Holy Rosary Parish





Parking & Access 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. 139 Martin Street Milton, ON L9T 2R3 905-878-6535 Fax: 905-878-7503 Website: www.holyrosaryparish.ca

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 M

Tuesday, September 27 2016 – *St. Vincent de Paul* 8:00 a.m. **†**Florita Aguiling

Wednesday, September 28, 2016 – St. Matthew, Apostle

8:00 a.m. **†**Vittoria de Conto; **†**Gerd Meisler; **†**Bismarch Arirao; **†**Yolanda Rita Graci; **†**Bill Butler; **†**Floriberto Brillante; **†**Bob
Fisher; Spec.Int. of Monica & Sean Hurley;
Spec.Int. of Phyllis Sianchuk; In
Thanksgiving for Kevin Fernandes

Thursday, September 29, 2016 – St. Michael, St. Gabriel, St. Raphael, Archangels

8:00 a.m. Jason Seary

Friday, September 30, 2016 – St. Jerome

8:00 a.m. **†**Michael & Mary Bergin

Saturday, October 1, 2016 – 27th Sunday – Ordinary Time

5:00 p.m. *Herman Alexander Fleury*; *Helene Marie.*; *Teresa Thompson*; *Luigi Francescon*; *Fr. Jullian Refalo*; *Felipe Nurwandi*; In Thanksgiving;; Int. of D'Souza Family; Int. of Goretti Samuel

Sanctuary Lamp – September 25, 2016 In Loving Memory of Jason Seary

Readings for Next Sunday: Habakkuk 1.2-3; 2.2-4 2 Timothy 1.6-8, 13-14 Luke 17.5-10 "O that today you would listen to the voice of the Lord. Do not harden your hearts!"

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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.

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.

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. 26 – Rev. Peter Coughlin

Sept. 27 – Very Rev. Douglas Crosby, O.M.I., D.D.

- Sept. 28 Pallottine Fathers (S.A.C.)
- Sept. 29 Rev. Fernando Pinto, C.S.Sp.
- Sept. 30 Rev. Robert Hetu
- Oct. 1 Rev. David Walter

CONFIRMATION PARENT MEETING

There will be a Meeting for all Grade 7 parishioners preparing for Confirmation and their parents.



Tuesday, September 27th at 7:30pm Holy Rosary, Our Lady of Victory, Queen of Heaven, Saint Anthony of Padua & Saint Peter Schools

Don't forget to bring the <u>completed</u> Enrollment Form that was provided through your child's school, and **a copy of** your child's Baptismal Certificate.



CHALLENGE GIRLS

The Challenge club invites all **girls** aged 10 - 17 and their parents to a

night of games, friendship and virtue. Challenge is a club for girls to learn about their faith and themselves as they strengthen their relationship with Christ. By doing apostolic projects we look to create a positive impace on family, friends and the world!

Come and experience our Challenge Mission on Griday September 30^{th} from 7 – 9 pm at **Holy Rosary Elementary School** in Milton, ON and **bring your friends!**

PRO-LIFE PRAYER

Let's continue to pray for Pro Life issues especially upholding life from conception to natural death.

Our 50th ----- Save The Date!!!!



OUR LADY OF THE HOLY ROSARY...Our Parish Feast Day is Friday, October 7 and we look forward to celebrating with you. This year we also celebrate the 50th Anniversary of our beautiful Church and Bishop Crosby will be here to celebrate with us. The morning Mass will be changed to 8:30 am for Faith Day for all our schools' educators. There will be an evening Mass at 7:30 pm for all parishioners followed

by refreshments in the Parish Hall. Please come and celebrate this joyous occasion with us.

If any parishioner has any pictures or other memorabilia of Holy Rosary, it would be greatly appreciated if you would loan them to the Parish for this event. If you require any further information please contact the Parish Office at reception@holyrosaryparish.ca or 905-878-6535

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 1^{st} @ St. Joseph Parish in Guelph (Deadline Sept. 23^{rd}) and Sat. October 15^{th} @ St. Paul the Apostle in Burlington (Deadline is Oct. 7^{th})

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

SYRIAN REFUGEE COMMITTEE



This fall we are preparing to receive our refugee family. The Syrian Committee would like, in preparation, to invite volunteers to help receive the family. Some of the areas where assistance is needed are: housing; transportation; social needs;

health care; education; and employment. There will be a handout available at the entrances of the Church with more information. If you would like to become involved please contact the Office at 905-878-6535 email reception@holyrosaryparish.ca

SEASONS OF HOPE

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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**.



CHILDREN'S LITURGY PROGRAM & START-UP

WE NEED YOU!!!!!

We are looking for volunteers to assist at the Children's Liturgy at the 11:30 a.m. Mass. We need at least 4 new volunteers so that we can start this program. Our children are ready and have been asking when this program will begin.

NEW LANDSCAPING

Dear Parishioners,

We are very blessed at Holy Rosary to have such a beautiful church in which to celebrate. In the history of the last 50 years, this parish has flourished because of you the devout community and by the current and former leaders.

To make it a welcoming environment we continually try to support you, the Parish community, and also maintain our buildings.

We have had several leaks lately and we hope they have now been fixed.

For the anniversary, new landscaping is being done to enhance our faith community. Also around the statue of Mary at the front of the Church we hope to make a Rosary Prayer Walkway. Please, we ask you to put **no flowers** around the Marian Statue because there are now permanent flowers there.

We ask you take caution around the new flower beds. Please walk <u>only</u> on the sidewalks. I thank you for your attention to this.

May God bless you in our anniversary year. We look forward to celebrating this year with you and your families.

Hope to see you on Friday, October 7th at 7:30pm.



