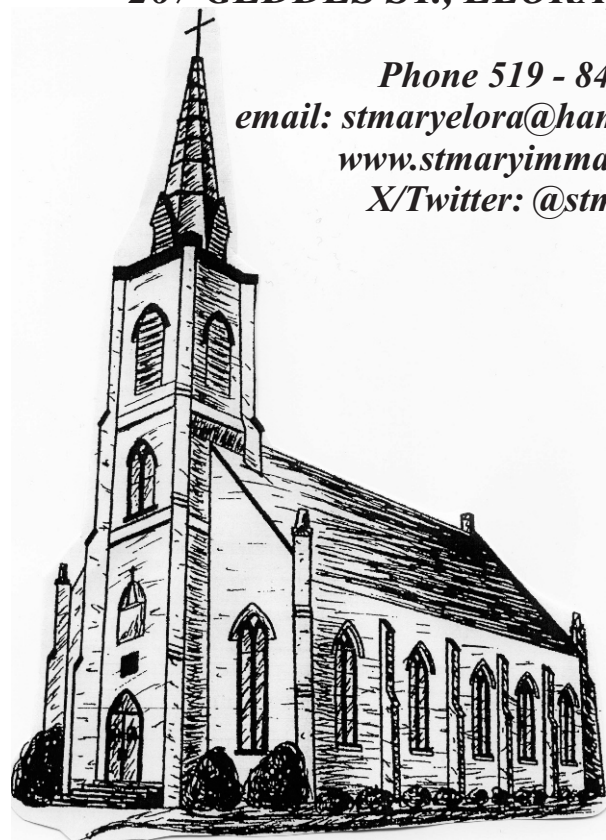


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LORD'S DAY MASSES

Saturday 5:00 pm

Sunday 9:00 am*

Sunday 11:00 am

RECONCILIATION

Saturday 4:15-4:45 pm

Sunday 8:30 - 8:45 am*

First Thursday of the Month 6:40 - 7:00pm

WEEKDAY MASSES

Monday - Friday 9:00 am

On the 2nd Wednesday of each month, Mass is celebrated at Wellington Terrace LTC and the last Wednesday of the month at Heritage River Retirement Residence, both at 10:30 am, instead of 9:00am at St. Mary's

EUCCHARISTIC EXPOSITION AND ADORATION

The first Thursday of each month, 6:30 - 7:30 pm

* Celebrated at St. Martin of Tours in Drayton

The Sacrament of Baptism Parents are asked to contact the parish office as soon as possible after the birth of their baby. Adults seeking Baptism for themselves are also encouraged to contact us.

Ministry to the Sick If you or a family member is in hospital and in need of sacramental ministry, please contact the parish office.

The Sacrament of Matrimony Those seeking marriage should contact the parish office before booking a reception venue. Weddings are normally celebrated in a parish where either the bride or the groom resides.

Memorial Donations Please remember your parish in your will and when recommending expressions of sympathy.

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OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST KING OF THE UNIVERSE – NOVEMBER 23, 2025

WEEKLY MASS SCHEDULE

Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe

Saturday, November 22nd

5:00 p.m. **+Judy Feil**
(Feil Family)

Sunday, November 23rd

St. Martin's
9:00 a.m. **Pro Populo**

St. Mary's
11:00 a.m. **+Edward Berlot**
(Maria Berlot)

Monday *St. Andrew Dung-Lac and
Companions, Martyrs (M)*

9:00 a.m. **+Patrick Kraemer**
(Jean Kramer and Family)

Tuesday *St. Catherine of Alexandria, Martyr (OM)*

No Mass

Wednesday

No Mass

Thursday

No Mass

Friday

No Mass

First Sunday of Advent

Saturday, November 29th

5:00 p.m. **+Dorothy and Jim Bissell**
(Feil Family)

**Sunday, November 30th **

St. Martin's
9:00 a.m. **Pro Populo**

St. Mary's
11:00 a.m. **+Michael Reis**
(Patricia Reis and Family)

VOCATION SEEDS

“Jesus, remember me when you come into your Kingdom.” Can you lead others to make this request of our Lord and King? Give your life to Jesus and others are sure to hear, “Truly I tell you, today you will be with me in Paradise.” If God is calling you contact Fr. Mark Morley, Director of Vocations, 905-528-7988. vocations@hamiltondiocese.com

ADVENT HEALING MISSION

Fr. Bill Trusz (Papal Missionary of Mercy) will be joining us for an Advent mission from December 13 to 17. Fr. Trusz will preach each Mass for the Third Sunday of Advent.

In St. Mary Immaculate Church there will be time for Confessions from 1:00-6:00 p.m. each day from December 15 to 17. On December 15, Holy Mass with mission preaching will be at 7:00 p.m. On December 16, there will be teaching and guided meditation at 7:00 p.m., followed by Holy Mass. On December 17 there will be Exposition and Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament with prayers for healing starting at 6:30 p.m. and followed by Holy Mass.

YOUR OFFERINGS

St. Mary Immaculate

November 15th and 16th

Weekly Offerings	\$ 2,248.00
Loose	183.00
4 Building Maintenance	250.00
2 Confirmation Offerings	100.00
1 Christmas Offering	150.00
1 Cemetery Purposes	25.00
1 Flower Offering	25.00
Total:	\$ 2,981.00

St. Martin of Tours

November 16th

Weekly Offerings	\$ 342.00
Loose	28.85
Total:	\$ 370.85

Your constant generosity is very much appreciated!

WORLD DAY OF THE POOR

As part of this Jubilee Year, the diocese asks that each parish take up a collection on or around the World Day of the Poor (November 16) to be used to support those in need in each locality. To make a cash offering, please take a blank envelope and write "Spirit of Hope Collection" and your usual envelope number on it. For cheque donations, please include this in the memo line.

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NOVENA OF MASSES FOR THE SOLEMNITY OF THE IMMACULATE CONCEPTION AT BASILICA OF OUR LADY IMMACULATE

Once again, this year you are welcome to celebrate a Novena (nine days) of Masses leading to the Solemnity of the Immaculate Conception.

Novena Masses will be celebrated at the Basilica of Our Lady Immaculate in Guelph at 7:30 each morning from November 29 to December 7, with Novena Prayers each day. Please note that for the duration of the Novena, the 7:30 a.m. Novena Mass will be the only Mass at the Basilica on each weekday.

On Monday December 8 at 7:00 p.m., the clergy, consecrated men and women, and the lay faithful of Wellington Deanery are invited to join His Excellency Bishop Crosby for Mass on the Feast of the Immaculate Conception.

SANCTUARY OUTREACH CHARITY DRIVE

St. Mary's CWL is excited to once again be supporting Sanctuary Outreach – Pregnancy Support Program this Advent season. *Sanctuary Outreach supports women who are facing an unexpected pregnancy, including women who are in any situation where becoming pregnant comes as a surprise or presents challenges that make it feel overwhelming.* Currently there is an increased need for items for newborns:

- Diapers: preemie, newborn, and size 1,2 and 3 although any size will be accepted
- Wipes
- Newborn bathing supplies: hooded towels, wash cloths, baby wash, infant bathtubs
- Newborn sleepers
- Newborn clothing: any season for both boys and girls
- Crib sheets
- Receiving blankets
- Newborn pacifiers

Monetary donations towards the Infant Car Seat Fund are also always gratefully accepted, and any cheques can be made out to Guelph and Area Right to Life Association (please include Sanctuary Outreach in the memo line). If placing in the collection basket, please mark clearly on the envelope: Sanctuary Outreach. Physical gift donations will be

accepted between November 29 and December 6 and can be left in the crying room for delivery by our volunteers. **All items must be newly purchased.** Your support and generosity are so very appreciated. For more information on the work of Sanctuary Outreach, please see: www.sanctuaryoutreach.com.

CWL MEMBERSHIP

All ladies of St. Mary's Parish are encouraged to renew or begin a Catholic Women's League membership. The CWL meets throughout the year and supports many good works in our parish, community, country and internationally. Even if you are unable to attend meetings, your membership allows us to do much good work. More information about membership and our new Member Giving program will be sent out shortly. Please fill in the card and return at your earliest convenience.

WOMEN'S ADVENT SOCIAL

Join your fellow women parishioners for our yearly Advent social and dinner. This year's event is hosted by St. Joseph's CWL. You don't have to be a member to join us for dinner and fun! Tickets are \$30 for a full roast turkey dinner with all the trimmings and dessert, tea and coffee. Tuesday, December 9, starting with Mass at 5:00 p.m. at St. Joseph, Fergus, followed by social and dinner at 6:00 p.m. in the hall. For tickets, please speak to Mary Clark after Mass or phone 519-993-7915

UPCOMING EVENTS

Each Saturday	Evening Prayer (Vespers) at St Mary's – 4:00 p.m.
Nov 29 – Dec 7	St. Mary's CWL charity drive for Sanctuary Outreach.
Dec 2	Advent <i>O Antiphon</i> Prayer Service – St. Mary's, 7:00 p.m.
Dec 7	K of C Charity Breakfast – St. Joseph Parish Hall from 10:00 a.m. till 12:30 p.m.
Dec 9	Joint St. Mary's and St. Joseph's CWL annual dinner, St. Joseph's, Fergus, Mass at 5:00 p.m.
Dec 13-17	Advent Healing Mission with Fr. Bill Trusz
Dec 16	K of C joint Executive and General Meeting, 7:30 p.m., St. Joseph's, Fergus *Note change of date.

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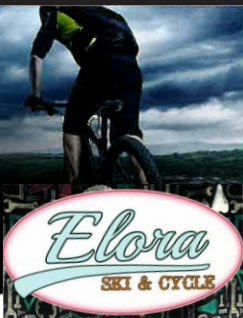
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