

St. Joseph Parish



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Sunday Eucharist

Saturday 5:00 p.m.

Sunday 9:30 and 11:30 a.m.

Weekday Eucharist

Please see schedule inside.

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturday 4:00 - 4:45 p.m.

Sacrament of Baptism

Please make arrangements for Baptismal Preparation two months in advance. All baptisms are celebrated on the following dates:

Jan 9/10	May 22/23	Oct 23/24
Feb 13/14	June 26/27	Nov 13/14
No March Baptisms	Aug 14/15	Dec 11/12
April 17/18	Sept 18/19	

Sacrament of Marriage

Call office one year prior to desired wedding date. A marriage preparation course and appointments required.

Children's Liturgies (September to June)

Children from J/K to grade 2 (pre First Eucharist age). Children's Liturgy takes place in the Parish Hall during the 9:30 a.m. Sunday Eucharist.

Pastoral Council

Chairperson	Laura Rossiter	905-546-0781
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Vocational Information

If you wish to pursue the possibility of a Religious or Priestly vocation, please feel free to speak with any member of the parish staff or call:

Father Bob Liddy, C.R.
519-885-0331 ext 312
Sister Mary McIntyre, C.S.J.
905-528-0138

THE ASSUMPTION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY

LAY MINISTERS for AUGUST 21 / 22 AND AUGUST 28 / 29			
	5:00 p.m.	9:30 a.m.	11:30 a.m.
Lectors	Sharon Boase Julia Lossing John O'Connor August 28 / 29 Julie Bellini Grant Ranalli Denise Konig	Amy Maggio Cameron Nolan Deirdre Pike Verdi Gough Denise Campuzano Michael Coughlin	Nick Kovacs Jennifer Weir Ken Sherman Danny Shea Christina Rzazewski Gerry Shea
Eucharistic Ministers	Chris Jewell Dean Lossing Maureen Harper August 28 / 29 Robert McCollum Ilidia Botelho Margaret Moran	Sandy Mlekuz Joanne Matsos Ene and Paul Readyhough Roberta Weiss David Shea Paul Clinton Rosemary Rhodes	Aniko Ivanyi Emily McDonald Jacqueline Horn Diane Shea Helen Anderson Helen Anderson Betty and Cam Howey Gail Reid Kim Dorman
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**SOCIAL JUSTICE NEWS....
MARK YOUR CALENDARS**

**Project: Harvest Vegetable Garden Tour
Sunday, August 29, 10 a.m. – 4 p.m.**

Two sites on the tour are within walking distance of the church: the Hill Street Community Garden near Dundurn, and our own Rita Bailey's backyard garden at the corner of Jackson and Pearl. Four other sites are a drive away but, for a \$10 donation, you could make an educational and inspiring day of it by seeing them all.

Proceeds support a rural agricultural development project championed by Paul Lemieux, the Development and Peace animator for Southwestern Ontario, who recently returned from three weeks in Guatemala working with local small-scale farmers.

For more information, see the posters at the church doors or contact Rita at 905-525-1198 or ruby101@sympatico.ca.

BIRTHRIGHT HAMILTON

Giving hope at Birthright means finding a way to bridge the gap between the fear people feel when they face an unplanned pregnancy and the hope they find when their needs have been met. Offering free pregnancy tests, counseling and many other services, we help those facing a pregnancy to say yes to life. Can you help us reach out to them in their time of need by becoming a volunteer? If so, please call Birthright at 905 527-3677 and ask for Marquita.

PANCAKE BREAKFAST!

Join us on Sunday, September 12 after the 9:30 and 11:30 Masses for the Knights of Columbus Pancake Breakfast. This will be a great way to socialize with parish friends after the summer break. See you there.

GOOD SHEPHERD FOOD BANK NEEDS YOUR HELP - Please remember Good Shepherd Food Banks when you shop for groceries. Bring in your food donations whenever you come to Mass. Help keep the shelves stocked over the summer months.

DON'T FORGET TO SIGN UP

Families Matter... we have a conference for people of any age or at any stage of life that will help you learn to love and live in family.

Registration brochures and conference guide booklets are available from the parish office, on the bulletin boards or visit us at www.hamiltondiocese.com to view the Year of the Family information on-line. (Registration before Sept.1st will ensure your workshop selection.)

Teresa Hartnett
905-528-7988 ext. 2250

LITURGIES AT ST. JOSEPH CHURCH
MONDAY, AUGUST 16
NO MORNING MASS ON MONDAYS
DURING JULY & AUGUST

TUESDAY, AUGUST 17

8:00 Rosario Agresta Caterina Agresta & Family
 Sheila Redmond Denis & Sheila Corr & Family

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 18

8:00 Peder Larsen Elin Paxton & Family
 Scott Emerson Porter Dianne Porter

THURSDAY, AUGUST 19

8:00 Jose Botelho Gail Reid

FRIDAY, AUGUST 20

8:00 George Radnor Orraith Creedon

SATURDAY, AUGUST 21

1:00 Wedding – Lisa Toltl & Brandon Cunningham
 5:00 Irene Moscardinin Betty and Frank Hanta
 Elisabeth Braun Rene & Ron Valvasori

SUNDAY, AUGUST 22

9:30 Lidia Lovisa Clara & Joe Battaglia & Family
 11:30 For all the people of St Joseph's Parish

MONDAY, AUGUST 23
NO MORNING MASS

TUESDAY, AUGUST 24

8:00 Angelo Carrubba Bill & Rosalie Little
 Michael Kiss Patty Foley

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 25

8:00 Miriam Dubois Pat & John McKenna

THURSDAY, AUGUST 26

8:00 Thor Balue Gordon Wright

FRIDAY, AUGUST 27

8:00 Annie Shulist Friends of the family

SATURDAY, AUGUST 28

5:00 Harry & Marie Harper Susan Harper
 Blane Morden Veronica Ward

SUNDAY, AUGUST 29

9:30 Michele lafrate & Carolina Iannazzi
 Elena Pantanella
 11:30 For all the people of St Joseph Parish

the rectory but when I described the many steps and levels, she highly recommended that I give it one more week. The home is all on one level and much easier to negotiate at this time. That being said, I do intend to preach this weekend and to begin working part time next week even if I am not staying at the rectory. I know that you are in good hands with Fr. Toby. He dropped by last night to fill me in on what is happening at St. Joe's. You are all in my prayers and I look forward to returning home soon.

This Sunday is the celebration of the Assumption of Mary into heaven. To understand what this feast is about, I quote Fr. James Smith [*Celebration*, Kansas City, MO: Aug 2010]:

"The proclamation of the Assumption reads this way: "The immaculate Mother of God, Mary ever virgin, when the course of her earthly life was finished, was taken up body and soul to the glory of heaven." There is no biblical basis for this doctrine. But Catholics believe that God reveals divine truth both through scripture and tradition — both through the Bible and through how Christians live out their biblical belief in history. So when Pope Pius XII asked bishops in 1950 whether their congregations believed that Mary was assumed into heaven, and 98 percent answered yes, the pope thought God was speaking through the church. As reasons for the proclamation, the pope alluded to the bloody world wars of that century, the growth of materialism, the corruption of morals and the desecration of the human body. By extolling the body of Mary, he meant to recall the inherent dignity of all human bodies and their eternal destiny. He wrote, "In her bodily glory in heaven, Mary is a sign of hope and solace for her pilgrim people."

This proclamation of doctrine is only the second time in our church history that the infallibility clause was used. The first was the 1854 declaration of the Doctrine of the Immaculate Conception, that Mary was born without original sin. All the issues of doctrine aside, for us as children of Mary, it gives us great cause to celebrate. One of our own, a flesh and blood human being, is completely body and soul home with God. Mary is where we hope to be as believers. She is the leader of the procession home, leading us all with her example, her faith, her openness to God's will. She is our model and our mother, praying for us, encouraging us and trying to help us find our way home. She is not God, or the fourth person added to the Trinity; she is a fully redeemed human being. And if she could walk this path of faith, then, with her intercession and God's help, we surely can manage it as well. Hail Mary! Full of grace, pray for us sinners, now and at the hour of our death.

VOLUNTEER DRIVER WANTED: One of our senior parishioners needs a ride to Sunday Mass from the Longwood Road area. If you are able to help, please contact the parish office at 905.528.0019.

ENVELOPES: If you have recently registered with the parish and requested envelopes, you will find them at the back of the church at the Locke St. entrance.

The **OFFERTORY** collection for August 7/8 was \$5706.49. Thank you for your continued support and generosity.

Desk Scribbles . . . Feast of the Assumption of Mary . . . August 15, 2010 . . . Jim Link, C.R.

As I write these few words I am still progressing on recovery from the comfort of the home of my friends, Mike and Patty, here in Burlington. I mentioned to the physiotherapist yesterday that I was thinking of returning to

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