



St. John the Evangelist

Roman Catholic Church (1857)

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Arthur:

Tuesday - Friday: 9:00 am

Sunday: 10:30 am

(Rosary 30 minutes before Mass)

Palmerston:

Wednesday: 10:30 am

Saturday: 4:00 pm

Kenilworth:

Friday: 10:00 am

Sunday: 9:00 am

(Rosary 30 Minutes before Mass)

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Sunday June 2, 2024 - Most Holy Body & Blood of Christ

“Jesus shares His Last Supper with His disciples.”

Sunday June 9, 2024 - 10th Sunday in Ordinary Time

“Jesus teaches that his true family includes those who do God’s will .”

Welcome to St. John the Evangelist, Sacred Heart and St. Mary the Immaculate Parishes

We extend a warm welcome to all our parishioners and visitors and hope that you feel at home in every parish. For information on registration and to find out how you can get more involved with parish activities, please contact us by: **Phone:** 519-848-2108, **Email:** stjohnarthur@hamiltondiocese.com

Website: www.stjohntheevangelist.ca

Most Holy Body & Blood of Christ



The Solemnity of the Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ originated in France in the mid-thirteenth century and was extended to the whole Church by Pope Urban IV in 1264. This feast is celebrated on the Thursday following the Trinity Sunday or, on the Sunday following that feast.

This feast calls us to focus on two manifestations of the Body of Christ, the Holy Eucharist and the Church. At every Mass our attention is called to the Eucharist and the Real Presence of Christ in it. The secondary focus of this feast is upon the Body of Christ as it is present in the Church. The Church is called the Body of Christ because of the intimate communion which Jesus shares with his disciples.

The Feast of Corpus Christi is commonly used as an opportunity for public Eucharistic processions, which serves as a sign of common faith and adoration. (Catholic News Agency)

Confession

After Daily Mass & 1st Friday

Saturday 2:30 - 3 p.m.

or upon request

Adoration - First Friday

8:30 am - 9:00 am (Arthur)

10:00 am - 10:30 am (Kenilworth)

Baptism

Please contact the office at least four months in advance.

Marriage

Please contact the office at least one year in advance.

ARTHUR MASS SCHEDULE

SUNDAY **June 2** SOLEMNITY OF THE MOST HOLY BODY & BLOOD OF CHRIST

10:30 am + Linda Giesler

Req. by Brian & Dianne Major

TUESDAY **June 4**

NO MASS

WEDNESDAY **June 5**

9:00 am + Dina Jansen

Req. by Mrs. Mary Epoch

THURSDAY **June 6**

9:00 am + Frank & Evelyn Deshevy

Req. by Rita Gagnon

10:00 am at Carressant Care

+ Mariyammba Gilbert

Anonymous Req.

FIRST FRIDAY **June 7**

The Most Sacred Heart of Jesus

9:00 am + Mariyammba Gilbert

Req. by Clare & Sharon McGoldrick

SUNDAY **June 9**

10:30 am Int. for all Parishioners

TUESDAY **June 11**

9:00 am + All Deceased Parishioners

Anonymous Req.

WEDNESDAY **June 12**

9:00 am + Dina Jansen

Req. by Mrs. Mary Epoch

THURSDAY **June 13**

9:00 am + John & Mary Teresa

Walsh Req. by the Walsh Family

FRIDAY **June 14**

9:00 am + Mariyammba Gilbert

Req. by Rita Gagnon

SUNDAY **June 16**

10:30 am Int. for all Parishioners

Arthur Offerings:

Sunday, May 19

Collection: \$ 819.50

Maintenance: \$ 60.00

Popes Pastoral Care:
\$ 35.00

Sunday, May 26

Collection: \$ 743.85.

Maintenance: \$

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Parish*

Rest in Peace

We offer our prayers and sympathy to the family of Annie Tone, who was called to eternal life and whose funeral Mass was celebrated recently.



*Eternal rest grant unto her, O Lord,
and let perpetual light shine upon on her. Amen.*



June 7, 2024 - Adoration

Arthur:

8:30 - 9:00 am

Kenilworth:

10:00 - 10:30 am

Followed by Mass.

June 7, 2024 is the Feast of the **Most Sac red Heart of Jesus.** June 8, 2024 is the Feast of the **Immaculate Heart of Mary.**

The Sacred Heart is viewed as the source of God's boundless love & Charity, while the devotion to the Immaculate Heart stresses the Nature of Mary's love & concern for all who call upon her.



C.W.L. NEWS

St. John the Evangelist CWL next general meeting will be this Monday, June 3, 2024 at 7:00 pm in the Parish Centre. All ladies are welcome!



ST. John the Evangelist will hold their **ANNUAL MEMORIAL MASS** at **St. John the Evangelist Catholic Cemetery** on Sunday June 16, 2024. ***Please bring a lawn chair.*** If it is raining, Mass will be celebrated at the church. Please let your family and friends know.



On the last four Sundays of June (June 9, 16, 23, 30), Fr. Hayden Starczala will give a series of talks explaining the meaning of the ceremonies of the Mass. Each of the talks will start at 3:00 PM in St. Martin of Tours Church, Drayton (12 Union St.). No registration required. All are welcome. Bring a friend!



Sacred Heart RC Church, Kenilworth

9139 Highway 6 Kenilworth, ON N0G 2E0

Kenilworth Offerings:

Sunday, May 19

Collection: \$ 938.00
Maintenance: \$ 110.00
Pope's Pastoral Work:
\$ 204.00

Sunday, May 26

Collection: \$ 858.00
Maintenance: \$

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Palmerston Offerings:

Sunday, May. 19

Collection: \$ 40.00
Maintenance: \$

Sunday, May. 26

Collection: \$ 20.00
Maintenance: \$

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Parish.*

SUNDAY June 2

SOLEMNITY OF THE MOST HOLY

BODY & BLOOD OF CHRIST

9:00 am + Mariamma Gilbert *Req. by Steve & Mary Frances Heffernan*

FIRST FRIDAY June 7

The Most Sacred Heart of Jesus

10:30 am + Stella McCabe *Req. by Jim & Linda Rice*
+ Joe Abate *Req. By John & Cindy Redburn*

SUNDAY June 9

9:00 am Intentions of Sister Dora Kruis *Req. by Sacred Heart CWL.*

FRIDAY June 14

10:00 am + Pat & Shirley Goetz *Req. by the Estate*
+ Harold & Viola Goetz *Req. by the Estate*

SUNDAY June 9

9:00 am + Stella McCabe *Req. by the Pacey Family*
+ Leona Brown *Req. by Pauline Goetz*



The cup of blessing that we
bless, is it not the sharing
of the Blood of Christ?

St. Mary the Immaculate, Palmerston

365 Main St E. Palmerston, ON N0G 2P0

SATURDAY June 1

Solemnity of the Most Holy Body & Blood of Christ

4:00 pm + Pat & Shirley Goetz
Req. by the Estate

WEDNESDAY June 5

10:30 am at Royal Terrace
+ Rogelio Botis Sr & Jr & Renato
Botis - *Anonymous Request*

SATURDAY June 8

The Immaculate Heart of Mary

4:00 pm + Rogelio Botis Sr & Jr &
Renato Botis - *Anonymous Request*

WEDNESDAY June 12

10:30 am + Pat & Shirley Goetz
Req. by the Estate

SATURDAY June 15

4:00 pm Int. for all Parishioners
Req. by Patricia Grotenhuis

Morning Offering

O Jesus, through the ***Immaculate Heart of Mary***, I offer you my prayers, works, joys and sufferings of this day in union with the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass throughout the world. I offer them for all the intentions of your ***Sacred Heart***: the salvation of souls, the reparation for sin, and the reunion of all Christians. I offer them for the intentions of our bishops and of all Apostles of Prayer, and in particular for those recommended by our Holy Father this month. Amen.



Please remember in your prayers our benefactors, volunteers and those who have left bequests.



Pope Francis' Prayer Intention
June 2024

**** For migrants fleeing their homes: ****

We pray that migrants fleeing from war or hunger, forced to undertake journeys full of danger and violence, find welcome and new opportunities in the countries that receive them.

Thoughts from the Holy Father

"The Eucharist is essential for us: it is Christ who wishes to enter our lives and fill us with his grace. "

Pope Francis

Vocation Seeds

Solemnity of the Body and Blood of Christ - June 2, 2024 -

Receiving Eucharist is a real sign of unity in our Church. God nourishes us with the "Bread from Heaven" if we have ordained priests to celebrate the Liturgy.

Tenth Sunday in Ordinary Time – June 9, 2024

"Whoever does the will of God is my brother and sister and mother". If you feel the inclination to be a priest, religious, or permanent deacon, call Fr. Mark Morley, Director of Vocations, Diocese of Hamilton at 905-528-7988.

Email: vocations@hamiltondiocese.com
hamiltondiocese.com/vocations/

St. John's Parish office is seeking a Bookkeeper.

After many years of faithful service to St. John's, Mary Raftis will be retiring. The bookkeeper posts transactions, maintains payroll and financial records according to the accounting principles of the Diocese of Hamilton. Knowledge of Quickbooks & Microsoft office is helpful. Maintaining professional standards of confidentiality is required. This is a part time position.

For more information please contact Father Stephen or any of the members of the finance committee. We wish to thank Mary for her many years of service! Please keep Mary in your prayers.

DIOCESAN PRAYER CALENDAR

... let us pray for

Mon. June 3 - Rev. Drago Gacnik S.D.B.
Tues. June 4 - Rev. Ambroise Tshiaba Ntumba
Wed. June 5 - Barnabite Fathers (C.R.S.P.)
Thur. June 6 - Rev. AAndrew Lopatniuk
Fri. June 7 - The Most Sacred Heart of Jesus -
World Day of Prayer for Priests
Sat. June 8 - Immaculate Heart of the Blessed Virgin Mary

Mon. June 10 - Very Rev. Msgr. Murray Kroetsch
Tues. June 11 - Rev. Piotr Jurzyk
Wed. June 12 - Sisters Adorers of the Precious Blood (R.P.B.)
Thur. June 13 - Rev. Bernard (Mike) Francis
Fri. June 14 - Rev. Adam Wroblewicz, C.R.
Sat. June 15- Rev. Patras Samuel Masih

PRAY FOR VOCATIONS.

Hamilton Diocesan
Marian Days



DIocese of HAMILTON

The Basilica of Our Lady Immaculate, the Diocesan Marian Shrine, will be hosting the Diocesan Marian Days on the first Saturdays from June to October. The day begins at 9:00 a.m. and concludes at noon. The presiders for these days will be Fr. Ian Duffy (June 1), Bishop Wayne Lobsinger (July 6), Bishop Matthew Ustrzycki (August 3), Bishop Douglas Crosby (September 7) and Bishop Daniel Miehm (October 5). For more information, see the Diocesan website.

PARENTING TIP OF THE MONTH

Parenting Tip #159 As summer approaches and we plan for holidays, camps and childcare, remember to ensure that family time makes a strong appearance in your calendar. These years with our children are about forming a foundation both for their futures and for our adult relationship with them. Don't let too many scheduled activities remove the most important one, time spent together as a family. In addition, remember that praying and attending Mass together are great bonding moments as well. (From: Teresa Hartnett, Family Ministry Office; 905-528-7988 ext. 2250)