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**SATURDAY MASS**

5:00 pm

**SUNDAY MASSES**

8:30 am  
10:15 am - Children's Liturgy  
12 noon

**WEEKDAY MASSES**

Monday - No Mass  
Tuesday to Friday - 8:00 am  
Wednesday and Friday - 7:00 pm  
Saturday morning - 9:00 am

**ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT**

Every Wednesday 8:30am to 11:00am

**CONFESSION TIMES**

Saturday 11:00 am to 12 noon or by appointment.

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**PARISH MINISTRY**

There are many groups and activities in our Parish. We hope you can join one. Visit our website to find out more. Get Involved!  
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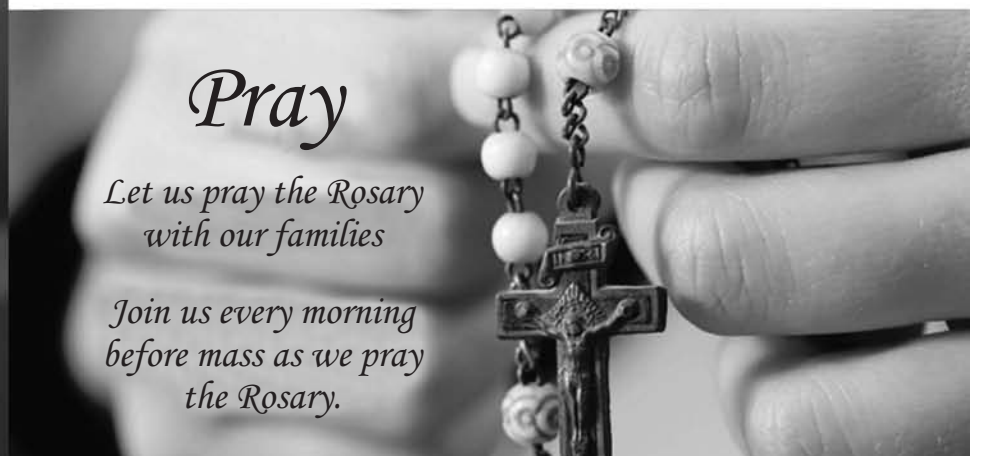
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Saint Joseph was a just man, a tireless worker, the upright guardian of those entrusted to his care. May he always guard, protect and enlighten families.

- ST JP II



*Pray*

*Let us pray the Rosary with our families*

*Join us every morning before mass as we pray the Rosary.*

# Mass Intentions FOR THE WEEK



## TUESDAY, May 14<sup>th</sup> – St Matthias

8:00am Intentions of Jurek Gadzinski  
+ Ted and Helen Christie  
+ Eric Smith  
All Souls

## WEDNESDAY, May 15<sup>th</sup>

8:00am + Jeanne D'Arc Truong Thi Sen  
8:30-11:00am Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament  
7:00pm Intentions of Nguyen Family  
+ Rueben Tamarra  
+ Marcello Montin  
+ Dave Ireland  
+ John Gusman

## THURSDAY, May 16<sup>th</sup>

8:00am + Brigitta Tam Tran

## FRIDAY, May 17<sup>th</sup>

8:00am Intentions of Joseph Jude Keon Nguyen  
7:00pm + Solita Lopez

## SATURDAY, May 18<sup>th</sup>

9:00am + Ettore D'Antonio  
5:00pm + Brigitte Tam Tran

## SUNDAY, May 19<sup>th</sup> – Pentecost Sunday

8:30am All Parishioners  
10:15am Intentions of Tran Family  
12noon Intentions of Rinu, Rinoy, Andrew and Anitta



*May God's peace be with those who have recently died, AND those being persecuted for their faith & race, and those killed in natural disasters & their families. Please remember our parishioners who are sick and homebound and those in our Prayer Network in your prayers.*

## Ascension of the Lord - May 12, 2024

Before the Ascension, Jesus tells His Apostles not to leave Jerusalem - to wait - to pray for the Holy Spirit to show them God's will for their future. Where is the Holy Spirit leading you? If you feel that you are being led to be a priest, religious, or permanent deacon, call **Fr. Mark Morley, Director of Vocations, Diocese of Hamilton** at 905-528-7988 or email [vocations@hamiltondiocese.com](mailto:vocations@hamiltondiocese.com)

## SANCTUARY CANDLES

Week of May 12, 2024

**Candle #1** – INTS of YOLE OSTETTO

**Candle #2** – + ANTHONY TRAN

Please use the envelopes provided or one of your own to request intentions for the Sanctuary Lamps, which are lit at the tabernacle. The requested offering is \$10 each. You may place the envelope in the collection or drop it in the Parish Office.



## COLLECTIONS FOR THE PAST WEEK

Sunday Offering May 4/5	\$3,552.00
Loose Collection	\$1,173.60
Pope Pastoral	\$806.00
Building Fund	\$1,353.00

Thank you for your contribution and God Bless!

If you would like a receipt for your contribution, we need your name & full address. If you would like envelopes or to sign up for Pre-Authorized Donations, please call the Parish Office at 519-822-4614.



## SUNDAY REFLECTION



When we were children, we were happy and felt safe when we believed that our loved ones were protecting us, especially if our sense of security had not been shaken previously. Jesus promises that if we believe and are baptized, we will be saved. Through the Holy Spirit, we will be able to do great things: we will have an unshaken sense of security. When we experience hardship, our faith can be tested. Does this mean that our faith is not deep enough? We know what Jesus promised: and yet we doubt, sometimes even despair. Is the Holy Spirit in our hearts? Do we seek his guidance? Do we reach out to God to deepen our faith through Scripture and daily prayer? This will fortify us, helping us to see the workings of the Holy Spirit and maintaining our faith and the sense of security that we had as children. Hardship is inevitable, but through prayer we gain wisdom and understanding.

On Ascension Sunday, let us pray for the Holy Spirit to guide us on our journey. May God reveal to us the gift of wisdom and revelation of which Paul writes in the second reading. Praise God with great joy and share the good news – Jesus, through his death, resurrection and ascension, is still with us. God is Good! *Excerpt from Living with Christ.*





**ST. JOSEPH PARISH PASTA DINNER**

Join us for our annual Pasta Dinner that will take place on **Sunday, June 23 at 5:00pm at Italian Canadian Club of Guelph (135 Ferguson St, Guelph)**. Doors open at 4:30pm with dinner being served at 5:00pm Parish family and friends are invited to this annual dinner of pasta, sausage, salad, and dessert. Refreshments will be available as well. **There will be a cash bar for those who would like a glass of wine with their dinner.** Tickets are \$35.00 each. Kids aged 6 to 12yrs \$15 and kids under 5yrs free. Tickets will be available for purchase at the Parish Office.

**BACK AGAIN – LET’S GO TORONTO BLUE JAYS!**

St Joseph Parish is once again offering a trip to see the Toronto Blue Jays in action on **Saturday July 27<sup>th</sup> vs Texas Rangers**. Tickets are \$110 which included bus transportation to and from the church parking lot. **Bus will be leaving church parking lot at 11:45am.** For more information or to purchase tickets please contact Brian Brady at 519-836-0993 or Marti Valeriote at 519-836-6093 or Pat Grosicki at 519-821-4104 the Parish Office. Come and enjoy a day of fun with fellow parishioners and friends of St Joseph Parish.



**CATHOLIC WOMEN’S LEAGUE UPCOMING EVENT:**

**May 14-** Prayer chaplet making workshop led by Kristin McCarthy Designs after 7pm MASS. Make your own personal prayer chaplet in honour of Our Lady of Good Counsel. \$12 each to cover cost of materials. Please call Marie Thorne 519-780-1152 or email to [mariecwlstjosephguelph@gmail.com](mailto:mariecwlstjosephguelph@gmail.com) by **MAY 13** to ensure we have enough chaplet kits for everyone. Our wonderful Italian ladies will be providing their delicious homemade pizza for our social time afterwards.

**MICHAEL HOUSE BABY BOTTLE CAMPAIGN**

Don’t forget to pick up your baby bottle today for the Michael House Baby Bottle Campaign. Fill your bottle with coin, cheques or bills and support the life-changing programs at Michael House Pregnancy Care Centre. Bottles will be collected on **Father’s Day, June 16th**. Michael House is a charitable agency located in Guelph, dedicated to providing shelter and support to pregnant and parenting young women.



**MARYMOUNT CEMETERY SPRING MEMORIAL MASS**

The Spring Memorial Mass at Marymount Cemetery will take place on **Saturday, May 25, at 11:00am**. All are welcome!

**Eucharistic Procession 2024 Planning Team**

We are having the following planning meetings in anticipation of a **May 30th Eucharistic Procession**; meetings are in the Newstead Room, at the Basilica of Our Lady Immaculate, for those interested in being part of the planning committee: **May 14<sup>th</sup> at 7pm**.

**WALKING PILGRIMAGE TO MIDLAND: AUG 3-10**

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**VOCATIONS RECOGNITION DINNER 2024**

The Serra Club of Hamilton invites you to gather on Wednesday, May 15, 2024 at Liuna Station to celebrate the service of our Priests, Religious Brothers and Sisters, Consecrated Virgins Living in the World and Permanent Deacons. Tickets: \$90pp. Contact: [serrahamilton1965@gmail.com](mailto:serrahamilton1965@gmail.com) for more details.

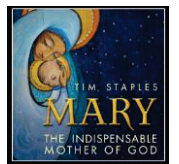
**YOUNG ADULTS’ NIGHT**

**SATURDAY, JUNE 1ST - STONEY CREEK**

Fr. Mark Morley invites all young adults (ages 20s and 30s) of our diocese to attend an evening of prayer, fellowship and praise music in support of your vocations. The Young Adults Night includes a Holy Hour (6:30pm-7:30 pm), social with food (7:30pm-8:00pm), praise night with vocations testimony (8:00pm-9:00pm), and Compline (9:00pm) on Saturday, June 1st at Immaculate Heart of Mary Church (934 Highway #8, Stoney Creek, Ontario). Sponsored by the Vocations Office of the Diocese of Hamilton: <https://hamiltondiocese.com/vocations/> For more information, please contact: [vocations@hamiltondiocese.com](mailto:vocations@hamiltondiocese.com)

**WATCH ON FORMED**

In this Lighthouse Talk, Tim Staples explains the incredible impact that the Church’s understanding of Mary has on our spiritual lives, and the profound way that Marian doctrines and dogmas safeguard what we believe about her Son. Using penetrating insights and humor, Tim shows how correct knowledge of our humble Mother reveals our own identity in Christ and empowers us to say "Yes" to God! [Click here to watch](#)



Lukas comes out of the water to live an incredible adventure along with Sophie. Together, in a world full of music, colors and fun, they’ll explore the most interesting questions and topics about our faith. **This Episode:** One of the most precious gifts that Jesus gave us was His own mother! Let’s learn a lot about Mary! [Click here to watch](#)

**THE FINE ART OF BEING HAPPILY MARRIED**

In his poem, The Art of Marriage, Wilfred A. Peterson writes, “A good marriage must be created” and creating something requires time and attention. We invite you to take the time, with your spouse, to find new and creative ways to increase your connection with each other, to discover fresh techniques for being in relationship and to deepen the love you already share. Join us on Saturday, June 1<sup>st</sup> from 9:30 – 3:00 pm at St. Catherine of Siena Parish in Hamilton. Cost is \$50 per couple and includes lunch. To register on the website, go to <https://hamiltondiocese.com/> and look under Upcoming Events, or contact Sarah at 905-528-7988 ext. 2249.



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