# SAINT DOMINIC PARISH

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# PARISH STAFF

Pastor:	Reverend Ranjan D'Sa OCD
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Custodian:	Mr. Peter Coffey
Sacristan:	Mrs. Judi Kingry

# PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Tuesday to Friday	9:00 am to Noon
	1:00 pm to 4:00 pm

### 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 SIXTH WEEK OF EASTER

# LITURGIES May 7 – May 13

# Tuesday, May 8

6:00 pm	Reconciliation
7:00 pm	Julian Martinez de Hoz

# Wednesday, May 9 8:30 am Barbara Wheeler

Thursday, May 10 8:30 am Vince Salvia

Friday, May 11 8:30 am Livio De Biasi

# THE ASCENSION OF THE LORD Saturday, May 12

4:00 pm	Reconciliation
5:00 pm	Maria Gabriela Da Silva
	Antonio Mosco
	Luigi Faccia
	William McAleese
	Assiste Altorio

# Sunday, May 13

9:00 am	For our
11:00 am	Parish
12:15 pm	Baptisms

# THIS WEEK'S MEETINGS

Tues. May 8	2:00 pm	St. Dominic	Church
		Kindergarten	
Wed. May 9	7:00 pm	Youth Choir	Church
	7:30 pm	Baptism Prep.	PC-4
Thurs. May 10	7:30 pm	Choir	Church
Fri. May 4	9:00 am	Mens' Group	RMR
	9:45 am	Regnun Christi	PC-4

"No one has greater love than this, to lay down one's life for one's friends "

# 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. Please join us on May 26 at 6:00 pm in the parish auditorium. 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 tapassize 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. Children are encouraged to wear their national dress. It will be a delightful evening.

# MOTHER'S DAY ROSES FOR SALE Price: \$3.00 or 2 for \$5.00

<u>When?</u> <u>Where?</u>	After all Masses of Mother's Day weekend May 12 and 13 Saint Dominic Church, 2415 Rebecca Rd.
<u>Why?</u>	To benefit single mothers at Shifra Home in Burlington, St. Martin's Manor in Hamilton
<u>Sold by</u> :	and Halton Alive Saint Dominic Parish Catholic Women's League

# CATHOLIC MISSIONS IN CANADA

We wish to thank all at Saint Dominic Parish for their many prayers and the continuing support given to our missionaries – both with this gift of \$1,087.50 and the special commitment you have shared with us for their ministries these many years. Thank you! Rev. David Reilander

# 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 <u>sdpbiblecamp@gmail.com</u>

# 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. (<u>Space allows room for</u> <u>Anniversary couples only</u> – 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, May 7	Rev. Frederick Scinto
Tuesday, May 8	Rev. David Walter
Wednesday, May 9	Catholic Single Adults
Thursday, May 10	Rev. Robert Stainsby
Friday, May 11	Rev. Michael Bennett
Saturday, May 12	Rev. Robert Hetu

#### **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, May 16, 23 and 30, 1-3 pm, St. Andrew's Parish, Oakville. Cost is \$35, and includes the text and five Wednesdays 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 <u>www.goodnewsforall.ca</u>

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

## LIFE IN THE SPIRIT SEMINAR May 8, 15, 22 & 29 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 – <u>Rudolph\_sequeira@yahoo.com</u> or Isobel – <u>isobel.bolt@gmail.com</u> – (905) 296-4140. Welcome all!

## VOCATIONS

The greatest love story that ever happened: God's continuing love for His people. All God asks is "Love one another as I have loved you". The world really needs to see people who are trying to love others with all their hearts. Priests, religious and deacons can be excellent examples of this love. If you are willing to answer God's call,

**contact Fr. Michael King**, Vocation director, (905) 528-7988 x 2246 email <u>vocations@hamiltondiocese.com</u>

#### FAITH BEGINS IN THE FAMILY

"The family is the community in which, from childhood, one can learn moral values, begin to honor God, and make good use of freedom. Family life is an initiation into life in society. (CCC #2207)" Join us for a workshop on Pope Francis' Apostolic Exhortation: *Amoris Laetitia*. The event will take place from 7-9 pm on May 10 (Thursday) at St. Matthew's Parish, 1150 Monks Passage, Oakville. (Note change in date from April 12) Call Teresa at (905) 528-7988 ext. 2250. Register on line:

https://hamiltondiocese.com/office/family-ministry/amorislaetitia

# SUPPORT 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 you and help you to develop new ways of coping with the stresses in your life? The Hamilton Diocesan Support Group meets the 1<sup>st</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> 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.

"The Lord has revealed his victory In the sight of the nation"



