

# MASS Intentions

**March 14 Saturday 5:00 pm**

**Tom Marschall**

**March 15 4th Sunday of Lent**

**9:00 am Fortunato & Antony Scolaro**

**11:00am For all parishioners**

**March 16 Monday No mass**

**All Souls in Purgatory**

**March 18 Wednesday 8:00 am**

**Maria Scavello**

**March 19 Thursday**

**8:00 am David Blacquierre**

**6:00 pm For Canada**

**March 20 Friday 9:30 am**

**Antonio Bonfilio**

**Santo Raso**

**Lidia Labricciosa**

**March 21 Saturday 5:00 pm**

**For all the parishioners**



**Pope's prayer intention for Marc: For disarmament and peace**

Let us pray that nations move toward effective disarmament, particularly nuclear disarmament, and that world leaders choose the path of dialogue and diplomacy instead of violence.

## SUNDAY OFFERING

March 1 collection: \$1,660.00

Maintenance and heating : \$125.00

*So far we collect these donations for the new central heating:*

- \$3,100.00 by the Burns Family
- \$3,000.00 Anonymous
- \$2,000.00 by the Poulin Family
- \$2,000.00 by Deslauriers Family
- \$1,500.00 from Comitato Santa Maria Assunta
- \$1,500.00 By Frank and Elizabeth Campion
- \$1,500.00 by Oehring Family
- \$1,000.00 by the Duong Family
- \$1,000.00 by the Dyson Family
- \$1,000.00 by Robert Clarkson
- \$1,000.00 by Frank and Sharon Marotta
- \$1,000.00 by the Policella Family
- \$1,000.00 From Casa Dante
- \$1,000.00 by father Raymond and Family
- \$1,000.00 in Memory of John P. Mancuso
- \$1,000.00 in memory of Dennise Stelmaschuk
- \$1,000.00 by Ramundo Family
- \$1,000.00 By Raymond and Rita DiMartile
- \$1000.00 By Mottola Family
- \$1,000.00 By Family Filippo Fraraccio
- \$1,000.00 In memory of Paul Rocca
- Other offering: \$2,070.00

Total: \$30,570.00

**The name of this families and the ones who will donate at least \$1,000.00 will be written at the church entrance. Many thanks to them and the future donors.**

**Final expenses: \$201,162.60 Still to pay: \$170,592.6**



Parish Established 1910 Church Blessed 1927

# March 15, 2026: 4th SUNDAY OF LENT

*"He so=pat on the ground and made mud with the saliva and spread the mud on the man,s eyes , saying to him- Go, wash in the pool of Siloam"*



## St. Mary R. C. Parish

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### PARISH STAFF:

**PASTOR:** FR. DANIELE BERTOLDI, CFIC

**BOOK KEEPER:** MS. DEANNE MACDONALD

**PASTA NIGHT AND HALL RESPONSIBLE:** 289.969.7104

**Parish Dinner** - every 1<sup>st</sup> Tuesday of the month, Hall

**OFFICE HOURS:** THURSDAY: 9:30 AM - 3:00PM

### WEEKEND MASS SCHEDULE:

SATURDAY 5:00 PM (ENGLISH)

SUNDAY 9:00 AM (ITALIAN)

11:00 AM (ENGLISH)

### WEEKDAY MASS SCHEDULE

TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY & THURSDAY 8:00 AM

FRIDAY 9:30 AM

**DEVOTIONS : (PLEASE CHECK BULLETIN)**

ROSARY - PRAYED ON WEEK DAYS BEFORE MASS.

\* EUCHARISTIC ADORATION: EVERY FIRST FRIDAY OF THE MONTH AT 8:30AM

### SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION :

TUESDAY TO THURSDAY AT 7:00 AM, FRIDAY AT 8:30

SATURDAY AT 4:00 PM (ANY OTHER TIME, PLEASE CALL.)

### SACRAMENT OF THE ANNOINTMENT OF THE SICK

PLEASE CONTACT THE PARISH PRIEST DURING SERIOUS ILLNESS OR BEFORE SURGERY.

**SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM: BY APPOINTMENT.**

### SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE

PLEASE CONTACT THE PARISH PRIEST AS SOON AS POSSIBLE.

PRE-MARRIAGE CLASSES ARE MANDATORY.

### RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION (RCIA)

For more information please call the parish office.

### Catholic Schools:

**Sisters of the Sacred Heart** (Elementary School) *Tel: 905-732-4542*

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**CWL will be selling Shamrocks** at all the masses on the weekend of March 14th and 15th for you to wear on the 17th.

**It's time to get your yeast and flour for making Easter Bread** for our Annual celebration of St. Joseph which is on Thursday, March 19th. Times for mass and drop off of your breads will be in next weeks bulletin.

**CWL 68th ANNUAL MEETING OF MEMBERS (CONVENTION)** The 68th Annual Meeting of Members (AMM) of the St. Catharines Diocesan Council of the Catholic Women's League of Canada will be held at the St. John the Theologian Ukrainian Catholic Church, 91 Lakeshore Rd., St. Catharines ON, L2N 2T6 on Tuesday, April 21, 2026. What a delight it will be to gather once again in faith and fellowship to participate in the Mass, conduct CWL business, and listen to the to guest speakers: in the morning, Joanne Heritz, PhD., and in the afternoon, His Excellency, Bishop Bergie. Kindly note that the hard deadline for the Registration will be Wednesday, April 1, 2026

**PARISH FINANCIAL SUPPORT**

If you are unable to attend Mass for health reasons, and would like to assist us financially, please use our donation e-transfer email: [stmarywelland@gmail.com](mailto:stmarywelland@gmail.com)  
Do not enter a security password as the funds will be directly deposited into the bank.

**March 25: The Solemnity of the Annunciation of Our Lord**

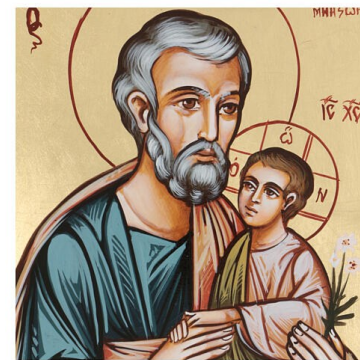
The solemnity is inviting us to celebrate the positive answer of the Virgin Mary to the mission given her by God. As well we celebrate the coming of God among us as a true man. Two masses are scheduled for the day

**8:00 AM**  
**6:00 PM**



**THE SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION**

*On Saturday, March 21, 2026, in every parish church across the diocese a priest will be available from 10:00am – 2:00pm to hear individual confessions. There will also be Eucharistic Adoration during this time. No matter how long it has been, you are welcome to celebrate the Sacrament of Penance, which assists us in spiritual discipline as we turn away from sin and open our hearts to reconciliation and healing; or you can also simply come to pray before the Lord.*



**MARCH 19th: SOLEMNITY OF SAINT JOSEPH**

This occasion holds great significance for us as Saint Joseph is the patron Saint of Canada.

Two masses are scheduled for the day:  
**8:00 AM**  
**6:00 PM**



**METANOIA**

( a 10 Videos Course based on Jesus and our answer to him)

On Sundays at 10.10 am (30 minutes video) in the Church hall

**March 8, March 15, March 22  
April 12, April 19, April 26,  
May 17, May 24, May 31**

**EVERY LENTEN FRIDAY**

**10— Noon**

**Eucharistic adoration ( if there are not funerals).**



**Way of the Cross at 6:00 p.m.**

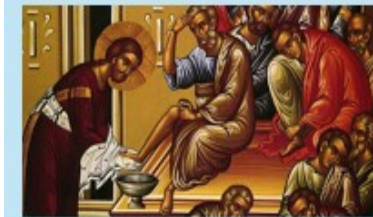


**Baked goods for the St. Joseph Table** can be dropped off in the Parish Hall anytime after 2:00 pm on Thursday, March 19. **All monies raised** from the selling of Shamrocks and the St. Joseph Table will be donated to our Northern adopted Mission and the Breakfast Programs at St. Mary School and St. Augustine School.

**DEVELOPMENT AND PEACE CARITAS CANADA**

Development and Peace – Caritas Canada believes in the dignity of every person and supports communities so that they can be the architects of their own development. We work in partnership with almost **100 local organizations** that empower communities in over **34 countries around the world** to defend their rights, act for peace and take charge of their own development. **This coming Sunday , March 22, there will be the Lenten Collection . God awards the generous people!**

**PASCHAL TRIDUUM SCHEDULE**



**APRIL 2: HOLY THURSDAY**

**6:00 PM– Holy Mass. Adoration until 10:00PM**

**APRIL 3: GOOD FRIDAY**

**-11:00 am Stations of the Cross**

- 3:00 pm
- Liturgy of the Passion

- Cross adoration until 6:00 pm with the celebration of the Last 7 word of Jesus on The Cross celebration at 5:30 PM



**APRIL 4; HOLY SATURDAY**

**11:00 am— Prayer: With Mother Mary on Saturday Day**

**11:45 Easter Food Blessing.**

**- 8:30 pm Vigil of the Resurrection of the Lord**

