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**PHONE EXT.**

**WEEKEND MASSES**

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

**ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS**

Holy Rosary	519-824-5620
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**ADORATION**

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

**PASTORAL CARE TEAMS**

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

**CONFESSION**

Saturdays at 4:00pm — 4:45pm

**DAILY MASSES**

Monday - Friday	9:00am
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**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

**NATIONAL/INTERNATIONAL PARISH MINISTRIES**

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

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To register: [www.holyrosaryguelph.ca](http://www.holyrosaryguelph.ca)

Ministries / Religious Education or contact the parish office at [holyrosaryguelph@hamiltondiocese.com](mailto:holyrosaryguelph@hamiltondiocese.com)

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**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

**PHONE:** 519-836-8814

**Mass Intentions: February 28<sup>th</sup> – March 8<sup>th</sup>**

**SATURDAY** February 28<sup>th</sup>  
 5pm †Antoni Rybicki †Dino Porcellato  
 †Maria Jaglelo

**SUNDAY** March 1<sup>st</sup> **Second Sunday of Lent**  
 7am Living & Deceased of the Parish  
 9am Living & Deceased of the Parish  
 11am †Salvatore Giambianco

**MONDAY** March 2<sup>nd</sup>  
 9am †Alberto Zilio

**TUESDAY** March 3<sup>rd</sup>  
 9am Int. Charlie & Mary 29<sup>th</sup> Wedding Annv.

**WEDNESDAY** March 4<sup>th</sup>  
 9am †Pasqualina Ferraro †Pierina D’Orazio  
 †Nino Ingratta †Cecilia Pigozzo  
 Int. Fr. Robert Kosek CRSP

**THURSDAY** March 5<sup>th</sup>  
 9am †Nadia Mariotti †Concetta DeConno  
 †Dino Fevretto †Tammy Law  
**Adoration 9:30am-10:30am**  
 11am Holy Rosary School Reconciliations

**FRIDAY** March 6<sup>th</sup>  
 9am †Chris Ghigeanu  
 7pm Stations of the Cross (Nicole DeFrancesco)

**SATURDAY** March 7<sup>th</sup>  
 5pm †Nancy Furfaro †Alberto Zilio

**SUNDAY** March 8<sup>th</sup> **Third Sunday of Lent**  
 7am Living & Deceased of the Parish  
 9am Living & Deceased of the Parish  
 11am †Dino Porcellato

**Weekday Altar Server & Reader March 2<sup>nd</sup> –6<sup>th</sup>**

Weekday Server: Joanne Sparrow  
 Weekday Reader: Joanne Sparrow

**Liturgical Ministry & Lectors Sat / Sun**

**March 7<sup>th</sup>/8<sup>th</sup>**

**E – Eucharist      L – Lector      G – Gift Bearer**

5pm **E** Isabella Barretto & Kathy Dunn  
**L** Vince & Cisca Campolongo  
**G**

7am **L** Dolores Bergin  
**G**

9am **E** John & Jeanne Lovelock  
**L** Tim O’Connor & Carolyn Arnold  
**G**

11am **E** Cathy Whyte & Angie Gazzola  
**L** Dawn Gray & Lito Faustino  
**G**

**Holy Rosary Choir Lenten Service**

On **Sunday March 29<sup>th</sup> at 4pm**, the choir will be doing our first Lenten Taize Service - a music and prayer meditation service to begin Holy Week. All are welcome to attend!



**2026**

**PENANCE LITURGY:** Tuesday, March 24<sup>th</sup> - 6:30pm  
 @ St. John the Baptist

**PALM SUNDAY MASSES:**

Sat. March 28<sup>th</sup> - 5pm  
 Sun. March 29<sup>th</sup> - 7am, 9am & 11am

**MASS OF CHRISM:** Monday, March 30<sup>th</sup> - 2pm  
 (Cathedral Basilica of Christ the King)

**SACRAMENT OF CONFESSION: Holy Thursday**  
 April 2<sup>nd</sup> - 1pm to 3pm

**HOLY THURSDAY:** April 2<sup>nd</sup> - 9am & 7pm  
 (Mass of the Lord’s Supper)

**Vigil & Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament until  
 Midnight**

**GOOD FRIDAY:** April 3<sup>rd</sup>

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

**HOLY SATURDAY MASS:** April 4<sup>th</sup> - 8pm  
 (Solemn Easter Vigil & Initiation of Candidates)

**EASTER SUNDAY MASSES:**  
 April 5<sup>th</sup> - 7am, 9am & 11am

**CWL News**

General meeting – **Monday March 9<sup>th</sup> at 6:30 pm** in the community room

Watch drop off in advance of the CWL bazaar - located at both entrances to the church. Watches will be serviced and sold at the bazaar

Reminder that CWL membership fees for 2025 is \$40.00 and that cheques should be made payable to: **Holy Rosary Catholic Women’s League**. Please do not use the CWL acronym on the cheque as the bank will not accept it.

**Martyr Saint Jean De Lalande, SJ**

Local writer Georgine Willemsma has published her book on the Jesuit Martyr Saint Jean de Lalande. She will be doing a book signing on **Sunday March 8<sup>th</sup> after the 11am Mass**. The proceeds of the book will be generously donated to Martyrs Shrine. The cost of the book is \$20. It can be purchased in the parish office.

**PARISH OFFERINGS**

**Collection of February 22<sup>nd</sup>, 2026**

Sunday Offering	135 Envelopes	\$ 3,869.15
Auto Withdrawal	100 Envelopes	\$ 2,322.69
	235 Envelopes	
	Loose	\$ 932.85
		<b>\$ 7,124.69</b>

**Bottles to Date: \$20,509.45**

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

Thank you to all parishioners who contributed to the last Mission Possible Outreach collection. \$398.15 was raised for the Missions. Next Mission Possible Outreach collection will be **April 25/26 2026**

**Lenten Materials**

Lent is a great time to do some reading and spiritual reflection. Free books and pamphlets are available outside the sanctuary for parishioners to take home and use during Lent.

**Looking for Support for your Marriage?**

Does your marriage feel like it is more trouble than joy, does it feel stagnant, or disconnected? Is it causing you constant stress? The solution is Retrouvaille. This is a practical program, where sharing is not required except between the couple themselves. It is designed to improve communication, build stronger marriages, and help couples reconnect. This is for struggling couples, including those who may be considering separation or divorce. The next Retrouvaille weekend is **March 13-15, 2026**. For more information call **905-664-5212** or email **1013r@helpourmarriage.org**.

**Tax Clinic 2026 – 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.**

- **Thurs. March 5, 2026**                      **6:30pm - 8:30pm**
- Sat. March 7, 2026                      12:30pm – 2:30pm
- **Wed. March 11, 2026**                    **10:30am – 12:30pm**
- Sat. March 21, 2026                      12:30pm – 2:30pm
- **Tues. April 7, 2026**                      **10:30pm - 12:30pm**
- Tues. April 14, 2026                      12:30pm - 2:30pm
- **Thur. April 16 2026**                      **10:30am - 12:30pm**
- Thur. April 23 2026                      10:30am - 12:30pm

**Format: Drop-off & Pick-Up / In-person**  
**Phone Number: (519) 760-5448**



**Sanctuary Lamps**

The Sanctuary Lamps beside the Tabernacle will burn for seven days **for the Intentions of Stefan & Corina Zarnovean** from **February 28 – March 6 2026**.

**Holy Rosary as a Place of Peace - Lent Retreat**

Pope Leo has declared 2026 a Year of Jubilee commemorating the 800<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the death of St. Francis of Assisi. The Parish Stewardship Council recommends a Lent retreat that uses spiritual principles of St Francis (and Saint Ignatius of Loyola). We are invited to see Holy Rosary as a place of peace in the midst of the crises that surround us. Fr Philip Shano will conduct the retreat. He will use presentations and guided prayer, ending each evening with questions for reflection. There will be three Wednesday evenings: **March 11, 18 and 25. We will start at 7:00 pm each evening and end by 8:15 pm.**

**Calling All Moms!**

**Guelph Catholic Moms Group Ministry Co-Leader Wanted!** Help moms go deeper into their faith life, have fun, and fellowship too! **Training Provided.** Email: [st.johnbaptistmg@catholicmomsgroup.com](mailto:st.johnbaptistmg@catholicmomsgroup.com)  
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**Are Your Affairs in Order?**

Join us for this complimentary educational event and discover the peace of mind that "Being Prepared" brings. Come learn from our expert speaker what's essential to properly prepare an estate and how to best organize your important documentation! Join us in the **Holy Rosary Community Room on Monday, March 16<sup>th</sup> from 10:00 am - 11:30 am.** To Register, Call Gilbert MacIntyre & Son Funeral Home @ **519-821-5077**. Attendees will Receive a Free Personal Planning Guide.

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** \_\_\_\_\_

**Sunday Offering Envelopes:** **Yes** \_\_\_\_\_ **No** \_\_\_\_\_

**Automatic Withdrawal:** **Yes** \_\_\_\_\_ **No** \_\_\_\_\_

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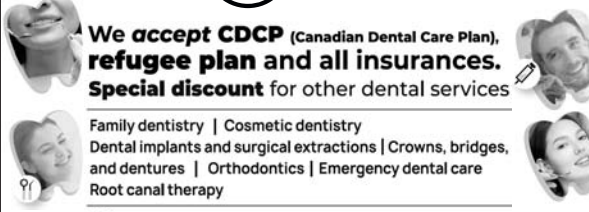
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