

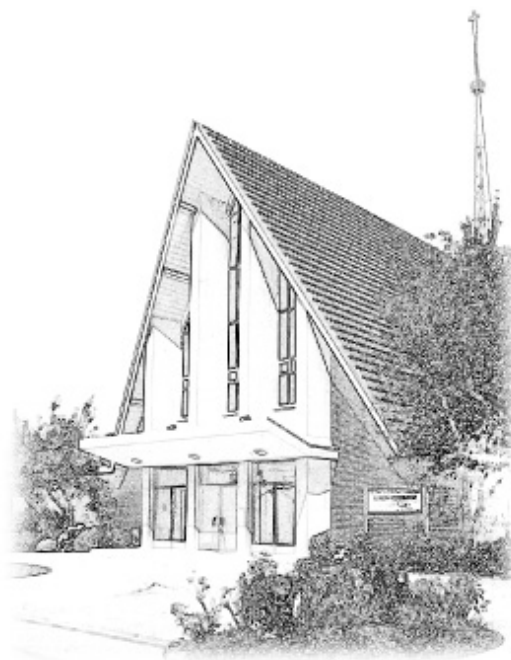
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PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Tuesday to Friday	9:00 am to Noon 1:00 pm to 4:00 pm
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WEEKEND MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday	5:00 pm
Sunday	9:00 am and 11:00 am

WEEKDAY MASS SCHEDULE

Tuesday	7:00 pm
Wednesday	8:30 am
Thursday	8:30 am
Friday	8:30 am

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Tuesday	6:00 to 6:30 pm
Saturday	4:00 to 4:30 pm

ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

Tuesday	6:00 to 6:45 pm
Friday	9:00 am to Noon

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

The sacrament of Baptism is usually celebrated once a month on Sunday at 12:30 pm. Preparation is provided. Kindly contact the parish office at least 2 months before the desired date.

The blessing of expectant parents takes place after each Mass on the first Sunday of the month.

SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE

The sacrament of Marriage is usually celebrated on Saturday afternoon. Preparation is provided. Please contact the parish office 1 year before the desired date.

PARISH SCHOOLS

St. Dominic	905-827-4401
St. Joseph	905-827-4231
St. Thomas Aquinas Secondary	905-842-9494

PRIESTHOOD AND CONSECRATED LIFE

For assistance in discerning God's call to Priesthood or Consecrated Life, please contact Reverend Michael King, Vocations Director at 905-528-7988 or Reverend Ranjan D'Sa at the Parish Office or email rdsa@hamiltondiocese.com

PLANNED GIVING

Continue to help your Parish and the mission of your Church. For more details, please go to www.saintdominic.ca/support-us

FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

PARISH LITURGIES FIFTH WEEK OF EASTER

LITURGIES

April 30 – May 6

Tuesday, May 1

6:00 pm Reconciliation
7:00 pm Beth Cockton

Wednesday, May 2

8:30 am Christine Doyle

Thursday, May 3

8:30 am Helen Swim

Friday, May 4

8:30 am Shave family

SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

Saturday, May 5 – First Communion

4:00 pm Reconciliation
5:00 pm Ed Matthews
Ted McKillip
Patrice Livingstone
Doug Livingstone
Mary Ellen Owen

Sunday, May 6

9:00 am For our - **First Communion**

11:00 am Parish

PLEASE PRAY FOR OUR CHILDREN PREPARING FOR FIRST EUCHARIST

Please remember to pray for our children that are celebrating First Eucharist at the 5:00 pm and 9:00 am Masses on **May 5/6**. You will find their names on the wall at the Choir side entrance. Some parishioners took home a prayer request to pray for a specific child.

ALL CARD PLAYERS ARE INVITED TO OUR

Saint Dominic CWL Card Party

WHY? To Play Euchre or Bridge

WHEN? Monday April 30 @ 6:30 pm

**WHERE? Saint Dominic Parish Centre
2415 Rebecca St. Oakville**

Several great prizes and much fun! Enjoy the Sweets table and friends. Tickets are \$10.00 Call to reserve your Bridge table. Office (905) 827-2373

SUPPORT AND ATTEND OUR INTERNATIONAL NIGHT FUNDRAISER

The Conquest and Challenge Junior club would like to reach out to the Mano Amiga school in Venezuela as a 'kids help kids' outreach program. The children in these schools not only lack school supplies, but also struggle to have decent meals. The International Night event is a way to bring our community together, to learn about other cultures, taste delicious foods, as well as, raise money for the Mano Amiga School in Venezuela. **Interested in donating food/dessert from your country of origin?** Sign-up sheets are located in the Narthex. Deadline to sign-up is April 28. **Purchase your tickets in advance.** \$10 per adult (includes 5 tapas-size servings of food/dessert and a drink) and \$5 per child (includes 2 tapas-size servings of food and a drink). Additional tickets available onsite. This event will be a fun way to celebrate the end of the school year and a great opportunity to contribute to a good cause. Please join us on May 26 at 6:00 pm in the parish auditorium Children are encouraged to wear their national dress. It will be a delightful evening.



FAMILY TIME FOR BREAKFAST

The Knights of Columbus will be holding their "Spring Community Breakfast" on Sunday, May 6 from 9 am to 1:00 pm at the Knights of Columbus Hall on Wallace Road near 3rd Line and Speers. Full breakfast will be served: - sausages, eggs, bacon, pancakes etc. Bring your friends, family and especially the children. Cost: \$5 adults and \$2 for children

THIS WEEK'S MEETINGS

Mon. April 30	6:30 pm	C.W.L. Card Party	Auditorium
Wed. May 2	9:00 am	Rosary Apostolate	PC-2
		Rehearsal	
	6:00 pm	First Communion	Church
	7:00 pm	Rehearsal St. Joseph	
	7:00 pm	Youth Choir	Church
Thurs. May 3	7:30 pm	Choir	Church
Fri. May 4	9:00 am	Mens' Group	RMR

*"I am the vine, you are the branches.
Whoever abides in me and I in them
bears much fruit"*

SOCIETY OF ST. VINCENT DE PAUL UPDATE

In addition to the usual donations of food and food vouchers we have:

- ...Provided Halton Fresh Food Boxes to 16 – 18 families each month
- ...Provided transportation assistance to a young mother desperately trying to complete her university degree
- ...Provided books for a young mother to go to college and earn a qualification
- ...Provided emotional support to a grandmother bringing up two young grandchildren
- ...Provided baby clothing and a stroller to a young mother with a new baby
- ...Provided furniture for two families in need

This work is possible because of the support and financial assistance provided by you. Thank you.

SAINT DOMINIC PARISH SUMMER BIBLE CAMP JULY 9/13

This year our campers find themselves *SHIPWRECKED* on Dominoak Island. Join us for a 5-day adventure of Bible Discovery, Imagination Station crafts, “Ship Rec” Games, Tropical Treats and, of course, loads of music and dance as we explore the theme: Through of all life’s storms ... Jesus rescues us! Tide Pool Campers (JK-Gr3); Rescue Reef Campers (Gr4-Gr6). To register or volunteer Email Siobhan at sdpbiblecamp@gmail.com

HAMILTON DIOCESE NEWS

DIOCESAN WEDDING ANNIVERSARY MASS

Are you celebrating your 25, 40, 50 or 60, or 60+ Wedding Anniversary in the year 2018? On **Sunday, June 10**, at 1:30 pm, Bishop Douglas Crosby will celebrate the Diocesan Wedding Anniversary Mass at the Cathedral Basilica of Christ the King in Hamilton. (Space allows room for Anniversary couples only – those married 60 years or more may bring 1 guest if assistance is required. Please register by May 20 to be sure your name is included in the program. Details are available on the poster in the Narthex of the church, or go to www.hamiltondiocese.com

HAMILTON DIOCESE PRAYER CALENDAR

Monday, April 30	Rev. Chris Buda
Tuesday, May 1	Rev. Jim Wahl
Wednesday, May 2	Religious of the Sacred Heart of Jesus
Thursday, May 3	Rev. Florian Stasinski
Friday, May 4	Rev. Jim Donohue
Saturday, May 5	Very Rev. Murray McDermott

CATECHESIS CONNECTIONS

Are you a catechist? Do you help pass on the faith to others? In your parish? In Sacramental Prep? At Home? Join us as we consider the connection between evangelization and catechesis with the help of a new book by Daniella Zsupan-Jerome, “*Evangelization & Catechesis: Echoing the Good News Through the Documents of the Church*”. Short chapters, great stories, helpful reflection! Wednesdays, April 25, May 16, 23 and 30, 1-3 pm, St. Andrew’s Parish, Oakville. Cost is \$35, and includes the text and five Wednesdays April 18, 25 and May 16, 23 and 30. Online registration will be available, for more information please visit www.hamiltondiocese.com or call Monica at (905) 528-7988.

CATHOLIC EDUCATION WEEK

May 6 – May 11

Renewing the Promise

OCSTA is pleased to advise that the 2018 Catholic Education Week Resource Kit has been released to all Catholic school boards and Catholic schools in Ontario. All Catholic Education Week materials are posted on our website at www.goodnewsforall.ca. We invite you to join us in prayer for the success of Catholic Education Week.

“BE” 2018 YOUTH RALLY

Don’t miss out on the Annual Diocesan Youth Rally taking place at C.Y.O. Camp Brebeuf, Rockwood on Saturday, May 26. Registration is \$20 per person. Spaces are filling up quickly! Register before April 30 to be included in an Early Bird Prize Pack draw! For more information please contact Nicole Vaughan in the Office of Youth Ministry (905) 528-7988 ext. 2245 or visit www.hamiltondiocese.com/youthrally

PRIESTHOOD ORDINATIONS

Please join us on Saturday, May 5 at 11:00 am for the Ordination to the Priesthood of Deacons Grayson Hope, Christopher Tracey and Tim Theriault. The mass will be celebrated at the Cathedral Basilica of Christ the King. Priests are invited to concelebrate and participate in the “laying on of hands.” All are welcome to attend.

LIFE IN THE SPIRIT SEMINAR BEGAN APRIL 24 AT ST. JAMES PARISH 7:30 – 9:00 PM

Six week course! Opportunity to lead you into a deeper, more intimate relationship with God by making you more aware of and more open to, the power and action of the Holy Spirit in your everyday life. To find out more information contact Rudy (416) 930-5139 – Rudolph_sequeira@yahoo.com or Isobel – isobel.bolt@gmail.com – (905) 296-4140. Welcome all!



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