

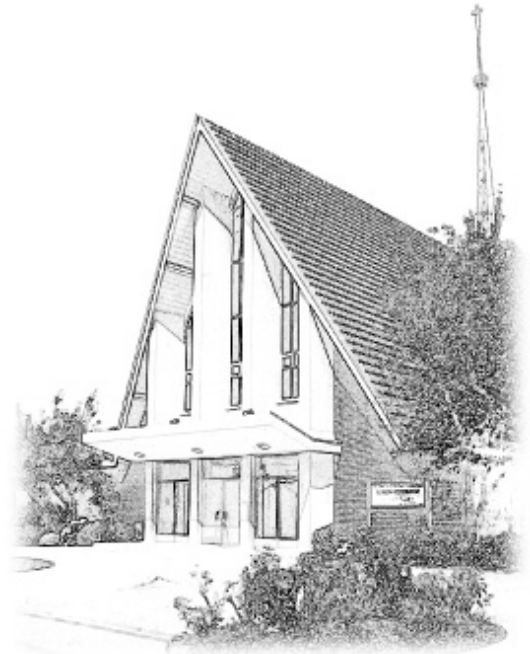
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PARISH OFFICE HOURS

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. 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

FIRST SUNDAY OF LENT

PARISH LITURGIES FIRST WEEK IN LENT - C

LITURGIES

March 11 - March 17

Tuesday, March 12 – Adoration

6:00 pm Reconciliation
7:00 pm +Willi Bischof

Wednesday, March 13

8:30 am +Angela Antonia Paccione

Thursday, March 14

8:30 am Int. Madalena Pinheiro

Friday, March 15

8:30 am +Ernesto & Lucy Grande
9:00 am **Adoration**
7:00 pm Way of the Cross

SECOND SUNDAY IN LENT

Saturday, March 16

4:00 pm Reconciliation
5:00 pm +Gerald McGraw
+Manuel & Maria Silva
+Jose & Maria Gomes
+Margaret Mary McNeilly
+Kevin Madigan

Sunday, March 17

9:00 am For our
11:00 am Parish

LENTEN STUDY PROGRAM

Come join us in the Parish Centre Thursday evenings 7:00 – 9:00 pm starting March 14, 21, 28, April 4, 11. for our Lenten study program “David the King”. To understand the New Testament one needs to understand the archetypal Kingship of David. David looks back to the first king in Adam and looks forward to the definitive king in Christ. In order to understand Christ we first need to understand David. The program will run for 5 weeks. Video and study guide from Bishop Robert Barron.



MEETINGS and WORKSHOPS THIS WEEK

Tues. Mar. 12	6:00 pm	Conquest & Challenge	Auditorium
	7:30 pm	CWL Mtg.	PC-4
Wed. Mar. 13	7:00 pm	Youth Choir	Church
	7:30 pm	Kim	Auditorium
Thur. Mar. 14	6:30 pm	First Comm.	PC-4
	7:00 pm	Lenten Study Program	Auditorium
	7:30 pm	Choir	Church
Fri. Mar. 15	9:00 am	Mens' Group	RMR
	9:45 am	Regnum Christi	PC-2
Sat. Mar. 16	9:00 am	El-Shadaai	Auditorium
	9:30 am	Kim	RMR
Sun. Mar. 16	12:15 pm	R.C.I.A.	RMR

LENT

Lent is here! The main purpose of Lent is to prepare ourselves adequately for the celebration of Easter which is the feast of Jesus' resurrection-the feast of our salvation. We prepare for the Easter by prayer, 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 at 7:00 pm we will celebrate **The Way of the Cross**. Please join us with your family. Let us make this Lent a special one.



PARISH PENANCE CELEBRATION

Wednesday, April 10

6:30 pm – 8:00 pm

PLEASE PRAY FOR OUR CHILDREN PREPARING FOR FIRST COMMUNION

On **Saturday, April 27 at 10:00 am** for **Saint Dominic School** – Mrs. Makhoul, Mrs. Singer class and **Saturday, April 27 at 1:00 pm** for **Saint Dominic School** – Ms. Hart, Ms. Sas and Mrs. Vasilak.

On **Saturday, May 4 at 1:00 pm** for **St. Nicholas School** and for **Catechism Class**

We pray that children will open their hearts to receive Jesus with joy and continue to receive Jesus regularly.

PILGRIMAGE – HOLY LAND

October 21 – 30, 2019

10 days Holy Land Pilgrimage from Toronto
Under Spiritual Leadership of Father Ranjan

For information please contact

abirpilgrimage2019@gmail.com or Bethia 778-938-5519

INCOME TAX RECEIPTS

The remaining Income tax receipts that were not picked up have been mailed. They have been issued for donations received between January 2018 and December 2018.

40 DAYS FOR LIFE

March 6 – April 14 (8am – 8pm)

Save Lives! Join the peaceful, prayer vigil. Choose an hour and pray as a family this Lent. Near the Oakville-Trafalgar Hospital (Vigil site: Proudfoof Trail and Dundas Street) Register at 40daysforlife.com/Oakville. Contact: 40daysforlife.oakville@gmail.com.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

Come join us at our annual St. Patrick’s Day Social at The Knights of Columbus Hall, 1494 Wallace Road on Sunday March 17 at 2:00 pm to 6:00 pm. Enjoy Irish dancing, music, Irish stew, home-made brown bread and some local brew! Everybody is Irish on St. Patrick’s Day so come wearing your Green. \$5 entry for adults. Fun for all the family.



HAMILTON DIOCESE NEWS

HAMILTON DIOCESE PRAYER CALENDAR

Monday, March 11	Rev. Edwin Lapinski
Tuesday, March 12	Rev. Patrick McKelvie
Wed. March 13	Legionaries of Christ
Thurs, March 14	Rev. David Mowat
Friday, March 15	Rev. Peter Pigott
Saturday, March 16	Rev. Frank Reitzel

FRIDAY NIGHT SUPPORT GROUP FOR PERSONS SEPARATED OR DIVORCED

Would it help you to have people around you to understand what your’re going through? Would you like to hear some ideas that will encourage you 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 just come and

join us at the chancery Office at 700 King Street West, Hamilton from 7 – 9 pm. for more information call the Family Ministry Office at (905) 528-7988 ext. 2249. There is NO COST, but great learning, caring and support!

HALTON CATHOLIC CHILDREN’S EDUCATION FOUNDATION (HCCEF)

Currently seeking input from community members to help us evaluate our outreach strategy and guide our efforts moving forward through an online survey. We would value your feedback—it will assist HCCEF in reaching out and helping more HCDSB students and families in need. Please visit www.hccef.org. Survey is available until Friday, March 8.

DIOCESAN WEDDING ANNIVERSARY MASS

Bishop Douglas Crosby will celebrate the Diocesan Wedding Anniversary Mass on Sunday, June 9 at 1:30 pm, Cathedral Basilica of Christ the King. Couples may also register on-line at www.hamiltondiocese.com. Once a couple has registered for the Mass, an official invitation will be sent directly to them on behalf of Bishop Crosby.

VOCATIONS

Jesus was led by the Holy Spirit into the desert for forty days of prayer and fasting. Are you open to being led by the Holy Spirit into the life-commitment God has prepared for you? If you think God is calling you to be a priest, contact Fr. Michael King, Vocation Director, of Hamilton (905) 528-7988 email vocations@hamiltondiocese.com



*“Be with me, Lord,
when I am in trouble”*



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