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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 after the 11:00 am Mass. 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. Nicholas	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

PARISH LITURGIES
SEVENTH WEEK IN ORDINARY TIME

LITURGIES

February 24 – March 1

Shrove Tuesday, February 25- Adoration

6:00 pm Reconciliation
7:00 pm +Joyce Shear

Ash Wednesday, February 26

8:30 am +Int. Marius Mihai
Saint Dominic School
7:00 pm +Felica Aranha

Thursday, February 27

8:30 am +Carol Mracica

Friday, February 28

8:30 am +Leo Moraes
9:00 am **Adoration**
7:00 pm Stations of the Cross

FIRST SUNDAY IN LENT

Saturday, February 29

4:00 pm Reconciliation
5:00 pm +Guido Bardaro
+Theresa Louise Clunies
+Wally Gillard
+Maria & Valerie Orha

Sunday, March 1

9:00 am For our
11:00 am Parish



MEETINGS & WORKSHOPS THIS WEEK

Tues. Feb25	7:30 pm	Mystery of Christ	Auditorium
Wed. Feb.26	7:00 pm	Youth Choir	Church
	7:30 pm	Zumba	Auditorium
Thurs Feb. 27	7:30 pm	Choir	Church
Fri. Feb. 28	9:00 am	Mens' Group	RMR
	10:00 am	Regnum Christi	PC-2
Sat. Feb. 29	9:30 am	Zumba	Auditorium
	6:00 pm	Youth Social	Auditorium
Sun. Mar. 1	12:15 pm	R.C.I.A.	RMR
	3:00 pm	Canara Inc.	Auditorium

STATIONS OF THE CROSS

Lent is fast approaching. The main purpose of Lent is to prepare ourselves adequately for the celebrations of Easter which is the Feast of Jesus' resurrection – the Feast of our salvation. We prepare for Easter by prayers, fasting and penance. A traditional form of prayer is the communal celebration of the Way of the Cross. The Way of the Cross helps us to understand and relive in our own ways the **passion of Christ. Every Friday beginning February 28 at 7:00 pm** we will celebrate The Way of the Cross. Please join us with your family. Let's make this Lent a special one.



**COME ONE, COME ALL TO
SAINT DOMINIC'S ANNUAL
PANCAKE DINNER
Tuesday, February 25
5:15 to 7:30 pm
\$5.00 per person
Tickets on sale after all Masses**

SOCIAL COMMITTEE

The Social Committee would like to move forward with a Pasta Night after Lent and maybe other events, but we need more help. Contact parish office if you are able to do so.

YOUTH-LED MASS

Saint Dominic Parish invites you to join in our Youth-led Mass on February 29 at 5 pm. Youth Mass will be held on the last Saturday of every month. Youth are invited to a Social after Mass in the parish hall.

"God loves you, the Church needs you.

Pope Francis calls for young people to be "protagonists of change", and "courageous missionaries".

Lenten Penance Service

Thursday, March 26 – 5:30 -7:00 pm

with three confessors available to celebrate this beautiful gift of forgiveness and spiritual healing with our parishioners. Please mark your calendar!

*"You shall love your neighbour
as yourself"*

CHRISTMAS ELF BOUTIQUE

All done in God’s love with a huge success. Thank you to the front liner, Nicky Mehrotra. Funds of \$2,000 were donated to the CWL to STOP Human Trafficking. What an achievement and so many to thank for their unending help. Endless list to mention. Many thanks for your support, kindness, generosity and love in helping the Christmas Elf boutique raise funds for Heart wrenching cause.

WORLD DAY OF PRAYER

March 6 @ 7 :00 PM

ST. SIMON’S ANGLICAN CHURCH

1450 Litchfield Road, Oakville

World Day of Prayer is a global ecumenical movement led by Christian women who welcome you to join in prayer and action for peace and justice. The WDP 2020 program is based on Jesus’ encounter with a person who, although positioned for healing, had not acted upon the opportunities given (John 5 :2-9a). Jesus asked – ‘Do you want to be made well ?’ You are faced with this life-changing question. What are you going to do ? Use this opportunity to reflect with your WDP group, community and ecumenical partners. Prayer and action are what link us together around the globe.

HAMILTON DIOCESE NEWS

HAMILTON DIOCESE PRAYER CALENDAR

Monday, February 24	Rev. James Curtin
Tuesday, February 25	Rev. Marijan Mihokovic
Wednesday, February 26	Ash Wednesday
Thursday, February 27	Rev. Msgr. Victor McNamara
Friday, February 28	Rev. Michael Bennett
Saturday, February 29	Rev. Mike Myroniuk

VOCATIONS

“Be perfect, therefore, as your heavenly Father is perfect.” Do you feel called to help people get closer to God? If you think God is calling you to be a priest, contact Fr. Michael King, Vocation Director, Diocese of Hamilton at (905) 528-7988 email vocations@hamiltondiocese.com

HALTON ALIVE

Life Talks Conference: Halton Alive presents Life Talks, a conference packed with learning, development, fellowship, and forward thinking. Don’t miss this incredible conference. Youth and adult appropriate content. Full conference details online. Date: March 27-28. Location St. George’s Church, 4691 Palladium Way, Burlington. Tickets: Full conference: Friday and Saturday \$75/person. Early Bird: \$50/person by February 29. Film screening only: Friday evening \$5/person. Details and registration: www.haltonalive.ca/lifetalks or call/text 365.366-3232.

DIOCESAN WEDDING ANNIVERSARY

MASS JUNE 14

Are you celebrating your 25th, 40th, 50th, 60th, or 60+ Wedding Anniversary in the year 2020? If you are, you are cordially invited to join couples from across the Diocese of Hamilton for a Wedding Anniversary Mass on Sunday, June 14, 2020 at the Cathedral Basilica of Christ the King at 1:30 pm. (Space allows room for Anniversary couples only – those married 60 years or more may bring 1 guest if you require assistance). Please refer to the poster in the foyer of the church for information on how to register for the celebration, or go to www.hamiltondiocese.com

STRESS IN YOUR MARRIAGE?

Rediscover Joy in Your Relationship!

Retrouvaille is a program for married couples that feel bored, frustrated or angry in their marriage. This program has helped countless couples experiencing marital difficulty. For confidential information about, or to register for the program being offered on the weekend of March 13, call (905) 664-5212 or email Teamrecine@gmail.com or visit their website at www.retrouvaille.org.

HEALTHY RELATIONSHIPS SHARE

COMMON SKILLS –Come and Learn More!

“Keys to Loving Relationships” is a ten week video-based program that all people (married, dating, or single) can use to develop the skills needed to have a truly meaningful relationship with a spouse, family member or friend. The program is offered in Hamilton at the Diocesan Chancery Office, 700 King Street West, on Thursday evenings from 7:00 to 9:00 pm March 26-June 4. Cost is \$45.00. for more information or to register, call the Family Ministry Office at (905) 528-7988 ext. 2249.



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