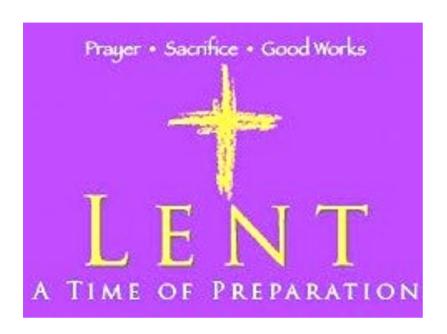
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MASS SCHEDULE

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 @ 6:20 pm Saturday @ 4:30 pm

Blessing of Expectant Parents

Fourth Sunday of the month following Mass

SUBMISSIONS to the bulletin due
TUESDAY AM

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

Visit us online www.saintgregoryparish.com

Divine Mercy Chaplet

Tuesday @ 6:00 pm

Fifth Sunday of Lent



Tuesday, March 23

7:00 pm + Clarence Lefebvre

Wednesday, March 24

8:15 am + Manuel & Umbelina Melo

Thursday, March 25

8:15 am Int. Armando Ceron

Friday, March 26

8:15 am

Saturday, March 27—Palm Sunday

5:00 pm

+ Antonio Fontes

+ Murat Emirogiu

+ Isabel Power

Sunday, March 28

10:00 am Int. of all Parishioners

Pray for our Priests and Religious

Monday Rev. Nishil Varghese, C.M.I.
Tuesday Very Rev. Cornelius O'Mahony
Wednesday Franciscan Fathers (O.F.M.)
Thursday Most Rev. Matthew Ustrzycki

Friday Rev. Felix Nwatu

Saturday Rev. Piotr (Peter) Machnacki, S.A.C.

Not too Late—Cans for Coins

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

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

Thank you for your Generosity!



On this Year of St. Joseph, get to know the man that God entrusted to be the father of his Son and entrust your own family to St. Joseph's loving protection.

On March 18, join us for a free virtual event: "A Man for All Families: A Vigil Event on the Solemnity of St. Joseph." Featuring "Mary Through the Eyes of St. Joseph" by Scott Hahn

- "St. Joseph the Royal Worker" by John Bergsma
- "St. Joseph and His Angels" by Mike Aquilina

Knight of Columbus News

50-50 K of C CHARITY DRAW. People wishing to purchase tickets simply go to Ontario Knights of Columbus website ontariokofc.ca & 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) **select**"Cambridge 4916" 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

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!

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.

Guard what has been Entrusted to you—A Sermon for the Feast of St. Joseph Children: Lukas Storyteller: Saint Joseph

What are you doing for Lent?

Daily reflections for Lent

- 1. Let your fasting be seen only by the Father in heaven Mt 6:1-6, 16-18
- 2. Deny yourself, take up your cross and follow Jesus Luke 9:22-2
- 3. Free the oppressed; share your bread with the hungry Isaiah 58:1-9a
- 4. Jesus said, "I have come to call sinners to repentance." Luke 5:27-32
- 5. Worship the Lord your God and serve only him Matthew 4:1-11

REFLECTION:

He who loves his life loses it," this is a truth stated by Christ at the solemn moment when he was speaking of the purpose of his own painful death. He died so that we might live, not for sixty or even a hundred years on earth, but forever in heaven. We can, we know, lose the eternal life Christ won for us if we are too attached to our earthly life. If we love our own comforts, pleasures, temporal gains, our own worldly will, more than we love our unending, happy future, then we are loving our earthly lives wrongly, and we are gravely risking the loss of the future, true life.

If, on the other hand, we do our best to be faithful servants of Christ, we shall always judge all our actions with eternity in view. We can use the things of this life which God gives us, and still be close followers of Christ. The lawful possession of the goods of this world, the enjoyment of the licit pleasures of life, are allowed to the fervent Christian. If these possessions and pleasures are accepted with Christian gratitude, they will become stepping-stones that will help us across the river of life to our everlasting home beyond.

Each one of us should look fervently and devoutly on the crucifix today, and try to compare our willingness to suffer those crosses sent to us by God, with the crushing cross and passion our Savior Jesus Christ gladly accepted for us and not for his own sake. Do not let the conclusion you draw stun you into inactivity, but rather let it shock you into a new outlook on life; a new resolve to serve, follow and imitate our loving Christ more closely in future. So may it be for all of us. Excerpted from *The*

Sisters of Our Lady Immaculate "Fiat"

Online Women's Discernment Group Second Saturday of Every Month 11:00 am—11:30 am

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Canned Meat & Fish

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

March 2021—The Reel Justice Film Festival

A partnership between the Bishop Farrell Library and Development and Peace, the *Reel Justice Film Festival* shines a spotlight on issues of social, political, and economic injustice. Films are screened once a month and provide an opportunity for community discussion about ways we can all support actions for change. Details and full schedule can be found at <u>reeljusticefilmfestival.wordpress.com</u>. All of the films will be available online. **Special family-friendly screening March 25**th, 6:30 pm – 8:00 pm - *To the Arctic*, narrated by Meryl Streep. The film follows the lives of a mother polar bear and her twin seven-month-old cubs, as they navigate the changing Arctic wilderness. RSVP online @ library@hamiltondiocese.com</u>. John the discussion!

Pornography: The Threat, Impact, and Catholic Remedy - Pornography is one of the most important issues to understand in our world today. Easily available on the internet, it affects people of all ages, backgrounds, male or female. Pornography today is violent and degrading and often involves young people who have been sex-trafficked. Join us on Zoom (by internet or phone) on March 25th from 7-8:30 pm and hear more about the threat and impact of pornography on children and adults, how we can educate ourselves and our children to counter its negative influence and how our Catholic faith provides hope to those impacted. Presented by Mrs. Teresa Hartnett and Deacon Joseph Di Loreto. Registration required but the session is free of charge. https://hamiltondiocese.com/offices/family-ministry/pornography-help.



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