



# ST. CLEMENT PARISH

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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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**Mr. Andrew Blaszczuk** - 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

### NEW PARISHIONERS

Welcome!

Parish registrations may be submitted through our parish website ([www.stclementsparish.ca](http://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](http://www.hamiltondiocese.com)



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## 5<sup>th</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME – FEBRUARY 5, 2023

<b>Date</b>	<b>Time</b>	<b>Mass Intentions and Celebrations</b>	<b>Requested by</b>
Monday, February 6 <b>St. Paul Miki and Companions, Martyrs</b> (Memorial)	<b>No public Mass</b>	Roger & Rosemary Fischer	Family
Tuesday, February 7	7:45 AM 8:00 AM	<b>Sacrament of Reconciliation</b> Intentions of a Parishioner Maria Moura & Deceased Family Intentions of Tony & Shirley Borges Bob Haller Emiliana Villegas	Antonio Moura & Family Ilda Borges Kath & Family Cora Cibinel
Wednesday, February 8 <b>St. Jerome Emiliani, Priest</b> (Optional Memorial) <b>St. Josephine Bakhita, Virgin</b> (Optional Memorial)	7:45 AM 8:00 AM	<b>Sacrament of Reconciliation</b> Jim Renner Intentions of a Parishioner Jeannette Valeriotte Anthony D'Sa Repose of Souls in Purgatory	Norm & Sally Keelan  Pat Maton Family Cora Cibinel
Thursday, February 9	7:45 AM 8:00 AM	<b>Sacrament of Reconciliation</b> Jim & Jennifer Massey Intentions of a Parishioner Elizabeth Nertnaey Michelina Weston Paula Skinner Repose of Souls in Purgatory Domingo Villegas	Massey Family  Betty Weston Betty Weston Betty Weston Cora Cibinel Cora Cibinel
Friday, February 10 <b>St. Scholastica, Virgin</b> (Memorial)	7:45 AM 8:00 AM  8:30 AM 9:30 AM	<b>Sacrament of Reconciliation</b> Intentions of a Parishioner Repose of Souls in Purgatory Intentions of Pearl Fler <b>Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament</b> <b>Benediction</b>	Betty Your Friends
Saturday, February 11 <b>Our Lady of Lourdes</b> (Optional Memorial)	5:00 PM	Intentions of a Parishioner Jack Kreager Paul Thompson Jim Renner Mike Shea Olga & John Jr. Evanchuk Rita Gregory Kathryn & Wayne Baranski Marko Filipovic	Betty Family Mary & Family Family Marlene Bruce & Marie Langlade Ken & Diane Moyes Josip & Ankica Novosel
Sunday, February 12 <b>6<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time</b>	9:00 AM 11:00 AM	For the people of St. Clement Parish For the people of St. Clement Parish	

### **Knights of Columbus Council 4916**

Council 4916 will hold the next meeting on Thursday, February 9/23 at 7:00 p.m. in the parish hall at St. Clement's Parish. Enter via the Westminster Drive door. Hope to see you there!



### **Come Sing with Us**

The 11am CELEBRATION CHOIR is accepting new members to sing with us for Easter (& hopefully beyond). Music reading ability is preferred, but NOT necessary. Just a love of singing & a commitment to attending the **11a.m. Masses**, and **rehearsals on Thursdays from 7 to 8:30 p.m.** For further info, please call Marilyn (519) 653-3383

### **Altar Servers**

Altar Servers needed for all weekend Masses!!! Young people grade 3 through 12 are eligible to serve and very welcome to begin as we head into Lent and through the great Easter season. Special training before Mass will be offered through Lent, stay tuned! Our servers fulfill an important ministry at Mass, enhancing the celebration and assisting Father and our community to enter into these Sacred mysteries. By serving, Altar Servers have a great opportunity to celebrate Mass with closer participation as well as gaining a sense of responsibility and ownership. Please call the parish office and speak with Father after Mass as a family to let us know you'll be able to help. We look forward to hearing from you!

## Catholic Women's League News

We hope to see you at our next meeting being held on Tuesday, February 7th at 7:00 p.m. We meet in the church basement, please enter through the Duke Street doors.



At our meeting we will be drawing the winner of our quilt. In case you have not had a chance to get your ticket you can contact Rosemary at 519-219-2290. If you have any outstanding tickets and are unable to attend this meeting, please contact Cecilia at 519-748-4249.

Please note at this meeting, we will also be having nominations for the following Executive positions – President, Secretary, Correspondence Secretary and Membership. If you are interested in joining our Executive Team, we are looking for you.

Membership dues of \$25 for the C.W.L. are collected in January. You can pay using the envelope provided in your parish envelope package or an envelope marked CWL with your name, address and phone number. Please place it into the collection basket or bring your dues to our next meeting. For more information on how to join our CWL or financial assistance with membership dues, call Membership Coordinator Nan (519) 624-1128.

## Society of St. Vincent de Paul

### Year End Report to the Parishioners of St. Clement's Church

In 2022, the 17 members of the St. Clement's Church Society of St. Vincent de Paul provided grocery vouchers and other assistance totaling more than \$39,000 to the needy in Cambridge within the boundaries of St. Clement's Church. Funds donated to our Society were used to support 387 needy families (including 663 adults and their 441 children) during 2022.

This past Christmas, 13 St. Vincent de Paul members delivered Christmas greetings containing gift cards and grocery vouchers worth about \$13,900 to 71 needy families (including 125 adults and their 107 children). Our main source of funds comes from the generosity of the parishioners of St. Clement's Church. We thank you very, very much for your continued support of our Society as we strive to fulfill our mandate – the Christian calling to *seek and find the suffering, the forgotten, and the deprived, and to bring them God's love* through the gift of food and compassion.

## QUALITY • INCLUSIVE • FAITH-BASED • EDUCATION



We are currently accepting applications for the following opportunities:

- Lunch Hour Supervision

Please visit our website for job details and application criteria: [www.wcdsb.ca](http://www.wcdsb.ca)

## Social Justice News

### Euchre and Games for All

Bring your family and friends, Adult, Mixed and Youth tables. If you are not into Euchre, we have youth card and board games. Lots of fun for all. Refreshments and Prizes. Sunday, February 12, 2023 from 2:30 – 4:00. Youth-\$5, Adult-\$10, Family-\$20. Register at the door or by calling the parish office at 519-653-6123, or [stclements@rogers.com](mailto:stclements@rogers.com). (Fundraiser for Social Justice future events)

### Beyond the Pew

#### Social Justice Speaker Series, Winter 2023

Are you confused, concerned with what is happening in our community? Homelessness, Addictions, Safe Injection Sites, Mental Health, our Youth. We hear about these in the news, but do we really know what's going on? Come join us for this insightful Speaker Series, where amazing, local people with "boots on the ground" will share their stories and insights. A wonderful opportunity to learn and discuss. We hope you will join us for these sessions. All sessions will be in our church hall from 7:00 pm – 8:30 pm. To register contact the parish office at 519-653-6123 or via email at [stclements@rogers.com](mailto:stclements@rogers.com).

- Tuesday, February 21, Wayne Paddick, Executive Director, Bridges; Brian May, MP Cambridge.

- Tuesday, March 21, Lisa Legault, Society of Saint Vincent de Paul; Eva Vlasov, Executive Director, Argus Residence for Young People; Region of Waterloo Police Officer.

Join in these important conversations and ponder "What would Jesus do?" Free-will offerings will be gratefully accepted. For more information check the Social Justice section of our Parish Website: <https://www.stclementsparish.ca/socialjustice.html>

### Children's Liturgy Update

Children's Liturgy will be taking a short pause and will resume again on February 26<sup>th</sup> for the Lenten season. We look forward to seeing all our young friends again soon. We are still seeking adult volunteers to join our team. Please contact Jennifer.Kruihof@wcdsb.ca if you can help out.

### The Sanctuary Course for Catholics

#### Overview: Mental Matters!

Zoom Online Presentation (No Charge)

Tuesday, February 7, 2023, 1:30pm - 3:00pm

The Sanctuary Course for Catholics is a study guide for small groups, designed to raise awareness and start conversations in local churches regarding mental health. Your group might include:

- People with questions about mental health
- Mental health professionals with a wealth of knowledge to share
- Leaders who want to engage their community in mental health conversation
- People supporting loved ones with mental health problems
- People living with mental health problems

Register online under - Upcoming Events Feb. 7 at [hamiltondiocese.com](http://hamiltondiocese.com)

**Diocese of Hamilton Prayer Calendar**

February 6 – February 11, 2023

Monday	Rev. Matthew Durham
Tuesday	Rev. Kevin Upendran
Wednesday	Missionaries
Thursday	Rev. Leszek Szczygiel
Friday	Rev Tom Moisan
Saturday	Rev. David Weise

**St. Mary's General Hospital Board of Trustee Opportunities**

Are you interested in being involved in an organization committed to compassionate, high quality and equitable care? The St. Mary's hospital board is looking to fill two positions for the coming term. More information is available on the hospital website: <https://www.smgh.ca/about-us/board-of-trustees/join-our-board-of-trustees>

**Creating Space for Sacred Times and Places**

Week of Guided Prayer & Spiritual Exploration - February 26 – March 4, 2023 - Creating Space for Sacred Times and Places - Presented by the Guelph Ecumenical Guild of Ignatian Spiritual Direction. The Week of Guided Prayer and Spiritual Exploration is an opportunity to enrich your spiritual life and deepen your relationship with God. We hope you can join us. Information and registration online at [www.guidedprayer.webs.com](http://www.guidedprayer.webs.com) until February 20.

**Vocation Seeds – February 5, 2023**

5th Sunday in Ordinary Time  
 "You are the light of the world." Are you willing to let your light shine as a priest, deacon, brother or sister or consecrated virgin? Contact Fr. Mark Morley, Director of Vocations, Diocese of Hamilton at 905-528-7988 or email [vocations@hamiltondiocese.com](mailto:vocations@hamiltondiocese.com)  
 Website: [hamiltondiocese.com/vocations/](http://hamiltondiocese.com/vocations/)

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