



Holy Rosary Parish

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Church, Parish Hall

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 Wojciech Kuzma, 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

Agnes Turley, Parish Secretary

Stephanie Uhraney, Parish Secretary/Finance

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

Mass Intentions

Tuesday, September 13, 2016 – St. John Chrysostom

8:00 a.m. †Hippo Anta

Wednesday, September 14, 2016 – Exaltation of the Cross

8:00 a.m. †Natividad Buhain; †Antonio I.F. Barreto;
†Deacon Pat Morin; †Felisa Herrera;
†Gregory Oswald Ferreira; †JoAnne Sorem;
Spec. Int. Vivian Buhain Ronjo; Spec. Int.
Clare & Mike Cutrara; Spec.Int. Pauline &
Fred Watkinson; Spec.Int. Paul Scherer

10:00 a.m. School Mass – St. Anthony of Padua
Celebrated at the Church. All are welcome.

Thursday, September 15, 2016 – Our Lady of Sorrows

8:00 a.m. †Teresa Thompson

9:30 a.m. School Mass – Holy Rosary
Celebrated at the Church. All are welcome.

Friday, September 16, 2016 – St. Cornelius & St. Cyprian

8:00 a.m. †Teresa Thompson

10:00 am School Mass – Our Lady of Victory
Celebrated at the Church. All are welcome

Saturday, September 17, 2016 – 25th Sunday – Ordinary Time

5:00 p.m. †Carmelo Falletta; †Rodney Lobo.; †Ramon Sobeniano; †Ed. Uba; †Ferruccio Grazian.;
†Lazar Mathai; †Ralph Serafini; †Wendy Bradshaw; †Nicolo Maira; Int. of Alaida Magbanua

Sanctuary Lamp – August 28, 2016

Special Intention of Joan Hicks

Readings for Next Sunday:

Amos 8.4-7

1 Timothy 2.1-7++

Luke 16.1-13

“You cannot serve God and wealth!”

† † † † †

PARKING: Please respect the **NO PARKING** and **FIRE ROUTE** signs, especially during this time of construction at the school. Please be cautious if you are driving around the construction area.

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:

Sept. 12 – Very Rev. Cornelius O’Mahony

Sept. 13 – Rev. Czeslaw Kosasa, S.A.C.

Sept. 14 – Religious of the Sacred Heart of Jesus (RSJC)

Sept. 15 – Rev. James Petrie

Sept. 16 – Rev. Michael Anderson

Sept. 17 – Rev. Piotr Machnacki, S.A.C.

VOCATIONS

All are invited to join in the celebration of vocations in the Diocese of Hamilton by attending the Fifteenth Annual Vocations Mass, which will take place on Sunday September 18th, 2016 at 2:00 p.m. at St. Matthews Parish in Oakville. For more details please visit www.HamiltonVocations.com



CATHOLIC WOMEN’S LEAGUE

The Catholic Women's League meeting will be held on Thursday, September 15 at 7:00 p.m. in the Parish Hall. We will have a guest speaker followed by “Wine & Cheese”, at a cost of \$ 7.00 a person. Everyone is welcome



RCIA -- BECOMING CATHOLIC!

(RCIA -- Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults)

Is God calling you or someone you know to join the Catholic faith or complete the sacraments of initiation? If so, the Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA) is for you! Beginning in late September or early October, adults (16 years of age and older) who wish to be baptized or received as full members of the Roman Catholic Church are invited to meet weekly with a team of parishioners and members of the pastoral staff. Together, we explore the Catholic Christian faith and prepare for the Sacraments of Initiation, which are celebrated at Easter. **Deadline for Registration is Friday, September 16, 2016.** For more information on this program please contact the Parish Office (905-878-6535).

PERSONS SEPARATED AND DIVORCED

LEARNING TO COPE (Level 1) is a ten week support program starting Tuesday, Sept. 20 (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 further Levels programs starting the same week.**

COME JOIN US TO FIND THE "KEYS TO LOVING RELATIONSHIPS"

"Keys" is a **ten week video-based program** meant for anyone (**married or single**) who is looking for a more meaningful relationship with a spouse, family member or friend. Learn how to become a better "me" in all your relationships! The program runs Thursday evenings from 7:00 P.M. to 9:00 P.M. starting September 22, at the Chancery Office, 700 King St. W, Hamilton. The cost is \$45.00. **For more information, please call the Family Ministry Office at (905) 528-7988 ext.**

SEASONS OF HOPE

BEREAVEMENT GROUP TO BEGIN.....

Our Lord assured us that those who mourn are blessed and that they shall be comforted. This Christ-centered faith-sharing group starts on **September 14, 2016** from 7:00 to 9:00 pm in the Marian Room. Prayer, scripture, faith sharing, and fellowship are all part of Seasons of Hope.

For more information on this program please take a **Seasons of Hope** brochure from the information shelves at the entrances of the church. To register contact the Parish Office or call **Anne Deoni at 905-693-8914.**



THE SISTERS OF ST. JOSEPH

The Sisters of St. Joseph in Canada would be grateful if you and your parishioners would offer prayers for the Sisters of St. Joseph in Canada as they prepare for and participate in their General Chapter. An announcement such as found below placed in your parish bulletins would be appreciated.



ALTAR SERVER TRAINING

There will be **two Workshops/Training Sessions for ALL ALTER SERVERS** at Holy Rosary Parish. If you wish to continue in this Ministry, it is **MANDATORY** that you attend one of these sessions. We also invite any girls and boys who are in Grade 4 or higher and would like to serve at our Sunday Masses as Altar Servers to attend one of these sessions.

Workshops: Thursday, September 22nd, 7:00 – 8:30 pm
Saturday, September 24th, 10:00 – 11:30 am.

New Servers please call the Parish Office to register at 905-878-6535 or email us at reception@holynosaryparish.ca

DIOCESAN FORMATION DAYS FOR LECTORS AND MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION

The following are the dates, times and places for the upcoming Diocesan Formation Days for all NEW Lectors and Ministers of Holy Communion:

LECTORS: Saturday, October 29th @ Holy Family/Our Lady of Vietnam Parish in Hamilton (Deadline is Oct. 21st)
Saturday, November 19th @ St. Anthony Daniel Parish in Kitchener (Deadline is Nov. 11th)

MIN. OF COMMUNION: Sat. October 1st @ St. Joseph Parish in Guelph (Deadline Sept. 23rd) and Sat. October 15th @ St. Paul the Apostle in Burlington (Deadline is Oct. 7th)

All sessions run from 9:30 am – 2:30 pm. The cost of \$10. Will be paid by the Parish.

CATECHETICAL CORRESPONDENCE COURSES

Programs are available for children from Kindergarten through to High School who are not currently receiving religious instruction. Preparation for First Communion and Confirmation for children **not** in Catholic Schools also available. Families work through the programs at home. Contact the parish office for more information and for registration forms.

FROM THE PASTOR'S DESK.....

For Insurance reasons, I would like to convey with you concerns about the use of our Balcony Area.

We ask you do **NOT TAKE** Hymnals or other books to the Balcony level because they can and do fall and may injure other parishioners below.

We also have to be cautious on the stairways: **NO** sitting, running or playing any place in the Balcony areas. Thank you for your consideration in this matter.

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