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12th Sunday in Ordinary Time

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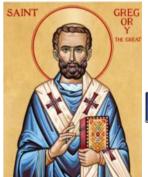
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PASTOR

Fr. Khalid Karomi Deacon Neil Devereaux

PASTORAL AND SUPPORT TEAM

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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—4:00pm

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.

St. Vincent De Paul Society - Voucher Program 519-622-2232

Visit us online www.saintgregoryparish.com

Twelfth Sunday in Ordinary Time



Tuesday, June 25—note: TIME CHANGE TODAY

NO CONFESSIONS—NO ADORATION

6:30 pm Regular Mass plus St. Gregory

School Graduation Mass—Fr. Ted

Wednesday, June 26—Cancelled

8:15 am

Thursday, June 27—cancelled

8:15 am

10:30 am Mass-St. Andrews - Deacon 2:00 pm Mass—Seasons - Deacon

Friday, June 28—cancelled

8:15 am

Saturday, June 29

5:00 pm + Antonio & Maria Figueiredo

+ Roberto Barbosa

+ Henrique, Balbina & Joe Ferreira

Int. of Eric Cetin

Sunday, June 30

10:00 am Int. of all Parishioners

Pray for our Priests and Religious

Monday Nativity of Saint John the Baptist

Rev. Joseph Durkacz Tuesday

Comboni Missionaries (M.C.C.J.) Wednesday

Thursday Rev. Tomy Chittinapilly

Most Rev. Douglas Crosby, O.M.I. Friday

Saints Peter and Paul Saturday

Our Lady of Mt. Carmel Mass

All are invited to attend a special Mass in honour of Our Lady of Mt. Carmel on Sunday July 14, 2024 at 2 pm at the Carmel Monastery 1127 Carmel-Koch Road, St. Agatha, ON

We welcome Deacon Neil Devereaux to St. Gregory the Great Parish.

Deacon Neil will be celebrating Mass with Fr. Khalid on Saturday, June 29th at 5:00pm and Sunday, June 30th at 10am.

Sunday Offering

EFT weekly Collection..... \$655.00 June 16, 2024..... \$2,063.10

Thank you for your Generosity!



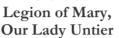
2000 Hail Mary

2,000 Hail Mary Praying of the Devotion— Saturday June 22th starting at 8:00am with Mass and continuing until the

2,000 Hail Mary's are recited.

Location: St. Gregory's Church

Pilgrim Virgin Statue





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.

Marian Residence Retirement Home in Hespeler. The Retirement Home is currently looking for volunteers to assist in the activity department (with Bingo, exercises, music fun, games, etc.). The Sisters are open to new ideas and would love for people to share their talents/skills with the residents. See bulletin board for more details on this position. You can also call The Marian Residence 519-653-0363 or email activities@marianresidence.ca.

St. Ambrose Parish in Cambridge is looking to hire a youth minister. It will be a 1-year contract, renewable year by year. The successful applicant will be required to establish and run a youth group for grade school students and a separate youth group for High School students. The job will also require visiting in schools during the daytime as well as running the youth groups on a weeknights or weekends. The summer hours will be part-time. For a complete list of qualifications, please visit the website hamiltondiocese.com then click on the left-hand side link "Job Opportunities".

Office Closed—Tuesday, June 25, 2024

Phone calls and emails will be returned on Wednesday

June 30, 2024

In preparation for the Eucharistic revival Event taking place in Indianapolis USA (Eucharistic Congress) July 17 to 21, 2024.

Our Lady of the Cape National Statue will be traveling and visiting some parishes along the path to Indianapolis. She will be stopping in Cambridge on July 9 (St. Ambrose).

St. Gregory the Great Parish will participate in some events prior to the visit of Our Lady of The Cape. Our Blessed Mother is the Arc Of The Covenant and she always takes us to Jesus.

Consecration prayer to Our Lady of the Cape can be found in the pews or in front of the Arc. Write your petitions on the back of the card then place it in the Arc.

This Arc will stay in our parish until July 9th. At that time all the petitions will be taken to St. Ambrose where they will be placed into a bigger Arc and will travel to Indianapolis to be presented to Our Lord during the Mass.

June 26: Fr. Antonine Paul, OMI, will be our speaker starting at 7:00pm. "Mary guides us to the Eucharist" Light refreshments will follow.

July 6: Mini Pilgrimage to Guelph. The bus will be leaving our parking lot at 8:00am sharp. We will be visiting the Basilica of Our Lady Immaculate and attend the first Saturday devotion with Bishop Lobsinger. Returning at 2:30pm Cost of bus \$10 per person. Bring your own lunch. Sign up sheets at entrance of the church.

July 9: Petitions will be moved to St Ambrose's Parish. Celebrations will continue at St. Ambrose with Mass @ 7pm followed by Adoration, and an all-night Vigil.

July 10: Mass at 8:00am at St. Ambrose followed by the departure of the Pilgrim Virgin Statue.

Please plan to attend some or all these events and be part of the Triumph of the United Hearts, the Immaculate Heart of Mary and Sacred Heart of Jesus

Confessions: Tuesdays @ 6pm & Saturdays @ 10am

Children in our parishes benefit from the Catechetical Correspondence Program each year for ongoing religious education and preparation for the Sacraments. We need volunteers to support the program! If you are willing to accompany these children in their learning journey, please reach out to the Office for Evangelization cateche-

sis@hamiltondiocese.com.

To learn more about the Catechetical Correspondence Program, please visit: https://bit.ly/DOHCCC



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Peanut Butter and Crackers

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. Listen: the Rosary in song



God alone is Author and Master of life

by <u>SR. HELENA BURNS, FSP</u> I make the following arguments against euthanasia for those who might be contemplating it, or see it as a definite possibility in their remote future.

God knows how to direct the optimal orchestration of events for our salvation, so even for those who die young or suddenly, it may be that God allows this because, for a particular individual, it was the "best" time, "their" time. Lingering, even lifelong illness, can be extremely fruitful and redemptive for the one suffering, those around them, and indeed, the world. If all we can do is pray and offer ourselves and our Calvary to God and for others, perhaps even as a "victim soul," there can be nothing more meaningful and useful. God knows exactly how much time we need in this life to put our house in order, say our goodbyes, forgive, ask for forgiveness, repent, grow in faith and virtue, grow closer to Him, do His will, reflect on our lives, right wrongs, "work out our salvation with fear and trembling," give thanks, make our final "Fiat," and most of all, develop a stronger longing to be with God forever in Heaven (this is what Purgatory is for, in great part!) And lastly, you matter. You are invaluable. Your presence is needed, even if you are in a coma. God knows the reason. In this life, we only see the underside of the tapestry, a jumbled bunch of unintelligible knots. On the other side, we'll see the beautiful scene, and our indispensable place in it...until the very end.

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When faced with people saying to him:

"The world is against you!"

> St. Athanasius replied:

"Then I am against the world."