarian Crepes! The Church is located at 49 Blueridge Ave. Kitchener. We hope to see you there!



PRAY TO END ABORTION: From **September 27th to November 5th** we invite you to join together with over a million volunteers across North America who will simultaneously participate in 40 consecutive days of prayer and fasting for an end to abortion. 40 Days for Life saves the lives of children in the womb who do not have the chance to stand up for themselves. You are encouraged to sign up for prayer hours online at www.40daysforlife.com/kitchener or by contacting Ewelina at 40DaysKW@gmail.com or 519-904-2620.

ST. AGNES EDUCATION CAFÉ: The experience of suffering may have us wrestling with common questions: *Why would God allow suffering? Does He hear my plea for help?* Once again, these "storms" in life invite us into that place of "trust" where sometimes God allows a suffering to bring about a good that we cannot see. Attend the next St. Agnes Education Cafe event: "The Struggle to Find Meaning in Suffering" with guest speaker Fr. Chris Tracey, Chaplain of Hospitals, Prisons, & Palliative Centres in the Diocese of Hamilton. **Sunday November 12th, 2:00 p.m.** at St. Agnes, Waterloo.

TRIVIA AND PASTA NIGHT: The Catholic Community Foundation of Waterloo Region (CCFOWR) will hold a Trivia & Pasta Night on **Friday, November 17 at St. Benedict Catholic Secondary School** in Cambridge. As a Charitable Organization our event will directly support our Cambridge students and families. The success of this event like others sponsored by the CCFOWR is directly tied to the support we receive from the regional community. We are reaching out to you in hopes that you will participate in the event by enrolling a team of eight (8) trivia enthusiasts who will also appreciate a fine pasta dinner! Please find details by visiting our website www.ccfowr.ca/news-and-updates/trivia-and-pasta-night

CONCERT: 'Heart Cry Ensemble' is a local seventeen voice ensemble that seeks to preserve sacred choral music and encourage other believers. They will be sharing their program, "And Send Thee Help: Themes from Psalm 20", at St. Agatha Parish (St. Agatha, ON) at 3 pm on **November 5, 2023**. Free Admission. Everyone welcome!

CHURCH BULLETIN ADVERTISING: Liturgical Publications will be setting up the advertisements for our church bulletin. The advertising will begin in January 2024 and supports the bulletin service. *Please support the bulletin and advertise your product or service.* Call Liturgical Publications at 1-800-268-2637.

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