



MANDATORY FACE MASKS:
Face coverings are mandatory in enclosed public spaces. We ask that you arrive at church with your own face mask. Thank you for your cooperation.



Mass Intentions

Tuesday, September 22 at 7 p.m.
+ Charles McNulty

Wednesday, September 23 at 8 a.m.
+ Elisabeth Tjioe
Intentions of John Tjioe and Family

Thursday, September 24 at 8 a.m.
Intentions of Lorraine Harding

Friday, September 25 at 8 a.m.
+ Elisabeth Tjioe

Saturday, September 26 at 5 p.m.
+ Thom Ryan



"Come to Me all who are weary"
Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament will take place in the church **every Tuesday from 12 p.m. until 6:30 p.m.** For more information call: Sheila Mauser 519 658 9414.

Please consider spending some time in silent adoration. *"Jesus waits for us in this sacrament of love. Let us be generous with our time in going to meet Him in adoration."*
Pope St. John Paul II

FIRST COMMUNION 2020

Special First Communion Masses, for students that did not celebrate the Sacrament in May, will take place on the following dates:



- Saturday, September 26, 11:00 am
- Friday, October 2, 7:00 pm
- Saturday, October 3, 11:00am
- Friday, October 9, 7:00 pm
- Saturday, October 10, 11:00am
- Friday, October 16, 7:00 pm
- Saturday, October 17, 11:00 am

Parents are asked to go to the parish website to sign-up for a Mass date if they have not already done so.



JOIN IN PRAYING THE ROSARY

The Rosary is prayed at 6:30 p.m. before Mass on Tuesday and at 7:30 a.m. before morning Mass on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday. All are welcome.

ADORATION CHAPEL: The Adoration Chapel will remain closed until further notice.

CONFESSION: Saturdays from 4:00pm to 4:45pm or by appointment. **New location:** The children's liturgy room (across from the sacristy). If the door is closed, please wait.

PARISH OFFICE HOURS: Monday - Friday: 8:30 AM - 12 Noon and 1:00 PM - 4:00 PM. Please call to make an appointment with Fr. Love. **Face masks are required when entering the office.**

DIOCESE OF HAMILTON PRAYER CALENDAR

September 21 - 26

Monday	Rev. Francis Hubilla
Tuesday	Very Rev. Wojciech Kuzma
Wednesday	Diaconate Formation Candidates
Thursday	Rev. James McSharry
Friday	Rev. Joseph Okoko, i.v.Dei.
Saturday	Rev. Christopher Tracey

PARISH OFFERINGS for September 13, 2020:

To be reported in next bulletin

PRE-AUTHORIZED GIVING for SEPTEMBER 2020

Sunday Offerings:	\$ 4,731.00
Building Fund:	\$ 1,035.00

Thank you for your continued support!

PRE -AUTHORIZED GIVING - WHAT IS IT AND HOW DO I ENROLL? Pre-authorized giving allows you to give to the parish intentionally and faithfully through scheduled monthly transfers from your bank account, on the 15th of each month, directly to the parish. Forms are available on our website: <https://www.stmaryhespeler.ca/donate>. Completed forms can be dropped off at the office, scanned and emailed, or put in an envelope and left in the Sunday collection.

FOR THOSE UNABLE TO ATTEND MASS:

Sunday missals and missalettes are available for parishioners to pick up in the entrance to the parish office. **Televised Mass** is available on Salt and Light Television and Vision TV. **Online Mass** is also available on a number of Catholic sites such as saltandlighttv.org/mass and www.dailytvmass.com.



RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS

Interested in Becoming Catholic?

Any adults who have not been baptized and are considering becoming Catholic, or any adults who have already been baptized in other Christian churches and wish to become full members of the Catholic Church, please contact the parish office. A program of formation begins in the Fall.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED: We depend a great deal on volunteers to assist at our Sunday Masses. We are currently short volunteers in a number of ministries. Some of the most urgent areas of need:

- Health and Safety Coordinators
- Cleaning Committee Members
- Ushers
- Lectors

Please speak with Fr. Love or call/email the parish if you are able to help out. No previous experience is required. *Thank you for your much-needed assistance!*



KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

E-MEMBERSHIP: Don't have time, or aren't ready to commit fully to the Knights of Columbus? Try our On-line Membership,

which entitles you to most of the benefits of the order, including insurance and scholarships. Visit our website or contact us for more information!

<https://ontariokofc.ca/online-membership/>

ITEMS LEFT AT CHURCH: Please make sure that personal items such as prayer books, pens, tissues, are not left in the pews after Mass. We also ask that **milk bags are not brought in** until further notice. Thank you!



CAMBRIDGE RIGHT TO LIFE will be holding their biggest annual "**Walk for Life**" fundraiser this month to continue their work of defending "Life" from

conception till natural death. Since 100% of their funding is through donations, despite Covid 19, their walk must go on, however the walk will be held remotely to allow for social distancing! Supporters and participants will walk a 5km route of their choice **on or before Saturday September 26th**, individually or with friends in their neighborhood. *Our parish representative, Chris O'Neill, will walk on Saturday September 26th at 10am, if you are interested in walking or would like to sponsor Chris please call her at 519 400 3657. Thank You.*

FALL 2020 CAMPAIGN



40 Days for Life will be holding a Campaign of prayer, fasting and witness beginning on **September 23 and ending on November 5**. Daily hours are from 7

am until 7 pm. The location is, as in previous years, across from Freeport Hospital. We are asking that you

prayerfully consider signing up for one hour per week or as you are able at

www.40daysforlife.com/kitchener or call Patrick or Rita at 519-748-5548 for more information. Thank you for your support of the unborn.

CATECHETICAL CORRESPONDENCE COURSE:

Programs available for children from Kindergarten through to High School not currently receiving religious instruction. Preparation for First Communion and Confirmation for children not in Catholic Schools also available. Families work through the programs at home. Contact Monica in the Catechesis Office at 905-528-7988, ext. 2238 or go to www.hamiltondiocese.com and click on the Catechesis Office for more information, printable registration forms or to register online.

DAWN CENTRE ONLINE EVENT: Come celebrate 20 YEARS of God's faithfulness through the seasons at Dawn Centre (formally Cambridge Pregnancy Resource Centre). Our ONLINE EVENT is free to attend and will take place at 7pm on **Thursday October 1, 2020** (access will remain for 1 week).

Hear from our special speaker Lorna Dueck, clients, and staff/board members about how God works in our community through the centre. Go to the online event page on our website for more details, www.dawncentre.ca including information on how to reserve an interactive Celebration Bag.

RETROUVAILLE: Experiencing Stress in Your Marriage? Thinking about Separation or Divorce? – Is your marriage not what you hoped it would be? Are you, or a relative or friend, heading for a possible divorce? Retrouvaille is designed to help marriages regain their health. The Retrouvaille program is highly successful in saving marriages and in helping them to thrive. For confidential information about, or to register for the program beginning with a weekend on Oct. 23, 2020. Please call 905-664-5212 or email: Teamrecine@gmail.com or visit the website at www.retrouvaille.org



The Waterloo Catholic District School Board is currently accepting applications for **Lunch Hour Supervisors**. Please visit website for job details and application criteria: www.wcdsb.ca