

## St. Joseph Church

**Location:** 920 Wellington St.  
Port Elgin, ON



### Masses this week:

Tuesday, 7 p.m. - Spanish  
Wednesday, 9:30 a.m.  
Friday, 9:30 a.m. - School  
Saturday, 5 p.m.  
Sunday, 11 a.m.

### Confessions

Saturday 4 p.m.

## St. Patrick Church

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

### Masses this week:



Thursday, 9:30 a.m.  
Sunday, 9 a.m.

### Confessions

Thursday 10 a.m.

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# SAINT JOSEPH PARISH

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**Parish Office Hours:** Tuesday to Friday 10:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.

### **Parish Staff**

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

### **Welcome to St. Joseph Parish!**

If you are new in the area, we invite you to register with the parish office.  
Please find the registration form [on our website](#).

## June 9<sup>th</sup>, 2024



### **Our ultimate home is with God.**

This world is not our ultimate home, Saint Paul tells us in today's second reading.

This passage is full of hope, teaching us to trust that the passing of our earthly bodies and temporary dwellings – *what is seen* – will be replaced by an eternal life and home – *what is unseen*.

We will *live* with God, with an *eternal weight of glory*.

### **Sacraments:**

**Baptism:** Contact the parish office for information.

**First Communion:** Registration will start in the Fall.

**Confirmation:** Registration will start in the Fall.

**R.C.I.A.:** Will start in the Fall till Easter Vigil.

**Marriage:** Contact the parish office one year in advance.

**Care of the Sick:** If you are unable to attend church:

Communion to the Homebound: arrangements can be made for you to receive Communion at home.

Pastoral visit to your home or to the hospital.

**Anointing of the sick:** contact the 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, Weddings and Funerals are offered in Spanish upon request.**

**The Liturgy of the Word for Children 3-9** Sundays at the 11 a.m. Mass

**The Rosary Garden is open** Tuesday through Friday 10 – 3

**Divine Mercy Chaplet:** After the 5 p.m. Mass on Saturdays

## Liturgy for the Tenth Week in Ordinary Time

Date	Day	Time	+ / *	Intention + Rest in Peace / * Intentions of	Requested by	Diocese
10-Jun	Mon	No	*	Pastor's Intentions		Very Rev. Msgr. Murray Kroetsch
11-Jun	Tue	7pm	+	Hannelore Spilker	Jack & Jo-Anne Konings	Rev. Piotr Jurzyk
12-Jun	Wed	9:30am	*	Helen Hunter	Eileen Fortney	Sisters Adorers of the Precious Blood (R.P.B.)
13-Jun	Thurs	9:30am	*	Mark Preston	Jennifer Dixon	Rev. Bernard (Mike) Francis
14-Jun	Fri	9:30am	*	Coleen Hunt	Mary Teresa Hiltz	Rev. Adam Wroblewicz, C.R.
15-Jun	Sat	5pm	+	Alicia Cook	David & Heather Starrs	Rev. Patras Samuel Masih
			+	Henry Martin	Gerry & Elaine MacNeil	
			*	Living and deceased members of Theodorus de Boer & Maria Van Wieringen	Simon & Leinie de Boer	
			+	Judy Wadsworth	Dorothy James	
			+	Terry Blackwell	Secular Franciscans	
16-Jun	Sun	9am	*	People of the Parish	N/A	Eleventh Sunday in Ordinary Time
		11am	*	Trenton Cook	Ron & Norma Schmidt	

**Divine Mercy Candle** - Rob & Tricia Osborn

### Liturgy this week

Tue. Jun 11 – St. Barnabas, Apostle (M)

Thurs. Jun 13 – St. Anthony of Padua, Priest, Doctor (M)

Sun. Jun 16 – Eleventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

### June Prayers requests:

Intentions: Myles Oostdam, Genia, Aaron.

Deceased: Anna Raaymakers, Jane Kocjan, Sam Waytowich.

### June Pope's Prayer Intention

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.

**Canadian Food for Children CFFC** accepts all food donations. Any items are welcome. Salt and oatmeal are requested for June.

**St. Vincent de Paul Food Bank** is offering families in need of assistance to visit the Food Bank, twice a month, in the downstairs hall at St. Joseph Church, as follows:

First Wednesday from 11 a.m. - 2 p.m.

Third Wednesday from 11 a.m. - 2 p.m.

SVP is collecting cereal, juice, pasta sauce, cookies during the month of June.

**Church Collections this week** Regular contributions were \$3473, PAR \$1757/week. Thank you.

**Vocations** – “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, 905-528-7988. Email [vocations@hamiltondiocese.com](mailto:vocations@hamiltondiocese.com) [hamiltondiocese.com/vocations/](http://hamiltondiocese.com/vocations/)

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### Swap out Your Sin!



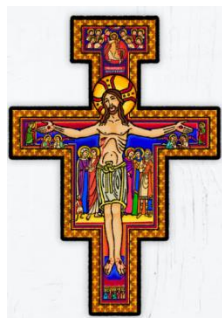
# Tenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

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**Knights of Columbus – Baby Bottle Drive  
Ends Father's Day Weekend**



Your support is greatly appreciated – Thank you!



**“Make your ways known to me, Lord”** How do I do this? If you are interested in finding the path to the Lord, free to drop in to one of our Franciscan Fraternity meetings on the Third Tuesday of the month at 5:30 p.m. in Jubilee Hall. For more information, call Gaetane at 519-832-5694 or Bob at 519-832-3525.

**Spanish Mass and Fiesta** – Join us this Tuesday for the Spanish Mass offered for the Seasonal Agricultural Workers.

**School Mass** – Join us on Friday at 9:30 a.m. for the end of the year School Mass.



## **Baptism - Entering into the Family of God**

- St. Joseph Parish is pleased to welcome a new Catholic: **Zoe Marie Biletchi**, daughter of Brendan and Sara Biletchi, who will be baptized on Sunday, June 9<sup>th</sup> during the 11 a.m. Mass at St. Joseph Church. Congratulations to her family and friends!

**Stephenson / Chaput Wedding** - We are pleased to announce that Benjamin Stephenson and Mikayla Chaput will be united in Holy Matrimony next Saturday, June 15<sup>th</sup>. This is a good news that this young couple has made the decision to have God bless their union. Through the power of Christ, may they grow together through faith.

**Ekklesia** – In the New Testament the Greek term ekklesia, translated as “Church”, appears only three times in the Gospels (Mat. 16:18, 18:17), but more than twenty times in the Acts of the Apostles. In the Greek Old Testament, it is one of the two words used for the congregation of Israel. Ekklesia literally means the “called out ones” who are then gathered together as the one people of God. In Matthew 16:18, Jesus stated that he would build a new people of God or “called out ones”. The Acts of the Apostles records the remarkable growth of that new people, the Church (Acts 2:47, 5:11, 8:3, 9:31). Extracted from Acts: The Spread of the Kingdom The Great Adventure

**The Diocesan Marian Shrine** at the Basilica of Our Lady, Guelph, hosts Diocesan Marian Days on the first Saturdays from June through October. The day begins at 9:00 am, and concludes at noon. The presiders will be Bishop Wayne Lobsinger (July 6), Bishop Matthew Ustrzycki (August 3), Bishop Douglas Crosby (September 7), and Bishop Daniel Miehm (October 5). Check the Diocesan website for more information!

It is not fitting, when one is in God's service, to have a gloomy face or a chilling look.

St. Francis of Assisi

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**“THE EARTH IS THE LORD’S AND  
ALL THAT IS IN IT.”**

Psalm 2:1-1

**Have you considered remembering  
the Church in your Will?**

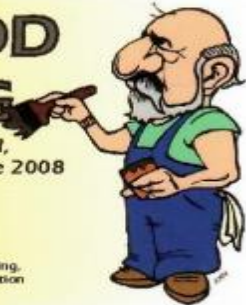
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