

Anyone wishing Tickets for our Annual CWL draw to sell please contact Arlene McBride at 519-662 2816.

Prayer Vigil - Thursday, AUGUST 3, 2023, from 10:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m.

Opposite Freeport Hospital, 3570 King St. E., Kitchener, for babies being aborted.

All are welcome to pray quietly for those who have no voice, but our own!

Parking - across the road, Schneider Park.

Any queries, please contact Cathy at: kwc.prayervigil@rogers.com

St. Therese Institute of Faith and Mission

St. Therese Institute of Faith and Mission offers a post-secondary, nine-month program that transforms the lives of our students. This transformation comes from a personal encounter with Christ, experienced in and through Catholic community life. Based on the spiritual genius of St. Thérèse of Lisieux, the program includes daily prayer and sacraments, community-based formation, Catholic academics, fellowship, sports, and fun. Faithful, dynamic instructors deepen students' understanding and love of the Catholic faith. Undergraduate-level courses include theology, philosophy, Church history, Scripture, and much more.

Our students find a rock-solid foundation for their life: who they really are in God and why they are here. They are deeply formed to grow in holiness and to sanctify the world around them. This is the contagious joy you will experience at St. Therese Institute: belonging to a community of friends who live from the heart of the gospel, the little way of St. Thérèse of Lisieux.

For more information go to: www.sttherese.ca

Would you like to join the Holy Family Parish prayer chain?

A prayer chain is made up of a group of parishioners who want to pray for others. The purpose of our prayer chain is to provide spiritual support and healing for parishioners and their families and friends. Prayer request can come from anyone, and the prayer intention may be for any reason for which one believes prayer will be beneficial.

If you would like to become a member of the Prayer Chain contact Sharon Diebold at 519 - 634-8401

If you have a prayer request, simply phone one of the key members, and they will phone the next person on the list, and they in turn will do the same until everyone on their chain is contacted and praying.

If you have a prayer request contact Sharon Diebold or Marcella Habermehl at 519 - 662-2962



Holy Family Roman Catholic Church (1883)

329 Huron Street, New Hamburg, ON N3A 1K3 ~ 519 662-1744
holyfamily@rogers.com • www.holyfamilynewhamburg.com

Pastor:

Reverend Bob Love
Secretary: Sherry Reitzel

Office Hours

9 am - 11:30 am
Monday, Tuesday & Thursday

Mass Times

Tuesday—7:00 p.m.
Wed-Friday 8:30 am
Saturday 5:00 p.m.
Sunday 10:00 a.m.
Rosary - 30 min before Mass

Confession

Saturday 4-5 pm
Or upon request

Marriage

*Please contact the parish
at least six months in advance.*

Baptism

*Contact the office at least four
month in advance
Request forms at back of the
church*

Holy Family Catholic School

Principal: Mark Modolo.
519-662-1734

Sunday, July 30, 2023 The Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time



*Matthew 13: 44-52
Anyone who finds a treasure in a field,
sells all and buys that field.*

MASS SCHEDULE

TUESDAY July 25

7:00 pm
+ Pasquale Paciello
Req. Giovanna Paciello

WEDNESDAY July 26

8:30 am
+ Eileen Plouffe
Req. Moe Plouffe

THURSDAY July 27

8:30 am
Intentions for Doug Mulligan
Req. Mary Gross

FRIDAY July 28

8:30 am
+ Maria Cavaliere
Req. Judy Sgarbossa

SATURDAY July 29

5:00pm
+ Vitorija Jeric
Req. CWL

WEEKLY OFFERING

July 23, 2023

Sunday Offering: \$ 1,526.65
Building Fund : \$ 120.00

Thank you for your generosity

Prayer Network

To request special prayers contact:
Marcella 519 - 662-2962
Sharon 519 - 634-8401
If you would like to join the prayer chain
please contact Sharon Diebold.

News from the Diocese of Hamilton

Hamilton Diocesan Marian Days – These days will be celebrated from June to October 2023 at the Basilica of Our Lady Immaculate in Guelph. The day will start with Confessions at 9:00 a.m. followed by Mass at 10:00 a.m., Rosary Procession at 11:00 a.m. and lunch at 12:00 p.m., Holy Hour and Marian Catechesis at 1:00 p.m. The day will close with Benediction at 2:00 p.m. Please bring your own lunch. Coffee and Tea will be available. Presiders will be,
Bishop Gerard Bergie: Saturday, August 5;
Bishop Wayne Lobsinger: Saturday, September 2;
Thomas Cardinal Collins: Saturday, October 7.

Young Adults Night - August 5th – Hespeler/Cambridge - 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-7:30 pm), Social with Food (7:30pm-8:30pm), Praise Night and Vocation Testimony (8:00pm-9:00pm), and Compline (9:00pm) on Saturday, August 5th at St. Mary of the Visitation (16 Cooper St, Cambridge, Ontario). Sponsored by the Vocations Office of the Diocese of Hamilton. For more information, please contact: vocations@hamiltondiocese.com.

Struggling After an Abortion? Either your own, or someone else's? Do you feel alone, emotional, or angry? Project Rachel is available to help. This confidential service allows people to work through their feelings on an individual basis, with a trained counsellor, to find hope and healing. Please contact us at 905-526-1999 or toll free at 1-888-385-3850.

Mount Mary Immaculate Retreat Centre – Mount Mary Immaculate Retreat Centre would like to welcome any groups or individuals looking to book a retreat experience. With a large Chapel and acres of untouched green space Mount Mary is an ideal location for anyone seeking a space for a retreat. For more information and to book your retreat please visit www.mountmary.ca.

Vocation Seeds:

Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time - July 30, 2023
“Give your servant therefore an understanding mind...” Perhaps the priesthood, diaconate, religious or consecrated life awaits you. If God is calling you contact Fr. Mark Morley, Director of Vocations, Diocese of Hamilton at 905-528-7988.
email vocations@hamiltondiocese.com
hamiltondiocese.com/vocations/

Vocations Prayer Week of July 31

Rev. Drago Gacnik, S.D.B.
Most Rev. Anthony Tonnos
School Sisters of Notre Dame (S.S.N.D.)
Rev. Mark Gatto
Rev. Kiwook Kim
Rev. Saju Oreethaparambil, C.Ss.R.

BADEN BLOOD DONATION EVENT

Monday, August 14 from 2 p.m. – 8 p.m.
New Location Shantz Mennonite Church
By appointment. Book now by calling
1 888 2 DONATE (1-888-236-6283) /
www.blood.ca / GiveBlood App

CCCB – More than 5,000 Canadian Youth are making their way to Lisbon, Portugal to be with Pope Francis, from 2 to 6 August 2023. The Holy Father will join more than one million young people for World Youth Day (WYD), an international gathering of youth, organized by the Catholic Church. The first international World Youth Day was held in 1986. Those interested in learning more about Canadians traveling to Portugal for World Youth Day 2023 can visit: www.wydcanada.org.

Lives of the Saints

St Jean-Baptiste-Marie Vianney, Curé of Ars (1786 - 1859)
Feast day August 4

He was the son of a peasant farmer, and a slow and unpromising candidate for the priesthood: he was eventually ordained on account of his devoutness rather than any achievement or promise.

In 1818 he was sent to be the parish priest of Ars-en-Dombes, an isolated village some distance from Lyon, and remained there for the rest of his life because his parishioners would not let him leave. He was a noted preacher, and a celebrated confessor: such was his fame, and his reputation for insight into his penitents' souls and their futures, that he had to spend up to eighteen hours a day in the confessional, so great was the demand. The tens of thousands of people who came to visit this obscure parish priest turned Ars into a place of pilgrimage.

“The Curé refused to sit for a portrait. When the sculptor Cabuchet surreptitiously tried to capture his features in a ball of wax during the catechism, Vianney sternly bounced him out of the church.” (The Curé d’Ars Today, by G.W.Rutler, 1988).

The French State recognised his eminence by awarding him the medal of the Légion d’Honneur in 1848, and he sold it and gave the money to the poor.