

# 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.  
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## **CATHOLIC SCHOOLS**

Sacred Heart Catholic School  
Tel: 519-824-2751  
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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

## **Knights of Columbus**

### **St. George Council 16183**

General Meeting - 2nd Tuesday of the month at the I.C.C.  
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!)

<b>Extra- Ordinary Ministers</b> Angela Marchione-Faragher 519-831-4377	<b>Polish Ministries:</b> Jadwiga Wrzalka 519-760-0040
<b>St. Vincent de Paul</b> Patricia Franceschini 519-822-7765	<b>Lectors</b> Angela Marchione-Faragher 519-831-4377
<b>Altar Servers</b> Roandre Villegas 519-823-0482	

**MASS INTENTIONS**

**Sunday 02-22**

10:00 a.m. ++Enzo & Adelio Miotto  
 12:00 p.m. +Maria Czarzasta  
 7:00p.m. For all the souls in Purgatory of the Espinoza Payez Family, Franz Espinoza Family and all the abandoned Families

**Monday 02-23**

8:15 a.m. Janet Dawes, God's blessings

**Tuesday 02-24**

7:00p.m. ++Franca & Lorenzo Stefanelli

**Wednesday 02-25**

8:15a.m. 1.) +Boleslaw Ciucmanski  
 2.) Janet Dawes, God's blessings  
 3.) +++Mary, Joseph, Paul Simpson  
 4.) Victoire Traore, Mary Elizabeth Ramond, God's blessings  
 5.) For health and all necessary graces for Angela Hoffbauer

**Thursday 02-26**

7:00p.m. **Stations of the Cross**  
 1.) For Parishioners  
 2.) Mechthild Thuemen, Luke Nyenhuis, God's blessings  
 3.) Special intentions for Andreas Hoffbauer  
 4.) Special intentions for Monika Buckley  
 5.) Theresa Heeley, birthday blessings

**Friday 02-27**

8:15a.m. ++Valentino & Bruna Girardi  
 7:00p.m. **Droga Krzyzowa**  
 1.) Intencja znana Panu Bogu  
 2.) Dusze w czysccu cierpiace  
 3.) +Natalia Michalska  
 4.) Zmarli z rodziny Babol i Sawaryn  
 5.) O Boze bogoslawnienstwo i potrzebne laski dla Danuty i Wojciecha z okazji 42 rocznicy slubu

**Saturday 02-28**

8:15 a.m. +Mariusz Gadzinski  
 7:00 p.m. +Nikola Milkovic

**LITURGICAL SERVERS**

**Saturday 02-21 7:00 p.m. -altar servers**

-Lector: T. Marshall

**Sunday 02-22 10:00 a.m. - altar servers:**

-Lector: M. Veroni  
 - E. O. M. A.M. Maiocco  
 - Ushers: R. Saretta, P.L. Ndemanu

**Sunday 02-22 12:00. p.m. - ministranci:**

- Lektorzy: M. Rozanski/A. Stankiewicz  
 - Kolektorzy: B. Gonczar/T. Brod

**Sunday 02-022 7:00p.m. - altar servers:**

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

**NEXT SUNDAY**

**Sunday 03-01**

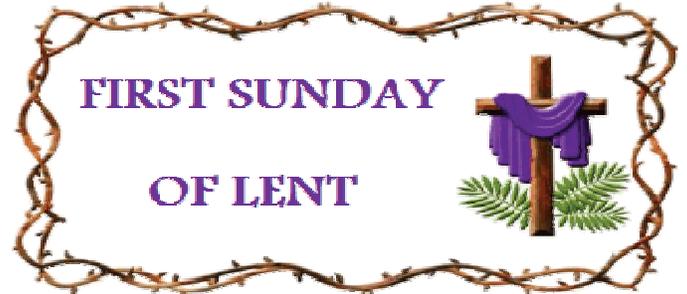
10:00 a.m. ++Elzbieta & Jerzy Polaski  
 12:00 p.m. +Jacek Jendruch  
 7:00p.m. For Parishioners

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

**Monday 02-23-** Rev. Joonbin Lim  
**Tuesday 02-24-** Rev. Ralph Diodati  
**Wednesday 02-25-** Society of the Sacred Heart of Jesus, R.S.C.J.  
**Thursday 02-26-** Rev. Saju Oreethaparambil, C.Ss.R.  
**Friday 02-27-** Rev. Kevin Upendran  
**Saturday 02-28-** Rev. Drago Gacnik, S.D.B.

**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**SUNDAY COLLECTION:** \$ 2,965.00  
**Loose Collection:** \$ 587.15  
**Seminary Collection:** \$ 110.00  
**One Heart One Soul:** \$ 1,400.00



**FEBRUARY 22, 2026- FIRST SUNDAY OF LENT**

Jesus was led by the Holy Spirit into the desert for forty days of prayer and fasting. Are you open to being led by the Holy Spirit into the life-commitment God has prepared for you? If God is calling you to serve him as a priest, deacon, brother or sister, contact Fr. Mark Morley, Director of Vocations, Diocese of Hamilton at 905-528-7988.

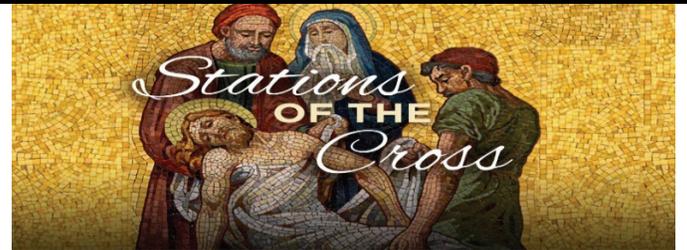
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**FEBRUARY CALENDAR OF EVENTS**



**Sunday 22-** First Sunday of Lent  
**Monday 23-** St. Polycarp, Bishop & Martyr  
**Friday 27-** St. Gregory of Narek, Abbot & Doctor of the Church  
 - All Day Eucharistic Adoration (@ 9am -7pm)  
**Sunday - March 01-** Second Sunday of Lent

**STATION OF THE CROSS**



The Stations of the Cross, also known as the Way of the Cross or Via Crucis, commemorate the Passion and death of Jesus Christ. It consists of 14 specific events (stations) beginning with His condemnation by Pontius Pilate and ending with His burial in the tomb. By meditating on these scenes, the faithful spiritually accompany Christ on His journey to Calvary, entering into the mystery of His redemptive suffering.

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 We invite you to a Lenten Devotion every **Thursday at 7:00pm.** Followed by a Mass. In Polish, Stations of the Cross will be on **Fridays at 7:00pm** followed by a Mass. Everyone welcome!

Pope St. John Paul II said: "The Way of the Cross... means to recognize, in the light of this love, our own cross. It means to take up that cross once more and, strengthened by this love, to continue our journey."

40 DAYS FOR LIFE



Our parish weekend for 40 Days for Life, the pro-life witness to end abortion, will be Feb 28 and Mar 1. Signup sheets will be available in the vestibule. Additionally, since the Shore Clinic receives clients for the abortion pill each Thursday at the Guelph Community Health Centre, our new initiative is to try to be present on Thursdays between 10 AM and 6 PM. More information on these prolife activities will be available soon in the vestibule.

Ways to Help with 40 Days for Life 2026

1. New initiative: Prayer witnesses each Thursday
Why: The Shore Clinic dispenses the abortion pill on Thursdays between 10 and 6 PM, we are hoping to have prayer witnesses by the Cenotaph each Thursday
How: Sign up on the website (https://www.40daysforlife.com/en/guelph), by phone (519-836-6311), or by email, (info@guelphforlife.com). If you need a witness partner, please call or email.

2. Be a substitute prayer witness
Why: To help other churches fill in time slots on Thursdays or Saturdays
How: Reach out to Joe at GARTL (519-836-6311 or info@guelphforlife.com) to give contact info and availability if you can help out on Thursdays or Saturdays if substitute witnesses are needed.

3. Sign up for the parish weekend vigil
February 28 and March 1. See sign up sheets in vestibule. Note that the campaign hours have changed.

4. Donate at https://www.guelphforlife.com/donate

LIFT JESUS HIGHER RALLY "No Greater Love"

Metro Toronto Convention Centre, Toronto. Join the Catholic Renewal Ministry on Saturday, March 14, 2026. Variety of speakers. Tickets are \$39 and bus tickets are \$27. For tickets and bus transportation please call: Ana Percic 519 824 8456

THE DIOCESAN WEDDING ANNIVERSARY MASS

Are you celebrating your 25th, 40th, 50th, 60th, or 60+ Wedding Anniversary in the year 2026? You are cordially invited to join Bishop Dabrowski and couples from across the Diocese of Hamilton for a Wedding Anniversary Mass on Sunday, May 31, 2026 at the Cathedral Basilica of Christ the King in Hamilton at 1:30 pm. (Space allows room for Anniversary couples only - those married 60 years or more may bring one guest if you require assistance). Registration is found under Upcoming Events on the home page at hamiltondiocese.com or call the Family Ministry Office at 905-528-7988 ext. 2249.

SERRA KITCHENER-WATERLOO

The Serra Club is glad to resume meetings at St. Agnes Parish, Waterloo on the second Thursday of the month. Join us at St. Agnes for a Holy Hour, Rosary and Benediction at 6:00 and Mass at 7:00. There will be a brief meeting and fellowship in the parish hall following evening Mass. Serrans are lay Catholics - men and women of all ages and from all walks of life, all dedicated to promote and foster vocations. Serra International ("Serra") is formally recognized by the Holy See as the only global lay apostolate for vocations in the Catholic Church.

Masses for 2026 are March 12, April 9, May 14, June 11, July 9, August 13, September 19, October 8, November 12, December 10,

2026. Join us for the Rosary on ZOOM every Monday at 7:00 pm. Address: 891 4699 8295, Pass Code GvsW9U
New members are welcome! Contact ma\_zister@hotmail.com.

PARENTING TIP OF THE MONTH

We are constantly teaching our kids by what we choose to make a priority. We encourage schoolwork to be done well, engage in extra-curricular activities for fun and development, pray and attend Mass so faith stays at the forefront of our family values. We are however, also teaching our children when we are not trying to teach them. In those moments we are silently saying, you matter and I love being with you, that family time to relax is vital to good mental health and that undertaking chores together connects us as a family. So, enjoy the non-teaching times because they matter more than you might think! (From: Teresa Hartnett, Family Ministry Office; 905-528-7988 ext. 2250)

MARRIAGE TIP OF THE MONTH

We communicate by using words, sometimes without thinking about their impact. Words can build someone up or tear them down. It is the same in our relationships, the words we choose to express ourselves can impact our relationship, even when there is an issue, positively or negatively. Severe words that criticize, words used in harsh tones, words that are not true, or worse, saying nothing at all but acting angry, all escalate sometimes small matters into a storm. Speaking the truth and expressing needs in ways that are not negative will resolve matters and do no harm, in fact, they will strengthen your love and bond. (From: Teresa Hartnett, Family Ministry Office; 905-528-7988 ext. 2250)

WELCOME TO SACRED HEART PARISH

Our Parish is an ethnic Parish. Our Parishioners are those who are formally registered at our Church. Please note that we are not able to issue any reference or letters of eligibility to non-parishioners. Are you formally registered at the Parish? Please fill out this form and place it in the collection basket on Sunday. Alternatively, you can call the parish office to update your file or register. 519-822-8944.

WOULD YOU LIKE TO REGISTER?

PLEASE COMPLETE FORM AND DEPOSIT IN THE COLLECTION OR HAND IN TO THE PARISH OFFICE.

Family Name \_\_\_\_\_

First Name (s) \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Phone No. \_\_\_\_\_

Email address \_\_\_\_\_

Sunday Offering Envelopes: Yes----- No-----

Tax receipts available for your donations. Please obtain envelopes at the Office. Tax receipts for all donations over \$20 are issued every January.

We encourage all the members of Sacred Heart Parish who have not registered yet to fill out the registration form. Being a Registered Parishioner is helpful in future requirements related to religious life.



+Nancy Furfaro, +Miroslaw Dziubaltowski
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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