

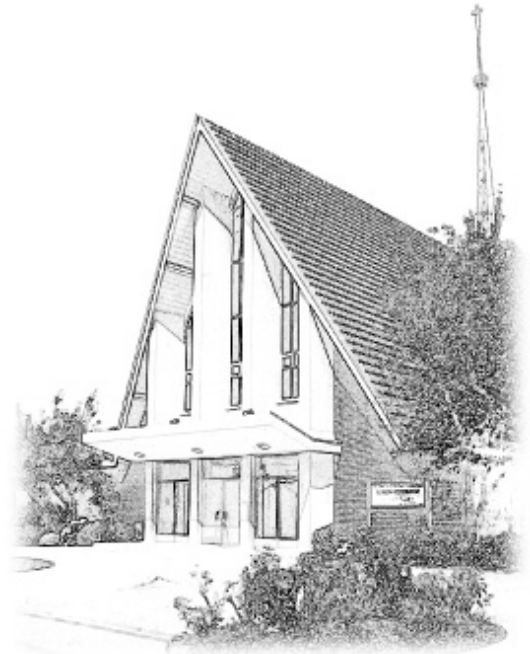
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PARISH OFFICE HOURS

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

**PARISH LITURGIES
SEVENTEENTH WEEK
IN ORDINARY TIME**

LITURGIES

July 30 – August 6

Tuesday, July 31

**NO Reconciliation
NO Mass**

Wednesday, August 1

8:30 am Gerald McGraw

Thursday, August 2

8:30 am LeRoy Molyneaux

Friday, August 3 – no Adoration

8:30 am Guillermo Ramos

**EIGHTEENTH SUNDAY
IN ORDINARY TIME**

Saturday, August 4

4:00 pm Reconciliation
5:00 pm Attilio Sisi
Del & Mary Comeau
Jina Bliss
Thanksgiving-Selvey family

Sunday, August 5

9:00 am For our
11:00 am Parish

REFLECTION OF THE WEEK

One Body in Christ

Next five Sundays we have Gospel reflections from John Chapter 5. It is about the multiplication of food and feeding the people. It is also about Jesus who is *our bread of life*. Let us try to reflect these 5 weeks, on the most difficult, yet the most fundamental aspect of our Catholic Doctrine. This week the focus is on what Elisha in the first reading and Jesus in the Gospel did – *“the bread belonging to one must become food for all”*. We can have a better world only when people no longer base their relationships on selfishness, competition and search for power

We all are one – *One body in Christ*.

CONFIRMATION INFORMATION

Preparation for the Sacrament of Confirmation will begin in the Fall for those in **grade 7 and up** who are registered in Saint Dominic Parish. Please note that letters are sent out at the end of June through our schools. If you lost the letter or attend other schools, you will find copies of the letter on the wall in the narthex or contact the Parish Office.

The **Serve Project Record Sheet** is attached so that you may **start your service hours during the summer**. If you have any questions please call the Parish Office (905) 827-2373.

PRE-AUTHORIZED GIVING

Pre-Authorized Giving allows you to give to our Parish through scheduled weekly or monthly transfers from your bank account. This helps to ensure regular, dependable contributions to our Parish. Giving generously, faithfully, and sacrificially not only enables our Parish to fulfill the mission of the Church, but it also brings about another important transformation – that which takes place within the heart of the one who gives. In this way, God – who is never outdone in generosity – brings to life the beautiful words of the Prayer of Saint Francis: “For it is in giving that we receive”. For more information or to enroll, please contact the Parish office or pick up a Pre-Authorized Giving form at each entrance to the Church.

WELCOME TO NEW PARISHIONERS

A special welcome to all new parishioners! We pray that you will feel welcome in our community and that your spirits will be nourished each week at the Eucharist. Be sure to introduce yourself to Father Ranjan D’Sa and complete a registration form which you will find at all the entrances of the church.

FOOD BANK

This summer is going to be a difficult time for people who have few financial resources. We are hoping you will help us stock up our food bank.

Items most urgently needed include:

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| Canned Meat & Fish | Rice & Kraft Dinner |
| Fruit Juice | Port ‘n’ Beans |
| Peanut Butter & Jam | Canned Pasta |
| Dry Pasta | Pasta Sauce |
| Soup & Stew | Cereal |
| Canned Vegetables | Canned Fruit |

Just place your donation in the food Box in the Parish Narthex. Thank you for helping.

“Jesus distributed to those who were seated as much as they wanted”

URGENTLY NEEDED-HOSPITAL VISITORS

Anyone interested in visiting Saint Dominic parishioners in hospital please call our Parish Office at (905) 827-2373. Thank you for your consideration regarding this important service to our Parish.

HOSPITAL ADVISORY

Please contact the Parish Office when a member of your family is hospitalized. By contacting us you make it possible for us to provide pastoral care for the sick members of our community. Thanks for your help!

HAMILTON DIOCESE NEWS

HAMILTON DIOCESE PRAYER CALENDAR

Monday, July 30	Rev. Michael Anderson
Tuesday, July 31	Rev. Edward Mahony
Wednesday, August 1	Parish Staff
Thursday, August 2	Most Rev. Anthony Tonnos
Friday, August 3	Rev. Charles Schefter
Saturday, August 4	Rev. Fulbert Jonas Ahouansou

700 King Street West, Hamilton. The program runs in Kitchener on Tuesday evenings, September 18 – November 27, from 7:00 to 9:00 pm at St. Mark Parish, 55 Driftwood Drive, Kitchener. Cost \$45.00. For more information or to register, call (905) 528-7988 ext. 2249 or register at www.hamiltondiocese.com

COME and CELEBRATE

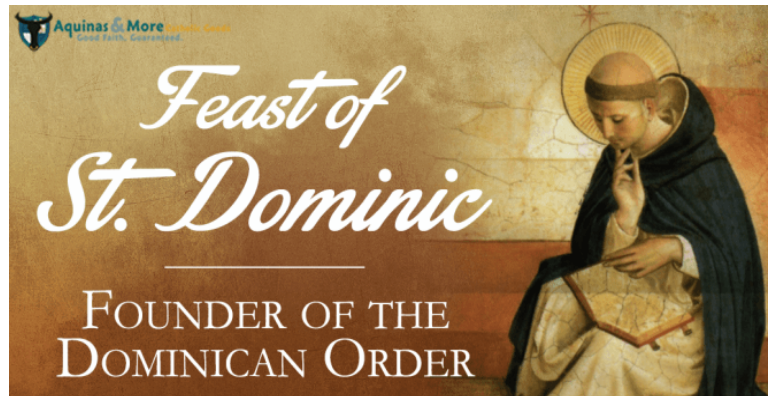
Bishop Ryan High School's 60th anniversary, October 5, 7:00 pm to 12:00 at Michaelangelo's Banquet Centre, 1555 Upper Ottawa Street, Hamilton. Meet and greet, enjoy light refreshments, cash bar, and 'virtual tour' of the beautiful new school. Due to capacity, advance ticket purchase is required. Purchase online at bishoprionalumni.ca.

CATECHETICAL CORRESPONDENCE COURSES

Programs available for children from Kindergarten through to High School not currently receiving religious instruction. Preparation for First Communion and Confirmation for children not in Catholic schools are also available. Families work through the programs at home. Contact Monica in the Catechesis Office at (905) 528-7988, ext. 2238 or check out our website at www.hamiltondiocese.com



Mass, Wednesday, August 8 @ 7:00 pm



FRIDAY NIGHT SUPPORT GROUP

FOR PERSONS SEPARATED or DIVORCED

Would it help you to have people around you to understand what you're going through? Would you like to hear some ideas that will encourage and help you to develop new ways of coping with the stresses in your life? The Hamilton Diocesan Support Group meets the 1st and 3rd Friday of each month and they can help! No need to register. Chancery Office, 700 King Street West, Hamilton from 7:00 – 9:00 pm. for more information call (905) 528-7988 ext. 2249. There is NO COST

VOCATIONS

In the Gospel many people hunger for a small amount of food. In our day, there are too many people for the small number of priests, sisters, brothers and deacons. We too must trust in the Lord by praying for vocations. If you feel God is calling you to be a priest, religious, or permanent deacon, call Fr. Michael King, Vocation Director, Diocese of Hamilton (905) 528-7988 ext 2246 Email vocations@hamiltondiocese.com

COME JOIN US TO FIND THE

“Keys to loving relationships”

“Keys” is a ten week video-based program meant for anyone (married or single) who is looking to develop the skills needed to have the most meaningful relationship you can with a spouse, family member or friend. Learn how to become a better “me” in all your relationships! The program runs in Hamilton on Thursday evenings from 7:00 to 9:00 pm September 27 – November 29, at the Chancery Office,

A PROVEN FACT

Vacation days move at twice the speed of work days.

Chocolate cake tastes better after everyone else goes to bed.

Have a relaxing, fun and safe summer!



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