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LORD'S DAY MASSES:

Saturday at 5:00 P.M. Sunday at 9:00 & 11:00 A.M.

WEEKDAY MASSES:

Tuesday to Friday at 8:00 A.M.

Father Bradley Markus - Pastor
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Mrs. Franki Baumtrog - Parish Secretary
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Mr. Andrew Blaszcuk - Custodian

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Tuesday through Friday 7:45 a.m.
Other times By appointment

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM - Please contact the Parish Office as soon as possible after the birth of your baby.

FIRST RECONCILIATION, FIRST EUCHARIST & CONFIRMATION - Catholic children in public school are prepared for First Reconciliation, First Eucharist and Confirmation through correspondence lessons. For details or to register, please contact the Diocesan Catechesis Office at 1-905-528-7988.

SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE - Please contact the Parish Office at least six months before the desired date. At least one person must be registered in the Parish. Wedding dates are booked with the Pastor.

VOCATIONS TO THE PRIESTHOOD AND RELIGIOUS LIFE - Please contact Most Reverend Wayne Lobsinger, VG, EV, at 1-905-528-7988 ext. 2222 or visit: hamiltondiocese.com

ANOINTING OF THE SICK - The Sacrament is celebrated communally once per year, and individually by request.

FUNERALS - When a death occurs in the family, please contact the Parish Office and Father will assist in any way with liturgical arrangements.

MEMORIAL DONATIONS - Please keep your love for the parish alive: When recommending expressions of sympathy, please remember St. Clement Parish.

SOCIETY OF ST. VINCENT DE PAUL - Your donations support our Society as our volunteers deliver grocery vouchers into the hands of the needy in the Preston area. Thank you for your generous support. Please note that at this time we have resumed delivering grocery vouchers.

PARISH OFFICE HOURS:

Tuesday through Thursday, from 8:30 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.
Friday, from 8:30 a.m. to 12 noon

BULLETIN ANNOUNCEMENTS:

Please submit your announcements to the Parish Office by 12:00 noon on Tuesday.

NEW PARISHIONERS

Welcome!

Parish registrations may be submitted through our parish website (www.stclementsparish.ca) or you may find a copy in the vestibule. Forms may be submitted through the collection basket or brought to the Parish Office.

PARISH SCHOOLS

St. Joseph School 519-653-4482
St. Michael School 519-653-3351
St. Benedict C.S.S. 519-621-4050

PARISH PRAYER NETWORK - This group prays confidentially for anyone who asks. Prayer requests (intentions) are received by telephone/email and passed, member to member, to the next person on the list. To request prayers or to join the group, please contact Mrs. Marg Downey at her email: margaretdowney@bell.net.

ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT AND BENEDICTION - Each Friday for one hour following the daily Mass. Everyone is welcome to spend quiet time in prayer and adoration before the Blessed Sacrament.

DIOCESAN NEWSLETTER - For information about Activities and Events of Interest in the Diocese of Hamilton, subscribe to the online Diocesan Newsletter at www.hamiltondiocese.com



SCAN ME

Date	Time	Mass Intentions and Celebrations	Requested by
Monday, November 14	No public Mass	Roger & Rosemary Fischer	Family
Tuesday, November 15 St. Albert the Great , Bishop, Doctor (Optional Memorial)	7:45 AM 8:00 AM	Sacrament of Reconciliation Helen Renner Michelle Lavoie Tuan Val Le Antonia Pages	Estate Nicole Dixon Family Manuel Lopez Castell
Wednesday, November 16 St. Gertrude , Virgin (Optional Memorial) St. Margaret of Scotland (Optional Memorial)	7:45 AM 8:00 AM	Sacrament of Reconciliation Joe Downey Tuan Van Le Denise Berthin Barbara Montalvo	Jennifer Renner Family Barbara Call Manuel Lopez Castell
Thursday, November 17 St. Elizabeth of Hungary , Religious (Memorial)	7:45 AM 8:00 AM	Sacrament of Reconciliation Intentions of Fr. Peter Tuyen Nguyen Tuan Van Le Reydel Castel	Renner Family Family Manuel Lopez Castell
Friday, November 18 The Dedication of the Basilicas of Saints Peter & Paul , Apostles (Optional Memorial)	7:45 AM 8:00 AM 8:30 AM 9:30 AM	Sacrament of Reconciliation Josephine Buffone Intentions of Pat Maton Tuan Van Le Intentions of Tony & Shirley Borges Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament Benediction	Family Friends Family Ilda Borges
Saturday, November 19 Our Lady's Saturday (Optional Memorial)	5:00 PM	Renzo Recine Tuan Van Le Gerald Schmalz Sr. Yvonne Brown Marko Filipovic Joe Downey Intentions of John	Vincenza Recine & Family Family Family Brendan & Maria Kelly Iva Bradica Weekday Mass Friends Family
Sunday, November 20 34th Sunday in Ordinary Time	9:00 AM 11:00 AM 12 NOON	For the people of St. Clement Parish -(MPP) For the people of St. Clement Parish -(MPP) Sacrament of Baptism	

Parish Envelopes for Next Year

A message to envelope users – please note that the new boxed envelope sets will be available for you to pick up soon. Anyone using Pre-Authorized checking is welcome to come forward and request a modified set of parish envelopes. The parish office will be happy to prepare a set for you. In case you are considering using preauthorized checking, please call or email the parish office and we can send you the form to fill out. Your new envelope number may have changed – if you happen to use your old envelopes, please ensure you print your name and address on the front. Thank you for your patience and understanding. Envelopes coming soon.



Knights of Columbus News

The weekend of November 12-13th, the Knights of Columbus Council #4916 will have display in the Parish Hall of Religious and Hockey Sculptures by Timothy P. Schmalz . The cost is a good will offering for the sculpture of your choice. All proceeds from the donations will be donated to the Knights of Columbus Charities. Donations can be cash or cheque made out to the Knights of Columbus Council 4916.

Children's Liturgy of the Word

We hope to resume the **Children's Liturgy of the Word** at the 9:00 a.m. Mass soon, but **we require at least 4 adult volunteers** to get started again. Please contact Jennifer.Kruithof@wcdsb.ca to volunteer or for more information.

Diocese of Hamilton Prayer Calendar November 14- November 19

Monday	Rev. Francisco Cruz
Tuesday	Rev. Mussie A. Keflezghi, MCCJ
Wednesday	Deceased Members of our Parish Community
Thursday	Rev. Brian Quigley
Friday	Rev. Stephen Murrin
Saturday	Rev. Toby Collins, CR

St. Vincent de Paul Thrift Store News

Part-time **Transportation & Warehouse Associate** Needed Immediately for the St. Vincent de Paul Thrift Store in Galt! Do you have a clean driver's license and a sincere wish to serve the needy in our community? Please email your questions and/or resume to: cambridge.ssvp@gmail.com



CWL News

Our Ladies of the St. Clement's CWL Council are getting very excited about the upcoming Christmas Craft and Bake Sale on the weekend of November 26th and 27th. The sale will take place after each of the weekend Masses. Saturday

after the 5:00 p.m. Mass and Sunday following the 9:00 & 11:00 a.m. Masses. If you are able to help us by contributing baking or crafts to sell, your assistance is needed and greatly appreciated. Please keep us in mind when you are doing your baking and your crafts.

Crafts can be donated before each Mass on November 19th and 20th. Please bring down to the parish hall where a member of the CWL will gladly accept your contribution. It would also be greatly appreciated if you could put a price amount on your crafts as we may not be aware of what amount to ask for your craft donation.

Baking will be accepted in the Church basement on Saturday, November 26th from 11:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m. Please package all baked goods in 1/2 dozen increments and indicate clearly if the item contains nut products Any questions regarding the Bake Sale can be directed to Melissa at (519)239-4604.

Craft & Bake Sale Helpers NEEDED to help work the tables before and during the sale. Calling all CWL ladies – we need you! If you are able to volunteer, please contact Melissa at (519)239-4604.

CWL Christmas Dinner Update

Mark your calendars for our Christmas Dinner on Tuesday, December 6th.

We will be having our celebration at the Swiss Chalet on Hespeler Rd. Doors will open for us at 6:00 p.m. with dinner at 6:30 p.m. The Festive Dinner with garden salad and mashed potatoes with no substitutions will be served. The cost is \$27.00 (includes tax, tip and a non-alcoholic beverage) Cost must be paid in cash upon arrival at the restaurant. To reserve your spot, please contact Betty (519-267-9494) or Nan (519-624-1128) by December 1st. We are excited to see you there!

Advent Reflection Series

This fall marks the 60th Anniversary of the First Session of Second Vatican Council. In a homily on October 11 to mark the anniversary of the beginning of the Council, Pope Francis said, "*To rekindle her love for the Lord, the Church, for the first time in her history, devoted a Council to examining herself and reflecting on her nature and mission*". Join us Saturday mornings **November 26 - December 10** at St. Mary of the Visitation Parish as Father Ed Henhoeffer leads us through a look at the document *Lumen Gentium*, (The Light of the Nations) which is the Council's document on the nature of the Church. We will begin with Mass at 8:30 a.m. followed by a talk in the Parish Centre, concluding at 10:30 a.m. All are welcome. If you wish to read the document in advance a copy can be obtained on the Vatican website: https://www.vatican.va/archive/hist_councils/ii_vatican_council/documents/vat-ii_const_19641121_lumen-gentium_en.html

WYD 2023

There are *limited* spots available to any young people aged 18-35 who wish to participate in the Diocesan pilgrimage to Lisbon, Portugal for World Youth Day 2023. World Youth Day is a life-changing opportunity that gathers young Catholics from all around the world together with the Holy Father, Pope Francis, for days of prayer and celebration. More information about this pilgrimage opportunity and registration can be found at: <https://wyd.hamiltondiocese.com/>

WYD Fundraising Dinner

A Taste of Portugal... Save the Date!

The Diocesan World Youth Day Planning Team warmly invites you to a fundraising dinner at St. Mary's Church in Hamilton on Saturday, February 04, 2023. Join us as we celebrate the delegation of young people who will be attending World Youth Day in Lisbon, Portugal this summer while enjoying fine Portuguese food, music and cultural dance! Tickets will be available soon and full tables are available to purchase for families or parish teams. Please contact our office for more details or to reserve tickets: wyd@hamiltondiocese.com

Coping with the Holidays

When you have Lost a Loved One

Join us for an afternoon of reflection and strategies on coping at Christmas. The session will be facilitated by Mrs. Teresa Hartnett, Director of Family Ministry for the Diocese. The gathering will be held at the Diocesan Chancery Office, 700 King St. West in Hamilton, on Sunday, Nov. 27, 2022 from 1:30 – 3:00 pm. You are also welcome to join the session by zoom. The event is FREE of charge. Please call Sarah to reserve a seat, or to receive the zoom link: 905-528-7988 ext. 2249 or e-mail her at familyministry@hamiltondiocese.com. (You are welcome to attend even if you have not registered in advance.)

Mount Mary Immaculate Retreat Centre – Open House & Christmas Market

Everyone is invited to an Open House and Christmas Market on December 10th from 10:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.. Guests are welcome to tour the grounds and buildings, enjoy some seasonal refreshments and do some Christmas shopping. Admission is free, and all are welcome! For more information about Mount Mary Immaculate Retreat Centre please visit: www.mountmary.ca. Mount Mary Retreat Centre is located at: (437 Wilson St. E, Ancaster ON)

Social Justice Committee News

Opportunity for New Members – St. Clement's Social Justice group has many inspiring and educational plans. Additional members are needed to help bring these plans to fruition. Our Social Justice group believes change begins locally through education, inspired by the Holy Spirit. We would love for you to join us and help make a difference. Your contribution can be what your time and energy permits. For more information or to attend our next monthly meeting to see what we are all about, contact Marie Adam 519-503-7312

Website – Did you know we have a dedicated page on the St Clement Parish website? Check it out for more information and great resources! <https://www.stclementsparish.ca/>

Parenting Tip of the Month

Parents hold two important roles in their family, they lead and model. Healthy families come from parents who take both roles seriously. As leaders you set the household tone by staying on the same page (even if parenting from a different household), setting rules to be followed and by ensuring children know you are in charge. Even more important is your role as a model since children watch more than listen! Modelling happens when you spend time with your children, really listen to them, encourage them and have deep and important conversations. When you take on these two roles you will become the primary influencers of your children and they will feel loved and secure. From: Teresa Hartnett, Family Ministry Office; 905-528-7988 ext. 2250

Marriage Tip of the Month

The culture often pushes us to pursue work, activities and socializing, without keeping us grounded in the fact that there are only 24 hours in a day. When we look at our lives through the lens of both a daily and weekly schedule, we can begin to see where our

priorities are focused. Do you spend both quality and quantity time with the one you love? Do you ensure that as a couple you engage in meaningful moments through texts, calls, face to face discussions and sharing meals, social time and other activities with your spouse? Many people feel lonely in their marriages but, loving someone means we spend enough time together to ward off loneliness and in so doing, bond and deepen our love.

From: Teresa Hartnett, Family Ministry Office, 905-528-7988 ext. 2250

Restart: Refresh, Renew Revive

A gathering for separated and divorced individuals offering learning, support and fun! These get-togethers offer continual support and insights for people on their journey through the divorce/separation process and beyond. Held the 2nd & 3rd Fridays of each month, you can join in-person (700 King St. West, Hamilton), or by ZOOM. No registration required, but for ZOOM link please contact Sarah at familyministry@hamiltondiocese.com, or 905-528-7988 ext. 2249. We look forward to seeing you!

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