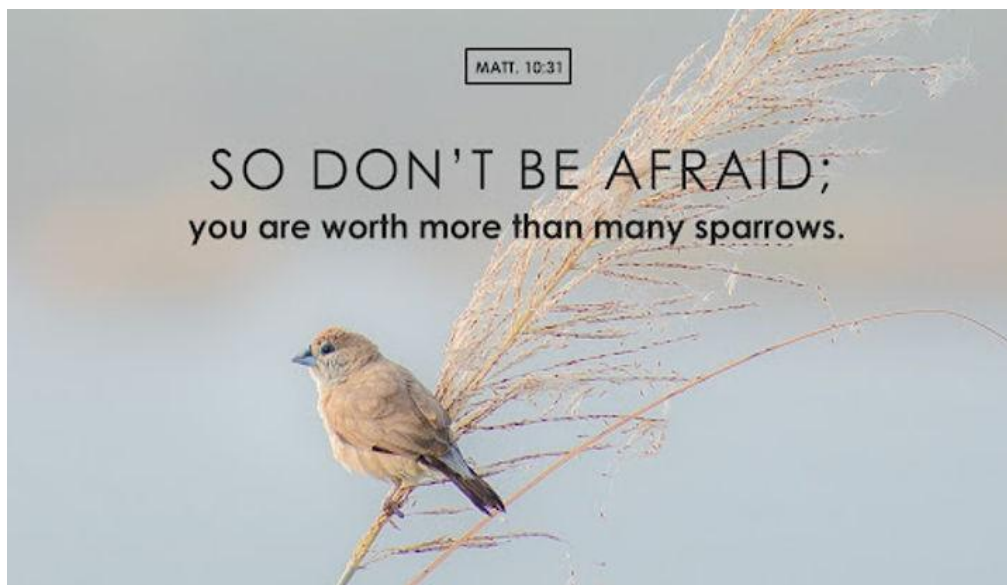


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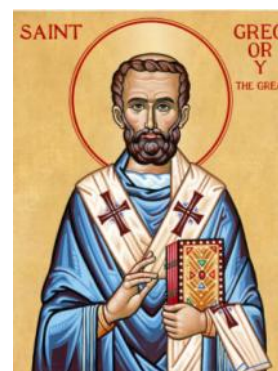
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MASS SCHEDULE

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: TUESDAY AM

PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Monday: Closed

Tuesday — Friday: 8:30am—4:30pm

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. Khalid Karomi at the Parish Office or contact Fr. Mark Morley 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.

Twelfth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Masses For The Week



Tuesday, June 23

**6:30 pm Graduation Mass-St. Gregory's
Grade 8 Class — all are welcome**

Wednesday, June 24

8:15 am + Maria Vollmer and family

Thursday, June 25—Fr. Israel Gonsalves, OCD

8:15 am + Joan McGinnis and Family

Friday, June 26

8:15 am For the Healing of Amanda Rose

Saturday, June 27

**5:00 pm + Joan McGinnis
+ Albino Andrade
+ Roberto Barbosa and Family
+ John and Maria Moura and Family
Int. of Laura Ceron Reis**

Sunday, June 28

10:00am Int. of all Parishioners

Pray for our Priests and Religious

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| Monday | Rev. Hyunjik (John) Yang |
| Tuesday | Rev. Stefano Lee |
| Wednesday | The Nativity of St. John the Baptist |
| Thursday | Disabled Persons |
| Friday | Rev. Brendan McGrath. |
| Saturday | Most Rev. Douglas Crosby, O.M.I. |

**Join us after each Mass this weekend
in thanking Fr. Khalid
For his service to St. Gregory Parish**

- we will gather in the Parish Hall
- light refreshments will be served



Sunday Offering

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| EFT weekly Collection..... | \$ 750.60 |
| June 14..... | \$1,250.60 |
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June is the month of the Sacred Heart of Jesus.

We call to mind Christ's love for us, which is visible in a special way in the image of His pierced heart, and we pray that our own hearts might be conformed to His, calling us to love and respect all His people.

The Sacred Heart of Jesus lawn signs are available to purchase. Cost is \$7 each. If you still wish to have one, visit the office.

Pilgrim Virgin Statue

Legion of Mary,
Our Lady
Untier of Knots



at St. Gregory the Great Parish.

You can make arrangements for a Legion of Mary Pilgrim Statue to visit your home, which is usually a one to two week visit. Sign up sheets are at the front entrance of the church near the Pilgrim Virgin statue. Legion Members will bring the statue to your home and pray the welcoming Rosary with you, your family, and friends.

Devotion books are provided. Closing prayers are said when the statue moves from your home to a new location. Contact Betty @ 519-740-7643 for more info.

Join us as we support the Dawn Centre's Blessings Bottle Campaign. This campaign helps provide free compassionate care, accurate info. and practical support to individuals navigating an unintended pregnancy in our community. [Please return your filled bottles by leaving them in the collection baskets.](#) Thank you

Marian Days—First Saturdays from June—October at the Basilica of Our Lady Immaculate, Guelph. Format: 9am Holy Hour with morning prayer and confession. 10am Benediction 10:30am Holy Mass followed by an outdoor rosary procession.

July 4 -Bishop Lobsinger; **August 1** -Thomas Cardinal Collins; **September 5**—Bishop Lobsinger and **October 3**—Bishop Joseph Dabrowski

**We wish to extend a warm welcome to
Fr. Israel Gonsalves, OCD,
our new Pastor.**

June 21, 2026

The readings speak to a very real human experience—fear, rejection, and feeling alone in our struggles. Yet, they also remind us that in the midst of fear, God stands with us, calling us to trust Him and live with courage.

The First reading—Jeremiah hears people whispering against him, waiting for him to fail. Even his close friends are watching for him to stumble. Jeremiah feels surrounded by fear and betrayal. Yet, in the middle of this fear, Jeremiah declares, “But the Lord is with me like a mighty warrior.” Faith is not the absence of fear, but trust in the middle of it. Though he feels weak, he knows God is strong. Jeremiah trusts that God sees everything and will bring justice. The passage ends not in despair, but in praise. Even after expressing fear and pain, Jeremiah chooses to praise God for rescuing the needy from evildoers.

In our own moments of fear, rejection, or discouragement. Like Jeremiah, we may feel alone or misunderstood. But God is not absent in our struggles. He stands with us, even when others stand against us. Faith does not mean we never feel afraid—it means we continue to trust God despite our fear. Jeremiah does not pretend that life is easy; he brings his hurt to God.

His example tells us that faith is not always cheerful feelings, but a decision to trust God when life is heavy. When people whisper against us, God still sees the heart, knows the truth, and remains near.

In the gospel Jesus says: “Do not be afraid.” And He says the same to us today: Do not be afraid. Jesus understands that fear can silence us, weaken us, and stop us from doing what is right. When God is at the center, fear begins to lose its grip on us. Then Jesus offers a beautiful image. He speaks of sparrows—tiny birds that seem unimportant—yet not one of them falls without God knowing. And if God cares for such small creatures, how much more does He care for us! He continues “Whoever acknowledges me before others, I will acknowledge before my Father.” Faith is not meant to be hidden; it is meant to be lived and witnessed. We all struggle with fear—fear of being judged, rejected, or misunderstood. Sometimes we keep quiet about our beliefs or values to avoid discomfort. But Jesus reminds us that we are never alone. When we trust in God’s care and love, we find the strength to rise above our fears. Courage does not mean the absence of fear, but choosing to stand firm in faith despite it. So this week, do not let fear silence you. Speak, act, and live your faith—because your voice matters to God. Do not be afraid.



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Thank you.

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Our Lady of Mt. Carmel Mass—Mark your calendars! All are invited to attend a special Mass in honour of Our Lady of Mt. Carmel on Sunday, July 12, 2026 at 2pm at the Carmel Monastery (1127 Carmel-Koch Rd., St. Agatha, ON) Bishop Dombroski is the celebrant. All are invited!

Conrad Grebel University—Project Ploughshares 50th Anniversary exhibit launch—Tuesday June 23 at 7pm Grebel Gallery. Meet some of the people and archival materials behind Project Ploughshares’ peace and disarmament efforts over the last 50 years. Light refreshments provided. visit uwaterloo.ca/centre-peace-advancement/grebel-gallery.

The Divine Heart is an ocean full of all good things, wherein poor souls can cast all their needs; it is an ocean full of joy to drown all our sorrows, an ocean of humility to drown our folly, an ocean of mercy to those in distress, and ocean of love in which to submerge our poverty. St. Margaret Mary Alacoque

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**Happy
Father Day**

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heart with love, joy, and
peace today and always.

