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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 – 12:15 PM Wednesday – 5:30 PM Thursday – 8:00 AM Friday – 8:00 AM

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Tuesday to Friday – 15 mins before each Weekday Mass 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.

Father Bradley Markus - Pastor email: bmarkus@hamiltondiocese.com

Deacon John Fioretti

email: jfioretti@hamiltondiocese.com

Mrs. Franki Baumtrog - Parish Secretary
Mrs. Dee Donahue - Bookkeeper
Mrs. Marilynn Franks, ARCT, RMT - Music Director
email: mfranks@rogers.com

Mr. Andrew Blaszczuk - Custodian

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) 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. 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





Date	Time	Mass Intentions and Celebrations	Requested by
Monday, May 22 St. Rita of Casius (Optional Memorial)	No Public Mass	Roger & Rosemary Fischer	Family
Tuesday, May 23	No Public Mass	Repose of Souls in Purgatory	
Wednesday, May 24 Blessed Louis-Zéphirin Moreau, Bishop (Optional Memorial)	No Public Mass	Intentions of a Parishioner	
Thursday, May 25 St. Bede the Venerable, Priest, Doctor (OM) St. Gregory VII, Pope (OM) St. Mary Magdalene de' Pazzi, Virgin (OM)	No Public Mass	Intentions of a Parishioner	
Friday, May 26 St. Philip Neri , Priest (Memorial)	No Public Mass	Don Carr	Barbara
Saturday, May 27 St. Augustine of Canterbury, Bishop (Optional Memorial)	5:00 PM	Intentions of Tony & Shirley Borges	Ilda Borges
Sunday, May 28 Pentecost Sunday	9:00 AM 11:00 AM	For the people of St. Clement Parish For the people of St. Clement Parish	



C.W.L. News

The St. Clement's CWL will be celebrating another successful term, before the summer break, with dinner out! Arrangements have been made for a 6:00 p.m. seating on Tuesday, June 6th, at the Piper Arms (4391 King St., E., Kitchener). If you plan on

attending, please RSVP to Melissa Kuchma by Wednesday, May 31st, at (519)239-4604 or melissa.kuchma@rogers.com

For those unable to attend, our next meeting will be held on Tuesday, September 12, 2023, at 7:00p.m. We look forward to reconnecting with existing members and welcoming new members in the Fall.

Beyond the Pew - What Now?

What is your heart calling you to do? What is Jesus calling you to do? How can we contribute to a more just and caring community? Join us as the conversation continues and we work through a proven process to emerge enlightened with a clear vision of action and motivated to do Jesus' work in our community.

Whether you wish to be part of the solution on your own, with your family or with a group, these conversations will help determine positive action steps forward in faith, guided by the Holy Spirit, and in the company of like-minded people.

We hope to see you there. Bring your family & friends, all are welcome to join this important conversation. Call the parish office to register (519-653-6123). **Tuesday May 23, 2023** 6:30 - 8:30 pm in the church hall.

Enter through the Duke St doors. **Website:** Did you know we have a page on St. Clement's website? Check it out for upcoming community events & resources around Social Justice topics. Simply go to the home page, scroll down to Social Justice and click away. Interested in coming to our next monthly meeting to check us out? Contact Marie Adam for further information 519-503-7312, marieadam123@yahoo.ca

May is Respect for Life Month

The Knights of Columbus – Council 4916 would like to thank the parishioners of St. Clement's for the support of our *Roses For Life Sunday*. Proceeds are divided between Cambridge Right to Life and Dawn Center. Thank you for your generosity.

Cambridge Right to Life

Cambridge Right to Life Presents a Coffee & Dessert Evening with Speaker: Alex Schadenberg, Executive Director of Euthanasia Prevention Coalition. Date: Thursday, May 25, 2023. Time: 7:00 PM Tickets: Free Will Offering. Location: Galt Legion, 4 Veterans Way. Call: 519-623-1850 to reserve your seat.

<u>Please note</u> that Fr. Markus will be away at the Annual Diocesan Retreat this week. Please keep Fr. Markus and the other Diocesan Priests in your prayers. There will be no public Masses. The regular weekend Masses will be celebrated as usual – Saturday, 5:00 p.m.; Sunday, 9:00 a.m. & 11:00 a.m. <u>The Parish Office</u> will be closed Monday, May 22 & Tuesday, May 23.

Free Subscription of FORMED

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videos for all ages that will keep you learning and/or entertained on a wide array of topics. The website is worth exploring as it will help you discover the beauty and depth of our Catholic faith through a variety of entertainment genres. Our parishioners have the opportunity to subscribe for one year free. There is no obligation beyond enjoying the material. If you are interested, below is the information to sign up or visit our website: www.stclementsparish.ca

Here is some information to help parishioners with next steps to register for free: 1). go to **signup.formed.org** 2). Type "**St Clement Cambridge**" to find and click on our Parish and click "**Next**" 3). Type your name and your *personal email address and click "***Sign Up**"

Congratulations!

We would like to congratulate our own Marilynn Franks, Music Director at St. Clement Church, as the recipient of the Bernice Adams, The Heart of the Arts Award, presented by the City of Cambridge last Thursday, May 11, 2023. This award is a special Trustee award that recognizes the outstanding achievement of an individual in our community and for their outstanding contribution to the artistic and cultural life of Cambridge.

Last year Marilynn was celebrated by the St. Clement community for her 60 years of service to our parish. Sixty years of playing the Casavant organ at our beautiful church as well as many years directing two choirs. Her achievements have been numerous and her involvement in our parish community as well as the City of Cambridge and beyond has led to this very distinguished award.

Congratulations Marilynn on this very high honour! We are so blessed to have you share your gifts and talents with the people at St. Clement Church.

We look forward to hearing your beautiful music for many more years to come.

Information Session About FORMED

Formed provides the very best Catholic content from more than 60 organizations to help parishes, families individuals explore their faith anywhere. Supporting thousands of movies, children's programs, eBooks, audio and more, it is an excellent resource for families, especially to ensure the content their children are watching is safe. The Family Ministry Office has entered into a partnership with FORMED in order to allow families access to this resource and invite you to an online session for an opportunity to have a quick overview look at the content. Join us on Wednesday, May 24th at 7 p.m. by zoom, whether you are already a subscriber or would like to learn more about the site. must register to receive the link hamiltondiocese.com, under Upcoming events on the home page.

Young Adults Night June 3, 2023 – Acton/Halton Hills

Fr. Mark Morley invites all young adults (ages 20s and early 30s) of our Diocese to attend a night of Adoration, Fellowship and Praise Music. 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, June 3rd at St. Joseph, Patron of Canada (64 Church Street East, Acton, Ontario). Sponsored by the Vocations Office of the Diocese of Hamilton. For more information, please contact: vocations@hamiltondiocese.com.

To Inform, Encourage and Heal

June is Indigenous History Month in Canada. We invite you take time in this season to learn more about the Catholic Church's commitment to ongoing reconciliation efforts with Indigenous communities through a four-week learning opportunity through the VLCFF (Virtual Learning Community for Adult Faith Formation). To learn more about this study, please visit us at www.hamiltondioceselearns.com.

Dawn Centre - Baby Bottle Campaign

Mother's Day through Father's Day (May 14-June 18)



Usually, when someone says they are full it means they are satisfied; they have had enough. It is common for clients at Dawn Centre to come to us feeling empty, or feeling like they are not enough, or full of negative thoughts and experiences. Maybe they are like Taylor, whose childhood home

lacked love and structure, and is now seeking connection through multiple sexual relationships. Or like Ada, whose mind and heart is overflowing with doubts and questions due to an unexpected pregnancy.

As staff and volunteers, we are grateful to be able to address the whole person wellness of these individuals by 'filling them up' with positive knowledge, resources, and support.

You can partner with us by:

1. Fill our virtual bottle by

visiting: https://www.dawncentre.ca/blessingsbottle

2. Cheques can be sent to: Dawn Centre, 507-73 Water

St. N., Cambridge, ON N1R 7L6 3. E-transfers can be sent

to bookkeeper@dawncentre.ca

Diocese of Hamilton Prayer Calendar

Monday Rev. Peter Meyer
Tuesday Rev. Emmanuel Olusola
Wednesday Barnabite Fathers (CRSP)
Thursday Rev. Gordian Okpuruka

Friday St. Philip Neri Saturday Rev. Robert Hétu

Alliance of Life Ontario Conference

"Speaking Life into our Culture"
Alliance for Life Ontario and Hamilton Right to Life, with the support of the Diocesan Family Ministry Office, cordially invite you to register for our dinner and conference which will be held Friday June 16th, at Michelangelo Banquet Centre Hamilton and at the Nicholas Mancini Centre (behind the Chancery Office) on Saturday June 17th, 2023. Speakers: Dr. William Lile, Teresa Hartnett, Alex Schadenberg and Jakki Jeffs. Urgent life issues which require our attention, and our prayers will be discussed.

We hope to see you there! Contact: aflo@mgl.ca Text or call: 519 820-3399 www.allianceforlifeontario.ca/event/2023-conference

Our Lady of the Cape Pilgrim Statue

Will visit Blessed Sacrament Parish on Tuesday, May 30th at 6:30 pm. The Pilgrim Statue Tour is sponsored by the National Shrine and is accompanied by Fr. Wedner Bérard. The Marian celebration includes Rosary & Mass, Candlelight Procession, and Veneration. A petition box will be

available for your intentions and at the conclusion of the Tour, Father will celebrate a Mass for your intentions. Items from the Shrine will be available for sale. Donations will be gratefully accepted.

Reel Justice Film Festival

Join the Reel Justice Film Festival May 25th, from 7:00 PM - 9:00 PM for an exciting youth-led film screening featuring the 'Laudato Si' Movement film 'The Letter'. This documentary follows the journey of four individuals called by Pope Francis to lend their voices to the global conversation about the environmental crisis. Hailing from Senegal, the Amazon, India, and Hawai'i, these individuals brought perspective solutions from the poor, the indigenous, the youth, and wildlife into an unprecedented dialogue. The screening and discussion will be hosted online. R.S.V.P. and view our full schedule events

reeljusticefilmfestival.wordpress.com/ A partnership between the Bishop Farrell Library & Archives and Development and Peace, the Reel Justice Film Festival shines a spotlight on issues of social, political, and economic injustice.

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