



Dear Parishioners,

As you probably already know, we will be opening up this coming week. I look forward to having you back in the church, although under different circumstances. Due to the current pandemic we will be following strict guidelines set down by the Bishop. There are changes to the layout of the church, and changes to the celebration of the Mass. You may find it a little inconvenient but it is for the safety of our parishioners.

The Mass times will remain the same. Due to the pandemic, only thirty percent of the church may be occupied at one time, and we must practice social distancing within the church. *Please reference the Bishop's letter* that was e-mailed to parishioners and is posted on the Hamilton Diocese website (hamiltondiocese.com). Besides the diocesan protocols, each church will have its own procedures depending on the circumstances unique to the parish.

Some of these protocols are:

- Limited access to the washrooms to one person at a time. Please come prepared. The washroom may not be available.
- The washroom next to the Chapel will remain closed.
- The church is accessible from the front doors (Cooper St) and the side doors next to the large parking lot (Kribs St.)
- The chapel entrance will remain locked. There is no access to the church from the chapel door.
- The small parking lot next to the office will be closed.
- We encourage all parishioners to use masks when they are in church.
- We would ask that single people sit in the smaller pews on each the side of the church and allow families to sit in the larger center pews. (Family members do not have to observe physical distancing.)

I am sure that some of these rules may seem inconvenient but we are doing our best to keep our parishioners safe and keep to the guidelines mandated by the government and the diocese.

Thank you,  
Fr. Love

**MASS INTENTIONS:** All Mass intentions that were scheduled during our period of closure will be re-scheduled to a new date. You will soon receive a call to set a new date.

## Mass Intentions

**Tuesday, June 16 at 7 p.m.**  
+ Thom Ryan

**Wednesday, June 17 at 8 a.m.**  
+ Jan & Bronislawa Hirny

**Thursday, June 18 at 8 a.m.**  
+ Armandino Santos

**Friday, June 19 at 8 a.m.**  
Intentions of Katharine Van Beek & Family

**Saturday, June 20 at 5 p.m.**  
+ Thom Ryan



### REQUEST FOR VOLUNTEERS:

We are looking for two volunteers for each Mass to act as coordinators who will ensure fulfillment and enforcement of the new guidelines before and after Mass. We are also required to assemble a cleaning committee after each Mass to clean/sanitize the pews in the church, chairs in the hall and other common touch points with approved disinfectant spray. This will require 5-6 volunteers following each Mass who will be asked to wear their masks while cleaning and will be provided with disinfectant spray, gloves, and training. We know that our elderly, those with health conditions and those under 16 are not candidates for this important task. Those who are interested in volunteering are asked to email (stmarycambridge@hamiltondiocese.com) or call the parish, noting your preferred mass time. *Thank you in advance for your much-needed assistance!*



### THE KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

We are pleased to hear that Bishop Crosby has been appointed as State Chaplain for the Ontario State Council of the Knights of Columbus to complete the term of Archbishop Marcel Dampousse, recently appointed coadjutor Archbishop of Ottawa-Cornwall Archdiocese. The appointment, made by the Executive Committee of the Assembly of Catholic Bishops of Ontario, is effective July 1, 2020.

The Knights of Columbus has produced a video series called "Into the Breach" which seeks to answer the question of what it means to be a man and how to live as a man in today's world. These would be of interest to all Catholic men. Visit the parish website under Ministries - Knights of Columbus - to view this series.

(<https://www.stmaryhespeler.ca/knights-of-columbus>)