

Holy Rosary Parish

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LORD'S DAY MASSES

Saturday: 5:00 p.m.

Sunday: 8:30 a.m., 10:00 a.m., 11:30 a.m.

Interpreted Mass: 10:00 a.m. 

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Saturday 3:30 p.m. - 4:30 p.m. or by Appointment.

PRIESTHOOD OR RELIGIOUS LIFE: For more information or assistance, you may contact your parish priest or Rev. Michael King, the Diocesan Vocation Director at (905) 528-7988, ext. 2240 or www.vocationsinfo.ca

ADORATION CHAPEL

The Blessed Sacrament is available for adoration 24 hours per day. For adoration outside regular office hours, please register at the office for the door code. Adoration is offered for Vocations on the First Friday of every month.

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

Please contact the Administration Office as soon as possible after the birth of your baby.

SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE

Please contact the Administration Office, generally, one year in advance. At least one party to the marriage must be Catholic and living within the territory of the parish or a parishioner of Holy Rosary Parish.

MISSION STATEMENT

Holy Rosary Parish is a Catholic Community rooted in Faith, Hope and Love. Empowered by the Holy Spirit, we strive to live the Gospel of Jesus Christ and spread it to our growing and diverse community. We welcome and reach out to individuals and families through Worship, Evangelization, Christian Formation and Service to all God's people.

PASTORAL TEAM

Fr. Peter Meyer, Pastor

Fr. Francis Hubilla, Associate Pastor

ADMINISTRATIVE STAFF

Stephanie Uhraney, Parish Secretary/Finance

Corina Thomas, Parish Secretary

Dennis Herrero, Property Manager

ADMINISTRATION OFFICE 905-878-6535

Monday 8:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.

Tues, Wed, Thurs 8:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.

6:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.

Friday 8:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.

Saturday 9:00 a.m. - 7:00 p.m.

OUR SCHOOLS

Bishop Reding Secondary 905-875-0124

Our Catholic Elementary Schools

Our Lady of Victory 905-876-4379

Holy Rosary 905-876-1121

St. Peter 905-878-4626

St. Anthony of Padua 905-864-8272

Queen of Heaven 289-851-9329

NEW PARISHIONERS

Welcome! Please take time to tell us about yourself. Parish registration forms are available in the foyer of the church. These may be completed and placed in the collection basket or dropped off at the parish office.

BULLETIN DEADLINE

Please have written copy into the office by Monday at 9:00 a.m.

CATHOLIC FUNERAL RITES

When a death occurs in your family please contact the parish office before contacting the Funeral Home, and we will assist you in making liturgical arrangements. The Catholic Cemeteries of the Diocese of Hamilton website is www.thecatholiccemeteries.ca



Tuesday, February 28, 2017

8:00 a.m. †Rita McCormick

Wednesday, March 1, 2017 – Ash Wednesday

9:30 a.m. †Mary Grace Easson; †Lorenzita Mamauag;
In Thanksgiving of Health & Blessings

7:30 p.m. †Maria Crisci

Thursday, March 2, 2017

8:00 a.m. †Luigi Antonucci

Friday, March 3, 2017

8:00 a.m. †John Carvalho

7:30 p.m. **Stations of the Cross**

Saturday, March 4, 2017 – 1st Sunday of Lent

5:00 p.m. †Rocco Maraschiello; †Joe Gregorcic;
†Maria Zita; †Pietro & Maria Marchesich;
†Danilo Gaetan; †Joseph & Alma Arruda;
†Isidro Mendoza; †Jennet Viray; †Silvester Sama; Spec. Int. Ceu Burrell

Sanctuary Lamp – Week of February 26, 2017

In Loving Memory of Luigi Antonucci

Readings for Next Sunday:

Genesis 2.7-9, 16-18, 25; 3.1-7
Romans 5.12-19
Matthew 4.1-11

“Have mercy, O Lord, for we have sinned.”

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A LENTEN WALK WITH THE LORD

Lenten Walk with the Lord – 40 Acts of Kindness:

The Hamilton Diocese is presenting an additional or optional way to enhance and enrich your Lenten commitment and experience. “Lenten Walk with the Lord” invites you to do one (1) simple act of kindness for each of the 40 days of Lent. There is a calendar which will be available in the Main Foyer to help you keep track of your kindnesses along with some simple instructions to help guide you. For example, kindness can be as simple as a smile and often begins at home.



PRAYER INTENTION FOR VOCATIONS

Loving Father, bless Your Church with an abundance of holy and zealous priests, deacons, brothers, and sisters. Give those whom You are calling to the married state and those You are choosing to live as single persons in the world the special graces that their lives require. Form us all in the likeness of Your Son so that through Him, and in Him, we may love You more deeply and serve You more faithfully.

We ask this through Christ Our Lord Amen.

Please remember to especially pray for our priests:

Feb. 27 – Rev. Duy Van Nguyen

Feb. 28 – Rev. Francis Hubilla

Mar. 1 – Ash Wednesday

Mar. 2 – Rev. Peter Meyer

Mar. 3 – Rev. James Petrie

Mar. 4 – Rev. Joe Selvanayagam



2017 LIFT JESUS HIGHER RALLY

Be inspired, encouraged and healed: Come celebrate the 25th annual Lift Jesus Higher

Rally! Saturday, March 4th, 2017, 9:00 am - 5:30 pm at the Metro Toronto Convention Centre, 255 Front St. W. Inspired talks by Sr. Ann Shields, Peter Herbeck and keynote guest speaker Bishop Scott McCaig. The adult high mass (with Sunday readings) will be celebrated by Cardinal Thomas Collins and Bishop Scott McCaig will celebrate with the youth. There will be a separate youth event (13 - 18 years) with great music, dynamic talks and inspirational skits. For Tickets: \$25 for adults and \$15 for the youth. For additional information, contact us at <https://www.lift-jesus-higher-rally.ca/> or 905-833-0360.



THE CARMEL OF SAINT JOSEPH

Will pray for you during the **Novena to Saint Joseph**, from **March 11th to March 19th, 2017**. Are you troubled? Do you need spiritual support? You can participate in the Novena to Saint Joseph. Send your prayer intention slip with your name and address to **Carmel of Saint Joseph, 1127 Carmel-Koch Road, R.R. # 1, St. Agatha ON, N0B 2L0**.

LIFE DANCE & SOIREE

Held at St. Raphael’s Parish Hall, Burlington on Saturday, March 4th, 2017. Doors open at 6:00 pm, dinner served at 7:00 pm. Cost is \$25/person. Proceeds will support the Bishop Reding School students attending this year’s March for Life in Ottawa. For tickets, please contact Lorenzo Campanelli at 905-875-0124.



KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS



The Milton Knights of Columbus invite you to a pancake dinner on Shrove **Tuesday, February 28, 2017** in the Parish Hall of Holy Rosary Church located at 139 Martin Street. Drop in is from **5:00pm to 7:00pm**. The menu will feature: pancakes, latke potato cakes, sausages, various fruit toppings, coffee, tea, and juice. A donation is welcome and ALL proceeds will support the Knights of Columbus Post-Secondary School Scholarship Fund. Come on out to this great community event to start the Lenten season.

BLESSINGS OF CARS / RELIGIOUS ARTICLES

WEDNESDAY, March 1st, is the First Wednesday of the month, so don't forget to bring your cars, Religious Articles, etc. to the Main Parking Lot at **6:00 p.m.** on March 1st to be blessed.

VOCATION VIEW

“No one can serve two masters.”

If God is calling you to serve him as a priest, deacon, brother or sister, contact Fr. Michael King, Direct of Vocations and Priestly Formation, Diocese of Hamilton at mking@hamiltondiocese.com or 905-528-7988, or go to www.hamiltonvocations.com.

PERSONS SEPARATED AND DIVORCED

LEARNING TO COPE (Level 1) is a ten week support program starting **Tuesday, February 28th** (7:00 pm to 9:30 pm), at the **Chancery Office, 700 King St. W, Hamilton**. The program is for persons experiencing difficulties as a result of a separation or divorce. For more information, please contact the Family Ministry Office at **(905) 528-7988, ext. 2249**. Cost: **\$35**. Past participants are welcome to inquire about additional programs starting the same week.

LENTEN DAY RETREAT

Attending a retreat day during Lent is a great opportunity to meet our resolution for increased time in prayer and almsgiving. Fr. Todd Arsenault, LC will be providing meditations on “Take Courage; It is I, do not be afraid” Matthew 14:27 on **March 11th** at Holy Rosary parish. The registration fee of **\$20** includes lunch. Take the time this Lent to prepare, repent and renew your soul. To register contact Tima Borges at borgestima@gmail.com or **647-227-0682**.

LIGHT OF JESUS FEAST MILTON

Join us, The LOJ Feast Milton, a Catholic Charismatic community, on the following dates. Experience the joy of worshipping our God, be transformed by His words and meet new friends:

- MAR 4** - Talk # 1 UNCHANGEABLE
- MAR 11** - Talk # 2 COMMANDMENTS 1-4
- APR 1** - Talk # 3 COMMANDMENTS 5-7
- May 6** - Talk # 4 COMMANDMENTS 8-10

The Feast, a place of miracles, is held in the gym of the **Holy Rosary School, 141 Martin St. Milton**. It is open to all! No tickets necessary, only your open heart and open spirit. We have separate activities for youth and children so bring them along! **WORSHIP STARTS AT 2:00 PM.**

For more info, please call Bing/Angie Buhain at 905-462-5072 or Rey/Elvie Reyes at 647-407-3294. You can also visit our website, lojcanada.com or FB/feast.milton.

CONQUEST BOYS

The Conquest Boys Club would like to invite you to our bake sale on **Saturday, February 25th** and **Sunday, February 26th** after every Mass in the Parish Hall. We will have homemade products like cakes, pies, cookies, brownies, samosas and many more delicious treats. Please come out and support our Conquest Boys as they raise funds for their Rome Pilgrimage.



DEVELOPMENT & PEACE



On Ash Wednesday Development and Peace – Caritas Canada will launch its **50th annual Share Lent** campaign entitled **Women at the Heart of Change**. Since the Organization's founding in 1967, money donated annually by Catholics during Share Lent provides essential support to the poorest populations of Africa, Asia, Latin America and the Middle East. Today, Development and Peace supports 173 partners and 194 projects in 46 countries around the world! You can make Share Lent a part of your family's Lenten journey by using the Solidarity Calendar, which you will find in your bulletin today. This year, the Share Lent collection will take place on **Solidarity Sunday, April 2nd**. Did you know that Development and Peace's first Share Lent campaign took place in 1968 and raised \$1.35 million which was used to carry out projects in 32 countries?

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