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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!
www.stjosephguelph.com/ministries

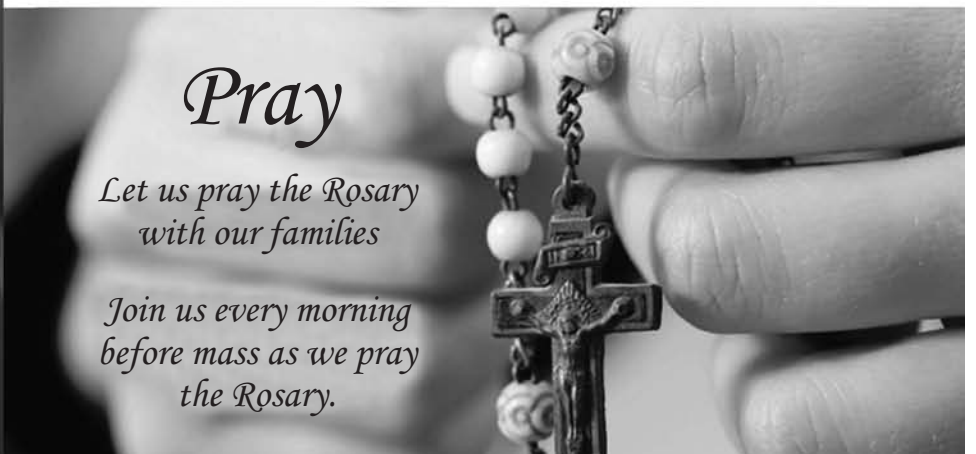
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Reverend Jeff Bergsma, Pastor
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Saint Joseph was a just man, a tireless worker, the upright guardian of those entrusted to his care. May he always guard, protect and enlighten families.

- 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, October 17th

8:00am + Roseann Dean
 + Marites Fidelino
 + Moira O'Donoghue
 Intentions of Necita
 Intentions of Jesse Gomez

WEDNESDAY, October 18th

8:00am + Brigitta Tam Tran
 8:30-11:00am Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament
 7:00pm + Sr Giovanni Finoro
 + Cyria and Gerry Moreino
 + Rita Da Maren
 Intentions of Gina Monico
 Intentions of All Families

THURSDAY, October 19th

8:00am + Sally Brady-McCarthy

FRIDAY, October 20th

8:00am + Fr Dominico Thieu Nguyen Vu
 7:00pm Intentions of Stanley and Cathy Kosior

SATURDAY, October 21st

9:00am + Mary-Jane Warner
 5:00pm + Peter Lefneski

SUNDAY, October 22nd

8:30am + Enrico, Nicoletta and Rick Finoro
 10:15am + Lidia and Italo Moroni
 12:00noon Intentions of Ireland Family



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.

Twenty-eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time - October 15, 2023

How has Jesus touched you and made you whole? Ask Him how He would like you to respond. Could Jesus be calling you to follow Him as a priest, deacon, brother or sister, or consecrated virgin? If God is calling you, contact Fr. Mark Morley, Director of Vocations, Diocese of Hamilton at 905-528-7988.

Email: vocations@hamiltondiocese.com
www.hamiltondiocese.com/vocations/

SANCTUARY CANDLES

Week of October 15, 2023

Candle #1 – INTS of NECITA ESTORCO

Candle #2 – INTS of NANCY LITWAK

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 Envelope Offering Oct 7/8 **\$5,246.90**
 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.

ST JOSEPH CHILDREN'S CHOIR

Do you like to sing? Children and Youth from Grades 2 to 12 are invited to join our new St. Joseph Parish Children's Choir which will sing at the 10:15am Mass on the first Sunday of every month during the school year. We will also sing on Christmas Eve! Our first Sunday Mass will be on November 5th with two practices on Thursday, October 19th and Thursday, November 2nd from 6 - 6:45 p.m. in the church. Information Handouts are available at the back of the church or on our parish website. Please contact Mrs. Gooyers via email at jaimelynn.gooyers@wellingtoncdsb.ca for more information or just show up to the first practice!



FORMED PRESENTS:

ETERNAL REST – The Art of Dying Well

Eternal Rest explores the mystery of death, the afterlife and the powerful reality around the sacrament that ushers us into eternal life. Furthermore, the art of dying well is also the art of living well. By understanding who we are and what we are made for, we can order our lives and values according to God's design for our true fulfillment. Join us to watch this series and experience the art of living well: St Joseph Parish Hall, October 19, 26 and November 2 at 7pm. Please contact Tracy at the parish office to register. Study books will be provided.



CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE -UPCOMING EVENTS

November is CWL Membership Drive Month. Dues are \$35.00 for the year and may be placed into the collection at Mass, paid at our Meeting or dropped off at the Parish Office. All Ladies in our Parish are invited to join us at a meeting to explore future membership.

SAVE THE DATE - The Annual CWL Christmas Bazaar will take place on Saturday, November 11, 2023 from 10:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m. in the Church Hall.

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CWL Christmas Bazaar tickets can be purchased at the Parish Office or by contacting Wendy Synnott @ 519-222-2848 or Helen Synnott 519-821-1782.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS – FAMILY BINGO

Come out and join the Knights of Columbus sponsored Fun Family Bingo nights - **Saturday October 21, 2023** in the parish hall. Doors open at 6pm. Bingo starts and doors close at 6:30pm, so arrive early to save your spot! Please bring your own snacks, drinks, bingo dabbers, tape and markers. Entrance fee is \$2.00 (to cover expenses). Bring your family and friends for a fun evening!

Adult and Youth LIFE IN THE SPIRIT SEMINAR

Sponsored by: BLD-GVO St. Joseph Guelph DIP

Starting **October 6th to November 5th, 2023 on FRIDAY's** (October 6th at 7:00 p.m., other Fridays @ 8:00 p.m.) for those 14-18yrs (youth) and 18-and older (adults). **LSS Proper Weekend: November 3rd to 5th, 2023 at St. Peter School, 150 Westwood Road, Guelph. It will be held at St Joseph Church Hall. FREE OF CHARGE.** If you know of anyone interested and who would benefit from this seminar or need further information and/or, to register, please call or e-mail: Siby and Felicita Verghese: 519-835-6571 or (uluthuva@gmail.com); Ed and Susan Reyes: 519-821-7555 or (sl.reyes@hotmail.com); St. Joseph Rectory: 519-822-4614 (Tracy) or (stjosephguelph@rogers.com).

ALL SOULS DAY MASS – MARYMOUNT CEMETERY

The annual All Souls Day Mass at Marymount Cemetery will take place on **Saturday October 28 at 11:00am**. The principal celebrant will be Most Reverend Douglas Crosby, OMI, Bishop of Hamilton. Refreshments will be served after Mass. All are welcome!

MEN'S DISCERNMENT GROUP

If you would like to explore the possibility of becoming a Catholic priest, please join me, Father Mark Morley, and other men who are discerning their vocation, by attending our diocesan Men's Discernment Group. Our first meeting for the Fall will be held on **Friday, October 20th at 7:00pm at St. Michael Church, 80 University Ave W, Waterloo, ON**. We will gather in the hall. Please use the side doors at the front of the church. If you would like to attend, or have any questions, please contact me: <https://hamiltondiocese.com/vocations/>

MEDITATIONS – HENRI NOUWEN SOCIETY –

God's First Love

Knowing God's heart means consistently, radically, and very concretely to announce and reveal that God is love and only love, and that every time fear, isolation, or despair begin to invade the human soul this is not something that comes from God. This sounds very simple and maybe even trite, but very few people know that they are loved without any conditions or limits.

This unconditional and unlimited love is what the evangelist John calls God's first love. "Let us love," he says, "because God loved us first" (1 John 4:19). The love that often leaves us doubtful, frustrated, angry, and resentful is the second love, that is to say, the affirmation, affection, sympathy, encouragement, and support we receive from our parents, teachers, spouses, and friends. We all know how limited, broken, and very fragile that love is. Behind the many expressions of this second love there is always the chance of rejection, withdrawal, punishment, blackmail, violence, and even hatred. . .



The radical good news is that the second love is only a broken reflection of the first love and that the first love is offered to us by a God in whom there are no shadows. Jesus' heart is the incarnation of the shadow-free first love of God. **Every good and perfect gift is from above, coming down from the Father of the heavenly lights, who does not change like shifting shadows.** JAMES 1:17 (NIV)

GUELPH SPIRITAN GROUP – HEALING MASS

The Spiritan Group celebrates a Healing Mass at Sacred Heart, Guelph on **Wednesday, October 25th** starting with the Rosary at 6:15pm followed by Mass at 7pm celebrated by Father Brian Quigley. All are welcome to attend.

Affordable Housing Crisis in Guelph

Every day, we hear about the lack of housing in our community. The St. Vincent de Paul Social Justice Committee is looking at how we can assist in increasing the amount of affordable housing in our community for those in need. Interested in learning more? Please contact St. Vincent de Paul by leaving a message at 519-836-6806 and register for the information night being held Thursday, October 19, 2023 at Basilica of Our Lady at 7pm.

MARRIAGE SUPPORT

Your marriage doesn't have to feel like it is more trouble than joy, that it feels stagnant or disconnected and/or that it is causing you constant stress. The solution is Retrouvaille - a program for married couples facing difficult challenges in their relationship. Retrouvaille has one purpose: to help couples restore their marriage and rebuild a loving relationship. This is a practical program, where sharing is not required except between the couple themselves, designed to improve communication, build stronger marriages, and help couples reconnect. It also works well for couples who may be considering separation or divorce. The next Retrouvaille weekend is Oct. 20-22. For more information call 905-664-5212 or email teamrecine@gmail.com.

YOUNG ADULTS' NIGHTS

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, November 4th** at Saint Pius X Church (9 Waverly Street, Brantford). Sponsored by the Vocations Office of the Diocese of Hamilton. For more information, please contact: vocations@hamiltondiocese.com

SEPARATED / DIVORCED SUPPORT GROUP WATERLOO

Life changes are never easy. After a separation or divorce, you may be feeling isolated or need of support and healing to adjust to your new life? Come together with others to realize there is a 'second act'. Join us on the 3rd Tuesday of every month - 7:30-8:30 pm - October 17, November 21, and December 19, 2023. We will meet in the Parish Centre (basement) of St. Michael Church, 80 University Avenue West, Waterloo at 7:30pm. To register: Phone 519-884-9311, or Email: parish@stmichaelw.ca

"Be who you were created to be, and you will set the world on fire." St Catherine of Siena



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