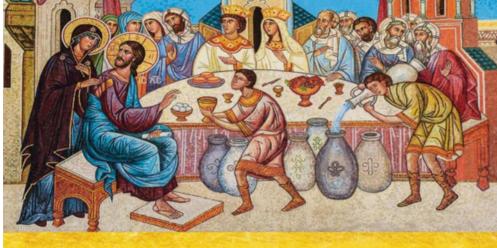
Saint Gregory the Great Parish

A Catholic Community of Faith in Cambridge since 1967

2nd Sunday in Ordinary Time

January 19, 2025



His mother said to the servers, "Do whatever he tells you."

PASTOR

Fr. Khalid Karomi Deacon Neil Devereaux ndevereaux@hamiltondiocese.com

PASTORAL AND SUPPORT TEAM

Mrs. Maria Ditner, Office Administrator Mr. Kevin Boult, Custodian

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

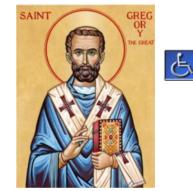
When entering a hospital please register as a member of St. Gregory's Parish. When confined at home, contact the parish.

Gregory's Parish

Visit us online www.saintgregoryparish.com

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2nd Sunday in Ordinary Time



Tuesday, January 21—NO MASS or CONFESSIONS 7:00 pm

Wednesday, January 22—NO MASS 8:15 am

Thursday, January 23—NO MASS 8:15 am

Friday, January 24—NO MASS 8:15 am

Saturday, January 25—Msgr. Dennis Noon 5:00 pm + Roberto Barbosa + Jozef Konyari + Dan MacLean Int. of Igor Rauber Beatification of Alphonsus Lambe (co-founder of Legion of Mary)

Sunday, January 26—Fr. Higgins 10:00 am Int. of all Parishioners

Pray for our Priests and Religious

MondayRev. James CurtinTuesdayRev. Edward HampsonWednesdayYouth MinistersThursdayRev. Scott WhitfieldFridayRev. Michael BennettSaturdayRev. Ron Cote



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.

Sunday Offering

EFT weekly Collection	\$ 650.00
January 12, 2025	\$1,888.60

Thank you for your Generosity!

Fr. Khalid will be on vacation until January 31st. Masses during the week are suspended as well as confessions on Tuesday night and Saturday morning.

JUBILEE OF HOPE, 2025 The Diocese of Hamilton joins the celebration of the Global Church in this Ordinary Jubilee Year, 2025, as "Pilgrims of Hope!" All invited to journey through this year drawing closer to God through prayer, service and experiences of renewal. Six churches have been designated as pilgrimage sites across the Diocese, welcoming you as a visitor over the course of the Jubilee to come and pray. Resources, info. and locations of the pilgrimage sites are all available on the Diocesan Website: <u>www.hamiltondiocese.com</u>.

Each month in the Diocese of Hamilton, we will pray for *Heros of Hope* – those members of our parishes and communities who offer hope to those in need by their ministries and service. During January, we pray for those who serve in Parish Ministries:

Lord God, by the grace of our baptism, you have given us new life in Christ and called us to serve as pilgrims of hope.

We pray in thanksgiving for those who have responded to your call to be leaders in our parish community and for the volunteers who dedicate their gifts for the building up of your Church and the service of their sisters and brothers.

Through their varied ministries, may they touch the hearts of all in our community who long for the hope, born of our Christian faith, that never disappoints.

We ask this through Christ our Lord. Amen.

K of C Dues—please submit membership fees by dropping them in the collection baskets. Please mark the envelope K of C dues and include your name, phone number and address

CHURCH BULLETIN ADVERTISING—we are presently looking for advertisers. If you know of any business who wishes to advertise, please have them call the office to discuss. 519-623-3111

CHURCH OFFICE CLOSED:

Please call in advance if you are planning to visit the office. All message will be checked periodically

January 19, 2025

O God, Creator and Father of all, with humility and hope, we, your children, acknowledge the relationship in You of all living things.

For this we thank You and praise You.

We call on You, Great Mystery, our God who comes to us in Jesus Christ, Your Son – our Lord, teacher, prophet and brother – to open our minds and hearts as we continue to walk the difficult, yet critical journey of reconciliation and healing.

In our world of such blessed diversity, we see so many struggles and obstacles to oneness and unity.

We implore You to heal our brokenness and division. Show us in Jesus the way to unity among the multiplicity of Your peoples in our world.

We also pray that You will guide and lead us in the Truth, and show us how to be a people who walk with You.

May we be a people of Respect, Humility, Courage, Honesty, and Compassion - as we find Your Wisdom on the Spirit-led journey that supports deep healing and fosters renewed relationships.

Lord, make us channels of Your Peace, Hope, and Love! Amen

Families today can be faced with many challenges: mental health, addiction, division, financial stress & beyond. Even the strongest of families can suffer under the pressure. How can we draw on our faith to persevere with unshakeable **hope** despite the struggles? Join us for the next **St. Agnes Education Café: "Our Families: Signs of Hope Amid the Challenges"** with Teresa Hartnett, Director, Family Ministry, Diocese of Hamilton. Sun. January 26th 2:00-3:30pm, <u>St. Agnes Parish. 75 Bluevale St. N. Waterloo</u>

2025 Living with Christ Sunday Missal CAN BE FOUND AT THE ENTRANCE TO THE CHURCH COST \$5.00 EACH <u>Please leave money in basket</u> <u>found by the Missals</u>

ARE YOU REGISTERED IN THE PARISH?

Even though you attend Mass at our parish, you may not be registered if you have not submitted a registration form in the past. Please register your family in preparation for Baptisms, First Communion, Confirmation, weddings, pastoral references, etc. Registration forms are available in the hallway across from the Parish Hall or by contacting the office for the forms 519-623-3111 Connection Food For Children This month we are collecting: Soup (canned or dried) 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.



JANUARY 26 *Sunday of the Word of God* or Bible Sunday!

Instituted by Pope Francis at the conclusion of the Holy Year of Mercy, Bible Sunday is celebrated each year on the Third Sunday of Ordinary Time. The theme this year, to coincide with the Jubilee Year of Hope, is taken from Psalm 119:74: **"I hope in your Word!"** Our celebration of Bible Sunday is a call to listen to how the Bible speaks in our hearts and within our communities of faith. This year we celebrate Sacred Scripture as a source of hope for the faithful. The Pastoral Offices of the Diocese have prepared a wide variety of resources for youth and adults to celebrate Bible Sunday 2025. Visit the Diocese website hamiltondiocese.com for more information.

Reel Justice Film Festival

This years films focus on hope and the personal stories that give voice to those who often go unheard. Through 5 enlightening films we will explore themes of women's empowerment, refugees, youth, Indigenous justice, and environmental care. Starts: **January 23**, **2025** with the film <u>She Rises Up</u>, a revealing look at the power of women's economic participation. The film follows radically different women from Sri Lanka, Peru, and Senegal who are working to build businesses, create job opportunities for women, and contribute to the reduction of poverty in their communities. Visit: hamiltondiocese com or deup org for full

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Saint Gregory

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Secondary

Monsignor Doyle Rich Stehlik, Principal, 519.622.1290 May Christ inspire leadership and zeal in our Church. May our leaders be instruments of God's miraculous presence. We **pray** to the Lord. For all who lost their lives in recent wars, civil unrest, natural disasters, California fires. May we work to ease the burdens of survivors. May we heal along with our land, our future and our children.