

# Holy Rosary Parish

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Church, Parish Hall

## LORD'S DAY MASSES

Saturday: 5:00 p.m.

Sunday: 9:00 a.m. & 11:00 a.m.

Interpreted Mass: 11:00 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. Nishil Varghese, CMI, Associate Pastor

Rev. Mr. James Whittaker, Deacon

## ADMINISTRATIVE STAFF

Corina Thomas, Parish Secretary

Angela Cumming, Parish Secretary

Karina Morales, 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

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## 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)

## SIXTEENTH SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME



### Tuesday, Jul 25, 2023 – St. James

7:00 p.m. †Roberto Liao Pe Lim; †Stanislaw Barnach;  
†James Noronha; S/I Ania Szymanski

### Wednesday, Jul 26, 2023 – Sts. Anne & Joachim

9:00 a.m. †Edna Icamina

### Thursday, Jul 27, 2023

9:00 a.m. †Antonio DiBiase

### Friday, Jul 28, 2023

9:00 a.m. †Peter Coady

### Saturday, Jul 29, 2023 – Sts. Martha, Mary & Lazarus

5:00 p.m. †Anna Zeni; †Franco Marchese; †Adolphus  
Rodrigues; S/I In thanksgiving 35<sup>th</sup>  
anniversary

### Sanctuary Lamp – Week of Jul 23<sup>rd</sup>, 2023

In Loving Memory of Winnifred “Wyn” Smith

### Readings for Sunday, Jul 30<sup>th</sup>, 2023:

1 Kings 3.5-12++  
Romans 8.28-30  
Matthew 13.44-52

*“Lord, how I love your law!”*

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### 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 them 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**. The Legion of Mary meets at St. Benedict Church on **Tuesday** evenings at **7:00 pm**. All interested are welcome to join.

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

## WORLD DAY FOR GRANDPARENTS AND THE ELDERLY – JULY 23<sup>rd</sup>



Pope Francis instituted the *World Day for Grandparents and the Elderly* on January 31, 2021 to highlight the importance of providing adequate pastoral and spiritual attention to the elderly and to call upon communities to manifest the closeness of the Church to them. It is to be celebrated annually on **the fourth Sunday of July**, close to the memorial of Saints Joachim and Anne, the grandparents of Jesus.

Pope Francis' chosen theme this year is *“His mercy is from age to age”* (Luke 1:50), which raises the relational interconnection between the old and the young. Check this CCCB video

<https://www.youtube.com/watch/XZTn7V-tkbk>.

### PRAYER INTENTION FOR VOCATIONS

“The Spirit helps us in our weakness; for we do not know how to pray as we ought...” For five minutes today rest with Jesus and ask Him what He requires of you. If God is calling you, to the priesthood, diaconate, religious or consecrated life, contact **Fr. Mark Morley**, Director of Vocations, Diocese of Hamilton at **(905) 528-7988**.

Email: [vocations@hamiltondiocese.com](mailto:vocations@hamiltondiocese.com)  
[hamiltondiocese.com/vocations](http://hamiltondiocese.com/vocations)

Please remember to especially pray for our priests:

**Jul 24 – Rev. Lourdy Dorismond**

**Jul 25 – Rev. Jarek Pachocki**

**Jul 26 – St. Anne & St. Joachim, Parents of Blessed Virgin Mary**

**Jul 27 – Rev. Hanh Van Tran**

**Jul 28 – Rev. Adam Voisin**

**Jul 29 – Saints Martha, Mary & Lazarus, Disciples of the Lord**

### WORLD YOUTH DAY NOTICE

It has come to our attention that an unaffiliated agency is soliciting support from our Diocesan Parishes for the “Hamilton Pilgrims” of World Youth Day this summer in Lisbon. Please note, this is not an organized effort of the Diocese of Hamilton, nor is it sponsored by the Diocese. We discourage sending any financial assistance to [wyd.hamilton.pilgrims@gmail.com](mailto:wyd.hamilton.pilgrims@gmail.com). If you have any questions, please reach, **Christina Mines** at [crmines@hamiltondiocese.com](mailto:crmines@hamiltondiocese.com).

## THE DR. H. PATRICK AND MRS. GAYLE E. CUNNINGHAM MEDICAL SCHOLARSHIP

Through the generosity of a benefactor in the Diocese, the *Dr. H. Patrick and Mrs. Gayle E. Cunningham Medical Scholarship* has been established and will be accepting applications for 2023. The purpose of this scholarship is to afford Catholics, faithful to the teachings of the Church, the opportunity to pursue medical education. **Deadline: July 28<sup>th</sup>, 2023.** Further details are on the parish website: <https://www.holyrosaryparish.ca/bishops-office.html>.



## CARMELITE SPIRITUALITY GROUP OUR LADY OF THE ROSARY

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For more information, contact:

**NOREEN D’SOUZA:** [noreendsouza72@gmail.com](mailto:noreendsouza72@gmail.com).

## PARKING

In order for emergency vehicles to enter the Marian Courtyard, the Parish Rectory or Holy Rosary School, we must keep the main routes open at all times, including during Mass. There is additional parking behind the Courtyard, in the schoolyard and at the Martin St. Public School - at the corner of Martin and Woodward. Please respect the **No Parking** and **Fire Route** signs.



## LOST & FOUND

The lost & found cupboard will be cleared out at the end of the month. Please check if any of your missing items might be there.



## PRAYER FOR THE THIRD WORLD DAY FOR GRANDPARENTS AND THE ELDERLY 2023

Virgin Mary,  
Mother of faith and hope,  
an example for this humanity bent by indifference,  
make me as willing as You  
to accept the will of God,  
to magnify and praise His Mercy.

Mary, Mother of fortitude,  
you who knows my heart,  
do not allow me to become discouraged.  
I confidently surrender my life into your hands.



Heal my wounds.  
May your tenderness accompany me on the way.  
Your presence, Mother of love,  
brings us to experience the joy  
of seeing our families united.

Help me to transmit the tenderness and Love of God  
to the grandchildren and youth  
so that, in addition to praying for them,  
we can pray with them.

Mary, may the gift of the Holy Spirit intercede for me:  
sustain my weakness;  
breathe into my heart the consolation  
that I may leave traces of faith among the young,  
bearing witness to the beauty of life,  
knowing that life has a limit  
and that beyond it lies before us our Father's embrace.  
*Amen.*

## PRAYER SHAWL MINISTRY



This ministry gathers in the Parish Hall **every Thursday afternoon from 1:00 pm to 3:00 pm**. All are welcome to join. If you wish to obtain a Prayer

Shawl for someone in need, please contact the parish office at **(905) 878-6535**.

## OUR SUNDAY BULLETIN

Please note that the Church Bulletin will NOT be published during the months of **July** and **August**. Keep checking the Parish Bulletin Boards and our Parish Website [www.holyrosaryparish.ca](http://www.holyrosaryparish.ca) for any Parish news and Mass Intentions.





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