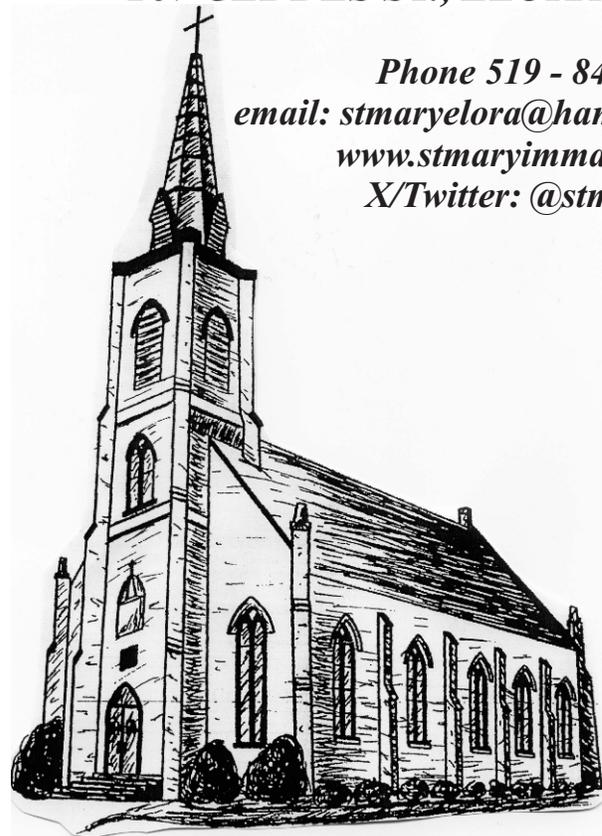


ST. MARY IMMACULATE CHURCH

267 GEDDES ST., ELORA, ONTARIO N0B 1S0

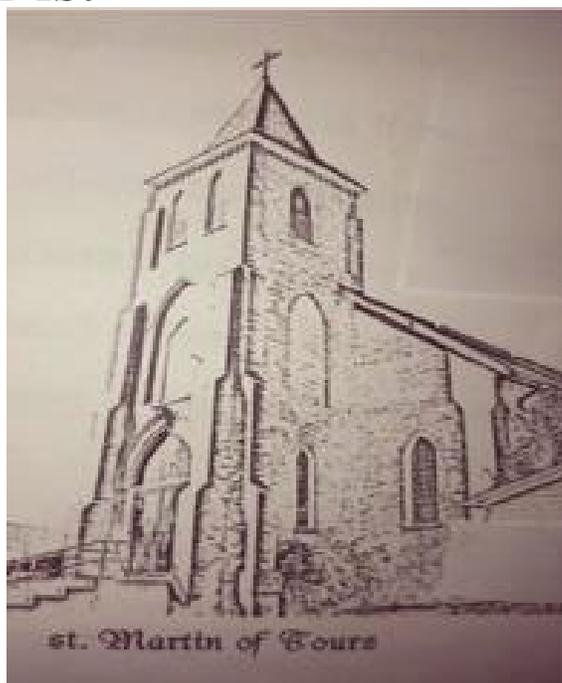


Phone 519 - 846 - 5093

email: stmaryelora@hamiltondiocese.com

www.stmaryimmaculate.com

X/Twitter: @stmaryelora



ST. MARTIN OF TOURS CHURCH

12 UNION ST., P.O. BOX 525

DRAYTON, ONTARIO N0G 1P0

Unless noted otherwise, all liturgies are at St. Mary's

LORD'S DAY MASSES

Saturday 5:00 pm
Sunday 9:00 am*
Sunday 11:00 am

WEEKDAY MASSES

See inside of Bulletin.

Holy Mass on weekdays is at St. Mary Immaculate Church, unless stated otherwise.

RECONCILIATION

Saturday 4:15-4:45 pm
Sunday 8:30 - 8:45 am*
First Thursday of the Month 6:40 - 7:00pm

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.

Parish Priest: Reverend Father Hayden Starczala email: hstarczala@hamiltondiocese.com
Permanent Deacon: Reverend Mister Paul Mulligan email: pmulligan@hamiltondiocese.com
Secretary: Ms. Catarina Burguete email: stmeloffice@wightman.ca
Business Administration: Mrs. Mary Clark email: stmelbadmin@wightman.ca

PALM SUNDAY OF THE PASSION OF THE LORD – MARCH 29, 2026

WEEKLY MASS SCHEDULE

Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord

Saturday, March 28th

5:00 p.m. +Bernie Miller
(K of C 4th Degree Assembly)

Sunday, March 29th

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

St. Mary's
11:00 a.m. For Claire and Bon Veltri and Family
(Louise and Mike Bilodeau)

Monday

2:00 p.m. Mass of Chrism at Cathedral Basilica
of Christ the King, Hamilton

Tuesday

9:00 a.m. +Fiorella and Enzo Quattrini
(Paul)

Wednesday

9:00 a.m. +Mauritta and Robert Hamilton
(The Koechl Family)

Holy Thursday

Thursday April 2nd

7:00 p.m. Mass of the Lord's Supper
St. Mary Immaculate followed by
Adoration until midnight

Good Friday

Friday, April 3rd

8:30 a.m. At St. Mary Immaculate, Elora
Lauds (Morning Prayer) followed by
Confessions and Stations of the
Cross
The Celebration of the Passion of the
Lord

12:00 p.m. St. Martin of Tours, Drayton
3:00 p.m. St. Mary Immaculate, Elora

Holy Saturday

Saturday, April 4th

8:30 a.m. At St. Mary Immaculate, Elora
Lauds (Morning Prayer)
8:30 p.m. Easter Vigil in the Holy Night

Easter Sunday of the Resurrection of the Lord

Sunday, April 5th

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

St. Mary's
11:00 a.m. Pro Populo

WEEKDAY MASS READINGS FOR HOLY WEEK

Monday: Isaiah 42:1-7; John 12:1-11

Tuesday: Isaiah 49:1-6; John 13:21-33, 36-38

Wednesday: Isaiah 50:4-9a; Matthew 26:14-26

Thursday (readings for the Chrism Mass): Isaiah 61:1-3a, 6a, 8b-9; Revelation 1:4-8; Luke 4:16-21

VOCATION SEEDS

“Blessed is the one who comes in the Name of the Lord!” Are you being called to proclaim Jesus as a priest, deacon, brother or sister? If God is calling you, contact Fr. Mark Morley:

vocations@hamiltondiocese.com

YOUR OFFERINGS

St. Mary Immaculate

March 21st and 22nd

56 Weekly Offerings	\$	1,993.00
Loose		243.85
2 Building Maintenance		70.00
29 Share Lent	f	<u>1,580.00</u>
Total:	\$	3,886.85

St. Martin of Tours

March 15th and 22nd

Weekly Offerings	\$	755.00
Loose		7.00
Building Maintenance		25.00
Share Lent		<u>257.00</u>
	\$	1,044.00

Your constant generosity is very much appreciated!

HOLY WEEK SCHEDULE

Please note that confessions will not be heard Holy Thursday, Holy Saturday or Easter Sunday.

In addition, please note there is no Saturday, 5:00 p.m. Mass in Elora on Holy Saturday.

ADDITIONAL CONFESSION TIMES THIS WEEK:

Palm Sunday March 29th, 3:00 – 4:00 p.m. in **Elora**

PALM SUNDAY OF THE PASSION OF THE LORD – MARCH 29, 2026

STATIONS OF THE RESURRECTION – VIA LUCIS

Please join St. Mary’s Catholic Women’s League, Friday April 10th, 7:00 p.m., at St. Mary’s for Via Lucis (The Way of Light) or, Stations of the Resurrection. The Stations of the Resurrection use the same format as The Stations of the Cross, with 14 Stations. They start on Easter morning, The First Station-Jesus Rises from the Dead. They continue highlighting the Easter Season with Jesus as the Risen Lord, ending with the Fourteenth Station-The Risen Lord Sends the Holy Spirit. The evening will start with a brief history of the Stations followed by the reciting of the Stations. All parishioners are welcome.

FAITH AND FLAVOURS PILGRIMAGE TO ITALY - NOVEMBER 3-14, 2026.

Visits include Siena, Assisi, Monte Cassino, Rome and others, over an enjoyable ten-day pilgrimage. The cost of \$7,995.00 per person includes airfare, hotels, ground transportation, all admission fees, most meals, and the services of an expert English-speaking guide. Fr. Ian Duffy will be the spiritual director of this pilgrimage leading us in prayer in the footsteps of St. Catherine of Siena, Ss. Francis and Clare, Ss. Benedict and Scholastica, Ss. Peter and Paul, and many more. For more information call Edgar at 1-800-268-0900 ext. 233, or e-mail edgar@gateways-international.com.

GOOD FRIDAY GATHERING

The Knights of Columbus and the St Joseph's CWL will be hosting, ‘Soup and a Bun’ after the 3:00 p.m. Good Friday Celebration of the Passion of the Lord, in the St. Joseph parish hall. This is a free-will offering event, and all proceeds will be donated to St Joseph’s parish. All welcome.

K OF C MONTHLY BREAKFAST

As Easter Sunday falls on April 5 - the first Sunday of the month - The Knights of Columbus will be holding their April Breakfast on April 12. Please mark your calendars accordingly.

HELP NOT HARM CAMPAIGN

A Private Member’s Bill (Bill C-218 – *The Right to Recover Act*) is currently before Parliament and proposes an amendment to the Criminal Code that would prevent this expansion of MAiD to those with mental diagnoses alone. A vote is anticipated in the House of Commons in mid-April 2026.

The Archdiocese of Toronto has prepared a website HelpNotHarmCanada.ca inviting Canadians to respectfully contact their Member of Parliament in support of Bill C-218. Every email sent through HelpNotHarmCanada.ca will be copied to the Prime Minister and the federal Minister of Justice.

UPCOMING EVENTS

April 3	Good Friday ‘Soup and a Bun’ – St. Joseph’s parish hall, after the 3:00 p.m. celebrations
April 11	Men’s Cor gathering – 10:00 a.m. St. Joseph’s, Fergus
April 11	Young Adults’ Night – Mount Mary Retreat Centre - Ancaster
April 12	K of C Charity Breakfast – 10:00 a.m. till 12:30 p.m. – St. Joseph’s parish hall, Fergus
April 18	K of C Bottle Drive between 9:00 a.m. and noon. St. Joseph’s church parking lot.
April 20	CWL gathering – 7:00 p.m., St. Mary’s
May 14	March for Life – Bus trip to Ottawa. Email: info@guelphforlife.com to reserve a spot

EASTER TRIDUUM SCHEDULE

Holy Thursday	At St. Mary’s, Elora: 7:00 p.m.- Mass of the Lord’s Supper After Mass until 12:00 a.m. – Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament
Good Friday	The Celebration of the Passion of the Lord: 12:00 p.m. – St. Martin’s, Drayton 3:00 p.m. – St. Mary’s, Elora
Holy Saturday	At St. Mary’s, Elora 8:30 p.m. – Easter Vigil in the Holy Night
Easter Sunday	Mass of the Resurrection of the Lord: 9:00 a.m. – St. Martin’s, Drayton 11:00 a.m. – St. Mary’s, Elora

(519)-846-9704
keatinghomes.ca
70 Mathieson Street, Elora Ont. N0B 1S0



James KEATING
Construction Ltd.
ESTABLISHED 1957



Knights of Columbus
St. Mary's Elora
St. Joseph's Fergus
Council 15333
Contact Parish office
for membership



GRAHAM A. GIDDY
FUNERAL HOMES LTD.

Fergus Chapel
P: 519.843.3100
F: 519.843.6521
info@grahamgiddyfh.com
www.grahamgiddyfh.com

Scott Giddy
Funeral Director

Robert Giddy
Funeral Director



CMT ENGINEERING INC.

Tim Salter, C.E.T.
1011 Industrial Crescent
Unit 1
St. Clements, Ontario
N0B 2M0
Tel: 519-699-5775
Fax: 519-699-4664
www.cmtinc.net

- Geotechnical Investigations
- Septic System Designs
- Manure Storage Investigations
- Soil & Concrete Testing
- Construction Inspection & Testing
- Laboratory Materials Testing
- Structural Steel Inspections
- Drilling Services



Theakston
Environmental
Consulting Engineers

596 Glengarry Cr.
P.O. Box 390
Fergus, Ontario
Canada N1M 3E2

Phone (519) 787-2910
Fax: (519) 787-2918
spollock@theakston.com
www.theakston.com



THE CATHOLIC CEMETERIES
of the Diocese of Hamilton

600 Spring Gardens Road, Burlington, ON L7T 1J1
T: 905-522-7727 • 1-800-661-5985 • F: 905-522-5742
www.thecatholiccemeteries.ca

**MORRIS-SHANNON
LAW OFFICE**



SARAH SHANNON B.A., LL.B.
Barrister, Solicitor & Notary

149 GEDDES STREET, ELORA, ONTARIO N0B 1S0

Office: (519) 846-5366
Fax: (519) 846-8170 e-mail: sarah@morris-shannon.ca



Thomas Blonde
C.P.A., C.A.
Partner

0342 Gerrie Road, Elora, ON N0B 1S0

Telephone: (519) 846-5315
Fax: (519) 846-9120
tblonde@bakertilly.ca
www.bakertilly.ca



Est. 2023

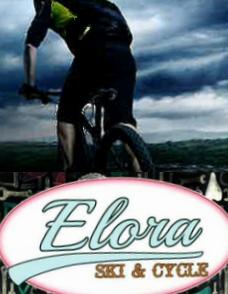
Shelley Kirby
Parts Manager
Shelley@ferguschrysler.com

Elvin Etcubanez
Service Manager
elvin@ferguschrysler.com

890 St David St. North
Fergus ON N1M 2W3
Tel: 519-843-1035
Fax: 519-843-5682
Tollfree: 888-299-7965
www.ferguschrysler.com

Modern Showroom, RETRO PRICES!

Renato Spremulli
23 Moir St Elora ON N0B 1S0
Ph. 226-384-1120
C. 604-754-1899
elorasicycle@gmail.com



Sales, Consignment, & Service
Vintage Restoration & Resto-Mod
Fitting & Race Prep
Campagnolo Specialist
Alpine & Nordic Ski Service
Snowboard Service



Rob Mackay
mackaystables@gmail.com
519-820-3311



Organic Vegetables
Pastured Eggs

www.mackayfarms.com
7259 Middlebrook Road
Elora, Ontario, N0B 1S0

Prints, Cards & Canvases
Art created by
Simon Greaves



SimonArt

inquiries@simonart.ca
Box 3003,
Elora, Ontario N0B 1S0 Canada
@instagram.com/simonartca
facebook.com/simonartca
Shop www.simonart.ca

www.simonart.ca

Blank space for advertisement.



LEAVEY CLINIC
TelePsychology ~ TeleMedicine

Dr. Jo-Ann Elizabeth Leavey
Nurse Practitioner & Registered Psychologist
RN, BScN, MEd, NP-PhC, ARNP-BC, EdD,
C. Psych., LLD h.c., CPMHN(C), DNP (Candidate)

Ph: 647-332-1474
Fax: 226-781-1721
leaveypsychologyclinic@gmail.com

Please tell our advertisers that
you saw their businesses in our
bulletin.

For Information on Placing an Ad
Please Contact Mary Clark

Advertising Space Available

stmelbadmin@wightman.ca

We thank the Local Businesses who are supporting us.
Let's show our appreciation by supporting these
Businesses.

Please contact the parish office for all sacramental inquiries.