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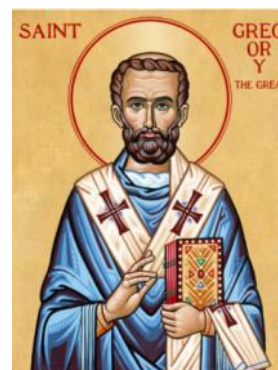
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MASS SCHEDULE

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

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

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

Feast of the Holy Family

Masses For The Week



Tuesday, December 28

7:00 pm **No Weekday Mass**

Wednesday, December 29

8:15 am **No Weekday Mass**

Thursday, December 30

8:15 am **No Weekday Mass**

Friday, December 31

8:15 am **No Weekday Mass**

**Saturday, January 1 NEW YEARS DAY
Solemnity of Mary, Mother of God**

10:00 am **+ Gerald Doyle Sr. & Jr.**

Sunday, January 2, Epiphany of the Lord

10:00 am **Int. of all Parishioners**

Pray for our Priests and Religious

Monday	Very Rev. Msgr. Murray Kroetsch
Tuesday	Rev. Francisco Cruz
Wednesday	Sisters of St. Anne (s.s.a.)
Thursday	Rev. Adam Wroblewicz, C.R.
Friday	Rev. Melvin Pinto, O.C.D.
Saturday	Solemnity of Mary, The Holy Mother of God

Peace I leave with you; my peace I give to you. I do not give to you as the world gives. Do not let your hearts be troubled, and do not let them be afraid."

John 14:27



2022 Offertory Envelopes

can be found in the Atrium (off the Parish Center). Current envelope users should find a box labeled with their name and address (please check for any errors).

If you would like to begin using weekly envelopes you will find a box with unlabeled sets. **Before you take the envelope set insure that your contact information is provided.**

If you are unable to pick up your envelopes before/after Mass, please pick them up during office hours Tuesday—Friday from 9:00am—3:00pm.

Sunday Offering

EFT weekly Collection.....	\$ 688.75
Envelope Donations November 19....	\$2,604.50
Christmas	\$2,035.00

Thank you for your Generosity!

The Office of Evangelization and Catechesis and the Liturgy Office have prepared a beautiful resource for families to share and pray together in celebration of the Feast of the Holy Family. Families may find this a welcome resource in guiding their devotions at home.

www.hamiltondiocese.com/holyfamily2021

Perpetual Adoration Chapel at St. Ambrose

All are welcome to quietly pray at the Chapel. Entrance to the Chapel is located on the South Street side door of the Church. Scheduled adorers are required to ensure the Blessed Sacrament is never left unattended, 24 hours a day, 7 days a week. If you can commit to a particular hour each week please Contact the parish office by phone or email.

ANGEL TREEE UPDATE: This year with the support of our parishioners and the K of C we were able to provide gifts to 36 children and 10 seniors. Each family was also provided with a \$25 gift card for Food Basics. Thank you for all your kindness.

2022 Living with Christ Sunday Missal

CAN BE FOUND AT THE ENTRANCES TO THE CHURCH COST \$5.00 EACH



Merry Christmas from Council 4916

Msgr. Paul J. Meyer Council 4916

extends to all our fellow parishioners and their families a most Blessed and Holy Christmas. May this Holy season bring Peace, Joy and Happiness to you and your family.



Donations toward the Christmas decorations can be place in an envelope marked "Christmas

Decorations" and left in the collection basket. Please put your name/phone # on your envelope for a tax receipt.



Friday, Dec. 24

Monday, Dec. 27 through to Friday Dec 31

Monday, Jan 3

December 26, 2021

The feast day of your birth resembles You, Lord
Because it brings joy to all humanity.
Old people and infants alike enjoy your day.
Your day is celebrated from generation to generation.
Kings and emperors may pass away,
And the festivals to commemorate them soon lapse.
But your festival
will be remembered until the end of time.
Your day is a means and a pledge of peace.
At Your birth heaven and earth were reconciled,
Since you came from heaven to earth on that day
You forgave our sins and wiped away our guilt.
You gave us so many gifts on the day of your birth:
A treasure chest of spiritual medicines for the sick;
Spiritual light for the blind;
The cup of salvation for the thirsty;
The bread of life for the hungry.
In the winter when trees are bare,
You give us the most succulent spiritual fruit.
In the frost when the earth is barren,
You bring new hope to our souls.
In December when seeds are hidden in the soil,
The staff of life springs forth from the virgin womb.
St. Ephraim the Syrian (AD 306-373)

**YEAR OF AMORIS LAETITIA FAMILY -
HAMILTON DIOCESAN SPEAKER SERIES**

The Diocesan speaker series, will start in January, with a special 3 part presentation by Bishop Lobsinger, & the Pastoral Office staff. Evening sessions from 7-8:30 p.m. on Jan. 12th, 19th and 26th, and will unpack the great wisdom in Amoris Laetitia: The Joy of Love in Families & Church. The presentations, by zoom, are meant to engage all members in looking at both the challenges and blessings of families in our world. Visit amorislaetitia.hamiltondiocese.com for more info, about both the year and the Diocesan Speaker Series. Online registration is necessary to receive the link, where you can join in by phone or internet. For more information contact Teresa Hartnett at thartnett@hamiltondiocese.com, or 905-528-7988 ext. 2250.

THE 2021 – 2023 SYNOD OF BISHOPS brings an invitation – from Pope Francis to embark on a journey together. How can you get involved? Offer your thoughts on how we can deepen our communion in the Lord and how all members of the Church can participate more fully in its mission. Visit: www.hamiltondiocese.com/synod/#about

The Teacher of children became himself a child among children, that he might instruct the unwise.
The Bread of heaven came down to earth to feed the hungry. St. Cyril of Jerusalem



This month we are collecting:

Cooking Oil

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

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, Enjoy.

**O Holy Night -
Christmas with
the Annie Moses
Band — Watch &
Listen to songs of
the season.**



**COME RETREAT WITH LOYOLA HOUSE
VIRTUALLY!**

Are you looking to break away and spend some time in silence? Interested in learning something new? See our website at loyolahouse.com (under "Events") more info. on these upcoming retreats & programs:

Ignatius Spirituality Retreat - January 17-22

This **virtual retreat** may include video links and/or Zoom (or telephone) gatherings, and optional individual meetings with your spiritual director where indicated. Register online @ loyolahouse.com or registration@ignatiusguelph.ca or by calling 519 824 1250 ext 266.

Christmas Midnight Mass

Cathedral Basilica of Christ the King, Hamilton

His Excellency, Bishop Douglas Crosby, will celebrate Midnight Mass on December 25, 2021. The Mass will be preceded by Carols at 11:30 p.m. on December 24. The Carols and the Mass will be shown live on Salt+Light Television and CHCH-TV. Admittance to the Cathedral for Midnight Mass is by **ticket only** – a limited # of tickets are still available call the Cathedral at (905) 522-5744.

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