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1222

 1224
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WEEKEND MASSES

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

ADORATION

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

ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS

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

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

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

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 jpiva@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

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Mass Intentions: October 3rd – October 11th

<u>SATURDAY</u>	October 3rd	
5pm	†Ed Holdnemeyer	†Giustina Porcellato
<u>SUNDAY</u>	October 4th	The Twenty-Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time
7am	Living & Deceased of the Parish	
9am	Living & Deceased of the Parish	
11am	†Fatina Mammoliti	
	Int. Francisco & Elvia Francisca Dubon	
<u>MONDAY</u>	October 5th	
9am	Int. Forrester Family	
10am	School Mass	
<u>TUESDAY</u>	October 6th	
9am	Thanksgiving for Prayers Received	
<u>WEDNESDAY</u>	October 7th	Our Lady of the Rosary
9am	†Burt Clapperton	†Vincenzo Natale
	Int. Ari Miller	Parishioner's Special Int.
10am	Visiting Priest Mass	
<u>THURSDAY</u>	October 8th	
9am	†Maria Bernardi	†Freda D'Cruz
	†Katarzyna & Mikolay Boczulak	
	Living & Dec. Holy Rosary Makers	
	Adoration 9:30am-10:30am	
<u>FRIDAY</u>	October 9th	
9am	†Emilio & Rita Busato	
<u>SATURDAY</u>	October 10th	
5pm	†Dino Porcellato	
<u>SUNDAY</u>	October 11th	The Twenty-Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time
7am	Living & Deceased of the Parish	
9am	Living & Deceased of the Parish	
11am	Int. Irma Hernandez	
	Int. Luisa Merida Dubon	

Weekday Altar Server & Reader October 5th – 9th

Weekday Server: Elizabeth Crha/Jobi Joseph
Weekday Reader: Nina Sheppard

Liturgical Ministry & Lectors Sat / Sun
October 10th/11th

E – Eucharist L – Lector G – Gift Bearer

5pm	E Agnes Craig & Kevin Kennaley L Agnes Craig & Kevin Kennaley G
7am	L Miriam Porter G
9am	E Paul Valeriote & Sergio Cres L Alison Van Hoffen G
11am	E Theresa & Fernando Subang Theresa Subang & Magee McGuire G Peter Pellizzari

Parish Meetings / Events: October 3rd – 11th

Monday, October 5th

Knights of Columbus Meeting: 7 pm – Parish Hall

Tuesday, October 6th

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

Wednesday, October, 7th

Family Rosary: 6 pm – Church

SAVE THE DATE

Upcoming Holy Rosary Parish Events

Parish Dinner - **Saturday, October 24th** (after the 5pm mass).

Holy Rosary Parish Jubilee Supper,
Musical Notes of Peace & Harmony

Jubilee Supper, **Saturday, October 24th 2026.** Doors open at 5:45 PM. Adults 15 yrs. & older: **\$25**, Child 5 to 14 yrs.: **\$10**, under 5: **free**. All attendees must have a ticket.

Raffle Tickets are available for purchase at the Parish Office. **\$2.50/Ticket or 5 Tickets for \$10**

Blessing of the Animals!

As every schoolchild knows, the Season of Creation ends on the Feast of St. Francis of Assisi. This year, for the first time ever, we'll offer a traditional Blessing of the Animals at Holy Rosary Parish on **October 3rd from 2:00pm to 3:00pm**. All creatures are welcome! Bring your animal companions—leashed, tethered or caged as appropriate. Fr. Dirk Dunfee, SJ (from the Ignatius Centre for Integral Ecology, here in Guelph) will greet you and your animal companions individually and offer individual blessings tailored to your particular situation and concerns. If you'd like to stay and chat with other attendees, fine. If you can only come, receive a blessing, and get on with your day, that's fine too. All are welcome.

New Altar Server Training

Attention all children interested in becoming altar servers! We will be holding a training session for NEW servers on **Saturday October 17th at 11 am in the Church**. If you have received your First Communion, and would like to help serve the Mass, please join us! Contact Janina Piva at jpiva@hamiltondiocese.com to let us know if you will be attending.



World Mission Sunday "One In Christ"

Today Jesus speaks of a vineyard entrusted to tenants (**Mt 21:33-43**). The Church is that vineyard. Pope Leo XIV's theme for World Mission Sunday, two weeks away, begins here: *we are one in Christ before we are sent. The Alleluia verse says, "I have chosen you from the world to go and bear fruit that will remain."* This week, pray for the unity of our parish and of the whole Church. Mission begins when Christ lives in us.

PARISH OFFERINGS

Collection of September 27th, 2026

Sunday Offering	142 Envelopes	\$ 3,966.00
Auto Withdrawal	101 Envelopes	\$ 2,364.23
	243 Envelopes	
	Loose	\$ 925.55
		\$ 7,255.78

Bottles to Date: \$21,629.30

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

CWL News

Oct. General meeting - **Monday October 19th at 6 pm** in the community room. Please note earlier start time due to speaker in attendance.

Reminder that CWL membership fees are due in the amount of **\$40**. Please contact Lori Ferguson, membership co-ordinator with questions etc. loriferg@hotmail.ca.

Congratulations to the CWL members who received years of service pins for 2026:

10 Year - Cathy Whyte & Toni Crowther
15 Year - Marilena Cado, Ann Robertson, Agnes Craig & Dolores Bergin
20 Year - Angie Gazzola, Rosemarie Armishaw, Marie Gazzola & Patti Weir
25 Year - Connie Shaw
30 Year - Ann Lindsay & Gabriella Porcellato
35 Year - Kathy Bolton & Kim Jones
40 Year - Deanna Veri
45 Year - Jean Gazzola
50 Year - Dorothy Leonard & Anne Curtis
55 Year - Barbara Holody, Barbara Smith & Gloria Ferringio
65 Year - Willie De Shutter & Audrey Peloso
70 Year - Margaret Synnott

All are welcome to our evening Taize in celebration of St. Francis.



In honour of St. Francis' feast day and 800th anniversary of his death, and for the Jubilee year of St. Francis, join us in song, this season of creation! **Sunday October 4th at 7 pm** Holy Rosary Church, 175 Emma St.



Sanctuary Lamps

The Sanctuary Lamps beside the Tabernacle will burn for seven days **in Memory of Burt Clapperton** from **October 3rd – 9th 2026**.



A huge thank you goes out to all who supported our 13th Anniversary of J.O.E. Pasta Dinner Fundraiser on **Saturday, September 19th** at Holy Rosary Parish Hall. It was truly a pleasure to see such a fabulous turnout of guests from Holy Rosary who came out to celebrate with us. The support and guidance provided by Holy Rosary CWL volunteer representatives, was simply AMAZING and so greatly appreciated! The meal, which was prepared by well-known Chef Mike Macerollo, was absolutely delicious, pleasing the tastes of all dietary needs. There was such a wonderful feeling of joy in the air, as people mingled and shared their personal stories. With the support of your contributions, we are very proud to report that we raised **just over \$10,000!** This was, indeed, an incredible fundraising venture, to help bring the dream of employment to our folks with developmental disabilities. On behalf of our J.O.E. Organization, thank you all, most sincerely, for your generosity and support.

Martyr Shrine Talk

Once again, we are welcoming Fr. Bert Folioit, a Jesuit priest from the Martyr Shrine, for an all-day talk about Joseph Chiwatenhwa and a fellow Martyr on **Saturday, October 24th from 9am-3pm at St. Joseph Church, Guelph**. The day will begin with Mass at 9am, discussion and a synodal spiritual discussion after. Morning snacks, lunch and afternoon snacks will be provided by our Catholic Women's League, BLD and Knights of Columbus groups. **No cost to attend.** RSVP required by calling the Parish Office at **519-822-4614** or by email stjosephguelph@rogers.com by **Tuesday October 20th**. Good will appreciated.

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.

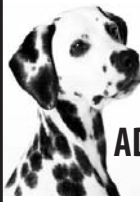
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 Yes _____ No _____

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