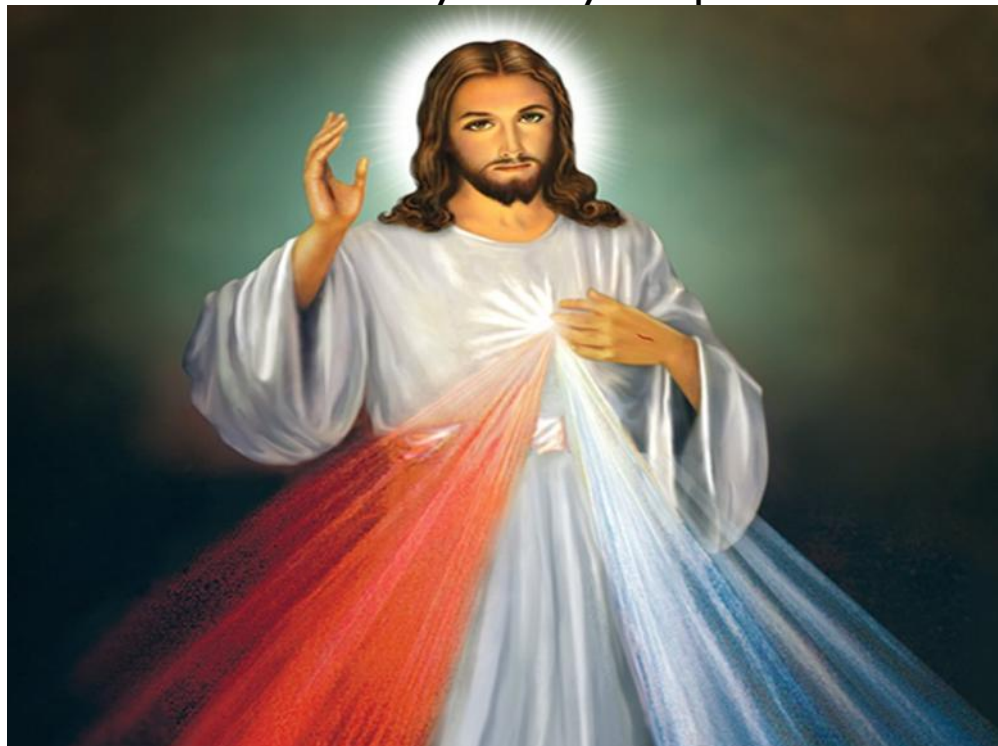


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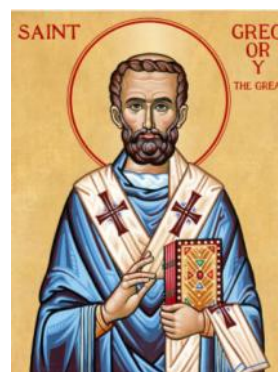
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PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Monday: Closed

Tuesday — Friday: 8:30am—4:00pm

PASTOR

Fr. Khalid Karomi

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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

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. Khalid Karomi 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.

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Visit us online www.saintgregoryparish.com

Second Sunday of Easter—Divine Mercy

Masses For The Week



Tuesday, April 18

7:00 pm + Abel Avelar
+ Sharon Keels
+ Maria Puim
+ Marion Nugent

Wednesday, March 19

8:15 am Int. of Josephine Pucher

Thursday, March 20

8:15 am Int. of Jose Luis Reis

Friday, March 21

8:15 am + Maria and Antonio Sousa

Saturday, April 22

11:00 am **First Communion**

5:00 pm + Virginia DeSousa
+ Jose Figueiredo and Family
+ Baby Mathew Jr. & Mary Ann Power
+ Ines and Jose Melo

Sunday, April 23

9:00 am **Divine Mercy Chaplet will be recited by our Legion of Mary**

10:00 am Int. of all Parishioners

Pray for our Priests and Religious

Monday	St. Kateri Tekakwitha,
Tuesday	Most Rev. Wayne Lobsinger
Wednesday	Jesuit Fathers (S.J.)
Thursday	Rev. Joseph Gregory Michel
Friday	Rev. Wilson Andrade, C.S.C.
Saturday	Rev. Emmanuel Ralte, C.S.C.

Despise the discourse of those who have no faith. —St. Kateri Tekakwitha

**Saturday April 15th & Sunday April 16th
after Mass.**

ALL ARE WELCOME
to join and spend some time
in fellowship.
Coffee, Tea and Light
Snacks



Sunday Offering

EFT weekly Collection.....	\$ 575.00
Holy Land Collection.....	\$1,021.00
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April 9, 2023	\$2,379.15

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RETURN—Cans for Coins

Thanks to the many parishioners who have taken a Can. It is now time to return the Cans so they may be forwarded to their final destinations. Please leave them either in the collection baskets or on the tables in which they were found originally. Norbert

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Return to in person Mass:

Churches should emphasize the importance of gathering together in person for fellowship.

“There is a need to stand in fellowship with your brothers and sisters in Christ to pray for one another. We bring our own burdens to the altar, we pray for our family members knowing that there are others walking with us.”

FREE COPIES OF THE CATHOLIC REGISTER NEWSPAPER and other pamphlets are available in the Atrium. Table next to the hand sanitizer station in the hallway.

We are overjoyed to celebrate the Sacrament of [First Communion](#) with our children from our schools.

Celebration will take place on:

[Saturday, April 22nd at 11:00am](#)

April 16, 2023



Divine Mercy Sunday April 15/16

gives us a unique opportunity to reflect on God’s love, mercy, healing nature and unconditional love:

“God seeks us more than we search for him...it is easy, in our world, for us to be manipulated and fooled into believing we aren’t good enough,

aren’t worthy....If we listen only to worldly voices we risk becoming cynical, judgmental and hard-hearted.... It is crucial to open ourselves to God’s mercy.” This Easter, may we open our hearts more to the heart of the Father who wishes to give us countless blessings.
Reflection by Michael Finoro.

Our Legion of Mary will be reciting the Divine Mercy Prayers this Sunday morning at 9:00am Followed by the Rosary at 9:30am.

Also note that St. Ambrose Church will be praying the **Divine Mercy Chaplet on Sunday—April 16 at 3:00pm.** All are welcome to attend both.

Indigenous Reconciliation Fund:

You will find envelopes on the pews this weekend. A letter from Bishop Crosby is also attached to the bulletin explaining this collection. Return week of April 22/23.

Beyond the Pew – What Now?

In our winter series, we heard from local speakers, about homelessness, addiction, mental health, and youth. What did these mean for you, your parish and our community? What is your heart calling you to do? Fr. Ed Hinsperger will guide us emerge with a clear vision of action.

These conversations will help determine positive steps forward in faith, guided by the Holy Spirit, and in the company of like-minded people.

You are welcome to attend even if you did not attend the winter session. We hope to see you there.

Tuesday April 18, 2023 6:30 - 8:30pm in the church hall. **St Clement Parish**, 745 Duke St, Cambridge
Contact the office to register 519-653-6123

Lost and Found

Have you lost something in the Church. We have lots of items in our Lost and Found Drawer (found in the Narthax) ie, Keys, coats, hats, gloves, earrings, etc. All items not claimed by the end of April will be donated.



This month we are collecting:

Macaroni & Cheese

Thank you for your support!

FORMED Pick of the Week

Go to <http://formed.org>

Once on the home page it will ask you “how do you want to sign in” click on “Sign in as a Parishioner” it will take you to the next screen. Type in Saint Gregory the Great, Cambridge and choose us. The next screen type in your name and email and you are in. WATCH



Is your child interested in becoming an Altar Server? We would like to welcome children in grade 4 and older to become Altar Servers during Masses.

Training is provided.

Please contact the parish office for more information.

Join the **Reel Justice Film Festival** for an in-person screening at The Staircase Theatre, Hamilton with guest speaker Jason Hoffing from **Relay Coffee!** Highlighting the importance of fair trade coffee, the **film Black Gold** follows Tadesse Meskela, a man on a mission to save 74,000 struggling coffee farmers in Ethiopia from bankruptcy. Against the backdrop of Tadesse’s journey to London and Seattle, the power of the multinational players that dominate the world’s coffee trade becomes apparent. Location: 27 Dundurn St N, Hamilton. To RSVP and view our schedule go to: www.reeljusticefilmfestival.wordpress.com

GRIEF RELIEF is a program offered by the Office of Family Ministry for those who may be experiencing grief in their life – whatever the cause. Join us online (ZOOM) on Thursdays from 7:00-8:30 p.m., from April 13th to May 18th , to learn more about what you are feeling and how to gently move forward. You are not alone! Register on our Diocesan website.

2,000 Hail Mary Devotion—Saturday April 29th starting at 8:00am with Mass and continuing until the 2,000 Hail Mary’s are recited.

Location: St. Gregory’s Church



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Divine Mercy 3 O'Clock Prayer
St Faustina Kowalska (1905-1938)

You expired, O Jesus
but the source of life
gushed forth for souls
and an ocean of mercy
opened up for
the whole world.
O Fount of Life,
unfathomable
Divine Mercy,
envelop the whole world
and empty
Yourself out upon us.
O Blood and Water,
which gushed forth
from the
Heart of Jesus
as a fount
of mercy for us,
I trust in You.
Amen.

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