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Food Pantry	2

PHONE EXT.

WEEKEND MASSES

Saturday, 5:00pm
Sunday, 7:00am, 9:00am & 11:00am

ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS

Holy Rosary	519-824-5620
St. Patrick	519-822-0200

ADORATION

Thursdays 9:30am – 10:30am
& FIRST FRIDAYS OF THE MONTH: 9:30am-10:30am

CONFESSION

Saturdays at 4:00pm — 4:45pm

PASTORAL CARE TEAMS

I. Communion to the Sick	Contact Parish
II. Visitation to the Sick	Contact Parish
III. Bereavement	Contact Parish

DAILY MASSES

Monday - Friday 9:00am

PRAYER GROUP

Family Rosary every Wednesday of the month at 6:00pm
(also during Lent & Advent Seasons)

SCHOOL MASSES

— Will be Announced

SACRAMENTS

Marriage — Contact Parish **1 Year to proposed date**
Baptism — Contact Parish
Anointing of the Sick — Contact Parish

Catechesis of the Good Shepherd - Children's Faith Formation
Rooted in principles of Montessori education, children engage in the Word of God, the liturgy /sacraments using hands-on materials & through discussion, song, art work and celebrations.
Weekly classes Sept.-May Level 1, 3-6 yrs. Level 2, 6-10 yrs.
To register: www.holyrosaryguelph.ca
Ministries / Religious Education or contact the parish office at holyrosaryguelph@hamiltondiocese.com

NATIONAL/INTERNATIONAL PARISH MINISTRIES

- Canadian Jesuits International
- Missions Possible
- Jamaica
- Wikwemikong & M'Chigeeng First Nations
- Chalice (Sponsoring Orphans, Relief & Development)
- Development & Peace (Caritas Canada)
- R.C.I.A. (For Adults wanting to become Catholic)
- Spiritan Missions

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EMAIL: holyrosaryguelph@hamiltondiocese.com **WEBSITE:** holyrosaryguelph.ca

OFFICE HOURS: Monday — Friday: 8:30am—4:30pm, Closed: 12-1pm, Summer Hours: 8:30am-3:30pm

MARYMOUNT CATHOLIC CEMETERY: 5400 Sideroad 6 S, Guelph, ON N1H 6J2

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Mass Intentions: April 12th – April 20th

SATURDAY April 12th
 5pm †Ted Bachusky †Gino De Bartolo

SUNDAY April 13th Palm Sunday
 7am Living & Deceased of the Parish
 9am Living & Deceased of the Parish
 11am †Angela Zamprogna †Anita Fraser

MONDAY April 14th
 9am †Mike Ferringio

TUESDAY April 15th
 9am †Lisa Crouse †Silvana Belsito

WEDNESDAY April 16th
 9am †Marilisa Pigozzo
 †Luigi & Kathy Bonoldo
 †Keegan Fraser & Wyatt Eston
 Parishioner's Special Int.
 Mass at the Elliott

10am

THURSDAY April 17th Holy Thursday
 12-2pm Confessions
 7pm Mass of the Lord's Supper (Living & Dec.)

FRIDAY April 18th Good Friday
 12pm Passion of the Lord
 3pm Passion of the Lord
 7pm Stations of the Cross (Fr. Boyd)

SATURDAY April 19th Holy Saturday
 8pm Easter Vigil Resurrection of the Lord (Living & Dec)

SUNDAY April 20th Easter Sunday
 7am Living & Deceased of the Parish
 9am Living & Deceased of the Parish
 11 am †Michael Vadori †Wilfred Flemming
 Parishioner's Special Int.

Weekday Altar Server & Reader April 14th – 16th

Weekday Server: Elizabeth Crha/Jobi Joseph
 Weekday Reader:

Holy Rosary Bus Pilgrimage Wednesday, May 7th, 2025

The Diocese has assigned five Churches for the faithful to make a pilgrimage in this Holy Year. The Churches are in Formosa, Kitchener, Brantford, Oakville and Guelph. This is a ONE-DAY pilgrimage. The bus is now full. Sign up on the waiting list in the event of any cancellations. Attendees are encouraged to bring a lunch. Please contact the Parish Office for more details.

Bus Fare: \$48
Mandarin: \$41 (Seniors Only \$33)
Total: \$89 (Seniors Total Only \$81)

(Bring 6 Toonies to donate to visiting parishes)



Fundraiser for the Ignatius Jesuit Centre

“The Way of the Cross: Meditations on the State of Practice of contemplatively entering Jesus’ Good Friday journey of the Way of the Cross, along with reflections on the state of our planet.”

Fr. Philip Shano, SJ. Buy your copy for \$20 at the Parish Office, Loyola House Reception, or online at www.ottbookstore.com/shop All proceeds go to the Ignatius Jesuit Centre.

Parish Meetings / Events: April 12th – April 20th

Tuesday, April 15th

Catholic in Recovery: 7 pm - Our Lady of the Rosary Comm. Rm

Wednesday, April 16th

Family Rosary: 6 pm – Church

Friday, April 18th

Stations of the Cross: 7 pm – Church



2025

PALM SUNDAY MASSES:

Sat. April 12th - 5pm
 Sun. April 13th - 7am, 9am & 11am

MASS OF CHRISM: Monday, April 14th - 2pm
 (Cathedral Basilica of Christ the King)

SACRAMENT OF CONFESSION: Holy Thursday
 April 17th - 12pm to 2pm

HOLY THURSDAY: April 17th - 7pm
 (Mass of the Lord's Supper)

Vigil & Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament until Midnight

GOOD FRIDAY: April 18th

- Passion of the Lord - 12 Noon
- Passion of the Lord - 3pm
- Stations of the Cross - 7pm

HOLY SATURDAY MASS: Incense will be used
 April 19th - 8pm
 (Solemn Easter Vigil & Initiation of Candidates)

EASTER SUNDAY MASSES: Incense will be used
 April 20th - 7am, 9am & 11am

Knights of Columbus News

Preparations for our Eucharistic Procession in Guelph are underway and you are invited to join the planning team. This year, our Procession date will be on **Corpus Christi Sunday, June 22nd**. Planning meeting dates: **April 22nd, 29th, May 6th, 13th, 27th**. Meetings start at 7pm. Where: Lourdes Room, at the Basilica Office: 28 Norfolk Street, Guelph. For further information, please contact Craig Chamberlain at dd69@ontariokofc.ca

PARISH OFFERINGS

Collection of April 6th, 2025

Sunday Offering	183 Envelopes	\$ 5,480.00
Auto Withdrawal	<u>94 Envelopes</u>	\$ <u>2,197.85</u>
	277 Envelopes	
	Loose	\$ <u>569.95</u>
		\$ 8,247.80
Share Lent (128 Envelopes)	\$ 4,005.05	
Loose	\$ <u>465.00</u>	
Total	\$ 4,470.05	

Thank you to all for your continued generosity.
Please Remember the Parish in Your Will.

About the Spirituality of Childhood

Holy Rosary Parish is hosting the first of a two-part Catechist Formation Course **July 7-12, 2025**. This retreat-like experience immerses the adult in scripture, liturgy, theology, prayer, an understanding of the spirituality of childhood, as well as making materials the child works with to internalize the Christian message. Catechists formed in this method go on to work with young children in a parish or school setting, and are often involved in other parish ministries such as RCIA, Baptism Preparation, Children’s Liturgy of the Word and preparing children for Holy Communion and Reconciliation. **Register by June 1st at [www.cgsac.ca /Courses/Level One](http://www.cgsac.ca/Courses/LevelOne) or contact therese.wright8591@gmail.com**

Tax Clinic 2025 – Community Room

The Community Volunteer Income Tax Program will be receiving files to issue tax receipts for low-income seniors and pensioners, persons with disabilities, and social assistance recipients. **This service is FREE.**

- **Tues. April 15 2025** **10:30am - 12:30pm**
- **Thur. April 24 2025** **10:30am - 12:30pm**

Format: Drop-off & Pick-Up / In-person

Phone Number: (519) 760-5448



Holy Rosary Parish Volunteers Needed

Sign-up sheets for Holy Week and Easter Masses are located outside the community room for Lectors & Readers, Altar Servers,

Ushers, Ministers of Communion, and Greeters. Also for ‘washing of the feet’ on Holy Thursday and in need of persons to carry the Offertory Gifts of bread and wine. Please consider assisting our parish during this time.

Passion (Palm) Sunday

Blessed are they who come in the Name of the Lord! Am I being called to proclaim Jesus as a priest, deacon, religious brother or sister? If God is calling you contact Fr. Mark Morley, Director of Vocations, Diocese of Hamilton **905-528-7988** or vocations@hamiltondiocese.com

CWL News

Upcoming events for April

Did you know that volunteering allows you to directly impact the lives of others and contribute to causes you care about. It can enhance your skills, build confidence, and provide a sense of purpose and fulfillment. It connects you with your community, helps you meet new people and strengthens your social connections. Volunteering can reduce stress, combat depression and improve overall mental and physical health. If you have any availability of time, please consider volunteering to assist with CWL funeral receptions by prepping food or shopping for food list items or perhaps baking or table set up. If interested, please please contact Barbara Smith at **519-824-4795** or email smithjarbaraj@rogers.com

General meeting – **Monday, April 14th at 6:30 pm in the Community Room**

Reminder to all CWL members that CWL membership fees for 2025 are \$40.00

The Reel Justice Film Festival

The Grab on April 24th 7:00 – 9:00 PM. Quietly, governments, private investors and mercenaries are working to seize food and water resources at the expense of entire populations. The future world powers will be those who control not oil, but food. Global food prices have hit an all-time high and by 2030, the demand for freshwater is projected to outpace supply by 40%. The Grab unfolds a story of greed and fear at the dawn of the 21st century. Register at: <https://hamiltondiocese.com/reel-justice-filmfestival/>

Youth Leader Training for Vacation Bible School

The Office for Youth Ministry and the Office for Evangelization and Catechesis warmly welcome all VBS youth leaders to a day of formation and training on **Saturday, May 3rd, 2025**. For more information, and to register please visit: <https://bit.ly/3RpDgcQ>

WELCOME TO HOLY ROSARY PARISH

WOULD YOU LIKE TO REGISTER? COUNT YOURSELF IN!

Please complete the form & deposit it into the collection or hand to the Parish Office.

Family Name _____

First Name (s) _____

Address _____

Postal Code: _____ Phone No. _____

Email: _____

Your permission to be on the electronic parish update?

Yes _____ No _____

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