



St. Joseph Catholic Parish

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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 - 7:30 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 4:00pm to 4:30pm or by
appointment.

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

PARISH STAFF

Reverend Lourdu Subramani, Pastor
Tracy Bolzon, Office Administrator
Zofia Gadzinska, Bookkeeper



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.*





TUESDAY, September 30th – St Jerome

7:30am + Peter Phung Tran
 + Debbie Forester
 + Anna Marie LaFontaine
 + Valya Ogunsona

WEDNESDAY, October 1st – St Therese of the Child Jesus

7:30am + Joseph Trinh Dinh
 8:00am to 9:00am Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament
 7:00pm Intentions of Tran Family
 Intentions of Frank and Lovenia Kennedy
 + Benny Monico
 + Norberto Bulaong
 + Agnes Verna Cameron
 + Ida Fogal

THURSDAY, October 2nd – The Holy Guardian Angels

7:30am + Isagani Banez

FRIDAY, October 3rd

7:30am Intentions of Theresa Tran
 7:00pm - Healing Mass
 + George Beitz
 7:30pm Divine Mercy Prayer

SATURDAY, October 4th – St Francis of Assisi

9:00am + Erminia Lacivita
 5:00pm + Thadeau Nghiem Nguyen and
 Peter Thinh Vu

SUNDAY, October 5th

8:30am + Sid Reitsma
 10:15am + Sidonio Marchiori
 12noon All Parishioners



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-sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time - September 28, 2025

But if only someone would go to them. Pray for those who are called to 'run the race' as priests, deacons, brothers or sisters. If God is calling you contact Fr. Mark Morley, Director of Vocations, Diocese of Hamilton at 905-528-7988 or email vocations@hamiltondiocese.com.

SANCTUARY CANDLES

Week of September 28, 2025

Candle #1 – INTS of MARILOU ROBLES

Candle #2 – + NILO and IDA FOGAL

Please use the envelopes provided 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 September 20/21 \$4,256.00

Loose Collection \$1,320.26

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.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED –

BAPTISMAL PREPARATION TEAM

To provide instruction and hospitality to parent(s) for the baptism of their children including the godparents. Responsibilities of volunteers are as follows:

- To meet with parent(s) one Sunday afternoon to conduct Prep Session in the parish hall
- To provide audio presentations or other materials required
- To provide assistance, answer questions, lead discussion, describe process, and tour church
- To help Pastor on the day of Baptism

If you are interested in joining the current team please contact Tracy at the Parish office at 519-822-4614 or email: stjosephguelph@rogers.com

ST JOSEPH CHILDREN'S CHOIR

Do you like to sing? Children and Youth from Grades 2 to 12 are invited to join our 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. Our first Sunday Mass will be on October 5th with two practices on Tuesday September 23 and Tuesday September 30 from 6 to 6:30. in the church. Please contact Mrs. Gooyers via email at jaimelynn.gooyers@wellingtoncdsb.ca for more information or just show up to the first practice!



KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS - FUN FAMILY BINGO!

Each Saturday Evening of: October 4th, 2025 November 1st, 2025 December 6th, 2025. St Joseph's Parish Hall. Doors open at 6pm; Bingo starts and doors close at 6:30pm. Please bring: your own snacks, drinks, Bingo dabbers & pen. Entrance Fee: \$ 3.00 Children \$5.00 Adults This is a no cash prize Bingo. 6 cards per person. Please arrive early! SO, BRING YOUR FAMILY AND FRIENDS AND JOIN US FOR AN EVENING OF FUN!

DIOCESAN VOCATIONS MONTH - October 2025

Bishop Crosby has designated October as Diocesan Vocations Month. Each Sunday your parish will pray for vocations during Mass. You are also asked to pray for vocations throughout the month. If you know someone you think should consider a particular vocation, such as marriage, priesthood, consecrated life (religious life or consecrated virginity lived in the world) or the permanent diaconate, be sure to tell that person. For more information about praying for vocations, visit: <https://hamiltondiocese.com/vocations/pray-for-vocations/>. Mary, Mother of Vocations, pray for us!

CWL Civic Evening of Spirituality - Tues. Oct. 14

Our Basilica CWL will be hosting the Civic Evening of Spirituality for all of our neighbouring leagues here in Guelph. Holy Mass will be offered at 5pm followed by a catered supper from Valeriot Market, and then well-known speaker Deacon Richard Olsen will present to us. Tickets are \$25. and can be picked up at the church office or reserved by e-transfer at treasurer@cwlguelphbasilica@gmail.com. All CWL ladies are invited as well as those interested in our league. Please promote this event and get your tickets soon!

MARTYR SHRINE - SMALL RELIQUARY

Saturday November 1st, 9am to 3pm: Join us as we welcome Fr Bert Foliot a Jesuit priest from the Martyr Shrine. He was ordained 52 years ago, been a pastor of numerous parishes in Toronto and Winnipeg. He has also done ministry among Indigenous Peoples for 25 years. He served as the rector of Regis College in Toronto and was the director of the Jesuit Infirmary in Pickering, Ontario. He was a superior of Jesuit Communities for 45 years. Presently, he is a member of the Jesuit staff at Martyrs Shrine and is pastor for the Beausoleil First Nation on Christian Island. For 7 years he walked from Guelph to Midland, Ontario with the Guelph Walking Pilgrimage. This all-day talk will be about the Shrine's 100 years and a 400-year story of love and discovery with St. Jean de Brébeuf and his companions. The day begins with Mass at 9am with blessings from the relics, discussion on the Martyrs and a synodal spiritual discussion after. Lunch is provided. **No cost to attend. Good will offering accepted. RSVP required at the Parish Office by Tuesday, October 28th.**



Young Adults Night - Saturday, October 4th - Guelph

October is Diocesan Vocations Month. 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, October 4th at the Basilica of Our Lady Immaculate (28 Norfolk Street, Guelph). Sponsored by the Vocations Office of the Diocese of Hamilton: <https://hamiltondiocese.com/vocations/> For more information, please contact: vocations@hamiltondiocese.com



CARMELITE NUNS – ST AGATHA MASS & RECEPTION

The Committee for the Carmelite Nuns invite you to attend a special Mass celebrated by Rev Raphael Ma, CR at Holy Family Croatian Roman Catholic Church (180 Schweitzer St. Kitchener) on **Monday October 27th, 2025 at 5pm**, followed by a sit-down dinner in the

reception hall. Meal for 2 is a minimum donation of \$250 (eligible for a full tax receipt) can be mailed to Carmel of St Joseph – 1127 Carmel-Koch Rd, RR1 St. Agatha, ON N0B 2L0 or 'Donate Now' at www.thecarmel.ca. **Please include names of attendees. RSVP required by October 10th.** For more information, please contact Liz Motz at 519-590-4808.

GUELPH RIGHT TO LIFE -LIFE CHAIN

Sunday, October 5, 2025

Mark your calendars! Life Chain will take place on Sunday, October 5th, 2025. Join with people across Canada for one hour of pro-life prayer and witness. [Life Chain](#) will take place at the following times and locations within Wellington County:
Guelph - 2- 3 pm: Stone Rd at Edinburgh Rd S
Elora - 3 - 4 pm: Colborne St at Geddes St (MacDonald Square)
Fergus - 4 - 5 pm: Hwy 6/Tower St at Belsyde Ave
*Please note: There will not be a Rockwood location this year. Signs will be provided. Registration is not required but is appreciated! To let us know you will be joining at a location listed above, please [contact the Guelph & Area Right to Life office.](#)

GUELPH RIGHT TO LIFE – FUNDRAISER

Guelph Storm Fundraiser – Tickets Available! Support Guelph and Area Right to Life by purchasing a voucher to attend a Guelph Storm game at the Sleeman Centre. Tickets are \$20.00 each and valid for one of the following games:

- Oct. 3 – Guelph vs. Saginaw
- Oct. 10 – Guelph vs. North Bay
- Oct. 17 – Guelph vs. Owen Sound
- Oct. 24 – Guelph vs. Kingston

Each voucher includes a unique code and instructions to claim your seat online. Redeem early for the best seats! To purchase, email info@guelphforlife.com with your preferred date(s) and quantity.



GIVE THE GIFT OF GIVING

We rely entirely on donations from our parishioners to help us fulfill our mission of providing a spiritual home where people can come to worship God, receive the Sacraments, and learn about His teachings. Leaving a gift to the Church is a profound way to return to the Lord a share of the blessings you received during your life. A bequest to the Church helps accomplish the mission entrusted to us by Christ. As the Church was there for you in your lifetime, you can now provide for your Church's future ministry to others. THANK YOU for considering to make a donation to our Parish.

4 WAYS TO GIVE TO ST JOSEPH PARISH

1. **ONLINE DONATION:** make a donation by going to <https://www.canadahelps.org/en/dn/12980>
2. **PRE-AUTHORIZATION:** this allows you to set up weekly or monthly donations to the parish. If you are interested in donating this way, please contact the Parish Office for more details
3. **BEQUEST:** A bequest in your Will to our Church is an acknowledgment of your returning to God a portion of the gifts He has bestowed on you during your lifetime.
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