


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

Tuesday 7:40 pm
Saturday 5:40 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. Hayden Starczala, Associate Pastor
Rev. Mr. James Whittaker, Deacon

ADMINISTRATIVE STAFF

Stephanie Butler, Parish Secretary/Finance
Corina Thomas, 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 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

TWENTY-FOURTH SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME



Tuesday, Sep 14, 2021 – The Exaltation of the Holy Cross

8:00 a.m. †Lenin Pascual

7:00 p.m. †Dec. Memb. Gaetan & Arpa Families;
†Joseph Saldanha; †Margaret Lobo; S/I Phil Buchanan

Wednesday, Sep 15, 2021 – Our Lady of Sorrows

8:00 a.m. †Eric MacKay

7:00 p.m. †Pepe Lazaro

Thursday, Sep 16, 2021 – St. Cornelius

8:00 a.m. †Diane Loepky

7:00 p.m. †Louis Fernandes

Friday, Sep 17, 2021

8:00 a.m. †Dec. Memb. Kay's Family

Saturday, Sep 18, 2021 – 25th Sunday in Ordinary Time

5:00 p.m. †Carmelo Falletta; †Mae, Lancy, Lester & Cheryl De Couto; †Jack Fitzmaurice;
†Venizio Brum

Sanctuary Lamp – Week of September 12th, 2021

In Loving Memory of All the Faithful Departed

Readings for Sunday, September 19th, 2021:

Wisdom 2.12, 17-20

James 3.16 – 4.3

Mark 9.30-37

“The Lord upholds my life.”

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**BLESSING OF
HOLY FAMILY CATHOLIC CEMETERY**



Most Rev. Douglas Crosby, OMI, Bishop of Hamilton, will celebrate the blessing of Holy Family Catholic Cemetery, 2523 Lower Base Line, Milton, on **Saturday, September 25 at 11 am.** In keeping with COVID-19 protocols, registration in advance will be required. To register, please visit hollyfamilyblessing.eventbrite.ca or call 1-800-661-5985.

PRAYER INTENTION FOR VOCATIONS

“Who do people say that I am?” Who do you think Jesus is? The depth of our faith is rooted in our answer. Is God calling you to be a priest, religious, or deacon? If you think you are being called, contact the Diocese of Hamilton Vocations office at vocations@hamiltondiocese.com or 905-528-7988, ext. 2246.

Please remember to especially pray for our priests:

Sep 13 – Rev. Roger Yaworski, S.J.

Sep 14 – Rev. Daniel Syauswa Musondloi, S.J.

Sep 15 – Salesians of St. Don Bosco (S.D.B.)

Sep 16 – Rev. William Clarke, S.J.

Sep 17 – Rev. Gregory M. Kennedy, S.J.

Sep 18 – Rev. Paul Panaretos, S.J.



**SISTERS OF
THE CARMEL OF SAINT JOSEPH**

The Sisters of the Carmel of Saint Joseph will pray for you during the Novena to Little St. Therese, **September 23rd to October 1st, 2021.** Are you troubled? Do you need spiritual support? You can participate in the Novena to St. Therese. Send your prayer intention slip with your name and address to:

Carmel of Saint Joseph
1127 Carmel-Koch Road, R.R. #1
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BACK TO SCHOOL RESOURCE



This resource on the Diocese of Hamilton web page was designed to help families welcome the return of the academic year. Created in collaboration with the Office of Evangelization and Catechesis, the Liturgy Office and Youth Ministry included are suggestions for prayers, questions and conversations parents can share with their children as well as a brief Liturgy of the Word celebration. We pray for all those who are beginning anew - new teachers, Kindergarteners, and graduates as well as those returning that Our Lord's Spirit will guide them in a safe and welcoming environment.

<https://hamiltondiocese.com/backtoschool2021/>

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



CONFIRMATION PARENT MEETING

There will be a Meeting for the parents of all Grade 7 students preparing for Confirmation.

Wednesday, September 29th at 7pm

Holy Rosary, Our Lady of Victory, Queen of Heaven, Saint Anthony of Padua & Saint Peter Schools

Don't forget to bring the completed Enrollment Form, that will be provided through your child's school, and a copy of your child's Baptismal Certificate.



LIFE CHAIN

Please join us for our 33rd annual **Life Chain on Sunday, Oct. 3rd, 2021**. This is a peaceful, prayerful, silent pro-life witness for the unborn in our community. Join thousands of pro-lifers across North America as we make a one hour visual statement of solidarity to end abortion and honour the lives of over 54 million children lost to abortion. Stand for those without a voice! **Meet at Fairview & Maple St. in Burlington from 2:30 - 3:30pm on Sunday, October 3rd**. For more info, contact Mary or Paul at 905-632-4715.

TOWNSEND SMITH FOUNDATION

HOPE IN HOSPICE DISCUSSION



Join us on **September 15, 2021** at 12:00PM EDT for a "Hope in Hospice" discussion.

Hospice does not mean giving up. Patients, families and a hospice work together to develop plans that consider health, spiritual wellbeing and family.

Join Nina Page of Acclaim Health in an interactive discussion on finding hope in hospice.

REGISTER NOW: <https://www.townsend-smith.ca/event/hope-in-hospice/>

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Join us on **Wednesday September 22 – 12 PM** for **As Bright As Heaven – on Death & Dying**
Presenters Tish Butson, Shona Louis, and Janine McNaul talk about Susan Meissner's novel "As Bright As Heaven" and discuss their experiences as end-of-life carers.

REGISTER NOW: <https://www.townsend-smith.ca/event/as-bright-as-heaven-on-death-and-dying/>

SSVP COLLECTION WEEK



The Society of Saint Vincent de Paul boxes will be out from **September 18th to 25th, 2021** for your donations. Your generosity is most appreciated and on behalf of the needy of our Parish community, we thank you.



FIRST COMMUNION

Congratulations to the children who are receiving the Eucharist for the first time this week. Due to Diocesan Covid-19 protocols, only the parents and the First Communicant are able to participate in these celebrations. We are blessed to be able to have this celebration with these Communicants. An open invitation is extended to parents and godparents to bring your children to Mass so that they can receive the Eucharist often.

VIRTUAL/ONLINE WORLDWIDE MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER

OCTOBER 22-24, 2021



Discover the possibilities of a marriage lived as God intends it! Restore your loving communication with your spouse and rekindle the romance. The Marriage Encounter experience is a skill-building enrichment program where you, as husband and wife, learn how to be the best couple you can be; a special weekend to spend in ways that normal, daily living tends to inhibit. No group discussion. Based on Catholic values but open to couples of all faiths. Rediscover the love in your relationship!

Contact: Marge & Gerard McCauley at (905) 792-1925 or gerard.marge@rogers.com. Website: wwme.org



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