



BLESSED SACRAMENT PARISH



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MASS TIMES:

Saturday - 7:00 p.m.

Sunday - 8:15 a.m., 10:00 a.m., 11:45 a.m.

Tuesday - 7:00 p.m.

Wednesday - 9:00 a.m.

Thursday - 9:00 a.m.

Friday - 9:00 a.m. Holy Hour follows Mass

ADORATION:

First Friday of the Month all day,
Benediction at 9:00 p.m.

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION:

Saturdays – 11:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.
and during Friday's Holy hour when available

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM:

Please see our Parish Website for more information.

SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE:

Please see our Parish Website for information and to fill out the Preliminary Form at least 9 months in advance.

PARISH REGISTRATION

If you are new to our community or just visiting, welcome to Blessed Sacrament Parish. We encourage all new parishioners to register with the parish. Registration forms can be found on our website bskchurch.ca
We are most happy to have you join our Parish Family.

LEGACIES AND BEQUEST

Keep your love for your parish alive. Remember Blessed Sacrament Parish in your will and when suggesting expressions of sympathy. If you wish to make such a bequest in your will please contact the Parish office.

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THREE IN ONE

THE MOST HOLY TRINITY

ANNOUNCED MASSES FOR THE WEEK OF Saturday June 14, 2025

Saturday 7:00 p.m.

- Antonio Veloso - Daughter
- Marg White – Bernie & Rosemary White
- George VanderZanden – Ivy VanderZanden

Sunday

8:15 a.m.

For the People of Blessed Sacrament Parish
and the St. Brigid Mission

10:00 a.m.

- Francesco Maio, Lyle Diotte &
Enzo Giovinazzo – Maio-Diotte Family

11:45 a.m.

- Ely Baldonado & Michael Isabelle - Family

Tuesday 7:00 p.m.

- Adelino Fernandes - Family
- Dec'd Members of the DaGraca &
Neves Families – Roger & Anne Neves
Int. of Marie H. Hagey – Jim Kinzie

Wednesday 9:00 a.m.

- Lynn Whittemore – Connie Voll

Thursday 10:00 a.m. * *Note Time Change*

Special Intention

Friday 9:00 a.m.

- Dec'd Members of the Audy & vanGent
Families – Joscelyne vanGent

Blessed Sacrament Church

Sunday June 8 – Offertory \$ 6,799.76

total includes Pre-Authorized Giving



Thank you for your generosity!

Your gift and attendance truly matters.

It is the life and future for our parish!

Please take the time to write the dollar
amount of your offering on the envelope.

Thank you.

EVENTS FOR THE WEEK

Tuesday

Blessed Sacrament School Mass 10:00 a.m.
John Sweeney School Liturgy 10:00 a.m.
Legion of Mary 7:45 p.m. Music Rm

Wednesday

St. Josephine B. School Liturgies 1 & 2:30 p.m.
Jr. Choir Practice 6:00 p.m. Music Rm
Choir Practice 7:15 p.m. Music Rm

Thursday

** Mass time changed to 10:00 .a.m.*

OLO Grace School Mass 10:00 a.m.

M. Haller School Mass 1:00 p.m.

Sunday

Eucharistic Procession after 11:45 a.m. Mass

ANNOUNCEMENTS FROM THE PULPIT THIS WEEKEND

1. Join us next Saturday from 11:00 AM to 3:00 PM for our Parish Family and Fun Day! (Parish Picnic) Enjoy free games and food for all ages. A sign-up sheet is available in the lobby.
2. Next Sunday, we celebrate Corpus Christi, the titular feast of our parish—the Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ. It will also be Fr. Luke's farewell Sunday. The 11:45 AM Mass will conclude with a Eucharistic procession around the church grounds and special Benediction.
3. In two weeks, our parishioner Manju Matthew will make her Consecration as a Perpetual Virgin Living in the World at the Cathedral Basilica in Hamilton. For more information, please see the bulletin or parish website.
4. This Thursday's Holy Mass will be celebrated at 10:00 AM with the Our Lady of Grace School community.

HAPPY ANNIVERSARY DEACON MICHAEL



May you remember all the many ways God has touched people through you and your ministry.

Happy 1st Anniversary of your Diaconate Ordination

CONSECRATION OF MANJU MATHEW AS A CONSECRATED VIRGIN LIVING IN THE WORLD

With joy, we announce that **Manju Mathew** will be consecrated as a **Virgin Living in the World** by **His Excellency Bishop Wayne Lobsinger** on **Saturday, June 28 at 11:00 AM** at **Christ the King Basilica, Hamilton**. All are warmly **invited to attend** this beautiful and rare liturgical celebration.

Manju is completing many years of prayer, formation, and discernment. In this vocation, she will be **wedded to Christ** for life, dedicating herself fully to prayer, service, and witness in the world—much like a spiritual marriage or ordination.

We will honour and celebrate Manju at a **parish potluck dinner** on **Thursday, July 3, at 6:00 PM**. Please follow the *Announcements next weekend* on how to sign up and contribute to the event.

Let us keep Manju in our prayers as she prepares for this sacred and joyful milestone in her life.

BEWARE OF FALSE EMAILS

Please be advised of false emails circulating as messages sent either from Fr. Luke, or our office, or past Priests from Blessed Sacrament Parish. This is a fraud known as email impersonation. Email impersonation is a phishing technique. Cybercriminals create email addresses that look legitimate to trick their targets into trusting them. Never reply to emails that look suspiciously. Check the email address with those provided in our bulletin or on our website. Mark suspicious email as spam and delete. Stay safe in cyber world.

BLESSED SACRAMENT COMMUNITY & FUN DAY

Saturday, June 21st 11:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.

Reminders for those who signed up to come to Family Day:

1. Please bring chairs to sit on. Umbrellas for shade if you like.
2. NO PETS allowed please.
3. No communal Desert table – Thank you for all the offers but we will have lots of treats planned.
4. We are in need of **two more propane BBQs** if you are able to lend us yours please contact Wendy
(wmcgratt@uoguelph.ca)

Bubbles Tug of War *Face painting* Family Games*BBQ Hot Dogs & Hamburgers*Caricature Station
Fun for the entire family!!!

RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS (RCIA)

Do you or know someone who is interested in joining the Catholic Church?

Come and See and join our sessions that will begin in the fall. Meet all our fun, caring, friendly and enthusiastic team members who has great love for God and the Church.

For more information or to register, please speak to our Priests, Pastoral Minister or call the office

WELCOME THE NEW PASTOR, FATHER ALEKS!

We're happy to announce that Father Aleksander Mazur, SAC, will be joining Blessed Sacrament Parish as our new Pastor on June 25. Let us keep Fr. Aleks in our prayers as he prepares to join our parish family—we look forward to welcoming him with open hearts!

We congratulate the 119 students who has received their First Confession and First Holy Communion from April -June 8, 2025. We thank all the parishioners who have helped and welcome all their families and guests.

FAREWELL TO FR. LUKE AND UPCOMING PARISH CELEBRATIONS

After three years of the ministry as our pastor, we will be saying goodbye to **Fr. Luke**. His final weekend with us will be **June 21–22**. There will be an opportunity to greet him and shake hands after the Masses.

We invite you to join us for our **Parish Picnic on Saturday, June 21, from 11:00 AM to 3:00 PM**—a joyful event Fr. Luke helped bring back to our parish calendar.

On Sunday, June 22, we will also celebrate our **Parish Feast Day—Corpus Christi**, the Solemnity of the Body and Blood of Christ. The **11:45 AM Mass** will conclude with a **Eucharistic Procession**, a beautiful expression of our faith and unity.

Please mark your calendars and join us in prayer, gratitude, and celebration.

Please continue to keep Fr. Luke in your prayers during this time of change.

DIOCESAN FUNCTIONS

**WALKING PILGRIMAGE TO MIDLAND:
AUG 2-9, 2025**

WALKING PILGRIMAGE IS ABOUT:

- **nourishing your spirituality**
- **enjoying the great outdoors**
- **getting great exercise: 20+km per day**
- **having fun and enjoying good company**

Those who walk the Guelph-to-Midland pilgrimage find it to be a unique and grace-filled experience. For eight days pilgrims pray, sing, laugh, and share stories with others as they journey. Join us, as we cast off routine for eight days and acquiesce to a community of higher purpose. Participate for 1 day, a weekend or the full 8 days! Cost \$400 for 8 days or \$75 per day. We carry your gear, provide 3 meals and snacks daily, and cover entry and camping fees. You bring your tent, chair and personal gear/clothing in a duffle bag. To register or for more

information go to www.ignatiusguelph.ca (under programs - Guelph Walking Pilgrimage) NOTE registration deadline June 30 2025.

ST. ALOYSIUS STAINED GLASS SALE – SATURDAY, JUNE 21! TIME: 2:00–5:00 PM

St. Aloysius Parish Parking Lot
11 Traynor Avenue in Kitchener

Discover one-of-a-kind treasures and support a great cause! All made from recycled glass that tells a story. Much of it comes from the original church windows of St. Aloysius and St. Patrick's Parish in Cambridge,

All proceeds help to fund future stained glass work in the parish. The group is currently working on new stained glass windows for our church.

Cash and e-transfer payments only.

FATHER'S

God our father, we give you thanks and praise for fathers young and old.

We pray for young fathers, newly embracing their vocation; may they find courage and perseverance to balance work, family and faith in joy and sacrifice.

We pray for our own fathers around the world whose children are lost or suffering; may they know that the God of compassion walks with them in their sorrow.

We pray for men who are not fathers but still mentor and guide us with fatherly love and advice.

We remember fathers, grandfather, and great grandfathers who are no longer with us but who live forever in our memory and nourish us with their love.

Amen

Happy Father's Day