

# 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 – 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

#### 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	
St. Michael School	
St. Benedict C.S.S.	

**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: margaretdowneyO621@gmail.com.

**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, August 28 <b>St. Augustine, Bishop, Doctor</b> (Memorial)	No Public Mass	Roger & Rosemary Fischer	Family
Tuesday, August 29 <b>The Passion of St. John the</b> <b>Baptist</b> (Memorial)	12:00 PM 12:15 PM	Sacrament of Reconciliation Intentions of Tony & Shirley Borges & Family Pearl Fler Fr. Michael Downey	Ilda Borges St. Clement's C.W.L. K. of C. – Council 4916
Wednesday, August 30	5:15 PM 5:30 PM	Sacrament of Reconciliation In Thanksgiving Josef & Helen Mordeczko	Parishioner Mordeczko Family
Thursday, August 31	7:45 AM 8:00 AM	Sacrament of Reconciliation Gord Steele Gail Campbell In Honour of St. Anthony	Pat Maton Charlotte Parishioner
Friday, September 1 World Day of Prayer for the Care of Creation	7:45 AM 8:00 AM	Sacrament of Reconciliation Francisca del Carmen Repose of Souls in Purgatory Mum & Dad Pearl Fler	Cora Cibinel Cora Cibinel George & Virginia Jenny Kuchma & Family
Saturday, September 2 <b>Blessed André Grasset</b> , Priest, Martyr (Optional Memorial) <b>Our Lady's Saturday</b> (Optional Memorial)	5:00 PM	Brendan Kelly Pearl Fler Gordon Steele Walter Power Gail Campbell Larry Goodyear	Jane, Mark & Family Cora Cibinel Paul & Mary Fraser & Family Paul & Mary Fraser & Family Betty Kreager Marj, Michelle & Brad, Lisa & Andy
Sunday, September 3 22nd Sunday In Ordinary Time	9:00 AM 11:00 AM	For the people of St. Clement Parish For the people of St. Clement Parish	

#### **Employment Opportunity**

Full-time Store Manager Needed Immediately for the St. Vincent de Paul Thrift Store in Galt! Do you have retail management experience and a sincere wish to serve the needy in our community? Some bookkeeping and computer software proficiency are preferred. Please email your questions and/or resume to: <u>bernie.legault215@gmail.com</u>



#### **CWL News**

The first CWL meeting of the 2023/2024 session will be held on **Tuesday, September 12th, at 7:00p.m.** (in the Church basement; enter through the Duke Street doors).

We look forward to welcoming back

our existing members and will be hosting a social time following the business portion of our meeting. We hope that all women of the Parish will mark the date and join us on the 12th. We have several exciting community giving initiatives planned for the upcoming session that we are eager to share with each of you.



We are pleased to welcome you back to this year's annual 40 days for life campaign. Sign up for vigil hours online: <u>www.40daysforlife.com/kitchener</u> email: <u>40daysKW@gmail.com</u> or call: 519-904-2620

#### **Grief Relief**

Has someone you cared about died? Are you grieving the loss of the person's presence in your life? Are you looking for relief from the feelings associated with the loss of this loved one? Are you wondering if your feelings are normal? You are not alone! The Diocese of Hamilton has grief programs to help. Find out more on the Diocesan website at https://hamiltondiocese.com/offices/family-ministry/grief-support, or call Teresa at 905-528-7988 ext. 2250. We have programs running in both Waterloo and Hamilton this fall.

#### **Diocese of Hamilton Prayer Calendar**

Monday	Rev. Jeffery Oehring
Tuesday	Rev. Patras Samuel Masih
	The Passion of St. John the Baptist
Wednesday	Our Parish Community
Thursday	Rev. Andrew Quarshie
Friday	St. Giles // World Day of Prayer for the
	Care of Creation
Saturday	Rev. Charles Jordan

#### St. Clement's Social Justice Committee Update

While we have no activities planned for the summer, there is lots going on. Check out our link on the St. Clement's web site page to find out more.

Here is a quick snapshot of what you will find:

*Movie*: Sound of Freedom, (Angel Studios) must see. Unfortunately, it is only in cinemas for limited time. While it is a disturbing topic (child sex trafficking), there is hope.

Synod: It is alive and well.

See the link to a good article in the National Catholic Reporter.

*Fall Webinar with Concerned Lay Catholics,* Saturday September 23rd at 2 p.m. on Zoom.

#### Synodality -

Ancient Traditions and New Ways of Proceeding with Dr. Catherine Clifford. Synodal Gathering at the University of Toronto, Oct. 4th, 4/23

#### Indigenous Culture and Healing -

Crow Shield Lodge has many activities in Kitchener and Cambridge. More on our website link!

#### The Virtue of Hope -

'Requires us to be more attentive to what is emerging than to what is disappearing. And to nurture the tiny seeds of that future already growing in the present' *Sean Byron CSSp* Come join our committee! We would love to have you!

#### **Diocesan Marian Days**

The Diocesan Marian Days continue on the first Saturday of the month (September 2 and October 7, 2023), at the Basilica of Our Lady Immaculate in Guelph. The day starts with Confessions at 9:00 a.m. followed by Holy Mass at 10:00 and a Rosary Procession at 11:00 a.m. Guided Tours of the Basilica are available during lunch from 12:00 to 1:00 p.m. Holy Hour and Marian Catechesis start at 1:00 p.m. followed by the closing Benediction at 2:00 p.m. All are invited to join! Please bring a lunch. Contact the Basilica for more information: (519) 824-3951.

#### Monthly Pro-Life Prayer Vigil

**Thursday, September 7,** from 10:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m. in front of Freeport Hospital (3570 King St. East, Kitchener). Parking is available across the road at Schneider Park. All are welcome to pray quietly for those who have no voice but ours.



#### The Society of St. Vincent de Paul 7th, Annual Feast Day Celebration

The Cambridge Particular Council invites you and your guest to join all the volunteers from the Cambridge Society of St. Vincent de Paul as we celebrate the Feast Day of St. Vincent de Paul on

Saturday, September 23. We begin with Mass at 5:00 p.m. followed by dinner at St. Mary of the Visitation Parish, 16 Cooper St., Cambridge.

### *If you are attending the dinner, please RSVP by Sept. 13 to Lisa at 519-501-0453.*

There is no charge to attend this event. We come together as a faith community for this 7th, celebration of St. Vincent de Paul's Feast Day! Let us deepen our Vincentian spirit of friendship!

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