

Parish Offices

Our Lady, Queen of Martyrs & St. Bernard

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Tuesday & Thursday
8:30 am-12:00 noon
1:00 pm-4:30 pm
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St. Mary & St. Cecilia

211 Union Street
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Wednesday & Thursday
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1:00pm-4:30 pm
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SUNDAY EUCHARIST

Our Lady, Queen of Martyrs

110 Adams Ave., Delhi
Saturday Vigil at 5:00 pm
Sunday at 11:00 am

St. Mary

211 Union St., Simcoe
Saturday Vigil at 5:00 pm
Sunday at 11:00 am

St. Bernard of Clairvaux

165 Thompson Rd, Waterford
Sunday at 9:00 am
Spanish Mass 7:00 pm (May-Oct)
Fr. Frank Murphy

St. Cecilia

17 Lynn Park Ave.
Port Dover
Sunday at 9:00 am

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

St. Mary & Our Lady, Queen of Martyrs

Every Saturday 4:00 pm-4:30 pm

St. Cecilia & St. Bernard of Clairvaux

Every Sunday 8:15 am or by appointment

CATHOLIC FAMILY OF PARISHES IN NORFOLK



**St. Mary, Our Lady, Queen of Martyrs,
St. Bernard of Clairvaux, and St. Cecilia**

OUR MISSION STATEMENT

"We are a Eucharistic community forming faith-filled disciples of Jesus in loving service of God and neighbour for salvation"

Website: www.catholicfamilyparishesnorfolk.dol.ca

Facebook: www.facebook.com/stbstcstmolqm

Pastoral Team

To reach a staff member, call your Parish Office and use the extension provided

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Parish Team

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St. Joseph, Simcoe 519 426-0820
École Sainte-Marie, Simcoe 519 426-4775
Holy Trinity Catholic High School, Simcoe 519 429-3600
St. Frances Cabrini, Delhi 519 582-2470
St. Cecilia, Port Dover 519 583-0231
St. Bernard of Clairvaux, Waterford 519 443-8607

21st Sunday in Ordinary Time—August 21, 2022

22nd Sunday in Ordinary Time—August 28, 2022

Welcome to our Family! If you are new to our parish communities or wish to get involved, please connect with us.

You can go to our website [www.catholicfamilyparishesnorfolk](http://www.catholicfamilyparishesnorfolk.com)

or call the office at (519) 426-0887 or (519) 582-1312

From the desk of Kathryn Heemskerk, Pastoral Minister:

I have been helping with Sacraments this year as we have tried to catch up from Covid shutdowns and not having a Youth Minister at the moment. If you recall, we had two of them. One thing I often heard during Sacramental preparation was like a two-edged sword: a lament over not having things like Sunday School, VBS, or any other youth focused ministry, and yet wondering why there are no families in our pews? Was it only because we do not have these things? Is having a Sunday School or VBS part of Nurturing Joy or being more welcoming? I want to remind you that these things do not need a youth minister to make them happen. They need **your** help.

Take for example, the Sunday School: 3 out of 4 parishes had a Sunday School before Covid. I have asked the two that still had leaders to ask if their team would return. While I am waiting for a response to this inquiry, I know that we have no one in Our Lady, Queen of Martyrs or St Cecilia's set up to lead and organize a group to run the Sunday School. If there are 4 to 5 weeks in each month, and we must be at least 2 adults (depending on the number of children), then we need 8 to 10 people to share the job. We could do it with 4 to 6 too, if that was all we had. To run a VBS we need many.... Adult and youth leaders.... It does not take a Youth Minister, but it does take someone with a heart for children who likes to tell stories and do crafts and share the Love of Jesus with children. It does take a bit of commitment too since the Sunday School usually runs the same as the school year. The VBS probably takes a couple of planning meetings, some prep time, and the actual week it is run. Why I am telling you this is that we know this fall there are people wishing we had a Sunday School, but unless several people offer to help, we cannot do it. Do you have a heart for children? Or do you mind heading up a group as the lead contact and person who does the scheduling? If so, we would love to hear from you. Many hands make light work! Please contact Barb Balog (bbalog@dol.ca) or 519 426-0887.



Did you just have a baby recently? Congratulations. As you think about the days ahead you may be thinking about Baptism. When you are ready, please go to <https://catholicfamilyparishesnorfolk.dol.ca/> and look under the Sacrament tab for Baptism. There is an online form there to fill in and submit to Kathryn Heemskerk, Pastoral Minister. Right now, we are doing the preparation on-line. After the preparation is complete then we will set a date at the Parish of your choice.



Rite Of Christian Initiation of Adults--RCIA

Want to learn more about becoming a Catholic? Do you know of someone who does?

Are you married to a Catholic and want to discover more about the Catholic Faith?

The RCIA journey of faith starts again in mid-September and will occur on Wednesday evening, starting at 7 pm. If you are interested in joining us or wish to find out more information, please contact the office or Father Charles Akinloye (ctakinloye@dol.ca) or 519 426-0887 ext. 223.

To everything there is a season . . . "a time to be healed . . ."

We pray for all the sick of our Parishes: Daphne Jarman, Ruth Lampman, Rob and Carole Doody, and Michael McLeod,

"a time to die . . ."

We pray for all the faithful departed: Noella Myleville, Carmelina "Carmen" Ienco, Jeremy Gilchrist, Sister Angela Hoffman, and Rose Hunter

Eternal rest grant unto them

Please contact our **Prayer Line** for anyone in need of comfort and solace. We have parishioners who share their gifts and gather in a prayerful ministry to pray for whatever request comes to them.

Prayer Line: 519 582-2431 or 519 426-0788 ~ jeanninekowalsky@gmail.com





St. Cecilia CWL

VENDORS WANTED – After a 2-year hiatus, St. Cecilia CWL is hosting our Annual Community Yard Sale on Saturday, September 10th, 2022, from 9 am to 12:30 pm. Rent a space with table provided for \$20; rent a space and provide your own table (1) for \$15 or sell out of your trunk/truck bed for \$10. Direct Sales

Consultants from home-based businesses are welcome, including crafters of any kind. You can also assist in this fundraising event by donating any household items, books, electronics (no TVs), toys, decorations, etc. to the CWL “white elephant” table.

For more information and to obtain a registration form, contact Judy at 647-231-4725 or email judyouel@hotmail.com. Registration deadline is September 5th. Donations will be accepted at St. Cecilia’s Church on Friday, September 9th from 1:30 to 4:30 pm.

The Spirit of Truth and Love Catholic Prayer Group

The Spirit of Truth and Love Catholic Prayer Group Prayer meetings are every 1st & 3rd Tuesday evening at 7:45 pm electronically on Zoom and every 2nd and 4th. Tuesday in person after Mass at St Mary’s. For more information call 519-583-0277, John or Barra.



Holy Rosary Prayer Group

Aug 22nd- Queenship of Mary & Feast of the Immaculate Heart of Mary.

Please note for your Spiritual FAITH enrichment and prayer resources check out weblink below:

-Immaculate Heart of Mary (Aug 13 22) <https://novenaprayer.com/novena-to-the-immaculate-heart-of-mary/>

-Daily CONSECRATION HOLY OCTAVE AND FEAST DAYS OF THE FATHER OF ALL MANKIND (July 31-August 7th-Feast Day)

<https://visitationproject.org/collections/holy-octave-of-consecration-to-god-our-father>

For details please contact Christian ecmc8_1119@yahoo.com May GOD's Peace and Blessings be with us all through the intercession our Blessed Mother Mary, Amen!!

Family of Parishes Quilting Group

Let's get to know one another!

Quilters are invited to bring their sewing machine and quilt projects to **St. Mary's Parish Hall** on Thursday September 8, from 1-4 pm.

This group will meet **every other** Thursday until June 2023. Contact person: Cindy Vynckier 519 426-5806.

ST VINCENT DE PAUL UPDATE

SIMCOE/WATERFORD/ DELHI

During the past month, in the Simcoe/Waterford/Delhi area, we gave a three-day supply of groceries and \$480.00 in food store gift cards, from our pantries to 75 families, having a total of 189 adults and children. The Soup Kitchen is closed until mid-October, thus giving our volunteers a well-deserved rest. Like in past years, other organizations will fill this need throughout the summer months until we reopen.

The donations for the month of August were \$1338.00 from Our Lady Queen of Martyrs, \$592.00 from St. Bernard's and \$1789.00 from St Mary's.

Our volunteers will be available after Mass on September 3rd & 4th to accept your kind donations to assist the less fortunate in our area. You can also donate by cheque, payable to St Vincent de Paul, Simcoe/Waterford/Delhi, and mailing it to: St Vincent de Paul St. Mary's Conference 211 Union Street, Simcoe, ON. N3Y2B3. We also are able to accept an E Transfer to ssvpstmarysconference@gmail.com. If using the E Transfer facility, in the detail section, please give your name and address. For the security question please use “What province do we live in” answer “Ontario”. The income tax receipt will be mailed out at year end, unless otherwise requested.

Again, thank you for your kindness and please pray for our members and for those we serve.

EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY

Looking for a full-time lunch monitor at St. Bernard's school, hours are 10:25-11:05 am and 12:30-1:30 pm. For more information call Sharon Martinow at 519 443-8607.



Mass Intentions & Weekday Mass Schedule

The Sanctuary Lamp will burn for the week of
August 21, 2022 at:
Our Lady, Queen of Martyrs for Irene Passmore
St. Cecilia for Gino Cimmino

Twenty-first Sunday in Ordinary Time

Monday August 22 9:00 am St. Mary	+Maria Catarino +Jose Da Costa
Tuesday August 23 7:00 pm St. Mary	+Mark Leitch +Jeremy Gilchrist
7:00 pm Our Lady, Queen of Martyrs	+Betty Lohmann +John Goetz
Wednesday August 24 9:00 am St. Cecilia	+Monica McCarthy The McNally Family
11:00 am Our Lady, Queen of Martyrs	+Michael De Rick +Joanne Demarest
7:00 pm St. Bernard	Amelia Ruth ven-Nelson
Thursday August 25 9:00 am St. Cecilia	The Clancy Family +Tony Masella
10:30 am Norfolk Hospital Nursing Home	Residents & Staff
Friday August 26 10:00 am St. Mary	The Gontarde Family +Renato Santos
11:30 am St. Bernard	+Frank Oliver +Mary, Stan & John Zlomanczuk

Adoration 30 minutes prior to Weekday Mass

Sunday September 11 at 2 pm
Cemetery Sunday at St. Mary's Cemetery
271 Fourteen St. West, Simcoe

Sunday September 18 at 1 pm
Cemetery Sunday at
Our Lady of La Salette Cemetery



Mass Intentions & Weekday Mass Schedule

The Sanctuary Lamp will burn for the week of
August 28, 2022 at:
Our Lady, Queen of Martyrs for Julia Barnes

Twenty-second Sunday in Ordinary Time

Monday August 29 9:00 am St. Mary	+Luis Correia +Maria Catarino
Tuesday August 30 7:00 pm St. Mary	+Manuel Fernandes +Antonio Pereira
7:00 pm Our Lady, Queen of Martyrs	+Zolton Rapai +Dorothy McElhone
Wednesday August 31 9:00 am St. Cecilia	+Tony Masella +Monica McCarthy
11:00 am Our Lady, Queen of Martyrs	+Vincent Zorad +Anthony Murphy
7:00 pm St. Bernard	The Reagan Family
Thursday September 1 9:00 am St. Cecilia	+Frank Oliver The McNally Family
10:30 am Dover Cliffs	Residents & Staff
2:00 pm Delhi Long Term Care	+Vital & Mary Vankerrebroeck +Jerome & Albertine Degryse
Friday September 2	1 st Friday-Adoration 1 hour before Mass
10:00 am St. Mary	+J. P. McMannon +Bertha Cloet
11:30 am St. Bernard	+Frank Cahill The Clancy Family

Adoration 30 minutes prior to Weekday Mass

CONGRATULATIONS

Father Augustine on the occasion of your
27th Anniversary of your Ordination

