

BASILICA OF OUR LADY IMMACULATE

Parish Community



PARISH ESTABLISHED IN 1827

PARISH MISSION STATEMENT: *As the Eucharistic family of Our Lady Immaculate we believe in the life, death and resurrection of Jesus Christ. We foster a welcoming and active faith community by sharing our gifts of time, talent and treasure. We continue to grow in the Spirit loving and serving God and each other.*

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Music Ministry

Joe Carere, Organist & Choirmaster
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Parish Office Hours:

Monday to Friday 9:00am - 12:00 noon
1:00pm - 4:30pm

St. Vincent de Paul Society: 519-731-2563

Elementary Schools:

Saint Michael School
 9 McElderry Road
 Principal: Brian Munaro.....519-823-2455

Saint Paul School
 182 Clairfields Drive East
 Principal: Sue Majer.....519-824-9470

Saint Ignatius of Loyola School
 251 Colonial Drive
 Principal: Michelle Nagy.....519-822-6192

Welcome to Newcomers in the parish.

Registration forms are available at the office, at the back of the Church or on our website.

Hospital Registration:

Please be sure to indicate your religion and parish when entering the hospital.

Lord's Day Masses:

Saturday: 5:15 pm
Sunday: 9:00 am & 11:00 am

Weekday Liturgies:

See schedule inside

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament:

Wednesday 8:30 am to 12:00 noon
 First Fridays 9:30 am to 12:00 noon

Sick and Shut-in Ministry:

Contact the parish office if you would like someone to bring Communion or to visit/call you.

High Schools:

Bishop Macdonell High School
 200 Clair Road West
 Principal: Stephen Gulyas.....519-822-8502

Our Lady of Lourdes
 54 Westmount Road
 Principal: Betty Farrell.....519-836-2170

Saint James High School
 57 Victoria Road North
 Principal: Sandra Cummings.....519-822-4290

St. John Bosco
 19 Northumberland Street
 Principal: Corey Malone.....519-824-8909

Bequests:

Please consider a bequest to the Basilica of Our Lady Immaculate to maintain our parish as a Symbol of Faith for future generations.

Sacrament of Penance:

Saturday: 4:00 pm – 5:00 pm
 First Saturday of the Month: 8:00 am - 8:45am

Sacrament of Baptism:

Please contact the Parish Office at least two months prior to the proposed date of Baptism. Application forms are available on the website.

Sacrament of Marriage:

Please contact the Parish at least one year in advance before the proposed date of the marriage.

Sacrament of Anointing: Available upon request.

Correspondence Course:

This program is available to assist parents in the religious education of their children. It is available from Kindergarten to High School.

Funeral and Burial Arrangements:

When a death occurs in your family, please advise the parish immediately and we will assist you in making liturgical arrangements. For information on Catholic burial please contact the Cemetery Office at 836-8814 or 1-800-661-5985. www.thecatholiccemeteries.ca

SEVENTH SUNDAY OF EASTER



MASSES OF THE WEEK

Monday, May 22 – Ferial

8:30 a.m. – *The Office of Lauds (Morning Prayer)*

9:00 a.m. – Mass – RIP Edward & Paul Garcia; Intentions of Anna & Tony Matteis, Dana & Fred Longchamps

Tuesday May 23 – Ferial

8:30 a.m. – *The Office of Lauds (Morning Prayer)*

9:00 a.m. – Mass – RIP Mary Kennedy, Madeline Hanshaw

Wednesday, May 24 – Ferial

7:00 a.m. – *The Office of Lauds (Morning Prayer)*

7:30 a.m. – Mass – RIP Maria Jescuek, Anthony DiTizio; Intentions of Deacon Quinto

8:30 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. – *Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament*

12:15 p.m. – Mass – RIP Giovanni Michieli; Intentions of Sharon Scott

Thursday, May 25 – Ferial

8:30 a.m. – *The Office of Lauds (Morning Prayer)*

9:00 a.m. – Mass – RIP Andrea Duffy, Anne Behnan, William Anderson

Friday, May 26 – St. Philip Neri

8:30 a.m. – *The Office of Lauds (Morning Prayer)*

9:00 a.m. – Mass – RIP Anton Semlok, Anka Andrijevic, Benny Fidelino

Saturday, May 27 – Ferial

4:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m. – *Confessions*

5:15 p.m. – Mass – RIP Antoinette Romeo, Jacquie & John Boyd, Peter Burns, Faith Graham; Intentions of Patricia Grierson, Karen Holliday, Robin & Lisa Jeffs, Ann Jeffs

Sunday, May 28 – Pentecost Sunday

9:00 a.m. – *Mass for Pastoral Intentions*

11:00 a.m. – *Missa Pro Populo*

PARISH & OTHER NEWS

Regina Caeli Shrine Lamps

During the Eighth Week of Ordinary Time, beginning on Sunday, May 28, the lamps at the Regina Caeli Shrine will burn in loving memory of Bruce Roswell and Sister Mary Ambrose.

To request that one of the lamps be lit for your intentions, or in memory of a loved one, please call or visit the Parish Office. A donation of \$10.00 per lamp is requested.

Stewardship of Treasure

† Thank you for your gift of \$6,750.30 in support of your parish community in gratitude for God's blessing.

Change to Weekday Mass Schedule Summer 2023

For the summer months, please note that there will be a change to the weekday Mass schedule. From Wednesday, June 28 until Wednesday, September 6,

inclusive, the 7:30 a.m. and 12:15 p.m. Masses will be suspended. The schedule for Wednesdays during the summer will be as follows:

8:00 a.m. Morning Prayer

8:30 a.m. Perpetual Help Devotions

9:00 a.m. Mass

9:30 a.m. Holy Hour

10:30 a.m. Benediction

The regular Wednesday schedule will resume on Wednesday, September 13, 2023.

Banns of Ordination

Mr. Luis Cordeiro Inacio is scheduled to be ordained to the Transitional Diaconate at 7:00 p.m. on Friday, June 16, 2023 at St. Mary – Paroquia de Santa Maria, Hamilton, ON. If anyone knows of a serious cause why this Ordination should not take place, please notify your Parish Priest. Let us all pray that Mr. Luis Cordeiro Inacio will be a good and faithful servant of the Lord and His Church.

Catholic Young Adult Book Study Group

The Young Adult Book Study of *Catherine of Siena* by Sigrid Undset will continue Wednesday, May 24 and conclude on Wednesday, May 31, from 5:30 to 8:30 p.m. in the Parish Hall. Young adults are welcome to join for a potluck dinner and discussion. Please RSVP by emailing hannaruthcaruso@gmail.com

Pentecost Retreat Saturday, May 27

Come join us for a day of spiritual empowerment at St. John the Baptist Church, 45 Victoria Rd N, Guelph, with the schedule as follows:

Registration: 8:00 a.m.

Rosary, praise, and worship: 9:00 – 10:00 a.m.

Fr. Valentine Onwunjiogu's talk: 10:00 – 10:45 a.m.

Fr. Vivek Trindade's talk: 11:00 – 11:45 a.m.

Lunch break: 12:15 – 1:00 p.m. (snacks/drinks only provided)

Testimony / Witness: 1:00 – 1:30 p.m.

Adoration and Silent Prayer Hour: 1:30 – 2:30 p.m.

Closing Mass: 2:30 – 3:30 p.m.

Parish Golf Tournament Sunday, June 4

It's time to clean those clubs and brush up your golf swings - the Parish Golf Tournament will be held on Sunday, June 4 at 1:00 p.m. at the Victoria Park Valley Golf Course. Tickets will be sold after all weekend Masses during the month of May. Tickets are \$100 for golf with cart and dinner or \$40 for dinner only. You may make up your own foursome or we can place you in one. Join us for what is always a fun time and remember, the sun always shines on a golf course.

Catholic Moms Group Meeting Wednesday, June 7

Want to learn how to guide your children in choosing a vocation? Join us to hear from Special Guest Speakers,

MAY 21, 2023

Vocations Director Fr. Mark Morley and Consecrated Virginit candidate Jenny Benjamin, on how to live our Catholic faith to the fullest through the right vocation. 4:30 – 6:00 p.m. at St. John's Parish, 45 Victoria Rd. N. Guelph. For more information, or to volunteer, please contact us: stjohnbaptistmg@catholicmomsgroup.com

Speaking Life and Truth Into Our Culture Conference **Saturday, June 17**

The Family Ministry Office is partnering with Alliance for Life Ontario and Hamilton Right to Life to offer a one-day conference about lesser-known life issues, including the abortion pill, euthanasia, pregnancy support and abortion recovery counselling, and how to speak life and truth into our culture. Join us for a day of learning for all from 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. Adult tickets: \$75; Student tickets: \$45. Both include lunch and beverages throughout the day. A Gala Dinner will take place on Friday June 16.

For more information, go to:

<https://allianceforlifeontario.ca/event/2023-conference/>

Basilica Trunk Sale Saturday, June 24

From 8:30 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. Hosted by the CWL, you are invited to have your own mini garage sale in a trunk. Clean out your closets, pantries, garages, or storage. Or bring baked goods, crafts, or vendors - your own Pop-up Shop - all items are welcome. Join us for a Barbeque sponsored by M&Ms, a raffle, 50/50 draw, coffee and donuts. Reserve your spot now for \$35. Contact us at trunksale@gmail.com for further details or to book your spot. Raffle tickets are available after Mass beginning May 27/28.

Two Pilgrimage Opportunities

Are you interested in going on a pilgrimage? There are two exciting opportunities coming up to take a pilgrimage with two fine priests:

Marian Shrine Pilgrimage with Fr. Stephen Bruzzese, a priest of the Diocese of St. Catherines

Join us for our 12-day pilgrimage which includes: Fatima, with the celebration of the sixth and last visit of Our Lady (The Miracle of the Sun), Avila, Madrid, Zaragoza, Lourdes, Barcelona, & more.

October 9 – 20, 2023

\$4,940.00 per person (based on 2 per room)

If you are interested in coming, or would like more information, please contact Fr. Bruzzese as soon as possible at pastor@stdenischurch.ca or 905-685-5911

Pilgrimage to Egypt and the Holy Land with Fr. Jeff Bergsma, Pastor of St. Joseph's, Guelph

Explore Egypt, including the place where the Holy Family lived in exile, and the Holy Land, the land of the Incarnation, Birth, Life, Death, and resurrection of Jesus. This pilgrimage will be under the spiritual direction of Fr.

Jeff Bergsma, Pastor of St. Joseph's Parish in Guelph. February 18 – 29, 2024

\$4,590.00 per person (based on 2 per room)

If you are interested in coming, or would like more information, please contact Liliana at International Heritage Tours at liliana@ihtours.com or 877-999-8868

Upcoming Parish Events:



JUNE:

Saturday, June 3 – Marian Day Celebration

Sunday, June 4 – Basilica Tours, 1:00 – 3:00 p.m.

Sunday, June 4 – Parish Golf Tournament

Sunday June 11 – Knights of Columbus Breakfast (following the 9:00 a.m. and 11:00 a.m. Masses)

Saturday, June 24 – CWL Trunk Sale

JULY:

Saturday, July 1 – Marian Day Celebration

Sunday, July 2 – Basilica Tours, 1:00 – 3:00 p.m.

Sunday, July 16 – Knights BBQ and CWL Bake sale (following the 11:00 a.m. Mass)

AUGUST:

Saturday, August 5 – Marian Day Celebration

Sunday, August 6 – Basilica Tours, 1:00 – 3:00 p.m.

Sunday, August 13 – Knights of Columbus Breakfast (following the 9:00a.m. and 11:00a.m. Masses)

SEPTEMBER:

Saturday, September 2 – Marian Day Celebration

Sunday, September 3 – Basilica Tours, 1:00 – 3:00 p.m.

Sunday, September 10 – Annual Parish Picnic

Sunday, September 17 – Ministry Fair and Basilica Food & Friendship (BFF) (following the 9:00 a.m. and 11:00 a.m. Masses)

Saturday, September 30 – Society of St. Vincent de Paul Retreat

OCTOBER:

Saturday, October 7 – Marian Day Celebration

Saturday, October 7 – Regina Caeli Tea

Sunday, October 8 – Basilica Tours, 1:00 – 3:00 p.m.

NOVEMBER:

Sunday, November 5 – Basilica Tours, 1:00 – 3:00 p.m.

Sunday, November 26 – Parish Dinner

DECEMBER:

Sunday, December 3 – Basilica Tours, 1:00 – 3:00 p.m.

For more information and specific details about upcoming events, please watch upcoming bulletins as well as our Parish Website at www.basilicaofourlady.com.

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