



St. Joseph Church

Location: 920 Wellington St.,
Port Elgin, ON

Masses:

Saturday, 5:00 pm
Sunday, 11:00 am
Tuesday, 7:00 pm
Wednesday, 9:00 am
Friday, 9:00 am

Confessions:

Saturday, 4:00 – 4:45 p.m.



St. Patrick Church

Location: 36 Albert St. S. (Highway 21),
Southampton, ON

Masses:

Sunday, 9:00 am
Thursday, 9:00 am

SAINT JOSEPH PARISH

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Visit our Facebook page facebook.com/St-Josephs Parish

Parish Staff

Pastor: Fr. Francisco J. Sordo
Administrator: Rosalie Scarlett
Secretary/Receptionist: Gloria Villamil

Parish Office Hours:

Tuesday to Friday 10:00 AM – 3:00 PM

Welcome and Registration:

If you are new in the area, we welcome to worship with us. Please find the registration form [on our website](#), or at the back of both churches.

Sacraments:

Confessions: Saturdays, 4:00 – 4:45 p.m. at St. Joseph Church
Baptism: Contact the parish office for registration and information.
First Communion: Preparation for 2023 celebration will start in the fall.
Confirmation: Preparation for 2023 celebration will start in the fall.
R.C.I.A.: Adults and children Grade 3 and up contact the parish office.
Marriage: Contact the parish office one year in advance of date.
Care of the Sick: To arrange pastoral visits to the sick, call the parish office.
Catholic Funerals: Please call the Funeral Home or the Parish at time of need. It is customary to celebrate a Funeral Mass in the church.

Society of St. Vincent de Paul Hot Line: **519-832-2207**

Church Collections

This week's contributions were \$2799.23 - Diocesan Contributions \$544.70.
Thank you to all who have continued to support our parish with your gifts.

July 3rd, 2022 – Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Date	Day	* / +	Mass Intention (+ Deceased or * Intention)	Clergy Hamilton Diocese
4-Jul-22	Mon		No Mass scheduled	Rev. Michael Bennett
5-Jul-22	Tue - 7 pm	+	Lloyd Schlenker	Rev. Ralph Diodati
6-Jul-22	Wed - 9 am	+	Karl Fortney	Our Parish Community
7-Jul-22	Thu - 9 am	*	Kevin Barrett	Rev. Robert Dunn
8-Jul-22	Fri - 9 am	*	Brenda Murray	Rev. Michael McHugh
9-Jul-22	Sat - 5 pm	+	Anna Jacob	Rev. Mike Myroniuk
10-Jul-22	9am - 11am	+	Mike Pooley	Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time
		*	People of the Parish	

Welcome Fr. Francisco Sordo, our new Pastor.

Please give a very warm welcome to our newly appointed Pastor, Fr. Francisco Sordo, who is celebrating Masses this weekend.

Fr. Francisco is a priest in the Diocese of Hamilton, ordained in August 15th, 2020.

We look forward to his ministry with us.

May God give strength and guidance, and may

Fr. Francisco feel at home in Saugeen Shores.

More information coming soon.

World Day for the Grandparents and the Elderly – July 24th

Pope Francis stated the following as he presented his catechesis on the elderly:

“I wish to emphasize that the tenderness of the elderly and grandparents shows us the tenderness of God. Watch how a grandfather or a grandmother look at their grandchildren, how they embrace their grandchildren – that tenderness, free of any human distress, that has conquered the trials of life and is able to give love freely, the loving nearness of one person to others.

This is what God is like, He knows how to embrace. And, old age helps us understand this aspect of God who is tenderness. [Read more](#)

Papal Visit to Canada, July 24-29, 2022!

The Holy Father will travel within Alberta (based in Edmonton) from July 24-27, followed by a visit to Quebec City and Ste. Anne-de-Beaupre, July 27-29. Pope Francis will visit Iqaluit, Nunavut, the afternoon of July 29th, before returning to Rome. Drawing on the theme, “Walking Together”, the Holy Father’s journey of reconciliation, healing and hope includes visits to a former residential school, Indigenous pilgrimage sites, two public Masses and mix of public and private events. Free tickets will be available for a limited number of events, all of which will be broadcast and accessible via livestream. For ticket information, to volunteer, donate, or learn more, visit www.papalvisit.ca. Please pray for the health of Pope Francis and for a safe and blessed journey in Canada.

“A society truly welcomes life when it recognizes that it is also precious in old age, in disability, in serious illness and even when it is fading.”

(Pope Francis at General Audience, June 15)

July Pope’s Prayer Intention:

For the Elderly. We pray for the elderly, who represent the roots and memory of a people; may their experience and wisdom help young people to look towards the future with hope and responsibility.

The Knights of Columbus is an international organization of Catholic men committed to improving the lives of other Catholic men and their families. They are lively organizations in many Parishes throughout our Diocese, across Canada, and around the world. Founded by Blessed Father Michael McGivney in New Haven, Connecticut, in 1882, the Order has spread to many countries world-wide. The Knights have been in Ukraine for twelve years and even longer in Poland. When Russia advanced on Ukraine, Ukrainian members of the Knights and those in Poland immediately began to bring relief to the innocent victims of war. They helped get basic necessities to besieged cities and aid to those who were dispersed – including bringing refugees to Poland. The day following the invasion, Supreme Knight Patrick Kelly promised prayer and action – and it happened! By mid-March, \$6.5 million dollars was raised and sent for the aid of displaced persons and refugees! The Knights know how to spring into action. Pastors are asked to consider becoming members of the Knights of Columbus themselves and to encourage men to join the Order. When a man becomes a Knight, especially if he also participates in the insurance program, he not only has a first class insurance policy to protect his family, but he also becomes an essential partner in all the works of the Knights. Without their membership the Knights could do nothing. It is even better if he is active in his own Council, serving the community. To support the Knights’ Ukrainian relief, [visit](#).

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In instructing the disciples to travel light, Jesus is encouraging them to depend on him for all that they need to accomplish their mission.
What heavy baggage am I carrying that slows me down on my spiritual journey?

