

BASILICA OF OUR LADY IMMACULATE

Parish Community



PARISH ESTABLISHED IN 1827

PARISH MISSION STATEMENT: *As the Eucharistic family of Our Lady Immaculate we believe in the life, death and resurrection of Jesus Christ. We foster a welcoming and active faith community by sharing our gifts of time, talent and treasure. We continue to grow in the Spirit loving and serving God and each other.*

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Father Ian Duffy, KHS, Rector
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 Deacon Carlos Diaz

Basilica Staff

Joe Finocchio, Business Manager
 Susan Potvin, Parish Secretary
 Brian Smith, Custodian

Music Ministry

Joe Carere, Organist & Choirmaster
 Julian Mason, Organ Scholar

Parish Office Hours:

Monday to Friday 9:00am - 12:00 noon
1:00pm - 4:30pm

St. Vincent de Paul Society: 519-731-2563

Elementary Schools:

Saint Michael School
 9 McElderry Road
 Principal: Brian Munaro.....519-823-2455
Saint Paul School
 182 Clairfields Drive East
 Principal: Sue Majer.....519-824-9470
Saint Ignatius of Loyola School
 251 Colonial Drive
 Principal: Michelle Nagy.....519-822-6192

Welcome to newcomers in the parish.

Registration forms are available at the office or on our website.

Hospital Registration:

Please be sure to indicate your religion and parish when entering the hospital.

Lord's Day Masses:

Saturday: 5:15 pm
Sunday: 9:00 am & 11:00 am

Weekday Liturgies:

See schedule inside

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament:

Wednesday 8:30 am to 12:00 noon
 First Fridays 9:30 am to 12:00 noon

Sick and Shut-in Ministry:

Contact the parish office if you would like someone to bring Communion or to visit/call you.

Bequests:

Please consider a bequest to the Church of Our Lady to maintain our parish as a Symbol of Faith for future generations.

Sacrament of Penance:

Saturday: 4:00 pm – 5:00 pm
 First Saturday of the Month: 8:00 am - 8:45am

Sacrament of Baptism:

Please contact the Parish Office at least two months prior to the proposed date of Baptism. Application forms are available on the website.

Sacrament of Marriage:

Please contact the Parish at least nine months before the proposed date of marriage.

Sacrament of Anointing: Available upon request.

Correspondence Course:

This program is available to assist parents in the religious education of their children. It is available from Kindergarten to High School.

Funeral and Burial Arrangements:

When a death occurs in your family, please advise the parish immediately and we will assist you in making liturgical arrangements. For information on Catholic burial please contact the Cemetery Office at 836-8814 or 1-800-661-5985. www.thecatholiccemeteries.ca

THIRTIETH SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME



MASSES OF THE WEEK

Monday, October 24 – Ferial - Weekday

8:30a.m. – *The Office of Lauds (Morning Prayer)*

9:00a.m. – *John Duffy, Mariette Kozicki, Antoinette Romeo, Maria Yescuek and Intentions for Kelly Strome*

Tuesday October 25 – Ferial - Weekday

8:30a.m. – *The Office of Lauds (Morning Prayer)*

9:00a.m. – *Christopher Sandrasagra, Pietro & Angelina Casalin*

Wednesday, October 26 – Ferial - Weekday

8:30a.m. – *The Office of Lauds (Morning Prayer)*

7:30a.m. – *Dominic Conversano and Intentions for Clara Jeong Seon Kim*

12:15p.m. – *George Fonte*

Thursday, October 27 – Ferial - Weekday

8:30a.m. – *The Office of Lauds (Morning Prayer)*

9:00a.m. – *Abbey Densmore, Luigi Pilosio*

Friday, October 28 – St. Simon & St. Jude, Apostles

8:30a.m. – *The Office of Lauds (Morning Prayer)*

9:00a.m. – *Benedict Sandrasagra*

Saturday, October 29 – Ferial - Weekday

4:00-5:00p.m. – *Confessions*

5:15p.m. – *Celestin, Bernice & Patrick Dupuis, Norman Smith, Abbey Densmore, Chester Owczarzak, Herb Beitz, Anton Semlok*

Sunday, October 30 – Thirty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time

9:00a.m., 11:00 a.m.

PARISH & OTHER NEWS

Regina Caeli Shrine Lamps

During the 31st Week of Ordinary Time, beginning on Sunday, October 30th, the lamps at the Regina Caeli Shrine burn in loving memory for Martinello & Hunt Families and for the Intentions of Gina Martinello & Family.

To request that one of the lamps be lit for your intentions, or in memory of a loved one, please call or visit the Parish Office. A donation of \$10.00 per lamp is requested.

Stewardship of Treasure

† Thank you for your gift of \$12,354.60 in support of your parish community in gratitude for God's blessing.

REST IN PEACE

† We offer our prayers and sympathy to all the families who have recently lost a loved one, Antonia Dona, Joanne Andrews, David Rendell. May they, and all our deceased loved one's rest in peace with the Lord.

Vocations

Can I risk sharing the goodness God has given me? Can I care for the needs of my brothers and sisters? Can I respond to God as a priest, deacon, brother or sister? If God is calling you contact Bishop Wayne Lobsinger, Director of Vocations and Priestly Formation, Diocese of Hamilton (905-528-7988).

Email: vocations@hamiltondiocese.com

Website: www.hamiltondiocese.com/vocations/

Catholic Young Adult Book Study Group

The Catholic book study group for young adults meets every other Wednesday in the Newstead Room at the Basilica of Our Lady. The next meeting will be on November 2, 2022. Young adults are welcome to join for a potluck dinner and discussion, starting at **6:00 pm**. Please RSVP by emailing, hannaruthcaruso@gmail.com.

Catholic Women's League 2022 Bazaar

The Catholic Women's League 2022 Bazaar Committee which to alert you that we will be hosting A Christmas Bazaar-Vendor Market Place on Saturday, November 19th and Sunday, November 20th, 2022. There will be a smaller tea-room, a Christmas Draw, Penny Table, CWL Bake Table, Pie Table, Wine and Beer Draws and multiple vendors to offer you a great Pre-Christmas shopping and parish community experience. We have invited smaller local business owners with a variety of wares for sale. There is even a chance that St. Nicholas (Santa) will make an appearance! We thank you as always for your anticipated support. If any small business owner would like to rent a vendor space, we welcome your inquiry, please email Loreena at loreena@rogers.com or Jakki at aflo@mgl.ca.

Pray the Rosary

Please join us after one or all of the weekday Masses. A group gathers in front of the Regina Caeli Shrine to pray the Rosary, followed by the Divine Mercy Chaplet. Join us and receive the many graces promised us by Mary, the Mother of God, and by Jesus to Saint Faustina. Daily Mass is at 9:00 am, with the exception of Wednesday, when Mass is at 7:30 am followed by the Exposition of the Holy Eucharist.

Lecture Series Holy Rosary 7:00 to 8:00 p.m.

All lectures are held at Holy Rosary Guelph Community Room.

October 26, 2022 - Marilyn Gostlin, Topic: "A Deepening of a Life of Prayer"

Prayer Service for Peace in Ukraine

Holy Rosary Catholic Women's League invites the Parish and Community to pray for peace in the world, especially in Ukraine, by attending the CWL prayer service at Holy Rosary Church on Sunday, October 30, 2022, at 3:00 pm. Father Andrij Figol, pastor of St. Mary's Ukrainian Church, Guelph will speak on **The Power of Prayer During Difficult Times**. A free-will offering will be collected to support St. Mary's fundraising efforts providing basic food, clothing, medical and shelter assistance to those in need in the Ukraine.

All Souls Day Mass at Marymount Cemetery

The Annual All Souls Day Mass at Marymount Cemetery in Guelph will take place in Our Lady Immaculate Mausoleum on Saturday, October 29, 2022 at 11:00 am. The principal celebrant will be Most Reverend Wayn Lobsinger, Auxiliary Bishop of Hamilton. All are welcome!

Save the Date – November 8, 2022 at 7:00 pm

The Office for Evangelization and Catechesis is delighted to welcome Mr. David Wells to speak to the Diocesan public on Tuesday, Nov. 8, 2022 at 7:00 pm at the Cathedral Basilica of Christ the King in Hamilton. Hailing from the United Kingdom, David is a world-renowned catechist, educator and minister that speaks from the heart with enthusiasm and great love for the Church. David will be sharing with us his wisdom on the Church as a place of radical hospitality in a post-pandemic world.

St. Joseph CWL Christmas Bazaar

Saturday, November 12, 2022 between 10:00 am and 2:00 pm. Come out, bring a friend and enjoy baked goods, attic treasures, silent auction, craft table, main draw tickets – cash prizes, Santa photos, touch and take gift table and a delicious hot lunch!

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.

Knights of Columbus

The Knights of Columbus will be having Breakfast after the 9:00 am and 11:00 am Masses on October 30, 2022 this is a free-will donation. Everyone is welcome.

Also, our Christmas cakes and cookies have arrived! We are looking to sell them at the 2-day Catholic Women's League Bazaar on November 19 and 20 and after Masses following the Bazaar.

St. Vincent de Paul

The St. Vincent de Paul Store on Elizabeth Street is extremely short on Winter wear, especially coats for children and youth. Please check your closets for outgrown clothing your family no longer needs and donate them to the store directly. Thank you parishioners for your assistance.

The Basilica's St. Vincent de Paul team wishes to thank all parishioners who donated to the recent warm sock collection for the Stepping Stone emergency shelter. Through your goodness we collected and delivered to the city's shelter for the homeless 400+ pairs of brand-new socks. **THANK YOU** for your generosity and continued support.

Basilica of Our Lady Upcoming Concerts

Sunday, October 30, 2022 at 3:00 pm

You are invited for a gentle hour of music performed by award-winning harpist Gianetta Baril as her epic "Harp to Heart" journey brings her to Guelph. Admission – free-will donations will be gratefully received to help cover Gianetta's cost on the road.

Friday, November 11, 2022 at 7:30 pm

The Edison Singers Fauré & Duruflé Regular \$45, Students \$25. Filled with rich, soulful melodies, Gabriel Fauré's seven-part Requiem is one of the most moving works in the choral canon. Concerts are dedicated to the people of the Ukraine.

Pre-Authorized Payments

Forms are available on our website; www.basilicaofourlady.com under Resources or drop by the Parish Office and pick up a form. We would like to eliminate the use of most of the envelopes in the Parish.

Baptism of Children

Please go to our website, www.basilicaofourlady.com select Resources and then fill in the Baptism Registration form, the office will contact you a few days later by email with a date.

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