Saint Gregory the Great Parish

A Catholic Community of Faith in Cambridge since 1967

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PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Monday: Closed Tuesday — Friday: 8:30am—2:00pm

SACRAMENTS

Baptism: Please call to arrange the appropriate preparation at least two months in advance.

Reconciliation:

Saturdays 10:00 am — 10:30 am Tuesdays 6:00 pm — 6:30 pm and by appointment.

First Holy Communion & Confirmation: Please contact the Parish Office 519-623-3111

Marriage: Please contact the office at least one year in advance of expected date.

Holy Orders : Contact Fr. Malcolm Katzenberger at the Parish Office or contact Fr. Mike King at the Diocese at 905-528-7988

Anointing of the Sick:

Please contact the Parish Office 519-623-3111

St. Vincent De Paul Society - Voucher Program 519-622-2232

When entering a hospital please register as a member of St. Gregory's Parish. When confined at home, contact the parish.

PASTOR

Fr. Malcolm Katzenberger

PASTORAL AND SUPPORT TEAM

Deacon John Fioretti Mrs. Maria Ditner, Office Administrator Mr. David Cinti, Maintenance

MASS SCHEDULE

Lord's Day

Saturday @ 5:00 pm Sundays @ 10:00 am

Weekdays

Tuesday @ 7:00 pm Wednesday Thursday & Friday @ 8:15 am

DEVOTIONS

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament Tuesday—6:00pm—6:45 pm

Rosary Sunday @ 9:30 am Tuesday @ 6:30 pm Divine Mercy Chaplet Tuesday @ 6:00 pm

Blessing of Expectant Parents Fourth Sunday of the month following Mass

ALL SUBMISSIONS for the bulletin must be received by TUESDAY AM

Second Sunday of Lent

Mass Intentions

Tuesday, March 10 7:00 pm + Gustav & Erma Kovac

Wednesday, March II 8:15 am + Antonio Sousa

Thursday, March 12 8:15 am + Maria Angelina Amaral & Family

Friday, March 13 8:15 am + Maria Resendes

7:00 pm STATIONS OF THE CROSS—CFFC

Saturday, March 14 5:00 pm + Antonio Pereira Int. of Maria Vollmer

Sunday, March 15 10:00 am Int. of all Parishioners

IN THE PARISH CENTRER

Monday, March 9 Legion of Mary—6:30 pm

Tuesday, March 10 Bible Study —9:00 am

Wednesday, March II CWL—Sew & Chat —9:00 am

> Thursday, March 12 ACA meetings—7:00 pm

And he said to all: If any man will come after me, let him deny himself, and take up his cross daily, and follow me" - Luke 9:23.

TAX RECEIPTS NOW AVAILABLE

2019 Tax Receipts are now available and can be picked up in the Atrium (off parish hall). Thank you once again for your generosity during the year. Fr. Malcolm

Sunday Offering March 1, 2020

Weekly Collection...... \$2,340.70

Thank you for your on-going support!

Pray for our Priests and Religious

Monday Tuesday Wednesday Thursday Friday Saturday Rev. Francis Trzupek Rev. Edward Hampson Lay Parish Ministers Rev. Franjo Sprajc Rev. Peter Meyer Rev. Donald Sanvido

FORMED Pick of the Week

Go to http://formed.org Click on Sign Up found in the top right hand corner of the formed welcome page Click on "I belong to a parish organization" A search dialog will appear, asking you for the name of your parish. Type "Saint Gregory the Great Cam-

bridge" and choose us from the list that appears. Enter your name and email address into the dialog boxes.

LENTEN REFLECTIONS - He waits with tender love for you. Join us as we journey throughout Lent toward a life with a deeper reliance and acceptance of Christ's love that waits to envelop us. Receive short, daily videos and applicable challenges from Scripture scholar Dr. Tim Gray straight to your inbox every morning to fuel your Lenten journey.

Kids: watch The Eucharist for Little Children

Unique Things to Give Up for Lent

- 1. Sleeping in a Bed
- 2. Taking Hot Showers
- 3. Watching TV, Hulu, Netflix and Youtube
- 4. Wearing Make-up
- 5. Playing Games on Your Phone
- 6. Looking in the Mirror
- 7. Checking Your Bank Account
- 8. Bottled Water
- 9. Weighing Yourself
- 10. Reading questionable books and/or magazines

Indwell is a Christian affordable housing charity, and we're excited to announce that we are coming alongside other mental health and supportive housing agencies. We have purchased the former St Mark's Lutheran Church in Kitchener. As we begin the process of transforming the building into affordable housing. We're looking to hire our first staff member, a Community Engagement and Fundraising Coordinator. Please go to Indwell.ca/careers for more information. Application deadline is March 15. If you would like more information about this project, please connect with Leah Logan (<u>llogan@indwell.ca</u> or 905-529-0454 x324). ☆

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We have reached our Goal !!!

Thank you to all who have made this campaign a great success

Do not forget to sign our banner found in the ☆ Atrium of the church

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Ever Wonder what the stain glass of St. Gregory the Great means; It is a Latin phrase "ora pro nobis Deum Alleluia" It translates as "Pray for us to God, Alleluia." The source of the quote is believed to come from the Regina Caeli Prayer (Queen of Heaven Rejoice, Alleluia) This prayer is said daily here at Saint Gregory's during the Easter season. A couple of items of note:

1 - Alleluia is not a Latin word but the anglicized version of the Hebrew (Jewish) word hallelujah. It translates as "Praise the Lord."

2 - There is an interesting tradition linking St. Pope Gregory the Great to the "ora pro nobis Deum Alleluia" phrase as follows: The legend has it that in the year 596, during Easter time, a pestilence was ravaging Rome. St. Gregory the Great requested a procession be held to pray that the pestilence be stopped. On the appointed day of the procession he assembled with his clergy at dawn at the church of Ara Coeli. Holding in his hand the icon of our Lady that was said to have been painted by St. Luke, he and his clergy started out in procession to St. Peter's. As he passed the Castle of Hadrian, as it was called in those days, voices were heard from above singing the Regina Caeli. The astonished Pope, enraptured with the angelic singing, replied in a loud voice: "Ora pro nobis Deum. Alleluia!" At that moment an angel appeared in a glorious light, sheathed the sword of pestilence in its scabbard, and from that day the pestilence ceased. In honor of this miraculous event, the name of the castle was then changed to Sant' Angelo and the words of the angelic hymn were inscribed upon the roof of the Church of Ara Coeli. Fr. Malcolm

Dynamic Women of Faith two days two events Date: March 27, 2020 from 7:00pm-10:00 pm For High School & University Students and their mothers. March 28, 2020 8:30am—5:00pm for all women Location: Le Treport Banquet Hall, 1075 Queensway East, Mississauga, Ont. Info at 416-907-1042 or Website: dynamicwomenfaith.com



This month we are collecting:

Pasta & Sauce

Until further notice only non-perishable food will be accepted Thank you for your support!

CANADIAN FOOD FOR CHILDREN CONTAINERS FOR COINS

Are now available at the Church entrances for the Lenten Season.

Please take a can home and put in any change/money that might be left over from shopping or from the day's activities throughout the Lenten Season. Bring the cans back to church during Holy Week. Each 20 cents provides a nutritious meal for a starving child in one of CFFC Missions.

Thanks for your anticipated generosity. Mary & Norbert Oberle

Young Adult Lenten Meet-ups

Beginning Thursday, March 5th from 7:30 - 9 pm. St. Mary's Parish is launching a weekly meet-up for Young Adults (ages 18-35) in the parish hall, 56 Duke Street West Kitchener. We will continue every Thursday during Lent. Through guest speakers and group discussions, we will explore topics such as: the origins of Lent, prayer, fasting, almsgiving, and reconciliation. Snacks will be provided! We hope to see you there! Call 519-576-3860 for more info

Career Opportunity: Due to a pending retirement the Congregation of the Resurrection in Waterloo is looking for a full-time Treasurer (35 hours per week). This is an interesting position working in a very pleasant environment with a competitive salary and benefits package. The role involves maintaining the accounts and records and providing support for Resurrection's Members. For info. or to apply email hr@resurrectioncollege.ca and visit resurrectionists.ca (no telephone calls please). We are looking to fill this position by April.



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