

# 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

Tuesday: 7:40 p.m.  
Saturday: 3:30 p.m. to 4:30 p.m.

**PRIESTHOOD OR RELIGIOUS LIFE:** For more information or assistance, you may contact your parish priest or Rev. Mark Morley, the Diocesan Vocation Director at 905-528-7988, ext. 2223 or [www.vocationsinfo.ca](http://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. John Van Hees, Pastor  
Fr. Hayden Starczala, Associate Pastor  
Rev. Mr. James Whittaker, Deacon

## ADMINISTRATIVE STAFF

Corina Thomas, Parish Secretary  
Angela Cumming, Parish Secretary  
Dennis Herrero, Property Manager

## ADMINISTRATION OFFICE 905-878-6535

Monday to Friday 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.  
(Summer Hours: Office closes at 3:30 p.m.)  
Saturday 1:00 p.m. to 6:00 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 email your announcement to the Parish Office at [reception@holyrosaryparish.ca](mailto:reception@holyrosaryparish.ca) by Monday at 9:00 a.m.

## CATHOLIC FUNERAL RITES

When a death occurs in your family please contact the parish office and we will assist you in making liturgical arrangements. The Catholic Cemeteries of the Diocese of Hamilton website is [www.thecatholiccemeteries.ca](http://www.thecatholiccemeteries.ca)

# Mass Intentions FOR THE WEEK



**Tuesday, Jan 17, 2023 – St. Anthony, Abbot**

8:00 a.m. †Yvon Galipeau

7:00 p.m. †Angela Falletta; †Gerald Robert Massecar;  
†Danielle Rodriguez; †Perlito Cambaliza

**Wednesday, Jan 18, 2023**

8:00 a.m. †John Ingratta

7:00 p.m. †Ruby Davidson

**Thursday, Jan 19, 2023**

8:00 a.m. †Orazio Mulé

7:00 p.m. In Thanksgiving

**Friday, Jan 20, 2023**

8:00 a.m. †Ann Maeve Johnston

**Saturday, Jan 21, 2023 – 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time**

5:00 p.m. †Des O'Donohue; †Stephanie Butler  
Uhraney; †Julius Fernandes; †Maria Agro

**Sanctuary Lamp – Week of Jan 15<sup>th</sup>, 2023**

In Loving Memory of the Falletta and Crisci Families

**Readings for Sunday, Jan 22<sup>nd</sup>, 2023:**

Isaiah 9.1-4

1 Corinthians 1.10-13, 17-18

Matthew 4.12-23

*“The Lord is my light and my salvation”*

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## 2023 CHURCH OFFERING ENVELOPES



If you haven't already picked up your Sunday offering envelopes, all remaining boxes have been moved to the foyer outside the parish office. We are very grateful to all our parishioners who generously do their part to support the work of the Church and our parish. For those parishioners who do not pick up their 2023 box of envelopes by **February 28<sup>th</sup>**, their envelope numbers will be reassigned.

Refer to our website: [www.holyrosaryparish.ca](http://www.holyrosaryparish.ca) for additional events, information & updates

## WEEK OF PRAYER FOR CHRISTIAN UNITY



The week of prayer for Christian unity is **January 18-25**: This universal week of prayer encourages Christians of all denominations to meet, to participate in various liturgical and other community activities, and to pray together that all may be one.

## ANNUAL BIBLE SUNDAY



The Third Sunday of Ordinary Time marks the celebration of Bible Sunday in the Diocese of Hamilton. This year, the date will be **Sunday, January 22<sup>nd</sup>, 2023**. At the conclusion of the Year of Mercy, Pope Francis encouraged every Christian community to choose one Sunday a year to renew its efforts to make the Sacred Scriptures better known and widely diffused. Our celebration of Bible Sunday is a call to listen to how #TheBibleSpeaks in our hearts and within our communities of faith.

The pastoral offices of the Diocese of Hamilton have prepared a wide variety of resources for youth and adults in celebration of Bible Sunday 2023. Visit their website for more information at:

<https://hamiltondiocese.com/thebiblespeaks/>



## KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

The Knights of Columbus welcome all parishioners to Coffee Sunday held in the parish hall after Masses on **Sunday, January 15<sup>th</sup>**. Hope to see you there!

The Knights of Columbus annual Advent Food Drive was a great success and exceeded last year's results! Total food collected was 6,050 pounds. Total funds collected was \$1,470. Food and funds were donated to the Salvation Army to assist the needs of our community. The Knights and Salvation Army thank you for your generous support.



## OUR SUNDAY BULLETIN

Liturgical Publications will be setting up the advertisements for our church bulletin. The advertising will begin in February 2023 and supports the bulletin service. Please support the bulletin and advertise your product or service. Call Liturgical Publications at 1-800-268-2637.



## MASTERING YOUR MONEY A FINANCIAL WELLNESS PRESENTATION

Financial worries are the top source of stress for all Canadians, ranking above work concerns, health worries and even relationship struggles. The need for financial literacy has never been more pressing. Join us for this special zoom session on **Tuesday, January 24<sup>th</sup>, 2023** from **7:00 p.m. to 8:30 p.m.**, presented by Mr. Fred Masters, president and founder of Masters Money Management Inc., and the author of the critically-acclaimed new book *'Lessons on Mastering Money'*. To register, call **905-528-7988, ext. 2249**.

## REEL JUSTICE FESTIVAL: DOCTRINE OF DISCOVERY



**Thursday, January 26<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 p.m.** ET on Zoom.

A challenging, truthful documentary, meant to educate people about the historic policy, which established a religious, political, and legal justification for colonization and seizure of land not inhabited by Christians. The film intends to create an awareness of the legacy of the Doctrine and the impact on the current state of Indigenous affairs on Turtle Island or North America. Understanding the Doctrine of Discovery and its manifestations are important as we strive for reconciliation. Run time: 66 minutes. To register: <https://reeljusticefilmfestival.wpcomstaging.com/register/>



## FORWARD TOGETHER IN CHRIST INSPIRED BY THE SYNODAL PROCESS

*"Forward Together in Christ"* is a process initiated by Bishop Crosby and Bishop Lobsinger in the Diocese of Hamilton which was inspired by Pope Francis' October 2021 invitation to enter into a journey called the *"Synod on Synodality"*.

*Forward Together in Christ* aims to hear each other through dialogue and then collectively, as a Diocese, decide upon a path forward together from the pandemic restrictions with hopes to "heal, fix, grow, and/or reboot the Diocese and her members". As the Church sets out on this path of synodality over the coming months, a way of walking together in communion with the Lord, the Diocese will be releasing three brochures to better understand the synodal process called; *"What is Synodality"*, *"The Synod"*, and *"Forward Together in Christ"*. For more information, please visit our parish website at:

<https://www.holyrosaryparish.ca/bishops-office.html>



## CARMELITE SPIRITUALITY GROUP OUR LADY OF THE ROSARY

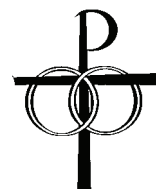
*"Carmel, is a source of wealth for the whole Christian Community"* - Pope St. John Paul II

The next meeting will be **Friday, January 20<sup>th</sup>** in the Parish Hall at **6:30 pm**. Lay Carmelites are Roman Catholic men and women who "live in the following of Jesus Christ according to the traditions and spirit of Carmel".

**NOREEN D'SOUZA:** [noreendsouza72@gmail.com](mailto:noreendsouza72@gmail.com)  
<https://www.laycarmelites.org/come-and-see>

## DIOCESAN WEDDING ANNIVERSARY MASS

Are you celebrating your 25th, 40th, 50th, 60th, or 60+ Wedding Anniversary in the year 2023? If you are, you are cordially invited to join couples from across the Diocese of Hamilton for a Wedding Anniversary Mass on **Sunday, April 16<sup>th</sup>, 2023** at the Cathedral Basilica of Christ the King in Hamilton at **1:30 p.m.** (Space allows room for Anniversary couples only - those married 60 years or more may bring 1 guest if you require assistance). Registration will be available in early January at: [www.hamiltondiocese.com](http://www.hamiltondiocese.com)



## PRISON MINISTRY

Holy Rosary Church has an active prison ministry. Volunteers from the parish regularly visit both Maplehurst & Vanier correctional facilities located in Milton. If you are interested in learning more about this important ministry and perhaps joining our dedicated group of volunteers, please call **Mike Darling** at **905-876-2997** for Maplehurst or call **Nuala Harold** at **647-405-9196** for Vanier.

## PRAYER INTENTION FOR VOCATIONS

If God is calling you to be a priest, deacon, or religious, contact Bishop Wayne Lobsinger, Director of Vocations, Diocese of Hamilton at [vocations@hamiltondiocese.com](mailto:vocations@hamiltondiocese.com) or 905-528-7988.

Please remember to especially pray for our priests:

**Jan 16 – Very Rev. Wojciech Kuzma**

**Jan 17 – Rev. Francis Hubilla**

**Jan 18 – Youth Ministers**

**Jan 19 – Rev. Luc Payett**

**Jan 20 – Rev. Joseph Okoko, i.v.Dei.**

**Jan 21 – Rev. Ireneusz Koziak, S.A.C.**

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