



### **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](https://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.

**Baptisms, Marriage & Funerals are also available  
to be celebrated in Spanish.**

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

#### **Church Collections**

This week's contributions were \$2912.65 - Diocesan Contributions \$20.  
**Thank you to all who have continued to support our parish with your gifts.**

## ***July 17<sup>th</sup>, 2022 – Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time***

Date	Day	* / +	Mass Intention (+ Deceased or * Intention)	Clergy Hamilton Diocese
18-Jul-22	Mon	*	Pastor's Intentions	Rev. Peter Meyer
19-Jul-22	Tue	+	Lloyd Schlenker	Rev. Emmanuel Olusola
20-Jul-22	Wed	+	Joan Jack	Pallottine Fathers (S.A.C.)
21-Jul-22	Thu am	+	Suzanne Howlett	Rev. Gordian Okpuruka
	Thu. pm	+	Arin Vlcek (SPANISH MASS)	
22-Jul-22	Fri	+	Karl Fortney	Rev. Ken Miskiewicz
23-Jul-22	Sat	+	Pauline Thorman	Rev. Terence Sehl
24-Jul-22	9am - 11am	+	Karl Fortney	<b>Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time</b>
		*	People of the Parish	



**WALKING  
TOGETHER**

POPE FRANCIS CANADA  
24 - 29 JULY 2022

**MARCHER  
ENSEMBLE**

PAPE FRANÇOIS CANADA  
24 - 29 JUILLET 2022

The Holy Father will visit Canada from July 24 to July 29, 2022. Pope Francis' historic visit to Canada will provide an opportunity for the Pope to listen and dialogue with Indigenous Peoples and to address the impact of residential schools in Canada.

The Holy Father will begin his Canadian visit by traveling to Edmonton, Alberta, then to Quebec City, St. Anne-de-Beaupré and then to Iqaluit, Nunavut 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, and several private and public events, including two public Masses.

Papal Visit's official website: [English](#) or [French](#) You can also find detailed information on the Healing and Reconciliation Journey and the Papal Visit on the [diocesan website](#).

### ***Vincentian Meditation:***

"Have you noticed that there is no rejection of Martha, no suggestion that she should not have been engaged in preparing the meal? Jesus merely underlines a truth that St. Luke records earlier, namely, that they are blessed who hear the word of God and keep it. He is putting emphasis on a sense of attention to the word of God, if we are to offer that service to others which is the fulfillment of the second great commandment of the law. Hearing the word of God in prayer through reflection is a condition for true selfless loving service of the body of Christ." (McCullen, Deep Down Things, p. 298)

### **How can we become disciples more like Mary?**

Taken from SSVP Ontario – Member site

***Society of St. Vincent de Paul*** is collecting canned beans, taco shells, granola bars and rice krispie squares. Thank you for your generosity!

### ***Spanish Mass for the Mexican Workers***

Fr. Francisco Sordo will celebrate a 7 p.m. Mass in Spanish, at St. Joseph Church, on Thursday July 21st.

### ***Becoming Catholic?***

Have you been attending Mass with your Catholic spouse even though you are not Catholic? Would you like to become member of the Catholic Church?

Are you an adult who has never been baptized?

Were you baptized in another Christian Church?

Are you baptized Catholic adult who has not yet received First Communion or Confirmation?

If your answer is YES to any of these questions, call Father Francisco for more information about the Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults R.C.I.A.

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

Join us for a special Hospitality Sunday dedicated to Grandparents and the Elderly, after the 11 am Mass in Jubilee Hall.

**“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)