

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 6:00 pm to 6:30 pm

Saturday 3:30 pm to 4:30 pm 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. John Van Hees, Pastor

Fr. Vivek Trindade, Associate Pastor

Sr. Kathleen O'Neill, C.S.J., Pastoral Assistant

Rev. Mr. Bob Grynol, Deacon

ADMINISTRATIVE STAFF

Stephanie Butler, 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 and we will assist you in making liturgical arrangements. The Catholic Cemeteries of the Diocese of Hamilton website is www.thecatholiccemeteries.ca



Tuesday, Jan 21, 2020 – St. Agnes

8:00 a.m. †Ernesto Bay

7:00 p.m. †Calogero Seminatore; †Czeslawa, Franciszek & Jolanta & All Souls; †Ralph Colucci; †Frovin Lund Knudsen; †Jósef Soja; †Emerson Liu; S/I Veronica Sweeney; S/I Connor McGrath; S/I Annie Hayden; In Thanksgiving

Wednesday, Jan 22, 2020

8:00 a.m. †Chito Placido

Thursday, Jan 23, 2020

8:00 a.m. †Holy Souls

7:00 p.m. †Yolanda McCann

Friday, Jan 24, 2020 – St. Francis De Sales

8:00 a.m. In Thanksgiving

Saturday, Jan 25, 2020 – 3rd Sunday in Ordinary Time

5:00 p.m. †Elio Manera; †All Souls; †Dec. Memb. Kilby Family; †Pura De Viterbo; †Diane Bruni; †Eileen Foster; †Helen Skochelas; S/I Ingrid Hancock; In Thanksgiving

Sanctuary Lamp – Jan 19, 2020

In Loving Memory of Vincenzo Crisci

Readings for Sunday, Jan 26, 2020:

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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ANNUAL BIBLE SUNDAY

The 4th Sunday in Ordinary Time each year is Bible Sunday in the Diocese of Hamilton. This year, the date will be **Sunday, January 26th, 2020**. All the faithful are encouraged to use the Sacred Scripture in their daily prayer. For further guidance, refer to <http://www.holyrosaryparish.ca/diocesan-workshops--events.html>.

Refer to our website: www.holyrosaryparish.ca for additional events & information!

MINISTERS OF COMMUNION TO THE SICK IN HOSPITAL OR IN THEIR HOMES



Volunteers in this Ministry bring Holy Communion to parishioners in the hospital or in the privacy of their homes. The Blessed Sacrament is taken by the volunteer directly after the weekend Masses. Time commitment is about 4 hours per month. Confidentiality is essential. Training is provided. Application, screening and a Vulnerable Sector police check is required. Volunteers **must** provide **their own** transportation to/from the hospital or homes.

WORLD DAY OF PRAYER



The World Day of Prayer, 2020, will be held on **Friday, March 6th**. The theme this year is **Zimbabwe**, “Rise! Take your mat and walk.”

If you have knowledge of or a history with Zimbabwe and are willing to share information with us, please call Willi (905) 462-3092, voice or text. Thank you.

2019 INCOME TAX RECEIPTS

Your 2019 tax receipts are on the table in the outer foyer. Please take a moment to pick up your receipt and save the parish postage. **Please be mindful to pick up the correct receipt.**



SSVP COLLECTION WEEKEND

This is a reminder that members of the Society of Saint Vincent de Paul will be at the doors of the Church after all the Masses next weekend, **January 25th/26th** to accept your donation. Your generosity is most appreciated and on behalf of the needy of our Parish community, we thank you.

PRAYER INTENTION FOR VOCATIONS

St. Paul tells us that we have been sanctified in Jesus Christ and called to be a holy people. Could it be that you or someone in your family is being called to be a priest? Contact Fr. Michael King, Vocation Director, Diocese of Hamilton at vocations@hamiltondiocese.com or call 905-528-7988.

Please remember to especially pray for our priests:

Jan 20 – Rev. Godwin Pinto, O.C.D.

Jan 21 – Rev. Ronald Hodara

Jan 22 – Carmelites of Mary Immaculate (C.M.I.)

Jan 23 – Rev. Edward Henhoeffler

Jan 24 – Rev. John Schnurr

Jan 25 – Rev. Jacek Kryn, S.A.C.



KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS



VALENTINE DINNER AND DANCE

in support of the Townsend Smith Foundation, a registered Charity proposing to establish a hospice in North Halton.

Saturday, February 15, 2020
Granite Ridge Golf Club

Our parish Knights of Columbus invite you to shake off the midwinter blues at our annual Valentine Dinner and Dance. Tickets are **\$75 per person** which includes a fabulous four course dinner, music by Black Creek Music, door prizes and a silent auction. Get a group of friends together (non-parishioners welcome). Business owners, you can promote your business at this event by providing door prizes, gift baskets or gift certificates. For tickets or information, contact Daniel Varanelli at 905-875-6699 or dvaranelli@bellnet.ca.



CALLING ALL CURSILLISTAS

Have you attended a Cursillo Weekend? Do you remember the informative talks, and the wonderful support and friendship with other like-minded individuals? Do you remember the joyful feeling, enthusiasm, and fresh start you felt to life after the weekend was over? Well if you have lost touch with the Cursillo movement, but would like to meet for a coffee, a chat, and to find out how the Cursillo movement is doing in your area, then feel free to call Ray St. Cartier: 519-622-5928 or Fr. Gary Schlack: 519-364-1973 or Mary Ann Kirkonnell: 519-379-9858. Rekindle that flame in your heart! De Colores!

FULL DAY CONFERENCE: HEALING IS POSSIBLE



We are all in need of healing from wounds caused by past experiences, relationships or wounds caused by our own sinfulness. Join us for a day filled with hope as we look at a holistic approach to healing.

Save the date: **February 1, 2020** from **9:00 am to 3:00 pm** at Holy Rosary Parish.

The conference fee of \$50 includes Mass, Lunch, and speakers such as: Tima Borges, Author of "Leaving Bitterness Behind: A Catholic Approach to Healing Past Hurts"; Dr. Wendy Hofman, Program Director at Hamilton Diocese; William Stanus, Psychotherapist with a focus on EMDR and Fr. Louis de Vaugelas, LC. To register visit: <http://regnumchristiontario.org/event/healing-is-possible/> or contact Ester at 416-990-3136.

LEGION OF MARY



The Legion of Mary at St Benedict & Holy Rosary parishes is pleased to announce that they will bring the **Pilgrim Virgin Statue** or **The Divine Mercy Image** to the homes of families as a way of increasing family prayer & bringing blessings to families. The Legionaries will accompany the statue or image to the home & will pick up the statue or image at an appointed date & time. These visits normally take place in the evenings. To arrange a home visitation please contact **Cherry Muller (647-470-0385)**.

SEASONS OF HOPE



This Christ-centered faith sharing group will reconvene on **Saturday, January 25th** after the 5 pm Mass. Prayer, scripture, faith sharing, and fellowship are all part of Seasons of Hope. Meetings will be bi-weekly. For more information on this program or to register, please take a Seasons of Hope brochure from the information shelves at the entrances of the church, contact the parish office or call **Sr. Kathleen at 905-878-6535**.

WEEK OF PRAYER FOR CHRISTIAN UNITY



The week of prayer for Christian unity is **January 18th to 25th, 2020**: 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.

CCYMN HOPE COMES HOME CONFERENCE



The Canadian Youth Ministry Conference is being hosted **Friday, February 21st to Sunday, February 23rd, 2020** in **Hamilton**. Through keynote addresses, workshops and prayerful collaboration with one another, we look forward to unpacking the fruits of the Synod, and finding ways of applying the Apostolic Exhortation- Christus Vivit into day-to-day ministerial and Parish life. We invite anyone working alongside young people to join us.

For more information about the conference or to register, please visit www.hopecomeshome.com. If you have any questions regarding the Hope Comes Home Conference, please contact Nicole McCowell, Interim Director of Youth Ministry at nmccowell@hamiltondiocese.com or 905-528-7988 ext.2245.

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