

SACRED HEART PARISH

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CLERGY

Father Wieslaw Berdowicz S.Chr., Pastor

PARISH OFFICE

Monday – Friday
9:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.
Tel: 519-822-8944
Fax: 519-822 -6699

CATHOLIC SCHOOLS

Sacred Heart Catholic School
Tel: 519-824-2751
St. James Catholic High School
Tel: 519-822-4290

OUR LORD'S DAY LITURGIES

Saturday 7:00 p.m.
Sunday 10:00 a.m., 7:00 p.m.
12:00 p.m. – Polish Mass

WEEKDAY MASSES

Please check schedule next page

St. Vincent de Paul: 519-265-8944

Sacrament of Penance:

Before each weekday Mass,
Saturday 6:20 p.m. - 6:50 p.m. Any time upon request.

Sacrament of Baptism:

Please contact the Parish Office at least a month prior to the proposed date of Baptism. Application forms are available at the office.

Sacrament of Marriage:

Please contact the Parish at least six months before the proposed date of marriage.

Sacrament of Anointing and Communion to the sick:

Available upon request

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament:

Fridays from 9:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m.
All Night Adoration Every First Friday of the Month.

Catholic Funeral Rites:

For information regarding Catholic burial please contact the Marymount Cemetery & Our Lady Immaculate Mauseoleum at 519-836-8814

Catholic Womens League (CWL):

Contact person: Iole Cazzola 519-824-6022

Knights of Columbus

St. George Council 16183

General Meeting - 2nd Wednesday of each month.
For information, contact - Grand Knight - Mr. Mike Macerollo
519-710-5354 email: macerollo.m@gmail.com

PARISH MINISTRIES (please contact the people listed below to volunteer in **YOUR** parish!)

Extra- Ordinary Ministers	Angela Marchione-Faragher	519-831-4377	Polish Ministries:	Jadwiga Wrzalka	519-760-0040
St. Vincent de Paul	Patricia Franceschini	519-822-7765	Lectors	Angela Marchione-Faragher	519-831-4377
Altar Servers	Roandre Villegas	519-823-0482	Ushers	Jack or Monica Glazier	519-822-7629



Sunday 02-11

10:00 a.m. +Castelarin Family, +Romano Cristante
 12:00 p.m. O Boze bogoslawienstwo i potrzebne laski dla Adriana
 7:00 p.m. Marijan Percic, God's blessings and all necessary graces on his birthday

Monday 02-12

8:15 a.m. ++Catherina & Attilio Anselmini

Tuesday 02-13

7:00p.m +Ryszard Gadzinski

Wednesday 02-14

8:15a.m. 1.) Ilena Nyenhuis, God's blessings
 2.) +Lucia Gobbi
 3.) Fr. Wieslaw, birthday blessings
 4.) Adam Stankiewicz, for health and and all necessary graces
 5.) +Amelia Stradiotto

7:00 p.m. +Henryk Mieczkowski

Thursday 02-15 - Stations of the Cross

7:00p.m. 1.) +David Collins
 2.) +Maria Bartus
 3.) +Jacob Holub

Friday 02-16

8:15a.m. ++Vincenzo & Annunziata Pezzano
 (From Stella Beltrame)
 7:00pm. **Droga Krzyzowa**
 1.) ++Zofia & Ignacy Danowsky
 2.) +Maria Czarzasta
 3.) ++Helena & Piotr Bienkowsy
 4.) Dusze w czysccu cierpiace

Saturday 02-17

8:15a.m. For Parishioners
 7:00p.m +Zygmunt Hajduk

NEXT SUNDAY

Sunday 02-18

10:00 a.m. In thanksgiving to God for all graces received for Justine Ntembo Family
 12:00 p.m. +Maria Czarzasta
 7:00 p.m. ++Franca & Lorenzo Stefanelli

ANNOUNCEMENTS

SUNDAY COLLECTION: February 4 \$ 2, 481.00
Loose Collection: \$ 479.40
Initial Collection: \$ 25.00
Mission Appeal: \$ 5.00
Solemnity of Mary: \$ 20.00
Seminary Collection: \$ 561.00
Building Collection: \$ 1, 105.00
THANK YOU AND GOD BLESS!

LITURGICAL SERVERS

Saturday 02-10 7:00 p.m. -altar servers

-Lector: F. Ogunbi
 - Ushers: T. Pellizzari, S.Phan,

Sunday 02-11 10:00 a.m. - altar servers:

-Lector: C. Maiocco

- E. O. M. A.M. Maiocco/P.Stradiotto
 - Ushers: R. Saretta, T. Gobbi

Sunday 02-11 12:00. p.m. - ministranci:

- Lektorzy: J. Zylkowski/B. Gonczar
 - Kolektorzy: J. Wabinski /M. Kasinski/ T. Niemiec

Sunday 02-11 7:00 p.m. -altar servers:

- Lector: A. Percic
 - E.O.M.: M. Trent

Wednesday 02-14 - 7:00pm

- Lector: D. Seitz

IN THE NEXT WEEK IN THE DIOCESE OF HAMILTON WE PRAY FOR THE FOLLOWING PRIESTS

Monday 02-12 - Rev. Michael McHugh
Tuesday 02-13 - Rev. Msgr. Theodore Slaman
Wednesday 02-14- Ash Wednesday
Thursday 02-15 - Rev. William Trusz
Friday 02-16 - Rev. Vincent Kim Van Toan
Saturday 02-17- Rev. Msgr. Edward Sheridan

FEBRUARY CALENDAR OF EVENTS



Sunday 11 – Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time
 - World Day of the Sick
 - World Marriage Day

Wednesday 14 - Ash Wednesday
 - St. Valentine
 - National Flag Day
 - School Mass @ 11:30am

Thursday 15 – Stations of the Cross @ 7pm (English)

Friday 16 - Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament @ 9am – 7pm
 – Stations of the Cross @ 7pm (Polish)

Saturday 17 - Seven Founders of the Orders of Servites, Opt. Mem.

Sunday 18 - First Sunday of Lent

PAINTING OF THE CHURCH HAS BEGUN. PLEASE BE PATIENT WITH ALL THE CHANGES THAT THIS REQUIRES.

SACRED HEART FINANCIAL REPORT FOR YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 2023, HAS BEEN POSTED ON OUR WEBSITE.

WWW.SACREDHEARTPARISHGUELPH.COM



This Lent, journey with us as we honor Christ's ultimate sacrifice with two unique series from the Augustine Institute.

When parishioners register for our Lenten email series, they'll receive an email each day with a *Daily Bread: Discover the Eucharist in Scripture* video. Throughout Lent and Easter, they'll also receive 10

new episodes of *Drawing Closer to God: A Catholic Art Show for Kids*

Daily Bread: Discover the Eucharist in Scripture

Each short daily reflection dives into Scripture and the history of man's salvation—all leading to an encounter with Jesus truly present in the Eucharist.

Drawing Closer to God: A Catholic Art Show

Guide your parishioners and their children (or grandchildren!) as they learn to draw closer to God through the beauty of art.

Why do we practice prayer, fasting, and almsgiving during Lent?

Find answers to frequently asked questions, the registration for daily Lenten reflection emails, and more Augustine Institute content for your parish to enjoy in this season of growth.

To email if people are interested in getting the daily Lent Resources sent to their email inbox directly.... send a short note to: parishcare@formed.org or call 1-800-777-7502 (M-F 9am - 4:30pm CT.... they are one hour behind us, 10am to 5:30pm our time), Press '1' for individuals.

FORGIVEN: THE TRANSFORMING POWER OF CONFESSION



Forgiven: The Transforming Power of Confession explores the grace and healing offered in Confession and shows how this sacrament of mercy reveals the depth and bounty of God's love. By looking at God's revelation

of his mercy in Scripture and making a step-by-step examination of the Rite itself. Forgiven communicates God's invitation to each one of us to come experience his indescribable love in the Sacrament of Reconciliation. Join us for six Tuesday evenings starting February 20th after the 7pm Mass in the church hall. The following Tuesdays are Feb 27, Mar 5, 12, 19 and 26th. Please RSVP to the Parish Office (519-822-8944) so that we have enough books for everyone.

LENT FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

What is Lent?

Lent is a sacred season of prayer and devotion in the Christian calendar. For Roman Catholics, the forty days of Lent are a time of fasting, prayer, and almsgiving to prepare for the Resurrection of Jesus Christ on Easter Sunday.

What is Ash Wednesday?

Lent begins on Ash Wednesday. Catholics receive ashes made from the blessed palm branches from last year's Palm Sunday Mass in the shape of a cross on their foreheads. This sign serves as a solemn reminder of human mortality, the importance of the spiritual life, and the need for repentance.

Why don't Catholic eat meat on Fridays during Lent?

Abstaining from meat on Fridays is a common practice of penance and remembrance of our Lord's death on Good Friday. This penitential practice is rooted in the Church's tradition of fasting and abstinence during the Lenten season. By giving up meat—often considered a symbol of luxury—Catholics engage in self-discipline and reflect on Christ's ultimate sacrifice.

Why don't Catholic say "alleluia" during Lent?

When Roman Catholics observe Lent, Catholics omit using the word "alleluia" until the Lenten fast ends and the Church celebrates the Resurrection of Jesus. "Alleluia" is a joyful expression of praise and thanksgiving. Its absence during the weeks of Lent underscores the season's somber mood, allowing for a more intentional focus on repentance, self-discipline, and spiritual contemplation. The word is reintroduced with great festivity during the Easter Vigil, celebrating the triumphant victory of Christ over sin and death.

Why do Catholics practice prayer, fasting and almsgiving during Lent?

This period of fasting, prayer, and almsgiving fosters spiritual growth by holistically deepening our relationship with God. Through prayer, Catholics draw closer to God. By fasting, Catholics detach from worldly comforts and redirect our focus toward the Lord. Refraining from certain foods or activities as an act of penance is often associated with Jesus' 40-day fast in the wilderness. Almsgiving involves acts of charity, kindness, and generosity—particularly toward those in need—as a concrete expression of compassion. By giving to the less fortunate, Catholics participate in the mission of social justice and demonstrate a commitment to serving others, mirroring the teachings of Jesus to care for the marginalized and vulnerable.

STATION OF THE CROSS



Starting February 15th, we invite you to a Lenten Devotion on **Thursdays at 7:00pm**. Followed by a Mass. In Polish, Stations of the Cross will be on **Fridays at 7:00pm** (starting February 16th). Everyone welcome!

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS- ONTARIO 50/50 RAFFLE



The estimated Prize value is \$17,000.00!
 Draw Date- APRIL 28/24
 - go to Knights of Columbus 50/50 Raffle
 - under.... Select- choose... St. George Council 16183
 - purchase tickets

Join the FUN and help others while doing it!

LIFT JESUS HIGHER RALLY

“Take Heart: By His Wounds We Are Healed”

Metro Toronto Convention Centre, Toronto. Join the Catholic Renewal Ministry on **Saturday, March 2, 2024**. Variety of speakers. Closing Mass celebrated by Archbishop Francis Leo. Tickets are \$30 and bus tickets are \$20. For tickets and bus transportation please call: Ana Percic 519 824 8456. For more information on the rally go to <https://www.ljhr.ca/>.

CATHOLIC IN RECOVERY MINISTRY AT HOLY ROSARY PARISH



Catholic in Recovery

Holy Rosary Parish is hosting a Catholic in Recovery 12 step meeting Tuesday evenings at 7:00

PM in the library. Do addictions, compulsions or unhealthy attachments impair your relationship with God, yourself and / or others? This “Catholic in Recovery” meeting will provide a safe place to share and heal. **Meetings will be strictly confidential and open to all (Catholic or non-Catholic)**. Just show up or contact the Holy Rosary parish office at 519-822-4701 or contact Kevin at cir.holyrosary@gmail.com for more information.

Please pray for: the health of Baby Ava, Ellen Norrie, Virginia Everson.



+Joe Holody, +Elisa Di Leonardo, + Krystyna Szczesna, + Adelio Miotto, +Amelia Stradiotto.

Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon them. May the souls of all the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace.

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