







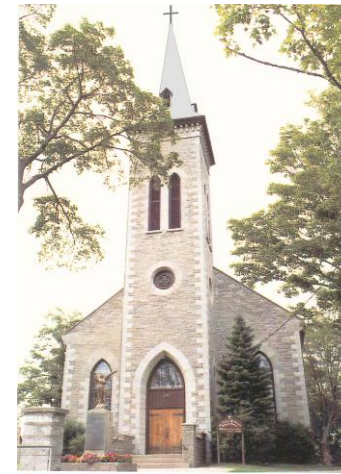


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OUR PARISH BULLETIN



**Our Lady of Mount Carmel
Roman Catholic Church**
51 Albert Street E. P.O. Box 32
Hastings, Ontario K0L 1Y0

**Sacred Heart
Mission Church**
494 North Bethesda Road
1km east of Harwood off Cty Rd 18

Mission Statement – Our Lady of Mount Carmel's Parish, Hastings is a welcoming faith community grounded in the Catholic Christian tradition, whose members strive to build a happy family through nurturing closer relationship with God and with one another.

BETTER TOGETHER

Pastor: Fr. Joseph Devereaux
Phone: 705-696-2254
Office Hours: Thurs & Fri: 9:30AM-3:30PM

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Webpage: ladyofmountcarmelhastings.ca
Fr. Joseph Devereaux email: frjdevereaux@gmail.com

Mass Schedule:

Our Lady of Mount Carmel Church Hastings: Saturday 5:00 PM - Sunday 9:00 AM
Latin Tridentine Mass: Extraordinary Form on Sunday at 1:00 PM
Sacred Heart Church Harwood: Sunday 11:00 AM

Sacraments:

Baptism: By Appointment Only
Marriage: Couples must make an appointment at least SIX months prior to a planned wedding. A marriage preparation course is required.

Reconciliation:

Our Lady of Mount Carmel: Saturday 4:15-4:45 PM
Sunday 8:15-8:45 AM

Sacred Heart: Sunday 10:45 AM

Parish Directory:

Parish Secretary: Theresa Janiga
OLMC Cemetery Chair: Albert Crowley: 705-696-3423
Harwood Church Council Chair: Teresa Finch
Harwood Maintenance Committee Chair: The McKinlay's
Harwood Parish Music Ministry: 11AM: John & Eileen O'Connor

Parish Hall Rental: Call Office: 705-696-2254

For the Weekday Mass Schedule, Please see inside the Bulletin
PLEASE REMEMBER OUR LADY OF MOUNT CARMEL PARISH IN YOUR WILL

5TH SUNDAY OF EASTER

MASS SCHEDULE: APRIL 27-28

SATURDAY -Hastings

5:00 PM +Simon Vahamaki/Adam Vahamaki

SUNDAY -Hastings

9:00 AM +Frank Doris/The Marrocco Family

SACRED HEART-Harwood
11:00 AM The People of the Parish

LATIN MASS-Hastings

1:00 PM +Michael Benzinger/The Family

WEEKDAY MASSES: April 29-May 4

Monday (St. Catherine of Siena, Virgin & Doctor of the Church)

8:30 AM Int of Celebrant

Tuesday (St. Pius V, Pope)

8:30 AM Caitlin McLaren & Navid Vafei/The Family

Wednesday (St. Joseph the Worker)

8:30 AM +Frank Doris/The Doris Family

Thursday (St. Athanasius, Bishop & Doctor of the Church)

8:30 AM Carol Borg/Mike + Theresa Janiga

Friday (St. Philip & James, Apostles)

4:00 PM Adoration & Benediction

7:00 PM Claudette Vanderploeg/The Marrocco Family

Saturday

8:30 AM Kelly/John Kardos

Latin Mass

PARISH STEWARDSHIP

Offertory Collection for April 7th: \$2,371.00

Hastings: \$1,123

Latin Mass: \$898


Harwood: \$350


Offertory Collection for April 14th: \$2,117.10

Hastings: \$931

Latin Mass: \$976

Harwood: \$200.10

 The sanctuary candle in the Church burns this week and next week for: Intentions of Laddy – The McLaren Family.
(If you wish to give an offering for a candle in memory of your family, please ask Father).

 **Forty Hours of Adoration-1st Friday of the Month-May 3rd**
beginning at 4pm on Friday and ending just before 9am Mass on Sunday.

6TH SUNDAY OF EASTER

MASS SCHEDULE: MAY 4-5

SATURDAY -Hastings

5:00 PM Fr. Joseph Devereaux/Adam Vahamaki

SUNDAY -Hastings

9:00 AM The People of the Parish

SACRED HEART-Harwood
11:00 AM +Bonifacio Semine/Welly + David Murdoch

LATIN MASS-Hastings

1:00 PM Special Intentions/Guy Cooney

WEEKDAY MASSES: May 6-11

Monday

8:30 AM Int of Celebrant

Tuesday

8:30 AM Bradley McLaren/The Family

Wednesday

8:30 AM Lee Ann Corkery/The Marrocco Family

Thursday (The Ascension of the Lord)

8:30 AM For the Unborn

7:00PM Anne Sherdian/The Marrocco's

Friday (St. John of Avila, Priest & Doctor of the Church)

6:00 PM Adoration & Benediction

7:00 PM +Brian Fitzgerald/The Marrocco Family

Saturday

8:30 AM Fr. Joseph/Kathleen Vahamaki

Latin Mass

ST. JOSEPH'S ORATORY CELEBRATION 2024

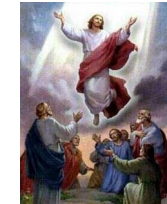
Saint Joseph's Oratory of Mount Royal is announcing 2024 as the 4th centenary of the dedication of Canada to Saint Joseph. A 7th month celebration (March 10-Oct 19) will be welcoming additional pilgrims. You may plan a parish/diocese pilgrimage by contacting the reception and pilgrimage office of the Oratory.

<https://www.saint-joseph.org/en/place-of-welcome/pilgrimages-to-the-oratory/>

 **MARCH FOR LIFE**
In Ottawa, May 9, 2024. The day begins with 7:30 am Mass at the Cathedral.
Bus leaves from there at 8:15 am,

returns approx. 9 pm. Cost \$35 per person, \$50 per family and \$10 students. Priests and religious are free. To reserve please call Elizabeth, 705-292-7056. Please consider a donation if not attending.

THE ASCENSION OF THE LORD



MASS SCHEDULE: MAY 11-12

SATURDAY -Hastings

5:00 PM The People of the Parish

SUNDAY -Hastings

9:00 AM +Henry + Lena Kuechle/Armella Moring

SACRED HEART-Harwood
11:00 AM +Pearl O'Shea/Maureen O'Shea

LATIN MASS-Hastings

1:00 PM Cody Wheeler/Susan Cruickshank

WEEKDAY MASSES: May 13-18

Monday (Our Lady of Fatima)

8:30 AM Int of Celebrant

Tuesday (St. Matthias, Apostle)

8:30 AM Emmas McLaren/The Family

Wednesday

8:30 AM +Sarah Marrocco/The Family

Thursday

8:30 AM Dominic Marrocco/Loretta

Friday


6:00 PM Adoration & Benediction

7:00 PM +Carl + Maggie Dornellas & Clement Gomes/Des Faria

Saturday (St. John I, Pope & Martyr)

8:30 AM Anne Brygidyr/Kathleen

Latin Mass

 **Please remember those who are sick in your prayers:**
Jean Taschereau, Susan Bradbury and Marcy Williamson.
Please remember in your prayers the repose of the souls –

VISITATION OF THE SICK Anyone who cannot attend Mass with us in the Church, because of illness, handicap or age, or anyone who wishes to receive the Sacraments of Confession, Communion, Anointing for the Sick, please call the Parish Office.



THE ASCENSION

Besides the hope and the joyful expectancy of heaven so characteristic of the Ascension feast there is a note of melancholy. Before the final departure of Jesus, the Apostles must have been very much disturbed: each felt the distress of one who sees his dearest friend and companion going away forever, and finds himself alone to face all the difficulties of life. The Lord realized their state of mind and consoled them once more, promising the coming of the Holy Spirit, the Comforter: "He commanded them," we read in the Epistle (Acts 1:1-11), "that they should not depart from Jerusalem, but should wait for the promise of the Father... you shall be baptized with the Holy Spirit, not many days hence." But even this time the Apostles did not understand how much they needed to be enlightened and transformed by the Holy Spirit in order to accomplish the great mission which was to be entrusted to them! Jesus continued, "You shall receive the power of the Holy Spirit coming upon you and you shall be witnesses unto Me... even to the uttermost part of the earth." For the moment, however, they were there, around the Master, weak, timid, frightened, like little children watching their mother leave for a distant, unknown land. In fact, "while they looked on, He was raised up, and a cloud received Him out of their sight." Two angels came to distract them from their great amazement and to make them realize what had happened. Then, placing their trust in the word of Jesus, which would henceforth be their only support, they returned to Jerusalem where, in the Cenacle, they awaited in prayer the fulfillment of the promise. It was the first novena in preparation for Pentecost: "All these were persevering with one mind in prayer with... Mary, the Mother of Jesus" (ibid. 1:14).

Silence, recollection, prayer, peace with our brethren, and union with Mary: these are the characteristics of the novena we too should make in preparation for the coming of the Holy Spirit.

(Excerpted from *Divine Intimacy*, Fr. Gabriel of St. Mary)

Daily Reflection:

More than ever, I understand that the smallest events of our life are conducted by God; He is the One who makes us desire and who grants our desires.
(St. Therese)

Perseverance is not a long race. It is many short races, one after another.
(Walter Elliot)