


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-SIXTH SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME



Tuesday, Sep 28, 2021

8:00 a.m. †Ely Salazar

7:00 p.m. †Dec. Memb. Pereira Family; †Kathleen & Tommy Harold; S/I Christian; In Thanksgiving

Wednesday, Sep 29, 2021 – St. Michael, St. Gabriel, St. Raphael

8:00 a.m. †Leo Drozd

7:00 p.m. ** Mass Cancelled **
Confirmation Parent Meeting

Thursday, Sep 30, 2021 – St. Jerome

8:00 a.m. S/I Gerry Fernandes & Family

7:00 p.m. †Jason Seary

Friday, Oct 1, 2021 – St. Thérèse of the Child Jesus

8:00 a.m. †Michael & Marie Bergin

Saturday, Oct 2, 2021 – 27th Sunday in Ordinary Time

5:00 p.m. †Frank & Ernestine Pinto; †Aleixo Fernandes; †Almelrinda Arruda; †Agripina Avellano

Sanctuary Lamp – Week of September 26th, 2021
In Loving Memory of Jason Seary

Readings for Sunday, October 3rd, 2021:

Genesis 2.7ab, 15, 18-24
Hebrews 2.9-11
Mark 10.2-16

“May the Lord bless us all the days of our lives.”

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The parish office will be closed on **Thurs, Sept 30th** for the National Day for Truth & Reconciliation.



2022 CALENDARS AVAILABLE

The 2022 Catholic Missions in Canada Calendars are available for purchase at the parish office for \$3. Stop by to pick up yours this week!

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.

To attend virtually: www.holyrosaryparish.ca



HALTON ALIVE

A NIGHT UNDER THE STARS

Save the date: **October 16, 2021**

We have an exciting, new plan for this year's Gala you won't want to miss! This year's event will accommodate those who are ready to gather in-person with an indoor/outdoor experience AND those who prefer a virtual attendance. It's going to be epic so reserve Saturday, October 16th in your calendar RIGHT NOW and stay tuned for the release of more details!

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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
St. Agatha, ON N0B 2L0

**OUR PRAYERS AND
CONDOLENCES**



Please pray for the repose of the souls of **Anna Clarke, Angelo Basso, Lino Rigo, Margaret "Joanne" Arnold, Joseph Pileggi, Vilma Maria Ertzly, Calogero Crisci and Loretta Gevaert** whose funerals were held recently. We especially want to pray for their families in this time of loss. May God console them and help them to draw strength from their faith to continue along life's journey.

CONQUEST BOYS



Conquest is a National network of Catholic Leadership Programs, Clubs, and Camps for boys and young men 5 - 18 years of age that helps young boys in developing their friendship with Christ, and relationships with those around them. Conquest tries to teach boys how to follow Christ's example and live authentic Christian virtues such as friendship, sincerity, obedience, generosity, purity, charity, hope, joy, faith, and perseverance.

Conquest meetings are held every **Friday** from **7:00 to 9:00 pm.** at **St. Peter**, Milton. For more information, please refer to our website www.conquestmilton.com.



EUCHARISTIC ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT EVERY FIRST FRIDAY OF THE MONTH

If you can spare 1 hour to pray for vocations to the priesthood and religious life, please sign up for Eucharistic Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament in the chapel the first Friday of every month, starting at 8:30 a.m. Friday, continuing until Saturday 8:30 a.m. For additional information contact Carmie Liberta at 905-854-4204.



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.

WORLD DAY OF MIGRANTS AND REFUGEES SEPTEMBER 26, 2021

"The phenomenon of migration today is a providential opportunity for the proclamation of the Gospel in the contemporary world. Men and women from various regions of the earth who have not yet encountered Jesus Christ or know him only partially, ask to be received in countries with an ancient Christian tradition. It is necessary to find adequate ways for them to meet and to become acquainted with Jesus Christ and to experience the invaluable gift of salvation." - Pope Benedict



CHALLENGE GIRLS

Challenge Girls Milton is holding an Open House on **Friday, September 24th** from **7:00-8:00pm** at **Queen of Heaven Catholic School** (311 Savoline Blvd, Milton). Registrations for this season are being accepted at this time. This program is open to all girls from ages 6 to 17 years. Challenge is a place to grow united in Christ, virtue, friendship and faith through Catholic formation, apostolic projects, games, retreats and lots of FUN! Registration details can be found on our website at www.challengemilton.com OR contact Nazneen Duarte at challengeinmilton@gmail.com or 905-636-1308.

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

PRAYER INTENTION FOR VOCATIONS

Today's readings speak of the gifts of prophesy and of casting out demons. If you feel that God is calling you with the gift to be a priest, religious, or permanent deacon, 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 27 – Very Rev. Jeff Bergsma

Sep 28 – Rev. Gregory Merkley

Sep 29 – Sisters Adorers of the Precious Blood (R.P.B.)

Sep 30 – Rev. Wallace Metcalf

Oct 1 – Rev. Bernard (Mike) Francis

Oct 2 – Rev. Donald Wilhelm

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

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