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LORD'S DAY MASSES

Saturday at 4:30PM

Sunday at 9:30AM, 11:30AM & 4:30PM

WEEKDAY MASSES

Tuesday – 12:15 PM

Wednesday – 12:15 PM

Thursday – 12:15 PM

Friday – 12:15 PM

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Tuesday to Friday – 15 mins before each Weekday Mass

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. Contact the parish office for details.

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 Father Mark Morley at mmorley@hamiltondiocese.com

ANOINTING OF THE SICK – Offered by request. Please contact the parish office for more details.

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
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Deacon John Fioretti
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Mrs. Franki Baumtrog – Parish Secretary

Mrs. Dee Donahue – Bookkeeper

Mrs. Andrea Szrejber – Family & Children's Ministry
Coordinator

Mrs. Marilynn Franks, ARCT, RMT – Music Director
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Mr. Michael Taylor – Assistant Music Director

PARISH OFFICE HOURS:

Monday – Closed; Tuesday through Thursday, from 8:30 AM to 3:00 PM

Friday, from 8:30 AM to 12 PM

NEW PARISHIONERS

Welcome!

Parish registration forms may be picked up from the Parish Office during regular hours. Forms may be submitted through the collection basket or returned 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: margaretdowney0621@gmail.com.

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

25TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME – SEPTEMBER 22, 2024

Date	Time	Mass Intentions and Celebrations	Requested by
Monday, September 23 St. Pius of Pietrelcina, Priest (Memorial)	No Public Mass	Intentions of Tony, Shirley & Ilda Borges	Ilda Borges
Tuesday, September 24 Blessed Émilie Tavernier-Gamelin, Religious (OM)	12:00 PM 12:15 PM	Sacrament of Reconciliation Don Carr Larry Maligaya	Barb Carr Maribeth Maligaya
Wednesday, September 25 St. Cosmas & St. Damian, Martyrs (OM)	12:00 PM 12:15 PM	Sacrament of Reconciliation Repose of Souls in Purgatory In Honour of Padre Pio	Betty Lucia Santamaria
Thursday, September 26 St. John de Brébeuf & St. Isaac Jogues, Priests & Companions, Martyrs (Feast)	12:00 PM 12:15 PM	Sacrament of Reconciliation Louis Dozois Sr. Anne Wanner Intentions of Fr. Brendan McGrath	Pat Maton Connie Conlon Nicole Kozak
Friday, September 27 St. Vincent de Paul, Priest (Memorial)	11:45 AM 12:00 PM 12:15 PM	ADORATION Sacrament of Reconciliation Modesta Manderico Louis Dozois In Thanksgiving	The Kelly Family Bill & Margaret Villeneuve Dorothy
Saturday, September 28 St. Lawrence Ruiz & Companions, Martyrs (OM) St. Wenceslaus, Martyr (OM)	4:30 PM	Ralph Hibbs Maria Tavares, Manuel Tavares & Jacinto Pavao Gord Steele	Cathy Thompson & Family Antonio Tavares & Family Pat & Family
Sunday, September 29 26th Sunday in Ordinary Time	9:30 AM 11:30 AM 4:30 PM	For the people of St. Clement Parish For the people of St. Clement Parish For the people of St. Clement Parish	

9:30am – Sunday Mass with Schola Cantorum

Entrance Antiphon: Give peace, Lord, to those who wait for you and your prophets will proclaim you as you deserve. Hear prayers of your servant and of your people Israel.

Entrance: CBW III #387 – Christ is the King!

Psalm: I will walk before the Lord, in the land of the living.

Offertory Antiphon: Moses consecrated an altar to the Lord, offering upon it holocausts, and sacrificing victims. He made an evening sacrifice to the Lord God for an odor of sweetness, in the sight of the children of Israel.

Offertory: CBW III #353 – Take up your cross (tune: Breslau)

Mass Parts: CIS pages 83, 84, 88

Communion Antiphon: How precious is your mercy, O God! The children of men seek shelter in the shadow of your wings.

Communion: Refrain: Jesus remember me

Recessional: CBW III #435 – Lift high the Cross

Postlude: Let all things now living

11:30am – Sunday Mass with Celebration Choir

Organ Prelude: With peace in my Soul

Before Mass: Choir: Only this I want

Entrance: CIS P. 168 – Let us go to the Altar of God

Psalm: I will walk before the Lord, in the land of the living.

Offertory: CBW III #373 – Tree of Life

Communion: CBW III #365 – Jesus Lord

Recessional: CBW III #435 – Lift high the Cross

Postlude: Christ is the world's Redeemer

Diocese of Hamilton Prayer Calendar

Monday	Rev. Hayden Starczala
Tuesday	Rev. Gordian Okpuruka
Wednesday	Salecians of St. Don Bosco (SDB)
Thursday	Rev. Robert Héту
Friday	Very Rev. Ian Duffy; World Tourism Day
Saturday	Rev. Vernon Boyd, SJ

The 9:30am Chant Choir

Our "Schola Cantorum" are comprised of a mix of singers and cantors from all walks of life, with differing music-reading and vocal skill levels. ALL are invited – including beginners!! – to learn and share in this more traditional and beautiful music of the church. *Just like little rocks on a riverbed or seashore, our voices and "togetherness" develop over time until our voices and musicality become just as smooth as the smoothest pebbles on the beach!*

We will learn how to read original Gregorian Chant notation and see how it can effortlessly connect with current "Western" notation. We will pray together! We will sing together! We will unite in ministry and support and ENRICH our parish as one of the pillars of our community!

For more information, or if you would like to 'watch from afar' (and start first by receiving access to our music PDF's & guide tracs (MP3's) digital folder), please contact Michael Taylor at 905-299-5013 or michaelpiustaylor@gmail.com

Rehearsals are held weekly on Wednesdays at 6:30pm.

The 11:30am Celebration Choir

The adult choir will resume rehearsals on **Thursday, September 12th, (from 7pm to 8:30pm) in the choir loft.**

New members are always welcome, and rest assured our choir members are very welcoming to new singers.

The ability to read music is definitely an asset, but not necessary.

"Singing in a choir is cheaper than therapy, healthier than drinking, and more fun than working out!"

BEST OF ALL When you sing, you pray twice!!!!

For additional info, call Marilynn 519-653-3383 OR email: mfranks@rogers.com.

St. Clement Social Justice Group National Day of Truth and Reconciliation on Monday, September 30th.

We will begin with Mass at 5:30pm (centred on Reconciliation, Listening and Acceptance), followed by a simple meal.

Presentations will be made by Fr. Ed Hinsperger about his experiences in Nunavut and Attawapiskat as well as Peggy Leroux's North of 60 work. In our past events we have been blessed to have local Indigenous leaders share local stories.

This year we look beyond our doorstep; we look to our Indigenous neighbours North of 60. We invite you to come and hear stories from people who have lived with food cost, global warming and new challenges for children and residents of these northern communities. Join us as we continue together to learn on this important journey of Truth and Reconciliation.

Please register by September 27th by calling 519-242-8185

40 DAYS FOR LIFE. From September 25th to November 23rd, 2024, we invite

you to be part of the annual 40 Days for Life campaign, a powerful global movement to pray for the end of abortion. Over these 40 Days, you are encouraged to join us in Prayer and Fasting for an end to abortion, as well as attending a Peaceful Vigil outside of Freeport Hospital for an allocated hour between 7am- 7pm, seven days per week. **Your prayers can make a difference.** We encourage volunteers to consider **Adopting-an-Hour** a week, which is only 6 hours over the span of the campaign, and this would greatly help the campaign. It is vital to spread the message that human life is *sacred*, to provide hope to those in need, and have laws that protect innocent babies.

You can either sign up for prayer hours online at www.40daysforlife.com/kitchener or by emailing/calling Evy at 40DaysKW@gmail.com or 519-607-1550. It is important that you sign up **BEFORE** coming to the vigil site as this prevents one of the committee members from driving out to the site.

Cambridge Right to Life – Annual Walk for Life

CAMBRIDGE RIGHT TO LIFE 5KM WALK has taken place this month. Parishioners, Beth & Drew Black, have once again represented St. Clements Parish for the walk. Sponsor sheets are still on the bulletin boards. Your donation may be placed into the collection basket. Thank you for your support and for being generous!

CWL News

The next CWL meeting will be held on Tuesday, October 1st at 7:00pm (enter through the Duke Street doors). A representative from Camino Wellbeing/Monica Place will be joining us to speak about the impact of our May 2024 parish wide baby

shower. All ladies of the parish are invited to attend. We hope to see you there!

Our Monthly Parish Tithe – An Update



In the summer edition of The Anchor, was announced the six-month pilot project launched by Finance Council: A monthly parish tithe, by which 5% of envelope offerings would be donated to local charities.

Thank you for your generosity in July and August, from which \$1,275.62 was given in your name! Our first tithe was to Argus House in light of the many years it operated at 740 William Street. Our second gift, in September, was donated to Food4Kids Waterloo Region: A charity battling the childhood hunger crisis by delivering healthy food – and hope! Below is a map of the 94 schools they support. To learn more, please visit <https://food4kidswr.ca/child-hunger>

Children's Liturgy

Calling all kids! Join us on Oct 6 at the 11:30am Mass for our first children's liturgy of the school year as we dive into the Gospel. This program ensures an engaging, age-appropriate, and interactive experience of God's Word.



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