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Feast of the Holy Family

FEAST OF THE HOLY FAMILY

Readings	Liturgy	Intention	Please Pray for
Sunday, December 26 Feast of the Holy Family St. Stephen Sirach 3.2-6, 12-14 Colossians 3.12-21 Luke 2.41-52	Masses 9:00 a.m. 10:30 a.m. 12 noon	Our Parish Community	
Monday, December 27 St. John 1 John 1.1-4 John 20.2-8	Mass 9:00 a.m.	Chris Gills	Very Rev. Msgr. Murray Kroetsch
Tuesday, December 28 The Holy Innocents 1 John 1.5-2.2 Matthew 2.13-18	Mass 9:00 a.m.	Deceased members of Rondeau & Martin families Special Intentions of Carlene & Fabian Louis	Rev. Francisco Cruz
Wednesday, December 29 St. Thomas Becket 1 John 2.3-11 Luke 2.22-35	Mass 9:00 a.m.	Special Intentions of Janine Darcheville Rita & Baptiste Prospere	Sisters of St. Anne (s.s.a.)
Thursday, December 30 1 John 2.12-17 Luke 2.36-40	Mass 9:00 a.m.	Norma Gloria de Leon Paul Leon	Rev. Adam Wroblewicz, C.R.
Friday, December 31 St. Silvester I 1 John 2.18-21 John 1.1-18	Mass 5:00 p.m.	Thanksgiving Matthew Alexander Collier Jayson & Jojo Delos Santos	Rev. Melvin Pinto, O.C.D.
Saturday, January 1 The Solemnity of Mary, The Holy Mother of God Numbers 6.22-27 Galatians 4.4-7 Luke 2.16-21	Mass 9:00 a.m. 10:30 a.m. 12 noon	Rodrigo Vagilidad Mark Nath Anton Mesic	

*Our office will be closed starting
 December 24, 2021, and will re-open on
 January 3, 2022.*

He who took our sufferings upon Himself, and bore our sorrows to bring us, through the Cross, to the joy of the Resurrection. Amen.

We seek refuge under your protection, O Holy Mother of God. Do not despise our pleas – we who are put to the test – and deliver us from every danger, O glorious and blessed Virgin.

- Pope Francis, March 2020

ST. BENEDICT PARISH LIVESTREAMED MASS

Sunday, December 26, 2021 9:00 a.m.

<https://youtu.be/tiu0VqzTaIQ>

Holy Rosary Parish

The morning Masses and weekend Masses are live streamed
[HOLY ROSARY PARISH MASSES](#)



POPE FRANCIS' PRAYER TO OUR LADY, HEALTH OF THE SICK

O Mary, you shine continuously on our journey as a sign of salvation and hope.

We entrust ourselves to you, Health of the Sick. At the foot of the Cross you participated

in Jesus' pain, with steadfast faith.

You, Salvation of the Roman People, know what we need. We are certain that you will provide, so that, as you did at Cana of Galilee, joy and feasting might return after this moment of trial. Help us, Mother of Divine Love, to conform ourselves to the Father's will and to do what Jesus tells us:

SCHEDULE OF MASSES

*ALL MASSES ARE ON "FIRST COME-FIRST SERVE BASIS"

Sunday, December 26th, Feast of the Holy Family

9:00 a.m., 10:30 a.m. and 12:00 p.m.

Solemnity of Mary, the Mother of God

Friday, December 31st, New Year's Eve

5:00 p.m.

Saturday, January 1st, New Year's Day

9:00 a.m., 10:30 a.m. and 12:00 p.m.

Sunday, January 2nd, Solemnity of the Epiphany

9:00 a.m., 10:30 a.m. and 12:00 p.m.



VIRTUAL CHILDREN'S LITURGY

Since we are unable to have Children's Liturgy at this time there will be a **Virtual Children's Liturgy Classroom** available. There are many "click-able" items in the classroom that open up to the current gospel message and also other resources. Click on the link for more information: **December 26, 2021:** <https://bit.ly/32fgduY>



PARENTING TIP OF THE MONTH -

Parenting Tip 135 - The excitement of Christmas begins to build even before Halloween. Children are targeted with ads and commercials to ask Santa for the latest toys, electronic device or game. As parents we love to see the anticipation, but our task is a greater one – it is to keep the reason for Christmas at the forefront of our children's minds and understanding. Are they as excited about the coming of Christ and it's meaning for all people? Do they have a sense that long after every gift they desire from Santa is gone, the truths, love, care, compassion, guidance and stability from God will live on to help each of us to live and, ultimately, receive the gift of eternity? The true gift of Christmas should never be the last one we think of, or getting excited about, since it is indeed the most valuable. Advent is the perfect time to daily bring all of this to light!



SERRA CLUB VOCATIONS:

Feast of the Holy Family - December 26, 2021

By Baptism we are God's holy family. Pray today for the grace to live faithfully your vocation as a single, married, ordained, or consecrated person. If God is calling you to be a priest, religious or deacon contact Bishop Wayne Lobsinger, Director of Vocations and Priestly Formation, Diocese of Hamilton (905-528-7988).

Email vocations@hamiltondiocese.com
www.hamiltondiocese.com/vocations/



MARRIAGE SUPPORT

Is your marriage experience more trouble than joy, feeling stagnant or disconnected and/or causing you worries? The solution is Retrouvaille - a program for married couples facing difficult challenges in their relationship. Retrouvaille has one purpose: to help couples restore their marriage and rebuild a loving relationship. This is a practical program, where sharing is not required except between the couple themselves, designed to improve communication, build stronger marriages, and help couples reconnect. It also works well for couples who may be considering separation or divorce. The next Retrouvaille weekend begins March 13, 2022. For more information call 905-664-5212 or email teamrecine@gmail.com.

CATHOLIC MOMS GROUP



Catholic Moms Group wishes all moms a blessed Advent and a joyful Christmas season! We invite all moms to join the group. This group provides a great opportunity to pray, learn about how to be a better mom, raise faith-filled children and laugh together with other wonderful Catholic women. This is indeed a great chance to go deeper in your faith life and connect with other incredible Catholic moms. Don't miss it! The group meets virtually every third Wednesday of the month from 8 to 9 p.m. Our next meeting would be on January 19th. For any questions, contact Nelcy Lopez at stbenedictsh@catholicmomsgroup.com Check out www.CatholicMomsGroup.com to learn more about this amazing ministry!

CHURCH BULLETIN ADVERTISING

Liturgical Publications will be setting up the advertisements for our church bulletin. The advertising will begin in January 2022 & supports the bulletin service. Please support the bulletin and advertise your product or service. Call Liturgical Publications at 1-800-268-2637.

AT-HOME RESOURCE FOR CELEBRATING THE FEAST OF THE HOLY FAMILY

The Office of Evangelization and Catechesis and the Liturgy Office have prepared the attached link to the diocese website with a beautiful resource for families to share and pray together in celebration of the Feast of the Holy Family. <http://hamiltondiocese.com/holyfamily2021/>

Happy New Year

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