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—2:30pm

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

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

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

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**

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

Rosary Sunday @ 9:30 am Tuesday @ 6:20 pm Saturday @ 4:30 pm **Divine Mercy Chaplet** Tuesday @ 6:00 pm

Blessing of Expectant Parents Fourth Sunday of the month following Mass

> SUBMISSIONS to the bulletin due TUESDAY AM

> > Visit us online www.saintgregoryparish.com

Third Sunday of Lent

Mass Intentions

Tuesday, March 9 7:00 pm

Wednesday, March 10 8:15 am + Jose Reis and Family

Thursday, March II 8:15 am + Jose and Inez Melo

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

Saturday, March 13 5:00 pm + Antonio Pereira + Giulio Fioretti Int. of the Morretti Family

Sunday, March 14 10:00 am Int. of all Parishioners

Pray for our Priests and Religious

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| Monday | Rev. Joe S. Selvanayagam |
| Tuesday | Rev. Stephen Gilbert |
| Wednesday | Sisters of St. Joseph of Cluny (S.J.C.) |
| Thursday | Rev. Marko Puljic, O.F.M. |
| Friday | Rev. Robert Kavelj, O.F.M. |
| Saturday | Rev. Ilija Petkovic |

Holy Season of Lent

The Diocesan Office for Evangelization, Catechesis and the Office for Liturgy have prepared a program for lent. For more information and additional resources for celebrating Lent in pandemic times, please see our Diocesan website: www.hamiltondiocese.com/lent2021

ANOTHER WAY OF GIVING... As the new church year approaches, we would like to encourage parishioners to consider E-Offertory, a safe, secure, convenient and flexible way to support our parish. E-Offertory allows you to give directly from your bank without the need of an envelope, cheque, or cash. E-Offertory can be set up conveniently on your terms and can be cancelled at any time. All information is kept confidential and changes can be made quickly and easily. For E-Offertory information, please call the parish office.

Sunday Offering

| EFT weekly Collection | \$790.00 |
|------------------------------|------------|
| Envelope Donations to Feb 28 | \$2,115.25 |

Thank you for your Generosity!

Knight of Columbus News

50-50 K of C CHARITY DRAW. People wishing to purchase tickets simply go to Ontario Knights of Columbus website <u>ontariokofc.ca</u> & follow instructions. Payment by credit card.

Tickets are 100 for \$40.00, 40 for \$20.00; 15 for \$10.00. Confirmation of sale and ticket numbers will follow in an email. In the billing info section (Step 2) <u>select</u> <u>"Cambridge 4916"</u> from the drop down menu, this credits our Council for the sale.

Lottery draw date: April 1/21, the prize is a 50-50 split. For more information on the draw, contact Dan Schmalz 519-650-5523 Grand Knight, Council 4916

SVDP NEWS

The pandemic is leaving people sick, unemployed, and struggling to make ends meet. We have also seen some fires this winter; many people were burned out of their rooms/homes. There is more need right now. Please consider the Saint Vincent de Paul thrift store, particularly if you have bedding donations to make: comforters/quilts for beds, sleeping bags, sheet sets, blankets, pillows.

Items can be dropped off between 10 a.m.—2 p.m. at the Thrift Store. This drop-off schedule gives the store personnel adequate time to process donations safely before the Thrift Store's daily closing at 4:30 p.m. We can't do this work without you! Thank you for your support and May God bless you! Mary C. Roberts

Kind words can be short and easy to speak, but their echoes are truly endless. St. Teresa of Calcutta

Cans for Coins Reminder

Thanks to the many parishioners who have taken a Can. Wonderful response! However, cans are still available. For those who do not feel comfortable attending Mass in person because of COVID and are unable to pick up a Can, simply use any household container and achieve your almsgiving objective just the same. Thanks for your generosity and stay safe. Cans can be returned to the Church. Norbert

THE CCCB PASTORAL OFFICES have prepared a video series called *Journey through Lent: Video Series for Lent 2021.* Bishop Gerard Bergie, Bishop of St. Catharines, and Archbishop Marcel Damphousse, Archbishop of Ottawa-Cornwall, will offer reflections on the Sunday readings which are available each Monday prior to the Sundays of Lent. Available on the <u>CCCB website</u>. A safe way to reflect on Lent this year

March 7, 2021

What are you doing for Lent?

Daily reflections for Lent

—You shall love your neighbor as yourself. I am the Lord. Lv 19:1-2, 11-18—Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name.

Matthew 6:7-15

—The sign for this generation will be the sign of Jonah. Luke 11:29-32

—Ask, and it will be given to you. Seek, and you will find. Matthew 7:7-12

—God desires that the wicked turn away from evil. Ezekiel 18:21-28

—Love your enemies and pray for those who hate you. Matthew 5:43-48

—Forgive others as you have been forgiven. Matthew 18:21-35

—To the Lord our God belong mercy and forgiveness. Daniel 9:4b-10

—Blessed is the man who trusts in the Lord. Ieremiah 17:5-10

Pope's March Prayer Intention

Sacrament of Reconciliation - Let us pray that we may experience the sacrament of reconciliation with renewed depth, to taste the infinite mercy of God.

THE DIOCESAN OFFICE FOR FAMILY

MINISTRY is offering sessions on "Diving Deeper into *Fratelli Tutti*" (Pope Francis' most recent Encyclical). The sessions are offered twice on the Mondays of March 1st, 8th, 15th, 22nd, and 29th at 1:30 to 3:00 p.m. AND 7:00 to 8:30 p.m. The sessions will look into the writings of the Pope and his statements conveying how we are created to be relational, to be in communion with God and one another. Info @ hamiltondiocese.com/

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 Cambridge" and choose us from the list that appears. Enter your name and email address into the dialog boxes, now enjoy.

40 Days of Grace and Glory—a journey with Dr. Tim Gray. Daily Lenten Reflections. Or

PAROUSIA - The Bible and the Mass



This month we are collecting:

Canned Meat & Fish

Until further notice <u>only non-perishable FOOD</u> will be accepted **Thank you for your support!**

Prayer is...

"Commit your way to the Lord; trust in him and he will act." Psalm 37:4

Lenten journey our focus this week is prayer. In the Psalms, the word "selah" is used to create a space to pause and reflect. The season of Lent can feel differently each year, depending on what is on our minds and hearts and this year is no exception.

Often, we choose to spend time in reflection, considering the sacrifice that Jesus made for us and preparing to celebrate his resurrection and coming again.

This Lent let's take time to **pause and reflect** on the great need to care for children around the world and in our own community who wrestle with the impact of poverty and hunger every day.

Consider starting every day in Lent with this prayer.

Mary's Meals Prayer

Our Father

Give us this day our daily bread

and forgive us for the times when we take more than our share of the bread that belongs to all.

Let us help You fill the starving with good things, not with scraps from our table.

Teach us how to share what is not ours to keep. Clothe us with Your love that we may complete each good work you created us to do.

Place in our hearts Your compassion for each starving child and use our little acts of love

so that they starve no more. Amen

Sheri McConnell Executive Director, Mary's Meals Canada

Are YOU interested in being a Lector or Minister of Communion?

Do you feel that God is calling you to participate in the celebration of Holy Mass in either of these Liturgical Ministries? St. Gregory's is currently looking to "swell the ranks" by asking that you consider becoming a Lector or Minister of Communion. Training, both in our parish and through the Diocese will be provided. If you are interested please contact our parish office during regular office hours or speak to Fr. Malcolm or Deacon John after Mass. We'd love to have you become a part of our liturgical team!

TO ADVERTISE HERE PLEASE CALL 519-623-3111



Our Parish Schools

Elementary

Saint Gregory

Bryan Cinti Principal 519-621-6770 Saint Augustine Angie Carroll-Boeyenga Principal 519.740.3530

Secondary

Monsignor Doyle Lou Bellini, Principal, 519.622.1290

