

SOLEMNITY OF THE MOST HOLY TRINITY

May 26th, 2024

The First Reading talks about the power and glory of God, who nonetheless, entered into a close and loving relationship with His people, Israel, and of the obligations and blessings that flow from such a relationship. This reading stresses the oneness of God. In the Second Reading this relationship is taken deeper; we are not just members of God's people, but members of God's family. We are God's children. The Holy Spirit dwells within us and has made us co-heirs with the Son. This reading makes clear reference to the three persons of the Blessed Trinity. Jesus, who has total power over the whole universe, now empowers His Apostles to preach the Gospel to the whole world. The all-powerful Son of God promises to be with them (and by implication with us) until the end of time. The mission of the Church is to help all people to know the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit.

MASS SCHEDULE

Sunday, May 26 th <i>Most Holy Trinity</i>	9 am 11 am	<i>Missa Pro Populo</i> <i>Missa Pro Populo (Linwood)</i>	
Monday, May 27 th <i>St. Augustine of Canterbury</i>	-	-	-
Tuesday, May 28 th <i>Ordinary Time</i>	10:30 am	+ <i>Clarence & Dorothy Comfort</i>	By Bob & Linda Myers
Wednesday, May 29 th <i>Pope St. Paul VI</i>	12 pm 4 pm	+ <i>Shirley Hehn</i> + <i>Helen Caroline Benninger (Linwood)</i>	By Louis & Mary Bender By the Estate
Thursday, May 30 th <i>Ordinary Time</i>	8 am	+ <i>Hilda Lang</i>	By Bill & Donna Lang
Friday, May 31 st <i>Visitation of the BVM</i>	8 am	+ <i>Monica Haffner</i>	By Judy & Donna (Friends Forever)
Saturday, June 1 st <i>St. Justin</i>	5 pm	+ <i>Elgin Vollmer</i> + <i>Maurice Downey</i>	By the Family By Diane Dietrich
Sunday, June 2 nd <i>Corpus Christi</i>	9 am 11 am	<i>Missa Pro Populo</i> <i>Missa Pro Populo (Macton)</i>	-

History of the Catholic Church (#34) – Those who favor this developmental approach interpret Paul, the earliest witness, in this sense. They hold that for St. Paul the Spirit is the one who organizes the community; rule by the Spirit means that love is the unifying and organizing force, and freedom is its characteristic quality. The various ministries needed to carry on and order the community are given directly by the Spirit. And St. Paul lists these in his epistle to the Corinthians: “God has given the first place to apostles, the second to prophets, the third to teachers; after them, miracles, and after them, the gift of healing; helpers, good leaders, those with many languages.” Not that St. Paul does not limit apostleship to the original twelve; an apostle for Paul was anyone who had personally been commissioned to preach by the risen Christ and, as a witness to the resurrection, authorized to found and lead churches. In this sense, the Church was founded on the apostolic ministry and witness. As a ministry of personal based on the Lord's commission, the apostolate was a unique and unrepeatable office.

FATHER'S DAY BAKE SALE AND TOOL DRIVE – The Christian Mothers wish to celebrate the fathers of our parish with a bake sale and tool drive. Pick up some treats for your Dad or the father of your children, and give him an excuse to pick up a new tool by donating an old one! Proceeds will be used to decorate & improve the sound quality of the parish hall, and tools will be donated to Canadian Food for Children, to be sent to third world countries. After the 9 am Mass on June 16, on the lawn to your left as you exit the church, rain or shine.

JONATHON VAN MAREN IN STRATFORD – Come out to learn how we can make our culture more Pro-Life. Jonathon Van Maren is a pro life author and Communications Director at CCBP. He is coming to Stratford St Joseph's Church 96 Huron St on June 6th. Mass at 6:15pm followed by dinner and talk at 7pm in the Hall. This is a FREE event. For more information or to register please contact Paul at p.douros@dol.ca.

CHALICE CHILD SPONSORSHIP WEEKEND – Chalice is coming to St. Clement's Parish! On the Feast of Corpus Christi, at the June 1-2 Masses, Canada's largest Catholic Child Sponsorship organization will provide you the opportunity to begin a relationship with a child in the developing world through the benefits of Child Sponsorship. It is a powerful way to reveal God's love for those most in need. Please visit www.chalice.ca for more information about Chalice and its mission.

YOUNG ADULTS NIGHT – Saturday, June 1st, Stoney Creek. Fr. Mark Morley invites all young adults (ages 20s and 30s) of our diocese to attend an evening of prayer, fellowship and praise music in support of your vocations. The Young Adults Night includes a Holy Hour (6:30pm-7:30 pm), social with food (7:30pm-8:00pm), praise night with vocations testimony (8:00pm-9:00pm), and Compline (9:00pm) on Saturday, June 1st at Immaculate Heart of Mary Church (934 Highway #8, Stoney Creek, Ontario). Sponsored by the Vocations Office of the Diocese of Hamilton: <https://hamiltondiocese.com/vocations/> For more information, please contact: vocations@hamiltondiocese.com

THE FINE ART OF BEING HAPPILY MARRIED - In his poem, The Art of Marriage, Wilfred A. Peterson writes, “A good marriage must be created” and creating something requires time and attention. We invite you to take the time, with your spouse, to find new and creative ways to increase your connection with each other, to discover fresh techniques for being in relationship and to deepen the love you already share. Join us on Saturday, June 1st from 9:30 – 3:00 pm at St. Catherine of Siena Parish in Hamilton. Cost is \$50 per couple and includes lunch. To register on the website, go to <https://hamiltondiocese.com/> and look under Upcoming Events, or contact Sarah at 905-528-7988 ext. 2249.

DIOCESE OF HAMILTON PRAYER CALENDAR – Please remember the following in your prayers: Rev. Mark Gatto, Rev. Peter Robinson, Seminarians, Rev. Saju Oreethaparambil, C.Ss.R., & Consecrated Life Candidates.

VOCATION SEEDS – God the Father, Creator; God the Son, Redeemer; God the Holy Spirit, Sanctifier. When we go out to "make disciples of all nations", we have a lot to tell! God is present everywhere. Would you be willing to proclaim the truth of God's love and presence in your life as a priest, religious or deacon? If so, call Fr. Mark Morley, Director of Vocations, Diocese of Hamilton at 905-528-7988. Email: vocations@hamiltondiocese.com Website: <https://hamiltondiocese.com/vocations/>

LAST WEEK'S COLLECTION – St. Clements \$2,285.00. Thank you for your generosity!

